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#### **Department of Botany**

# CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK FOR THREE/FOUR-YEAR UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMME IN BOTANY WITH MULTIPLE ENTRY AND EXIT UNDER CBCS

**AS PER** 

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F.Y.U.G. BOTANY

(Sem-I and Sem-II)

WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR

2023 - 2024

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## Illustrative Credit Distribution Structure for Three/Four Year Honours/ With Honours Research Degree Programme

Credit distribution structure for Three/ Four year Honours/ Honours with Research Degree Programme with Multiple Entry and Exit options

Level	Sem	Major (Core) S	Subjects	Minor	GE/OE	VSC, SEC	AEC, VEC, IKS	CC, FP, CEP,	Cumulative	Degree/
		Mandatory (DSC)	Elective (DSE)	Subjects (MIN)		(VSEC)		OJT/Int, RP	Credits/Sem	Cumulative Cr
F	I	DSC-1 (2) (T) DSC-2 (2) (T) DSC-3 (2) (P)		MIN-1 (2)(T) MIN-2 (2)(P)	OE-1 (2) (T)	SEC-1 (2)(T)	AEC-1 (2) (Eng) VEC-1 (2) (Environmental Studies) IKS (2)	CC-1 (2) (Choose from basket)	22	UG Certificate 44
4.5	П	DSC-4 (2) (T) DSC-5 (2) (IKS) (T) DSC-6 (2) (P)		MIN-3 (2) (T) MIN-4 (2)(P)	OE-2 (2) (T)	SEC-2 (2)(T) SEC-3 (2)(P)	AEC-2 (2) (Eng) VEC-2 (2) (Constitution of India)	CC-2 (2) (Choose from basket)	22	
	Cum. Cr	12		8	4	6	4+4+2	4	44	
	Exit optio	n: Award of UG Certifi	icate in Major v	vith 44 credits an	d an additio	nal 4 credits cor	e NSQF course/ Inte	rnship OR Contin	ue with Major ar	nd Minor.
	Ш	DSC-7 (2) (T) DSC-8 (2) (T) DSC-9 (2)(P) DSC-10 (2) (P)		MIN-5 (2) (T) MIN-6 (2)(P)	OE-3 (2) (T)	VSC-1 (2)(T) VSC-2 (2)(P)	AEC-3 (2)(MIL) (Modern Indian Language)	CC-3 (2) (Choose from basket)	22	UG Diploma 88
5.0	IV	DSC-11 (2) (T) DSC-12 (2) (T) DSC-13 (2)(P) DSC-14 (2)(P)		MIN-7 (2) (T) MIN-8 (2)(P)	OE-4 (4) (T)		AEC-4 (2) (MIL) (Modern Indian Language)	CC-4 (2) (Choose from basket) CEP (2)	22	
	Cum. Cr	28		16	10	4+6	8+4+2	8+2	88	
E	it option: A	ward of UG Diploma i	in Major and M	inor with 88 cred	lits and an a	dditional 4 credi	ts core NSQF course	/ Internship OR (	ontinue with Ma	jor and Minor.
	v	DSC-15 (2) (T) DSC-16 (2) (T) DSC-17 (2) (T) DSC-18 (2) (P) DSC-19 (2) (P)	DSE-1 (2)(T) DSE-2 (2)(P)	MIN-9 (2) (T/P)		VSC-3 (2)(P)		FP (4)	22	UG Degree 132
5.5	VI	DSC-20 (2) (T) DSC-21 (2) (T) DSC-22 (2) (T) DSC-23 (2) (P)	DSE-3 (2)(T) DSE-4 (2)(P)	MIN-10 (2) (T/P)		VSC-4 (2)(P)		OJT/Int (4)	22	
		DSC-24 (2) (P)								

Level	Sem	Major (Core	) Subjects	Minor	GE/OE	VSC, SEC	AEC, VEC,	CC, FP, CEP,	Cumulative	Degree/
		Mandatory	Elective	Subjects		(VESC)	IKS	OJT/Int, RP	Credits/Sem	Cumulative Cr.
		(DSC)	(DSE)							
	VII	DSC-25 (4) (T)	DSE-5 (4) (T)	RM (4)					22	UG Honours
		DSC-26 (2) (T)								Degree
		DSC-27 (4) (T)								176
		DSC-28 (4) (P)								
6.0	VIII	DSC-29 (4) (T)	DSE-6 (4) (T)					OJT/Int (4)	22	
		DSC-30 (2) (T)						30.004		
		DSC-31 (4) (T)								
		DSC-32 (4) (P)								
	Cum. Cr.	76	16	20+4	10	8+6	8+4+2	8+6+8	176	
			Four Year U	G Honours Deg	ree in Majo	r and Minor w	ith 176 cred	lits		
	VII	DSC-25 (4) (T)	DSE-5 (4) (T)	RM (4)				RP (4)	22	UG Honours
		DSC-26 (2) (T)								with Research
		DSC-28 (4) (P)								Degree
6.0	VIII	DSC-29 (4) (T)	DSE-6 (4) (T)					RP (8)	22	176
		DSC-30 (2) (T)								
		DSC-32 (4) (P)								
	Cum. Cr.	68	16	20+4	10	8+6	8+4+2	8+6+4+12	176	
	t.	Fe	our Year UG Hono	ırs with Resea	rch Degree	in Major and I	Minor with 1	76 credits		

Note: The courses which do not have practical, 'P' will be treated as "T'.

#### Abbreviations:

- T- Theory Course, P Practical course, DSC- Discipline Specific Core Course, DSE- Discipline Specific Elective Course, MIN Minor subject.
- Major DSC (Mandatory): is the subject that represents the main focus of the degree, and the degree will be awarded in that Subject. Students should secure a minimum 50% of total credits through Major (core) Courses (mandatory courses, electives, vocational courses, Internship/Field Projects/Apprenticeship/Community Engagement Projects, Seminars, and Group Discussion. In addition, Entrepreneurship, IPR and Research Project shall be offered in case of Honours with Research Degree) in Three /Four Years for the award of Major Degree.
- Major Specific IKS (Cr-2) is included under Major.
- Minor: is the subject that may complement the Major subject or can have interdisciplinary bandwidth. Minor subject may be related or unrelated to the Major subject. The Minor subjects may be from the different disciplines of the same faculty of DSC Major (Core) or they can be from different faculty altogether.

