

B.Sc. T.Y. (C.B.C.S. Pattern) Sem-V
Botany DSE Paper-I - Genetics and Plant Breeding-I

P. Pages : 2

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 50

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- Notes : 1. All questions are compulsory and carry equal marks.
2. Draw well labelled diagrams wherever necessary.

1. Write On

- a) Explain the characteristics of multiple alleles. Give one suitable example. 5
- b) Describe dominant epistasis (12:3:1) with suitable example. 5

OR

Write short notes on

- c) Co-dominance. 2½
- d) Polymeric gene interaction. 2½
- e) Pleiotropism 2½
- f) Law of segregation. 2½

2. Write on

- a) Explain chromosome theory of inheritance. 5
- b) Describe Gene mapping with 3-point test cross. 5

OR

Write short on-

- c) Kappa particles in Paramecium. 2½
- d) Sex determination in Melandrium album 2½
- e) Leaf variegation in Mirabilis Jalapa 2½
- f) Turner syndrome 2½

3. Write On

- a) Describe different modes of Asexual reproduction in crop plants with suitable examples. 5
- b) Explain centers of origin. 5

OR

Write short note on –

- c) Important achievement of plant breeding. 2½
- d) Objectives of plant breeding. 2½
- e) Undesirable consequences of plant breeding. 2½
- f) Domestication of plants. 2½

4. Write on:

- a) Clonal selection for vegetatively propagated plants. 5
- b) Objectives and types of hybridization. 5

OR

Write short note on –

- c) Plant genetic resources. 2½
- d) Recurrent selection. 2½
- e) Merits and demerits of plant introduction. 2½
- f) Emasculation. 2½

5. Write answers to **any ten** questions in one or two lines. **1x10**

- a) Lethal gene
- b) Alleles
- c) Phenotype
- d) Barr bodies
- e) Cytoplasmic inheritance.
- f) Klinefelters syndrome
- g) Sporogenesis.
- h) Plant breeding (definition)
- i) Nobilization.
- j) Quarantine
- k) Acclimatization.
- l) Tagging
