



Question Paper

B.Sc. Honours Examinations 2020

(Under CBCS Pattern)

Semester - III

Subject: BOTANY

Paper : C 6-T & C 6-P

(Economic Botany)

Full Marks : 60 (Theory - 40 + Practical - 20)

Time : 3 Hours

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

C 6-T [Theory]

Answer any *two* questions from the following : 2 × 20 = 40
1. i. Write about the concept of centres of Origin, their importance with reference to Vavilov's work.
ii. Discuss on the crop domestication and loss of genetic diversity. 10+10
2. i. Write down the cultivation, management and uses of chick pea.
ii. Discuss the morphology, propagation and uses of potato. 10+10
3. i. Write the scientific names, families, used parts and uses of fennel, saffron, clove, linseed, soybean and black pepper.
ii. Write about the processing and uses of tea. 12+8

- 4. i. Write down the process of tapping, processing and uses of para-rubber.
 - ii. Write the classification based on the origin of fibers.
 - iii. Write a note on morphology, extraction and uses of jute fiber.
 - iv. Write the scientific name, family, and uses of cinchona and cannabis.

6+6+4+4

C 6-P [Practical]

Answer any *one* questions from the following : $1 \times 20 = 20$

- 1. i. Briefly write habit, fruit, seed structure and micro-chemical tests of groundnut.
 - ii. Draw and describe the TS of young stem of Pinus and mention its identifying characters.

10 + 10

- 2. i. Draw the methods of tapping and sampling of rubber.
 - ii. Write down the biochemical test for fats found in mustard seeds. 10+10