## SEMESTER WISE COURSE STRUCTURE OF F.Y.U.G. BOTANY (UG Certificate Course in Botany)

#### B.Sc. (Level 4.5) SEMESTER- I

T	Course Type	Course Code		Title of the Course	Total Credit	Hours/ Semester	Sch	ching eme week)	Contin	nuous Ev Scheme	
							Theory	Practical	Internal Evaluatio n	End Semester Evaluatio	Total
							Т	P	(CIE) (CA)	(ESE) (UA)	
		DSC-1 [T]	BOT-MJ- 101	Diversity of Microbes, Algae and Fungi	2	30	30	-	20	30	2.00
1	DSC Major	DSC-2 [T]	BOT-MJ- 102	Morphology of Angiosperms	2	30	30	-	20	30	2.00
		DSC-3 [P]	BOT- MJP-103	Practical Based on BOT-MJ-101 & BOT-MJ-102	2	60	•	60	20	30	3.00
2	Minor	MIN-1 [T]	BOT-MN- 111	Biofertilizers	2	30	30	-	20	30	2.00
		MIN-2 [P]	BOT- MNP-112	Practical Based on BOT-MN-111	2	60	•	60	20	30	3.00
3	GE/OE	OE-1 [T]	BOT-OE- 121	Entrepreneurship in Botany	2	30	30	-	20	30	2.00
4	VSEC	SEC-1 [T]	BOT- SEC-104	Mushroom Cultivation Technology	2	30	30	-	20	30	2.00
				Total	14	270	150	120	140	210	

#### B.Sc. (Level 4.5) SEMESTER-II

Sr. No.	Course Type	Course Code		Title of the Course	Total Credit	Hours/ Semester	Teac Scho (hrs/v	eme	Contir	nuous Ev Scheme	
							Theory	Practical	Internal Evaluatio n	End Semester Evaluatio n	Duration of Examination (Hrs)
							T	P	(CIE) (CA)	(ESE) (UA)	
		DSC-4 [T]	BOT- MJ-151	Diversity of Bryophytes, Pteridophytes and Gymnosperms	2	30	30	•	20	30	2.00
1	DSC Major	DSC-5 [T]	BOT- MJ-152	Taxonomy of Angiosperms	2	30	30	•	20	30	2.00
		DSC-6 [P]	BOT- MJP- 153	Practical Based on BOT-MJ-151 & BOT-MJ-152	2	60	•	60	20	30	3.00
2	Minor	MIN-3 [T]	BOT- MN-161	Plant Tissue Culture Technology	2	30	30		20	30	2.00
		MIN-4 [P]	BOT- MNP- 162	Practical Based on BOT-MN-161	2	60	-	60	20	30	3.00
3	GE/OE	OE-2 [T]	BOT- OE-171	<b>Economic Botany</b>	2	30	30		20	30	2.00
4	VSEC	SEC-2 [T]	BOT- SEC- 154	Nursery and Gardening	2	30	30	•	20	30	2.00
		SEC-3 [P]	BOT- SEC- 155	Practical Based on BOT-SEC-154	2	60	•	60	20	30	3.00
				Total	16	330	150	180	160	240	

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#### **B.SC. BOTANY PROGRAMME OUTCOMES (PO'S)**

- **PO 1.** Understanding of Plant Diversity and its importance in the maintenance of ecological balance.
- **PO 2.** Students learn to carry out practical work, in the field and in the laboratory, interpreting plant morphology and anatomy, Plant identification, Vegetation analysis techniques.
- **PO 3.** Apply the knowledge of basic science, life sciences and fundamental process of plants.
- **PO 4.** Apply modern techniques and instruments for Biochemical estimation, Molecular Biology, Biotechnology, Plant Tissue culture experiments, cellular and physiological studies of plants with an understanding of the applications in human life.
- **PO 5.** Apply the knowledge gained from the studies for the upliftment of society via addressing health, environmental issues, food scarcity etc.

#### PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES (PSO'S)

- **PSO 1.** Critical evaluation of ideas and arguments by collecting relevant information about the plants, so as to recognize their position in the classification systems and at phylogenetic level.
- **PSO 2.** Students will be able to access the primary literature, identify relevant works for a particular topic, and evaluate the scientific content of these works.
- **PSO 3.** Students will be able to compare and contrast the characteristics of the different groups of plants such as algae, fungi, bryophytes, pteridophytes, gymnosperms and angiosperms.
- **PSO 4.** Students will be able to use the evidence of comparative biology to explain how the theory of evolution offers the only scientific explanation for the unity and diversity of life on earth.
- **PSO 5.** Students will be able to explain how Plants function at gene, genome, cellular and tissue level,
- **PSO 6.** Students will be able to relate the physical features of the environment to the structure of populations, communities, and ecosystems.
- **PSO 7.** Students will be able to conceive the idea of artificial propagation of plants via vegetative methods and to find a livelihood via establishing miniature plant nurseries.

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### SYLLABUS FOR THREE/FOUR YEAR UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMME IN BOTANY

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B.Sc. (F.Y.U.G.) Botany

(Level 4.5) SEMESTER- I

#### **Discipline Specific Core Courses (Major)**

BOT-MJ-101 Diversity of Microbes, Algae and Fungi

BOT-MJ-102 Morphology of Angiosperms

BOT-MJP-103 Practical Based on BOT-NJ-101 & BOT-MJ-102

#### **Minor Courses**

**BOT-MN-111 Biofertilizers** 

BOT-MNP-112 Practical Based on BOT-MNP-111

#### **General Elective/Open Elective Course**

BOT-OE-121Entrepreneurship in Botany

#### **Skill Enhancement Courses**

BOT-SEC-104 Mushroom Cultivation Technology

Paper: I	Credits
BOT-MJ-101	02
Diversity of Microbes, Algae and Fungi	Lecture
(Major Course)	30

#### Aims and Objectives:

- **1.** To study the diversity among microbes.
- 2 To study systematic, morphology and structure of Bacteria, Viruses, Algae and Fungi.
- 3. To study the life cycle pattern of Bacteria, Viruses, Algae and Fungi.
- **4.** To study the useful and harmful activities of Bacteria, Viruses, Algae and Fungi.

- 1. Provide identification technique of microbes, Viruses, Bacteria, Algae and Fungi.
- **2.** Understand the systems of classification of Microbes, Viruses, Bacteria, Algae and Fungi, and its interdisciplinary approaches.
- **3.** Provide lab-based training in writing short species descriptions and illustration.
- **4.** Recognise members of the major microbes, Viruses, Bacteria, Algae, Fungi and their medicinal, economic importance for human welfare.

