



Course Distribution Department of Botany 2020-21

Course Dsitribution

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Sl. No.	Semester	Subject	Stream	Paper Code	Unit
		Microbiology and Phycology	HONS	C 1	Unit 4: Algae Unit 5: Cyanophyta, Chlorophyta, Xanthophyta and Charophyta Unit 6: Phaeophyta and Rhodophyta
1	I	Biomolecules and Cell Biology	HONS	C 2	Unit 1: Biomolecules Unit 2: Bioenergetics Unit 3: Enzymes
		Biodiversity (Microbes, Algae, Fungi, Lichen and Archegoniate)	HONS	GE 1	Unit 5: Introduction to Archegoniate Unit 6: Bryophytes Unit 7: Pteridophytes Unit 8: Gymnosperms
2	III	Anatomy of Angiosperms	HONS	C 5	Unit 1: Introduction and scope of Plant Anatomy Unit 2: Structure and Development of Plant Body . Unit 3: Tissues Unit 4: Apical meristems secondary growth in root and stem.Sapwood and heartwood; Ring and diffuse porous wood; Early and late wood, Dendrochronology. Development and composition of periderm, rhytidome and lenticels. Unit 5: Adaptive and Protective Systems anatomical adaptations of xerophytes , hydrophytes and epiphytes.

Economic Botany	HONS	C 6	Unit 1: Origin of Cultivated Plants Concept of Centres of Origin, their importance with reference to Vavilov's work. Indigenous Knowledge System (IKS). Examples of major plant introductions; Crop domestication and loss of genetic diversity; evolution of new crops/varieties, importance of germplasm diversity. Unit 2: Cereals: Wheat and Rice (origin, morphology, processing & uses) Unit 3: Legumes: Origin, morphology and uses of Chick pea, Pigeon pea and fodder legumes. Importance to man and ecosystem. Unit 4: Sources of sugars and starches: Morphology and processing of sugarcane, products and by-products of sugarcane industry. Potato – morphology, propagation & uses. Unit 5: Spices: Listing of important spices, their family and part used. Economic importance with special reference to fennel, saffron, clove, cinnamommum, cardamom and black pepper Unit 6: Beverages: Tea, Coffee (morphology, processing & uses)
Plant Ecology and Taxonomy	GENERIC	GE 3	Unit 1: Introduction Unit 2: Ecological factors Soil: Origin, formation, composition, soil profile. Water: States of water in the environment, precipitation types. Light and temperature: Variation Optimal and limiting factors; Shelford law of tolerance. Adaptation of hydrophytes and xerophytes Unit 3: Plant communities Characters; Ecotone and edge effect; Succession; Processes and types Unit 4: Ecosystem Unit 5: Phytogeography
Basics of Vermicomposting	HONS	SEC 1.1	Unit 1: Introduction to vermiculture Unit 2: The species of earthworms Unit 3: Biology of earthworms

3	V	Development and Reproduction in Angiosperm	MAJOR	501	Development in Angiosperm Unit–1: Organisation of tissues: Types of tissues, Meristematic and permanent, their types, structures, distribution and functions; theories of differentiation of roots and shoots. Unit –2: Stelar Body – origin and development, Root – stem transition, leaf traces and leaf gaps, branch gaps, abcission layer. Unit –3: Secondary structures of roots and stems, intiation of cambium and its activities. 4 class hours Unit–4: Anomalous secondary growth in thickness (Amaranthus, Asparagms, Boerharia and Mirabilis). Unit–5:Anatomico– physiological consideration of dermal, mechanical, conducting and photosynthetic system of tissues; anatomy of
			MAJOR		C3 and C4 plants. Reproduction in Angiosperm Unit –1: A general account of the following topics: Development of male and female gametophyte of angiosperms; monosporic, bisporic & tetrasporic embryosac. Unit –2: Fertilization, development of embryo; Apomixis, polyembryony, Palynology. Unit –3: Development of Endosperm – nuclear, cellular, helobial; haustorial structures.

