

TEACHING PLAN

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SESSION: 2023-24

ODD SEMESTER CLASSES:

NAME OF THE TEACHER:	Dr. Eushah Ali	
DEPARTMENT	Botany	
DESIGNATION:	Assistant Professor (Sr. Grade)	
COURSE:	Higher Secondary 2nd Year	
PAPER NAME:	Biology (Botany)	
PAPER CREDIT:	70 (35)	
PAPER CODE:		
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	7
THEORY: 1. Microbes in Human welfare- Fermented Food, Beverages, Antibiotic, Biofertilizers, Biogas, Bioinsecticides, Biopesticides and Sewage water Treatment. PRACTICAL: Unit: 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 Topics: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Study of the reproductive parts of different flowers. To study mitosis in onion root tips. To study meiosis in onion buds. Exercise on controlled pollination – emasculation, bagging and tagging. To study P^H and water holding capacity of soil. Study of plants found in dry conditions. Study of plants found in aquatic conditions. Study of plant population density by quadrat method. Study of plant population frequency by quadrat method. To study analogous and homologous organs in various plants. 1. Preparation of practical record book.	TENTATIVE DATES	Year: 2023 August: 4, 11, 18, 25(2), =05 September: 1(2), 8(2), 15(2), 22(2), 29(2)=10 October: 6, 13(2)=03 November: 3, 10(2), 17=04 December: 1, 8, 15, 22, 29=05
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	27
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	Students will know about microorganisms, uses and activities of microbes in the production of different useful products which are used in our daily life. Students will know the environmental pollution and minimize the pollution by using different types of microbes.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	1. Field study 2. ICT, White Board based classes
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE:	FOUR-YEAR UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME (FYUGP-1st Semester)	
PAPER NAME:	Plant and Microbial Diversity	
PAPER CREDIT:	03+01=04 (Theory=03, Practical=01)	
PAPER CODE:	100-199	
UNIT/ TOPIC:	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 60 Practical: 25 Internal Assessment: 15
Unit 2: Bacteria and Viruses: Bacteria: General features, cell structure, reproduction, conjugation, transformation, and transduction; introduction to Archaeobacteria. Viruses: General features, replication, reproduction (Lytic and Lysogenic life cycles), RNA virus (TMV), DNA virus (Cauliflower Mosaic Virus). Practicals: 1. Study of structure of TMV and Bacteriophage (electron micrographs/models). 2. Study of <i>Mucor</i> , <i>Ascombolus</i> , <i>Agaricus</i> (Temporary preparation of slides)	TENTATIVE DATES	August: 8, 10, 11, 17, 22, 24, 25, 29, 31=09 September: 5, 7, 8, 12, 14, 15, 19, 21, 22, 26, 28, 29=13 October: 3, 5, 6, 10, 12, 13, 31=07 November: 2, 3, 7, 9, 10, 14, 16, 17, 21, 22, 23, 25, 28, 29, 30=15 December: 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9=7
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	51
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Basic understanding of the characteristics, distribution, classification, reproduction and current status of various microbial communities. 2. Good understanding of virus, bacteria and their importance to human welfare. 3. Knowledge to identify virus, bacteria and fungi in the laboratory through morphological and reproductive analysis.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test 4. Quiz 5. Group discussion
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	1. Field study 2. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 3. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESMENT	1. Class test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Field study 5. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B. Sc 1st semester (FYUGP), SEC (Botany)	
PAPER NAME:	Nursery & Gardening	
PAPER CREDIT:	02+01=03 (Theory=02, Practical=01)	
PAPER CODE:	SEC0106803	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 30 Practical: 25 Internal Assessment: 20
Unit 3: Vegetative propagation: air-	TENTATIVE	September: 2, 9, 16(2), 23, 30(2)=07