Unit 1	<ul> <li>Microbes:</li> <li>1.1: Introduction and main groups of microbes: Prions, Viroid's, Viruses, Rickettsia's, Mycoplasmas, Bacteria, Cyanobacteria.</li> <li>1.2: Classification of microorganisms – R.H. Whittaker's (1969) five kingdom concept.</li> </ul>	02 L
Unit 2	Viruses:	
	2.1: Introduction, discovery and characteristics of Viruses.	
	2.2: General morphology of viruses: Helical, Polyhedral, Enveloped and Complex viruses.	
	2.3: Nature of viruses (living and non-living)	
	2.4: Ultra structure of viruses	
	2.5: DNA Virus (T-Phase) and RNA, Virus (TMV)	06 L
	2.6: Reproduction of Bacteriophage: Lytic and Lysogenic cycle.	
	2.7: Economic importance	
	2.8: Plant diseases caused by viruses w.r.t. causal organism, symptoms and	
	control measures of.	
	i. Yellow vein mosaic disease of Lady's finger.	
	ii. Bunchy top of Banana.	
Unit 3	Bacteria:	
	3.1 : Introduction, discovery and general characters.	06.1
	3.2 : Classification of Bacteria on the basis of morphology.	06 L
	3.3 : Ultrastructure of Bacterial Cell	
1	3.4 Gram positive and Gram-negative Bacteria	

3.5 : Reproduction - Asexual and Sexual (Conjugation)	
3.6: Economic importance of Bacteria - useful and harmful activities	
3.7 : Study of Bacterial diseases w.r.t. causal organism, symptoms and control	
measures of i) Citrus canker ii) Black arm of Cotton.	
incusures of the control of conton.	
Unit 4 Algae:	
4.1: Introduction, definition and general characters of algae	
4.2: Habitats of algae: aquatic, terrestrial and algae unusual habitats 4.3: Thallus structure in algae.	
4.3 Reproduction: vegetative, asexual and sexual	
4.4 Classification of algae according to G. M. Smith (1955) up to classes with reasons giving at least two examples from each class.	
4.5 Economic importance of algae in;	07 L
i) Agriculture	
ii) Food	
iii) Industries	
iv) Medicine	
4.6: A] Study of life cycle of <i>Nostoc</i> w.r.t.	
Systematic position Occurrence, structure of colony and filament,	
ultrastructure of <i>Nostoc</i> cell and reproduction	
B] Study of life cycle of <i>Chlorella</i> w.r.t.	
Systematic position, occurrence, external and internal structure of thallus,	
reproduction and alternation of generation.	
Unit 5 Fungi:	
5.1 : Introduction, definition and general characters	
5.2 : Thallus structure, reproduction and mode of nutrition	
5.3 Classification of Fungi, according to G.M. Smith up to classes with reasons giving at least two examples of each class.	
5.4 : Economic importance of Fungi	07 L
i) Agriculture	07 L
ii) Food	
iii) Industries	
iv) Medicine	
5.5 : A] Study of life cycle <i>Agaricus</i> w. r. t. Systematic position, structure	
ofmycelium, internal structure, (T.S. of gills) and reproduction.	
B] Study of life cycle <i>Aspergillus</i> . w. r. t. Systematic position, structure of	
mycelium and reproduction.	
Unit 6 Lichens and Mycorrhiza:	
6.1 : Lichens: definition, characters, types - Crustose, Foliose, Fruticose andeconomics importance.	02 L
6.2 : Definition, general account, significance of Mycorrhiza,	
6.3 : Types: Ectomycorrhiza and Endomycorrhiza.	
5.5. Types. Letomycominza and Endomycominza.	
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## Paper II BOT-MJ-102 Morphology of Angiosperms (Major Course) Credits 02 Lecture 30

#### Aims and objectives:

- 1. To inculcate the students with angiosperm plant body.
- 2. To study vegetative characteristics of angiosperm plants.
- **3.** To study reproductive characteristics of angiosperm plants.
- **4.** To study modifications and functions of plant organs.

- 1. Students will able to understand ground plan of Angiospermic plant.
- 2. Students will aware about vegetative and reproductive characteristics of Angiospermic plant.
- 3. Students will able to understand the modifications and functions of plant parts.

Unit 1	Introduction:	
	1.1 Definition and scope of Morphology	02 L
	1.2 Plant body – Root system, Shoot system	
	1.3 Difference between Monocot and dicot	
Unit 2	Root:	
	2.1 Definition	
	2.2 Characteristics of root	04 L
	2.3 Functions of root	OTE
	2.4 Types of root	
	2.5 Modifications of root for:	
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Unit 3	Stem:	
	3.1 Definition	
	3.2 Characteristics of stem	04 L
	3.3 Functions of stem	
	3.4 Forms of stems	
	3.5 Modifications of stem	
Unit 4	Leaf:	
	4.1 Definition	
	4.2 Types of leaf	
	4.3 Phyllotaxy	04L
	4.4 Functions of leaf	
	4.5 Venation	
Unit 5	Inflorescence:	
	5.1 Definition	
	5.2 Types of inflorescence	05L
	a)Racemose	USL
	b)Cymose	
	c)Special type of inflorescence	

Unit 6	Flo	ver:			
	6.1	Definition			
	6.2	Parts of typical flower			
	6.3	Types of flower:- Hypogynous, Epigynous and Perigynous			
	6.4	Symmetry of flower :- Actinomorphic and Zygomorphic			
	6.5	<b>Calyx:</b> - Polysepalous calyx, Gamosepalous calyx, Caducous calyx, Deciduous calyx, Persistent calyx and Petaloid calyx			
	6.6	Corolla:			
		a) Forms of polypetalous corolla: Cruciform, Caryophyllaceous, Rosaceous and Paplionaceous	061		
		b) Forms of gamopetalous corolla:- Campanulate, Infundibuliform, Tubular,	06 L		
		Rotate, Hypocrateriform, Ligulate, Bilabiate and Personate			
	6.7	Perianth:-Polyphyllous and Gamophyllous			
	6.8	Aestivation:-i) Definition ii) Types of Aestivation.			
	6.9	Androecium:			
		6.9.1 Attachment of anther to filament:- Basifixed, Dorsifixed and Versatile			
		6.9.2 Cohesion and Adhesion of stamens.			
	6.10	Gynoecium:			
		6.10.1 Apocarpous, Syncarpous, Monocarpellary,			
		Bicarpellary and Polycarpellary			
		6.10.2 Placentation: Definition and types of Placentation.			
Unit 7	Fru	its:			
	7.1	Definition			
	7.2 Parts of typical fruit				
	7.3	Types of fruits			
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#### Paper III BOT-MJP-103