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Sl. No.	Semester	Subject	Stream	Paper Code	Unit
		Microbiology and Phycology	HONS	C 1	Unit 1: Introduction to microbial world Unit 2: Bacteria Unit 3: Viruses
1	I	Biomolecules and Cell Biology	HONS	C 2	Unit4: The cell, Cell wall and plasma membrane Unit 5: Cell organelles Unit 6: Cell division
		Biodiversity (Microbes, Algae, Fungi, Lichen and Archegoniate)	HONS	GE 1	Unit 1: Microbes Unit 2: Algae Unit 3: Fungi Unit 4: Lichen
2	III	Economic Botany	HONS	C 6	Unit 7: Sources of oils and fats, General description, classification, extraction, their uses and health implications groundnut, coconut, linseed, soybean, mustard and coconut (Botanical name, family & uses). Essential Oils: General account, extraction methods, comparison with fatty oils & their uses. Unit 8: Natural Rubber, Pararubber: tapping, processing and uses. Unit 9: Drug-yielding plants, Therapeutic and habit-forming drugs with special reference to Cinchona, Rawolfia, Andrographis, Aloe vera and Phyllanthus (Morphology, processing, uses and health hazards). Unit 10: Timber plants, General account with special reference to teak, sal, pine & sisu. Unit 11: Fibers Classification based on the origin of fibers; Cotton, Coir and Jute (morphology, extraction and uses). Unit 12: Aromatics and Petrocrops, General account with special reference to Aquilaria, Cymbopogon, Vetiveria, Pogostemon, Jatropha and Ricinus.

Genetics	HONS	C7	Unit 1: Mendelian genetics and its extension Unit 2: Extrachromosomal Inheritance Unit 3: Linkage, crossing over and chromosome mapping Sex Linked, sex-limited and sex-influence traits Unit 4: Variation in chromosome number and structure Unit 5: Fine structure of gene Unit 6: Gene mutations. Unit 7. Population and Evolutionary Genetics Unit 6: Introduction to plant taxonomy
Plant Ecology and Taxonomy	GENERIC	GE 3	Unit 7: Identification, Functions of Herbarium, important herbaria and botanical gardens of the world and India; Documentation: Flora, Keys: single access and multi-access Unit 8: Taxonomic evidences from palynology, cytology, phytochemistry and molecular data. Unit 9: Taxonomic hierarchy Unit 10 Botanical nomenclature Unit 11 Classification, Types of classification-artificial, natural and phylogenetic. Bentham and Hooker (upto series), Engler and Prantl (upto series). Unit 12 Biometrics, numerical taxonomy and cladistics, Characters; variations; OTUs, character weighting and coding; cluster analysis; phenograms, cladograms (definitions and differences).

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					Laws, their critical
					appreciation, gene interactions and modified monohybrid and
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					dihybrid ratios; concept of alleles, multiple alleles and
					multiple genes, Linkage, Crossing Over and basic
					knowledge of Gene Mapping.
					Unit – 2: Determination of Sex,
					Sex Linked and Sex Limited
					Traits, Cytoplasmic Inheritance
					with
					reference to Plastid Inheritance
					and Kappa Particle Inheritance.
					Unit – 3: Chromosomal
					(numerical and structural) and
					Gene Mutation, concept of
					Biochemical Mutation.
					Unit – 4: Basic ideas of Gene
					and its fine structure, Genetic
					Engineering and Gene Cloning,
					Concept Trans Gene.
		Genetics & Plant Breeding,			Unit – 5: Human Genetics:
3	V	Biostatistics	MAJOR	503	Karyotype, impatant
		Biostatistics			Syndromes and disorders
					Plant Breeding Unit – 1:
					Methods of reproduction:
					Sexual, Vegetative, apomixes;
					Principles and methods of Plant
					Breeding: Introduction,
					Selection, Hybridization,
					Heterosis Breeding and concept of Mutation Breeding.
					Unit – 2: In vitro Culture:
					Requirements, techniques and
					application in Crop
					Improvement.
					Biostatistics
					Unit −1: Application of
					statistics in Biological Science,
					collection and classification of
					data for frequency distribution.
					Unit –2: Measurement of
					Central Tendency; Mean,
					Media, Mode, Standard Error
					and Standard Deviation.
					Unit –3: Test of Significance,
	1				Probability Test.