layering, cutting and grafting, selection of Cuttings, collecting season, treatment of Cuttings, rooting medium and planting of Cuttings; hardening of plants, green house, shade house and glass house. Practicals: 1. Cutting, Layering and Grafting techniques 2. Field visit to different Nursery and Gardens.	DATES	October: 7, 14=02 November: 4(2), 11, 18, 25=05
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	14
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will develop entrepreneurship skill through establishing their own Nursery Units. 2. Acquire skills for production, maintenance and propagation techniques of different horticulturally important plants. 3. Acquire skills to establish and maintain different types of Gardens.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test 4. Group discussion 5. Field study
	RESOURCE/MATERIALS	1. Visit to Nursery & Garden 2. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 3. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Field study 5. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 3 rd Semester (Honours)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Economic Botany	
PAPER CREDIT:	Theory Credit: 04 Practical Credit: 02	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-HC-3026	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 60 Practical: 20 Internal Assessment: 20
Unit 2: Cereals (6 lectures) Wheat and Rice (origin, morphology, processing & uses); Brief account of millets.	TENTATIVE DATES	August: 3, 10, 17, 24, 31=05 September: 7, 14, 21(2), 28(2)=06 October: 5(2), 12=03 November: 2, 9, 16, 23, 30=05
Unit 3: Legumes (6 lectures) Origin, morphology and uses of Chick pea, Pigeon pea and fodder legumes; importance to man and ecosystem. Practicals: Cereals: Study of useful parts: Rice/Bean (habit sketch, study of paddy and grain, starch grain, micro-chemical test) Legumes: Bean, Groundnut, (habit, fruit, seed structure, micro-chemical tests).	NUMBER OF CLASSES	19
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire knowledge on the origin, morphological characters, how to process wheat, rice, chick pea, pigeon pea and fodder legumes and their various aspects of importance to man and ecosystem. 2. Students will know the cultivation process of wheat, rice, chick pea, pigeon pea and fodder legumes.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment

		3. Class test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	1. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 3 rd Semester (SEC)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Botany SEC (Biofertilizers), SEC-1	
PAPER CREDIT:	Theory Credit: 04 Practical Credit: 02	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-SE-3014	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 50 Practical: 50
Unit 1 : General account about the microbes used as biofertilizer – Rhizobium – isolation, identification, mass multiplication, carrier based inoculants, Actinorrhizal symbiosis. Unit 2 : <i>Azospirillum</i> : isolation and mass multiplication – carrier based inoculant, associative effect of different microorganisms. <i>Azotobacter</i> : classification, characteristics – crop response to <i>Azotobacter</i> inoculum, maintenance and mass multiplication.	TENTATIVE DATES	August: 3, 10, 17, 24, 31=05 September: 7, 14, 21, 28=04 October: 5, 12=02 November: 2, 9, 16, 23, 30=05
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	16
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire knowledge on the different microbes use as biofertilizers, substitutes as chemical fertilizers and environmental pollution. They will also know about the morphological and associative characters of the different microbes with other plants and aware the uses of biofertilizers in the production of different crops plants. 2. Practically students will know the mass cultivation of <i>Rhizobium</i> , <i>Azospirillum</i> and <i>Azotobacter</i> bacteria in artificial laboratory conditions.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	2. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 5 th Semester (Honours)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Horticultural Practices and Post-Harvest Technology	

PAPER CREDIT:	Theory Credit: 04 Practical Credit: 02	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-HE-5026	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 60 Practical: 20 Internal Assessment: 20
Unit 4 : Horticultural techniques- Application of manure, fertilizers, nutrients and PGRs; Weed control; Biofertilizers, biopesticides; Irrigation methods (drip irrigation, surface irrigation, furrow and border irrigation); Hydroponics; Propagation Methods: asexual (grafting, cutting, layering, budding), sexual (seed propagation), Scope and limitations. Unit 8 : Disease control and management:- Field and post-harvest diseases; Identification of deficiency symptoms; remedial measures and nutritional management practices; Crop sanitation; IPM strategies (genetic, biological and chemical methods for pest control); Quarantine practices; Identification of common diseases and pests of ornamental, fruits and vegetable crops. Unit 9: Horticultural crops- conservation and management: - Documentation and conservation of germplasm; Role of micropropagation and tissue culture techniques; Varieties and cultivars of various horticultural crops; IPR issues; National, international and professional societies and sources of information on horticulture. Practicals: 1. Vegetative Propagation: Leaf bud cutting, Grafting methods.	TENTATIVE DATES	August: 2 (2), 5, 7, 9(2), 12, 14, 16(2), 19, 21(2), 23(2), 26, 28, 30(2)=19 September: 2, 9(2), 11, 13(2), 16, 18(2), 20(2), 23, 27(2), 30=15 October: 4(2), 7, 9, 11(2), 14, 16(2), 30=10 November: 1(2), 4, 6, 8(2), 11, 16(2), 18, 20, 22(2), 25, 29(2)=16
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	60
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire knowledge on the different aspects of Horticultural techniques, effect of plant growth regulators, manure and fertilizers on horticultural plants growth and developments. They will also know about the practical knowledge of weed control, irrigation methods and plant propagation methods. They will also gather knowledge on the different diseases of horticultural crops and their managements, IPM, different quarantine practices, conservation of germplasm and IPR issues. 2. Practically students will know the different plant prograde methods (cutting, layering, grafting, budding and plant tissue culture methods) of horticultural crops.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	3. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs. charts and models.
	ASSESMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 5 th Semester (Regular)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Economic Botany and Plant Biotechnology	
PAPER CREDIT:	Theory Credit: 04 Practical Credit: 02	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-RE-5026	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 60 Practical: 20 Internal Assessment: 20