#### Practical (Based on BOT-MJ-101 & BOT-MJ-101)

(Major Course)

Credits 02 Lecture 60

- **Practical** 1: Study of Equipment, Chemicals and Stains used in Botany laboratory:
  - A) Equipment: Dissecting microscope, Compound Microscope
  - **B**) Chemicals:
    - i) Preservatives: FAA
    - ii) Stains: Safranin, Light green, Fast green, Cotton blue, Crystal violet.
    - iii) Mounting media; Glycerine, Lactophenol.
- **Practical 2: A)** Study of viruses and bacteria using electron photomicrographs (TMV, Bacteriophage, Cocci, Bacillus, Spirillum Bacteria).
  - **B**) Technique of Gram staining of bacteria.
- Practical 3 & 4 : A) Study of Plant diseases w.r.t. causal organism, symptoms and control measures of the following:
  - a. Virus.
    - i. Yellow vein mosaic disease of Lady's finger
    - ii. Bunchy top of Banana
  - b. Bacteria
    - i. Citrus canker
    - ii. Black arm of cotton
  - c. Fungi
    - i. Green mould of citrus fruits
    - ii. White rust disease (Specimen/P.S.)/Tikka disease on groundnut [P.S.] (Any one)
    - **B**) Study of growth forms of lichens (Crustose, Foliose and Fruticose) specimens / P.S./ Photographs
    - C) Study of Mycorrhiza: (Ectomycorrhiza and Endomycorrhiza) by Photographs.
- **Practical -5& 6**: Study of systematic position, vegetative and reproductive structures of the following:
  - A) Nostoc
    - i) Vegetative structure -Filament and cell
    - ii) Reproductive structure (P.S.)
  - B) Chlorella
    - i) Vegetative structure
    - ii) Reproductive structure (P.S.)
  - C) Aspergillus
    - i) Structure of thallus: mycelium,

ii) Reproductive structures asexual (Conidiophore and Conidia)

#### D. Agaricus

- i) Structure of basidiocarp
- ii) Reproductive structures: basidia and basidiospores (V. S. of Gill)

**Practical -7:** Study of morphology of root and stem modifications as per theory.

**Practical – 8 :** Study of

- a) Types of leaf
- b) Parts of leaf
- c) Types of stipules
- d) Types of phyllotaxy
- e) Types of venation

**Practical – 9 :** Study of types of inflorescence as per theory.

**Practical – 10:** Study of

- a) Calyx types of calyx as per theory
- b) Corolla forms of corolla as per theory
- c) Types of aestivation

Practical -11: Study of

- a) Androecium Cohesion and Adhesion
- b) Gynoecium– types of placentation.

**Practical -12:** Study of types of fruits as per theory.

**Submission:** 1. Excursion tour report & Submission of any 2 potted plants

Note: Short or long excursion tour and visit to any botanical garden are compulsory.

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Paper IV
<b>BOT-MN-111</b>
<b>Biofertilizers</b>
(Minor Course)

Credits
02
Lecture
30

#### **Aims and Objectives**

- 1. To introduce application of Biofertilizer technology in Agriculture
- 2. To familiarize students with microbes used as biofertilizers
- **3.** To demonstrate the low-cost media preparation and cultural practices in biofertilizers
- **4.** To aware the students about benefits of applications of biofertilizers
- **5.** To create self-employment opportunities among the students

- **1.** Develop conceptual skill about identifying microbes, and bio-fertilizers.
- **2.**Gain knowledge about developing commercial enterprise of bio-fertilizers.

Unit 1	Introduction	
	1.1 Introduction, Scope and importance of Biofertilizers	
	1.2 Compost and Manure-	
	Organic Farming, green manuring, organic manures and their uses	06 L
	Bio compost making methods, Types and methods of vermicomposting Benefits	
	of vermicompost, field applications	
Unit 2	Bacterial Biofertilizers	
	2.1 Azospirillum & Rhizobium isolation and mass multiplication 2.2 Azotobacter, classification and characteristics	06 L
	<ul><li>2.3 Crop response to <i>Azotobacter</i> inoculums, Mass multiplication of <i>Azotobacter</i></li><li>2.4 Applications of <i>Azospirillum &amp; Rhizobium</i></li></ul>	
Unit 3	Algal Biofertilizers	
	3:1. Cyanobacteria (Blue Green Algae): Isolation of <i>Anabaena</i> from <i>Azolla</i> , Mass Multiplication of <i>Anabaena</i>	00.1
	3.2. Azolla - Anabaena relationship	09 L
	3.3. Biological Nitrogen fixation	
	3.4. Blue Green algae in a rice cultivation.	
	3.5. Applications of BGA	
Unit 4	Fungal Biofertilizers	
	<ul> <li>4.1. Introduction, Occurrence and Distribution of Mycorrhizal association.</li> <li>4:2. Types of Mycorrhizal association, growth and yield - colonization of VAM – Vesicular Arbuscular Mycorrhiza</li> <li>4.3. Mycorrhizal applications in agriculture</li> </ul>	09 L

