M.Sc.(Botany) (C.B.C.S. Pattern) Sem-IV

PSCBOTT15.2-PSCBOTT15-Paper-XV: Molecular Biology and Plant Biotechnology-II

GUG/S/19/11359 P. Pages: 1 Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 80 Notes: 1. All questions are compulsory and carry equal marks. Illustrate your answers with suitable diagram and examples wherever necessary. 2. Explain the mechanism of T-DNA transfer and add note on its application in recombinant 1. 16 DNA technology. OR Write on: a) Gene silencing. 8 Cloning vectors. 8 b) Describe production of transgenic plants yielding secondary metabolites and industrial 2. 16 enzymes with suitable examples. OR Write on: 8 Biopesticides and biofertilizers. b) Biodegradable plastics. 8 Define Plant Tissue Culture. Give brief historical account on the development of plant **3. 16** tissue culture technique. OR Write on: Gene expression in chloroplast. 8 b) Organogenesis. 8 4. What is DNA fingerprinting? Describe the mechanism using RAPD markers. 16 OR Write on: a) Nif and hup genes. 8 Genetically modified organisms for pollution control. 8 5. Write short notes on: Liposomes mediated gene transfer. 4 a) b) Edible vaccines. 4 Protoplast fusion. c) Microsatellites. d) *****