Unit 2: Cereals (4 Lectures) Wheat - Origin, morphology, uses. Unit 8: Introduction to biotechnology. Unit 9: Plant tissue culture: Micro propagation; haploid production through androgenesis and gynogenesis; brief account of embryo & endosperm culture with their applications.	TENTATIVE DATES	August: 7, 14, 21, 28(2)=05 September: 11(2), 18=03 October: 9, 16, 30=03 November: 6, 20(2)=03
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	14
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire knowledge on the origin, morphological characters and how to process wheat and it's various aspects of importance to man. 2. Students will know the cultivation process of wheat. Practically students will also know the different methods of raising of plants through Micropropagation methods (plant tissue culture methods) of economically important plants, medicinal and endangered plant species.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	4. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
ACTION TAKEN		
COURSE:	M.Sc 1st Semester	
PAPER NAME:	Diversity I(Algae, Fungi, Bryophytes) 1. Diversity I (Algae, Fungi, Bryophytes) 2. Practical Paper - Algae, Fungi, Bryophytes and Pteridophytes	
PAPER CREDIT:	6+4=10	
PAPER CODE:	1. BOT-1016 2. BOT-1044	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory paper: Theory: 80 Internal Assessment: 20 Practical paper: Practical: 80 Internal Assessment: 20
Unit-II Fungi: Characteristics of fungi and cell structure, recent trends in classification and phylogeny, major groups and their interrelationships. Different mode of reproduction, parasexuality and degeneration of sex in fungi. Unit-III	TENTATIVE DATES	August: 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 30, 31=11 September: 1, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28, 29, 30=16 October: 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 19=09 November: 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30=17
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	53

<p>Fungi: Physiological and ecological specialization (coprophilous, cellulolytic, entomogenous and lignolytic); Mutualism: Mycorrhiza, Lichen; Parasites: common parasites of plants and humans, Saprophytes - decomposition of organic matter, Economic importance.</p> <p>Unit-IV</p> <p>Lichen: Classification and nomenclature, structure and reproduction, mechanism of phycobiont and mycobiont interaction, lichen as ecological indicator.</p> <p>Unit-V</p> <p>Virus: Types and nomenclature of viruses, replication of RNA and DNA viruses, virus-vector relationships, tumor virus, viroids, prions and interferons.</p> <p>Bacterial cell: Ultra structure, cell wall, different groups of bacteria, recent developments in classification.</p> <p>PRACTICALS:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gram staining, flagella staining, capsule staining and acid fast staining of bacteria. 2. Collection and study of symptoms of virus infected plants. 3. Study of morphological, anatomical and reproductive features of some fungi growing in Assam 4. Study of morphological and anatomical features of some lichens growing in Assam. 	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will understand the diversity, life cycle pattern, phylogeny and economic values of Cryptogmic and Phanerogamic plants including Fungi, Bacteria, Virus, Lichen and Mycorrhiza. 2. Students will be skilled in the field of Microbiology and Plant Pathology.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	5. ICT, white board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs. charts and models.
	ASSESMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	M.Sc 3 rd Semester	
PAPER NAME:	Research Methodology and Bio-instrumentation	
PAPER CREDIT:	6	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-3036	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory paper: Theory: 80 Internal Assessment: 20
<p>Unit- II:</p> <p>Sample and sampling, techniques for collection of field samples (plant, soil and water); Dos and don't s in fields; Lab safety measures, code of conduct in laboratory, handling of chemicals;</p>	TENTATIVE DATES	August: 4, 11, 25=03 September: 1, 8, 15, 22, 29=05 October: 6, 13=02 November: 3, 10, 17, 24=04
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	14
	LEARNING	1. Students will understand the different