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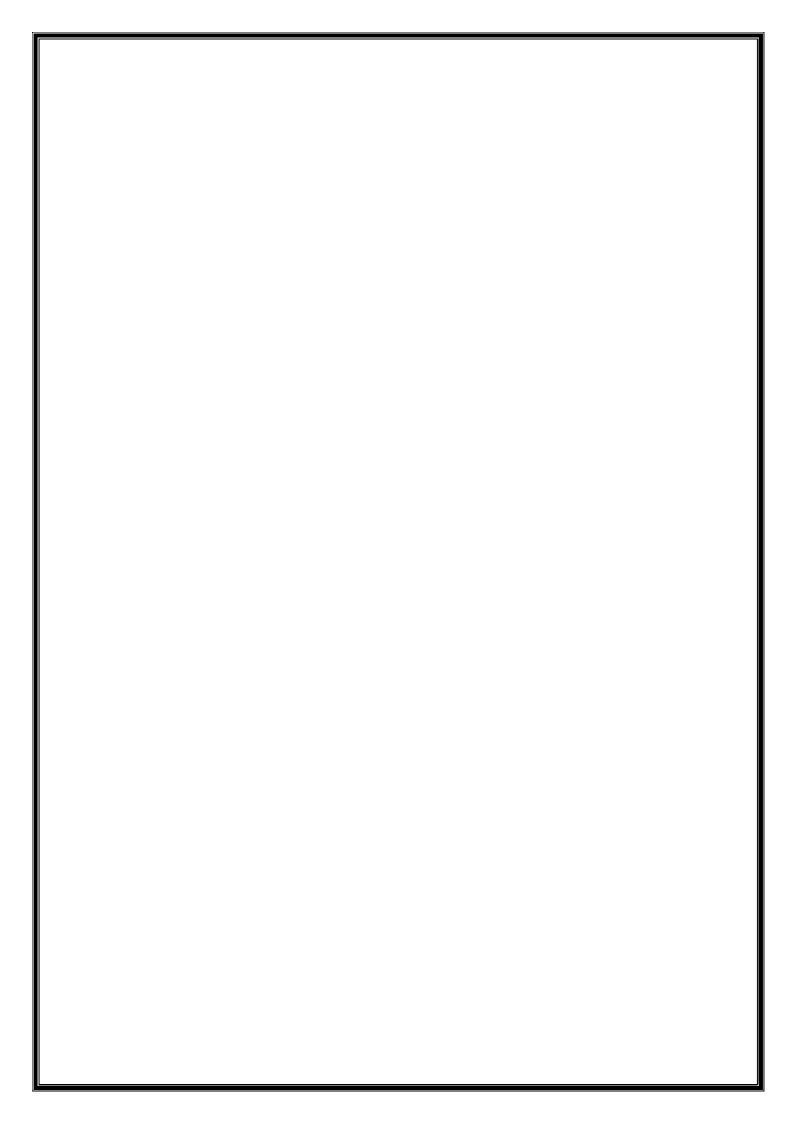
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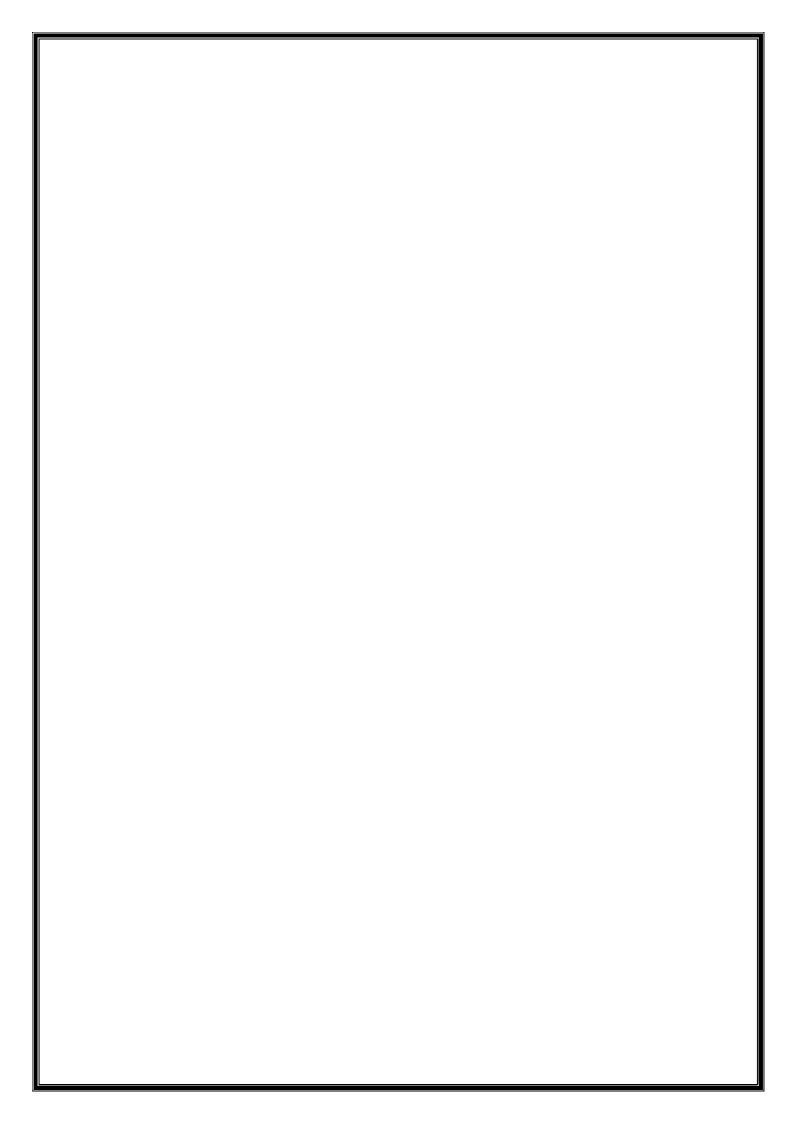
#### Paper V BOT-MNP-112 Practical (Based on BOT-MN-111) (Minor Course)

Credits 02 Lecture 60

- **Practical 1:** Study of diversity of BGA with the help of locally available specimens
- **Practical 2:** Preparation of Yeast Extract Mannitol Agar Medium (YEMA Medium)
- **Practical 3 and 4:** Study of Rhizobium from root nodules of leguminous plants by Gram staining method
- **Practical 5 and 6:** Mass culture of BGA (Venkatraman methods)
- **Practical 7:** Preparation of Compost, Farm Yard Manure (FYM).
- **Practical 8:** Study of Ectomycorrhiza and Endomycorrhiza with the help of PS/Photograph.
- Practical- 9 and 10: Test for pH, No2, SO4, Cl and organic matter of different composts

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Paper VI
<b>BOT-OE-121</b>
<b>Entrepreneurship in Botany</b>
(GE/OE)

Credits 02 Lecture 30

#### Aims and objectives:

- 1. The course has been designed to make students of different disciplines understand, appreciate and value the significance plant resources hold in our lives and welfare.
- **2.** It will also motivate them to process, propagate and value-add plant products and establish them into small scale industrial units.

- 1. This course exposes students to the practices used for growing, multiplying, value adding and maintaining economically important plant species.
- 2. Knowledge acquired thereof will help them in setting up their own small business enterprises.

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4.4 Paper industry - sources and processes (mechanical and chemical).

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#### Paper VII BOT-SEC-104 Mushroom Culture Technology (VSEC)

Credits 02 Lecture 30

#### **Aims and Objectives**

- **1.**To learn the history, scope and importance of mushroom technology
- **2.**To understand nutritional and medicinal values of edible mushrooms
- **3.**To know about the storage, marketing and various food preparations of mushrooms.
- **4.** To understand the economics of mushroom cultivation.