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Sl. No.	Semester	Subject	Stream	Paper Code	Unit
1 II		Mycology and Phytopathology	HONS		Unit 2: Basidiomycota, General characteristics; Ecology; Life cycle and Classification with reference to black stem rust on wheat Puccinia (Physiological Specialization), loose and covered smut (symptoms only), Agaricus; Bioluminescence, Fairy Rings and Mushroom Cultivation. Unit 3: Allied Fungi and Oomycota General characteristics; Status of Slime molds, Classification; Occurrence; Types of plasmodia; Types of fruiting bodies.General characteristics; Ecology; Life cycle and classification with referenc to Phytophthora, Albugo.
		Archegoniate	HONS	C 4	Unit 4: Type Studies- Pteridophytes Classification (up to family), morphology, anatomy and reproduction of <i>Psilotum, Selaginella, Equisetum and Ophioglossium, Marselia</i> . Apogamy and apospory, heterospory andseed habit, telome theory, stelar evolution; Ecological and economic importance.
		Plant Ecology and Taxonomy	GENERIC	GE 2	Unit 4: Ecosystem Unit 5: Phytogeography
		Plant Ecology and Phytogeography	HONS	С9	Unit 5: Plant Communities Unit 6: Ecosystem: Structure and Function Unit 7: Phytogeography
2	IV	Plant Physiology and Metabolism	GENERIC	GE 4	Unit 6: Enzymes Unit 7: Nitrogen metabolism Unit 8: Plant growth regulators Unit 9: Plant response to light and temperature
3	VI	Agrotechnology and Sustainable Utilization of Plants	MAJOR	606	Unit -1: Origin of cultivated plants, ethnobotany and its importance in Indian context, Knowledge on Indigenous Knowledge System (IKS) Unit - 2: Agrotechnology of rice, wheat, mustard, sunflower, sesume, groundnut, soyabean, gram, mung, pea, tea, coffee, potato, cabbage, cauliflower, tomato and their economic utilization Unit - 5: Aromatic and Petrocrops (Cultivation and economic utilization) of patchouli, citronella, vitivar, sasi, jatropha, era.

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		Mycology and Phytopathology	HONS	C 3	Unit 6: Phytopathology
		Archegoniate	HONS	C 4	Unit 1: Introduction, Unifying features of archegoniates; Transition to land habit; Alternation of generations. Unit 2: Bryophytes, General characteristics; Adaptations to land habit; Classification; Range of thallus organization. Unit 3: Type Studies- Bryophytes Unit 6: Fossil plants, Process of fossilization; Early land plants (Psilophyton and Rhynia), Cycadeoidea, Sphenophyllum
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		Molecular Biology	HONS	C 8	Unit 1: Nucleic Acids: Carriers of genetic information Unit 2: The structure of DNA and RNA Unit 3: The replication of DNA Unit 4: Central dogma and genetic code
2	IV	Plant Systematics	HONS	C 10	Unit 1: Significance of Plant systematics Unit 2: Taxonomic hierarchy Unit 3: Morphology and Botanical nomenclature Unit 4: Systems of classification Unit 5: Biometrics, numerical taxonomy and cladistics Unit 6: Phylogeny of Angiosperms Unit 7: Major families of Angiosperms
		Vermicompost Technology	HONS	SEC 1.2	Unit 1: Small scale Vermicomposting Unit 2: Nutritional composition of vermicompost Unit 3: Identification of Earthworms, Prepartion, pakaging of vermicompost
					Molecular Biology Unit 1: Nucleic Acids
3	VI	Molecular Biology and Immunology	MAJOR	603	Unit-2: Replication of DNA
					Unit-3: Features of genetic code
					Unit-4: Recombination in Prokaryotes
				<u> </u>	Unit–3: Features of genetic code

			Immunology Unit -1: Plant health management
			Unit –2: Immunity & resistant in mammals, principle of antigens and Antibodies reaction
			Unit-3: Interaction of plants with bacteria, virus and fungi
	MAJOR	604	Biophysics Unit –1: Scope and development of Biophysics
Biophysics and Bioinformatics			Unit –2: Laws of Thermodynamics Unit–3: X-ray Crystallography (XRD), Chromatography, LASER and its biological applications, Flurences and its application, Basic concept of NMR and Ultra Sound Unit –3:Isotopes
			Bioinformatics Unit-1: Fundamentals of bioinformatics
			Unit-2: Biological database
			Unit-3. Database search and sequence alignment
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			biopesticides and Organic farming; Useful aspect of Lower Group of Plants: Algae, Fungi, Lichen.

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