First aid in field and lab, Experimental design.	OUTCOMES	techniques used for field samples collection for research purpose. 2. Students will also know different laboratory safety measures, rules and regulation and code of conduct of lab while working in laboratory.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	6. ICT based classes 2. Teaching through photographs. charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	FOUR-YEAR UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME (FYUGP-2nd Semester)	
PAPER NAME:	Cell Biology and Biomolecules	
PAPER CREDIT:	03+01=04 (Theory=03, Practical=01)	
PAPER CODE:	100-199	
UNIT/ TOPIC:	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 60 Practical: 25 Internal Assessment: 15
Unit 3: Cell organelles: Nucleus: Structure-nuclear envelope, Organization of chromatin, Nucleolus, Ribosome, Chloroplast, Mitochondria, Peroxisomes, Endoplasmic Reticulum, Golgi Apparatus, and Lysosomes. PRACTICALS: 1. Counting the cells per unit volume with the help of haemocytometer. (Yeast/ pollen grains).	TENTATIVE DATES	January: 24(1), 27(1)= 02 February: 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10, 12,15, 17, 19, 21, 22, 26, 28, 29= 15 March: 2, 4, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 18, 20, 21, 23, 27, 28, 30=16 April: 1, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 17, 18, 20, 22, 24, 25, 27, 29=15 May: 2, 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 15, 16, 18=10
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	58
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will be:- 1. Detailed knowledge of the structure, properties, and functions of a cell and its components. 2. Acquainted with practical knowledge of properties of cell.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test 4. Quiz 5. Group discussion
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	1. Field study 2. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 3. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.

	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Field study 5. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 4 th Semester (SEC)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Nursery and Gardening	
PAPER CREDIT:	02+02=04 (Theory=02, Practical=02)	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-SE-4014	
UNIT/ TOPIC:	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 50 Practical: 50
Unit 3: Vegetative propagation: air-layering, cutting, selection of cutting, collecting season, treatment of cutting, rooting medium and planting of cuttings - Hardening of plants – green house-mist chamber, shed root, shade house and glass house. Practicals: 1. Cutting, Layering and Grafting techniques 2. Field visit to different Nursery and Gardens.	TENTATIVE DATES	January: 25=01 February: 7, 21, 28=03 March: 7, 14, 21, 28=04 April: 4, 18, 25=03 May: 2, 9, 16, 30=04
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	15
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will develop entrepreneurship skill through establishing their own Nursery Units. 2. Acquire skills for production, maintenance and propagation techniques of different horticulturally important plants. 3. Acquire skills to establish and maintain different types of Gardens.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	1. Field study 2. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 3. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Field study
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 6 th Semester (Honours)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Industrial and Environmental Microbiology	
PAPER CREDIT:	Theory Credit: 04 Practical Credit: 02	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-HE-6016	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 60 Practical: 20 Internal Assessment: 20
Unit 3: Microbial production of industrial products:-	TENTATIVE DATES	January: 24(2), 31(2)=04 February: 2, 5, 7(2), 9, 12, 16, 19, 21(2), 23, 26,