- 1. Understand the economic importance of mushroom cultivation.
- **2.**To learn the basic tools and techniques used in mushroom cultivation.
- **3.**To learn the skills for developing commercial enterprise of mushroom cultivation.

Unit 1	Introduction 1.1 : Scope and importance.	
	1.1 . Scope and importance.	
	1.2 : Nutritional and medicinal value of edible mushrooms.	
	1.3 : Edible and non-edible mushrooms.	05 L
	<ul> <li>1.4: Morphology and distinguishing characteristics of following mushrooms:</li> <li>a) Button (<i>Agaricus bisporus</i>)</li> <li>b) Oyster (<i>Lentinus sajor-caju</i>, Syn. <i>Pleurotus sajor-caju</i>)</li> <li>c) Paddy straw (<i>Volvariella volvacea</i>)</li> </ul>	
Unit 2	Cultivation Technology	
	<ul> <li>2.1: Mushroom farm layout and requirements</li> <li>2.2. Materials for compost preparation, Different formulations, Selection of composting materials, Commonly used formulations, Synthetic compost and its advantages,</li> <li>2.3: Spore culture and preparation of spawn.</li> <li>2.4: Casing and its Importance, Quality parameters of casing mixture and commonly used materials for casing.</li> <li>2.5: Cultivation procedure of: a. Agaricus bisporus b. Pleurotus sajor-caju.</li> </ul>	15 L
Unit 3	<ul> <li>Storage</li> <li>3.1: Short-term storage (Refrigeration - upto 24 hours)</li> <li>3.2: Long term storage (canning, pickling). Drying, storage in salt solutions.</li> <li>3.3: Marketing</li> </ul>	04 L

#### **Unit 4** Food Preparation

4.1: Types of foods prepared from mushroom: Soup, Cutlet,Omlette, Samosa, Pickles, Curry.

4.2 Training Centres: National and Regional level.

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### SYLLABUS FOR THREE/FOUR YEAR UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMME IN BOTANY

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#### **NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY- 2020**

#### **BASED ON CBCS**

B.Sc. (F.Y.U.G.) Botany

(Level 4.5) SEMESTER- II

#### **Discipline Specific Core Courses (Major)**

BOT-MJ-151 Diversity of Bryophytes, Pteridophytes and Gymnosperms

BOT-MJ-152 Taxonomy of Angiosperms

BOT-MJP-153 Practical Based on BOT-MJ-151 & BOT-MJ-152

#### **Minor Courses**

BOT-MN-161 Plant Tissue Culture Technology

BOT-MNP-162 Practical Based on BOT-MN-161

#### **General Elective/Open Elective Course**

BOT-OE-171 Economic Botany

#### **Skill Enhancement Courses**

**BOT-SEC-154** Nursery and Gardening

BOT-SEC-155 Practical Based on BOT-SEC-154

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#### Diversity of Bryophytes, Pteridophytes and Gymnosperms (Major Course)

Credits 02 Lecture 30

#### Aims and objectives:

- 1. To study salient features of higher Cryptogams.
- **2.** To know the morphology and systematics of higher cryptogams.
- **3.** To study the life cycles of selected genera.
- **4.** To study economic importance of higher cryptogams and Gymnosperms.

- 1. Student will be able to understand the basic knowledge of the subject.
- **2.** To understand the basic structure and study the comparative characteristic of Bryophytes and Pteridophytes and Gymnosperms.
- **3.** Also, to understand the structural similarities and differences among both the groups.
- **4.** Student will be able to aware developmental stages of life cycle of higher cryptogams and Gymnosperms.

Unit 1	Gymnosperms.	
Unit 1	Introduction:	
	1.1: Introduction, definition and diversity of higher cryptogams.	
	1.2 : Bryophytes - a) Introduction.	
	b) Habit and habitat.	05 L
	c) General characteristics of Bryophytes.	
	d) Alternation of generations.	
	1.3 : Classification of Bryophytes according to G. M. Smith (1955) up to classes with reasons, giving at least two examples from each class.	
	1.4 : Economic and ecological importance of Bryophytes.	
Unit 2	Study of life cycle of Riccia:	
	2.1: Systematic position with reasons.	
	2.2: Habit and habitat.	
	2.3: External and internal structure of gametophyte.	
	2.4: Vegetative reproduction.	05 L
	2.5: Sexual reproduction (Development of sex organs not expected)	
Unit 3	Study of life cycle of <i>Funaria</i> :	
	3:1. Systematic position with reasons.	
	3.2: Habit and habitat.	05 L
	3.3: External and internal structure of gametophyte.	USL
	3.4: Vegetative reproduction.	

	3.5: Sexual reproduction (Development of sex organs not expected)	
Unit 4	Pteridophytes:	
	4.1: Introduction, definition and general characteristics of Pteridophytes.	
	4.2: Habit and Habitat.	
	4.2 : Classification of Pteridophytes according to G. M. Smith (1955) up to	04 L
	classes with reasons, giving at least two examples from each class.	
	4.3 : Economic importance of Pteridophytes.	
Unit 5	Study of life cycle of Selaginella:	
	5.1: Systematic position with reasons.	
	<ul><li>5.2: Habit and habitat.</li><li>5.3: External and internal structure of sporophyte.</li></ul>	
	5.4: Asexual reproduction: position and structure of strobilus.5	05L
	5.5: Sporangia (megasporangium and microsporangium).	
	5.6: Structure and germination of spores.	
	5.7: Structure of male and female gametophyte.	
	5.8: Alternation of generations.	
	5.9: Heterospory and its significance	
Unit 6	Gymnosperms	
	6.1 General Characters	
	6.2 Mode of Reproduction	
	6.3 Outline Classification by Sporne (1965)	
	6.4 Economic Importance of Gymnosperms 6.5 General Morphology of <i>Cycas</i> and <i>Pinus</i>	06 L

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Paper II	Credits
BOT-MJ-152	02
Taxonomy of Angiosperms	Lecture
(Major Course)	30

#### Aims and objectives:

- **1.** To study the diversity of angiosperms.
- 2. To study of comparative account among the families of angiosperm.
- **3.** To study the economic importance of the Angiospermic plants.
- **4.** To study the distinguishing features, medicinal and economic importance of angiosperm families.
- **5.** To study botanical garden and herbarium techniques.

