PG CBCS

M.Sc. Semester-III Examination, 2020 **BOTANY**

PAPER: C-BOT 304

PLANTS AND SOCIETY-II (CBCS)

Full Marks: 40 Time: 2 Hours

Write the answer for each unit in separate sheet

BOT 304.1

PLANTS AND ENVIRONMENT

1. Answer any two questions from the following: (250 Words)

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

3+7

- 1. Define mangrove. Write briefly the ecological values of mangrove. Name two mangrove plant species. 2+6+2
- 2. Mention the significance of biodiversity conservation. Briefly discuss various modes of biodiversity conservation. 4+6
- 3. Define wetland. Write the ecological value of wetlands.
- 4. What is the difference between food chain and food web? Why are terrestrial ecosystems important? Name the types of terrestrial ecosystem. 3+4+3
- 5. Define ecosystem. What is meant by freshwater ecosystem? What are the characteristics of freshwater ecosystem? Describe the freshwater ecosystem of lakes.

BOT 304.2 PLANTS AND SOCIETY- II

1. Answer any two questions from the following: (250 Words) $10 \times 2 = 20$

1. Mention different steps for wine production. Name any four oriental fermented foods.

6+4

- 2. What is GM crop and golden rice? Give a brief account on the contraction of this transgenic crop. 4+6
- 3. What is micro propagation? Write down different steps of micropropagation. What is explant? 2+6+2
- 4. Define petro crops? Give two example of two petrocrops. Write short notes on biodiesel. 2+2+6
- 5. Write short notes on pudding. Why fermented foods more beneficial than other foods. Name two microorganisms found in curd. 4+4+2