PG (NEW) CBCS M.Sc. Semester-II Examination, 2020 BOTANY

PAPER: BOT 295 (PRACTICAL)

Full Marks: 30 Time: 2 Hours

UNIT: 295.1

(ANGIOSPERM TAXONOMY & BIOSYSTEMATICS)

A. Answer any one question of the following:

 10×1

- 1. Emphasize the diagnostic features of the family Asteraceae with examples.
- 2. Write down the pollen morphological characters of the family Malvaceae and Amaranthaceae.
- 3. Write the diagnostic characteristics of the family Acanthaceae with examples.
- 4. Write down the taxonomic differences between Solanaceae and Fabaceae.

B. Answer any one question of the following:

 5×1

- 1. Classify different types of fruits found in plants.
- 2. Describe the importance of herbarium in plant conservation.
- 3. State the diagnostic features of the family Malvaceae with examples
- 4. Classify the different types of flowers in plants.

<u>UNIT: 295.2</u> (PALYNOLOGY & PLANT REPRODUCTIVE)

A. Answer any one question of the following:

 10×1

- 1. Discuss the methods of fossil slide preparation from petrified fossils using peeling technique.
- 2. Write down the procedure of pollen morphological studies using acetolysis method.
- 3. Write down the procedure of extraction of pollen grains from honey sample.
- 4. Briefly describe the various morphological types of pollen grains.

B. Answer any one question of the following:

5×1

- 1. Write down identifying features of *Lepidodendron* sp. Mention its age of occurrence.
- 2. Write down identifying features of Glossopteris sp. Mention its age of occurrence.
- 3. Write down identifying features of *Calamites* sp. Mention its age of occurrence.