- **1.** Understanding of Angiospermic plants Causes of phenomenal succession and alternation of generation.
- **2.** Understand the systems of classification of angiosperms, nomenclature and interdisciplinary approaches.
- **3.** Provide lab-based training in writing short species descriptions and illustration.
- **4.** Recognise members of the major angiosperm families by identifying their diagnostic features, economic and medicinal importance.
- 5. Understand botanical gardens and herbarium technique

Unit 1	Introduction	
	1:1 Definition, scope and importance of taxonomy.	
	1:2 General characters of Angiosperms.	
	1:3 Causes of phenomenon succession of Angiosperms.	06 L
	1:4 Alternation of generations.	
	1:5 Taxonomy and systematics: synonyms.	
Unit 2	ICBN/ICN	
	2.1 Rules of ICN	
	2:1 Ranks of classification; major categories.	
	2:2 Binomial nomenclature.	06 L
	2:3 Author citation and rejection of name.	
	2:4 Numerical Taxonomy; definition and applications.	
Unit 3	Classification	
	3:1 Types of classification	
	a) Artificial	
	b) Natural	06L
	c) Phylogenetic	
	3:2 Outline of Bentham and Hooker's system of classification up to series.	
	3:3 Merits and demerits.	

Unit 4	Study of plants families w.r.t. systematic position, general	
	characters, distinguishing characters and economic importance.	
	a) Malvaceae	
	b) Papilionaceae (Fabaceae)	06 L
	c) Rubiaceae	00 12
	d) Solanaceae	
	e) Euphorbiaceae	
	f) Cannaceae	
Unit 5	Botanical Gardens and Herbarium.	
	5:1 Botanical garden.	
	a) Definition and Functions	
	b) Special feature of following Botanical Garden.	
	i) Indian Botanical Garden, Kolkata	06L
	ii) Royal Botanical Garden, Kew England.	
	5:2 Herbarium.	
	a) Definition, techniques and functions.	
	b) Importance of herbaria.	

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#### Paper III BOT-MJP-153

#### Practical (Based on BOT-MJ-151 and BOT-MJ-152)

(Major Course)

Credits 02 Lecture 60

Practical - 1: Study of diversity of Bryophytes w.r.t systematic position and morphology of:

a) Anthoceros c) Sphagnum

Practical - 2: Study of Riccia:

2.1 Systematic Position with reasons

2.2 External morphology

2.3 Mounting of scales and rhizoids

2.4 T. S./V.S. of Thallus

**Practical - 3: Study of** *Marchantia:* 

3.1: Systematic Position with reasons

3.2: External morphology

3.3: T.S./V.S. of Thallus

3.4. Gemma Cup Structure

Practical - 4: Study of Selaginella:

5.1: Systematic Position with reasons

5.2: External morphology

**Practical - 5: Study of** *Adiantum***:** 

6.1: Systematic Position with reasons

6.2: External morphology

**Practical -7: Study of Cycas** 

7.1: Systematic Position with reasons

7.2: External morphology

Practical -8: Study of *Pinus* 

7.1: Systematic Position with reasons

7.2: External morphology

**Practical -8:** How to describe Angiospermic plant.

Practical -9,10 & 11: Study of plant families according to syllabus w.r.t Systematic position, morphological characters, floral formula and floral diagram.

i) Malvaceae

iii) Rubiaceae

v) Euphorbiaceae

ii) Papilionaceae/ Fabaceae

iv) Solanaceae

vi) Cannaceae

**Practical -11:** Preparation of artificial key based on vegetative & reproductive characters.

**Practical -12:** Herbarium and its techniques.

**Submission:** 1. Any five photographs of higher cryptogamic plants with Geotag.

2. Any five-wild plant (Weeds) herbarium/photograph with Geotag.

3. Excursion tour report

Note: Short or long excursion tour and visit to any botanical garden are compulsory.

Paper IV	Credits
<b>BOT-MN-161</b>	02
Plant Tissue Culture Technology	Lecture
(Minor Course)	30

#### Aims and objectives:

- 1. To familiarize with the tools and techniques of plant tissue culture
- **2.** To understand the possibility for the production of elite plants
- 3. To apply the technique in micropropagation of plants
- **4.** To establish a commercial micropropagation unit

- 1. Comprehend the basic knowledge and applications of plant tissue culture.
- **2.** Identify various facilities required to set up a plant tissue culture laboratory.
- 3. Acquire a critical knowledge on sterilization techniques related to plant tissue culture.
- **4.** Demonstrate skills of callus culture through hands on experience.

Unit 1	Introduction	
	<ol> <li>1.1 History, Scope and Concepts of basic techniques in plant tissue culture.</li> <li>1.2 Laboratory requirements and organization. Sterilization - filter, heat, wet and chemical.</li> <li>1.3 Media preparation - inorganic nutrients, organic supplements, carbon source, vitamins, gelling agents, phytohormones and growth regulators; composition of commonly used culture media (MS and Gamborg's)</li> </ol>	06 L
Unit 2	Cell, Tissue and Organ Culture	
	<ul> <li>3.1 Isolation of single cells, selection and types of cells.</li> <li>3.2 Tissue explants and organs for culture - Cell suspension cultures - batch, continuous. Synchronization of suspension culture,</li> <li>3.3 cellular totipotency, Cytological, cytochemical and vascular differentiations</li> </ul>	06 L
Unit 3	<ul> <li>Micropropagation</li> <li>3.1 Factors affecting morphogenesis and proliferation rate; technical problems in micropropagation.</li> <li>3.2 Organogenesis - formation of shoots and roots, production of virus free plants by meristem and shoot-tip culture</li> </ul>	06L

Unit 4	Somatic embryogenesis	
	<ul><li>4.1 Process of somatic embryogenesis,</li><li>4.2 Structure and stages of embryo development,</li><li>4.3 factors affecting embryogenesis</li></ul>	02 L
Unit 5	<ul> <li>Applications of plant tissue culture</li> <li>5.1 Germplasm conservation: cryopreservation methods, slow growth, applications and limitations; crayoprotectants.</li> <li>5.2. Plant transformation techniques and bioreactors; production of secondary metabolites-optimization of yield, commercial aspects, applications, limitations.</li> <li>5.3 Transgenic plants- gene transfer methods; BT cotton.</li> <li>5.4 Production of artificial seeds;</li> </ul>	10 L

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## Paper V BOT-MNP-162 Practical (Based on BOT-MN-161) (Minor Course)

Credits 02 Lecture 60

- **Practical 1:** Principles and applications of- Autoclave, Laminar Airflow, Hot Air Oven, Micropipettes
- Practical 2 Sterilization techniques for explant, glass ware, tools etc.,
- Practical 3 & 4: MS medium Preparation of different stock solutions; media preparationPreparation of cotton plugs
- **Practical 5** Explant preparation, inoculation and initiation of callus from suitable plant material
- **Practical 6 & 7:** Induction of somatic embryos, preparation of synthetic seeds.
- **Practical 8:** Multiplication of callus and organogenesis.
- **Practical -9 & 10:** Maintenance of cultures, Sub culturing at periodical intervals.

