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FIFTH SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2024

Botany

BOT 5B 07—ANGIOSPERM MORPHOLOGY AND SYSTEMATICS

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

Section A

Answer **all** questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

Ceiling: 20 Marks.

- 1. What is Cyathium? Give one example.
- 2. Explain priority of publication concept.
- 3. Write a brief note on the latest code.
- 4. Describe the contributions of Robert Wight to the field of angiosperm taxonomy.
- 5. Enumerate the scope of plant taxonomy.
- 6. Discuss the importance of herbarium.
- 7. Enumerate the identifying features of Solanaceae.
- 8. What is meant by taxonomic hierarchy?
- 9. Flower is a modified shoot. Justify.
- 10. Write notes on MBGIPS.
- 11. Explain the concept of effective publication.
- 12. What is Cremocarp? Where can you find this?

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Section B

Answer **all** questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

Ceiling: 30 Marks.

- 13. Describe the steps involved in the preparation and maintenance of herbarium.
- 14. Define taxonomic keys. Add notes on use and construction of taxonomic keys.
- 15. Give an account of the various types of special inflorescences found in angiosperms with examples.
- 16. Give an account on cytotaxonomy.
- 17. Describe the economic importance of the family Apocynaceae.
- 18. Write about phylogenetic and molecular systems of classification.
- 19. Enumerate the floral features of the family Poaceae with diagrams.

Section C

Answer any **one** question. The question carries 10 marks.

- 20. Write about various types of fruits produced by angiosperms with reference to the placentation types observed in these. Also give suitable examples.
- 21. Describe the diagnostic features of the family Asteraceae. Add notes on the reasons for the successful establishment of the family.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ marks})$