Paper VI	Credits
<b>BOT-OE-171</b>	02
Economic Botany	Lecture
(GE/OE)	30

#### Aims and objectives:

- 1. To know useful bio resources of prime importance to mankind.
- 2. To acknowledge students about various groups of plants of the world as well of India.
- **3.** To know botanical, chemical and nutritional values and value additions of foodgrains, legumes, sugars, vegetable, fruits, spices, etc.
- **4.** To reveal new *vis-a-vis* forgotten food sources and their current practices.
- **5.** To know the general account and uses of rubber, fiber and Timber.

#### **Course outcomes:**

1. Know about the importance of medicinal plants and its useful parts, economically important plants in our daily life and also about the traditional medicines and herbs, and its relevance in modern times.

Unit 1	Introduction and Origin of Cultivated Plants	
	<ol> <li>Scope and Importance</li> <li>Green Evolution in Indian context</li> <li>Concept of Centers of Origin, their importance with reference to Vavilov's work</li> <li>Examples of major plant introductions</li> <li>Crop domestication and loss of genetic diversity</li> <li>Evolution of new crops/varieties,</li> <li>Importance of germplasm diversity</li> </ol>	09 L
Unit 2	Cereals, Legumes and Millets, Sources of Sugars and Starches  2.1. Origin, morphology, processing and uses of Wheat and Rice 2.2. Origin, morphology and uses of Chick pea and Pigeon Pea 2.3. Origin, morphology, processing and uses of Pearl millet and Sorghum 2.4. Sources of Sugars, Morphology and processing of sugarcane 2.5. Products and byproducts of sugarcane industry 2.6. Morphology, propagation and uses of Potato	09 L
Unit 3	Spices & Beverages  3.1. Spices: Listing of important spices, their family and part used 3.2. Economic importance with special reference to clove and black pepper 3.3. Beverages: Morphology, processing and uses of Tea and Coffee	05 L

Unit 4	Oils and Fats	
	<ul> <li>4.1. General description, classification of oils</li> <li>4.2. Extraction, their uses and health implications of groundnut andSoybean (Botanical name, family &amp; uses)</li> <li>4.3. Essential Oils: General account, extraction methods of Eucalyptus oil comparison with fatty oils and their uses</li> </ul>	07 L
Unit 5	<ul> <li>Rubber, Fiber and Timber yielding plants</li> <li>5.1. Para rubber: tapping, Industrial processing and uses</li> <li>5.2. Fibres: Definition, Structure and classification based on the originof fibers, morphology, extraction and uses of Cotton and Coir</li> <li>5.3. Timber: Botanical Source, structure of wood and uses of Teak and <i>Pinus</i></li> </ul>	04L

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#### Paper VII BOT-SEC-154 NURSERY AND GARDENING (VSEC)

Credits 02 Lecture 30

#### Aims and objectives:

- 1. To know the concept of nursery and Gardening.
- **2.** To improve the skills for growing fresh and safe vegetables.
- **3.** To create awareness about home gardening.
- **4.** To develop different skills regarding the gardening operations among the students

- 2. Understand the importance of nursery and basic infrastructure to establish it.
- **3.** Explain the basic material, tools and techniques required for nursery.
- **4.** Provide lab-based training in nursery and gardening.
- **5.** Comprehend knowledge and skills to get an employment or to become an entrepreneur in nursey sector.

Unit 1	Nursery	
	<ul><li>1.1 Definition, objectives and scope, building up of infrastructure for nursery, planning and seasonal activities.</li><li>1.2 Planting: direct seedling and transplant.</li></ul>	04 L
Unit 2	Seed	
	<ul><li>2.1 Seed structures and types</li><li>2.2 Seed dormancy, causes and methods of breaking dormancy, Seed storage:</li><li>2.3 Seedbanks, factors affecting seed viability and genetic erosions.</li></ul>	04 L
Unit 3	Vegetative propagation	
	<ul><li>3.1 Cutting and Air-layering: selection, techniques of cutting, rooting medium, planting and hardening of plants in green house or glass house.</li><li>3.2 Harvesting, Packing,</li><li>3.3 Storage and Marketing of Nursery stock.</li></ul>	05 L
Unit 4	Gardening	
	<ul><li>4.4 Definition, objectives and scope,</li><li>4.5 Different types of gardening: Landscape, home gardening and park, and its Components, suitable plants, soil, manuring and watering</li></ul>	07 L

Unit 5	<ul> <li>Indoor Gardening</li> <li>5.1 Definition, characters of indoor plants, containers, selection of indoor plants, Potting media, watering tips.</li> <li>5.2 Botanical name, cultivation practices, Ornamental value, maintenance and Care of Cycads and Pothos (Two examples each)</li> </ul>	04 L
Unit 6	Cultivation Practices 6.1 Introduction, study of cultivation of some vegetables: Brinjal and Tomato w.r.t. i) Sowing ii) Transplanting of seedling iii) Varieties iv) Mannuaring and irrigation v) Pest, Diseases and control measures vi) Harvesting vii) Storage and Marketing	06 L

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#### Paper VIII BOT-SEC-155 Practical (Based on BOT-SEC-154) (VSEC)

Credits
02
Lecture
60

- **Practical 1:** Study of germination of dormant & non-dormant seeds (Pea, Tomato, Maize, Bean).
- **Practical 2** To estimate bulk density and porosity of garden soils.
- Practical 3 & 4: To determine moisture content, pH & water holding capacity of garden Soils.
- Practical 5: Study of different types of Nurseries & their layout and tools & accessories for Nursery.
- **Practical 6 & 7:** Propagation of Vegetable crops, fruit crops and ornamentals
- **Practical 8:** Study of different types of Gardening
- Practical -09, 10 & 11: Study of different methods of vegetative propagation:
  - a) propagation by specialized organs
  - b) propagation by cutting
  - c) layering
  - d) grafting
  - e) budding

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