<p>Microorganisms involved, media, fermentation conditions, downstream processing and uses; Filtration, centrifugation, cell disruption, solvent extraction, precipitation and ultrafiltration, lyophilization, spray drying; Hands on microbial fermentations for the production and estimation(qualitative and quantitative) of Enzyme: amylase or lipase activity, Organic acid (citric acid or glutamic acid), alcohol (Ethanol) and antibiotic (Penicillin)</p> <p>Unit 5: Microbes and quality of environment:- Distribution of microbes in air; Isolation of microorganisms from soil, air and water.</p> <p>Unit 6: Microbial flora of water: Water pollution, role of microbes in sewage and domestic waste water treatment systems. Determination of BOD, COD, TDS and TOC of water samples; Microorganisms as indicators of water quality, check coliform and fecal coliform in water samples.</p> <p>Unit 7: Microbes in agriculture and remediation of contaminated soils: Biological fixation; Mycorrhizae; Bioremediation of contaminated soils. Isolation of root nodulating bacteria, arbuscular mycorrhizal colonization in plant roots.</p> <p>Practicals: 1. Principles and functioning of instruments in microbiology laboratory 2. Hands on sterilization techniques and preparation of culture media. 3. Pure culture techniques.</p>		28(2)=14 March: 1, 4, 6(2), 11, 13(2), 15, 18, 20(2), 22, 27(2)=14 April: 1, 3(2), 5, 8, 10(2), 19, 22, 24(2), 26, 29-17 May: 3, 6, 8(2), 10=06
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	55
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire knowledge on the different uses of microbes in production of industrial products by fermentation technology. 2. Students will know the role of microbes in maintaining the quality of environment specially air water and soil; role and uses of microbes in agriculture and role of microbes in remediation of contaminated soils. 2. Practically students will know the different principles and functions of instruments/apparatus uses in microbiology laboratory; methods of sterilization of culture media, glasswares etc.; preparation of culture media and pure culture techniques.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	7. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs. charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 6 th Semester (Honours)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Project Work/Dissertation	
PAPER CREDIT:	Credits: 06	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-HE-6036	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Total=100
Any topic will be selected/offered to the students from Botany (science	TENTATIVE DATES	January: 24=01 February: 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28=07 March: 1, 6, 13, 15, 20, 22, 27=07

discipline).		April: 3, 5, 10, 17, 19, 24, 26=07 May: 3, 8, 10, 15=04
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	26
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire vast knowledge on the topics offered to them regarding the methodology, research design, writing project/dissertation by acquiring scientific knowledge. 2. Practically students will know the different principles and functions of instruments/apparatus uses in laboratory, different lab safety rules and regulations.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Lab based activities.
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	8. ICT, Black board/White board based research methodology classes. 2. Journals e-journals. 3. Internet
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class attendance. 2. Power point presentation.
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 6 th Semester (Regular)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Mushroom Culture Technology	
PAPER CREDIT:	Theory Credit: 02 Practical Credit: 02	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-SE-6024	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 50 Practical: 50
Unit 1: Introduction, history. Nutritional and medicinal value of edible mushrooms; Poisonous mushrooms. Types of edible mushrooms available in India - <i>Volvariella volvacea</i> , <i>Pleurotus citrinopileatus</i> , <i>Agaricus bisporus</i> . Unit 2: Cultivation Technology : Infrastructure: substrates (locally available) Polythene bag, vessels, Inoculation hook, inoculation loop, low cost stove, sieves, culture rack, mushroom unit (Thatched house) water sprayer, tray, small polythene bag. Pure culture: Medium, sterilization, preparation of spawn, multiplication. Mushroom bed preparation - paddy straw, sugarcane trash, maize straw, banana leaves. Factors affecting the	TENTATIVE DATES	January: 24=01 February: 7, 21, 28=03 March: 6, 13, 20, 27=04 April: 3, 10, 24=03 May: 8, 15=02
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	13
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire knowledge on the history and recent development of mushrooms and its cultivation, different mushroom species, nutritive values, importance to human life. 2. Practically students will know the different principles and methods of instruments/apparatus uses in mushroom cultivation; construction of mushroom house, methods of sterilization of substrates, different techniques uses for the cultivation of mushrooms.
	PLANNED	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment

mushroom bed preparation Low cost technology, Composting technology in mushroom production. Practicals: 1. Design of mushroom culture house and its maintenance. 2. Methods of spawn production; preparation of substrates for Paddy straw mushroom and Button mushroom.	ACTIVITIES	3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	9. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	B.Sc 6th Semester (Regular)-CBCS	
PAPER NAME:	Project Work/Dissertation	
PAPER CREDIT:	Credits: 06	
PAPER CODE:	BOT-RE-6026	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS	Total=100
Any topic will be selected/offered to the students from Botany (science discipline).	ASSIGNED:	
	TENTATIVE DATES	January: 24=01 February: 7, 21, 28=03 March: 6, 13, 20, 27=04 April: 3, 10, 24=03 May: 8, 15=02
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	13
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire vast knowledge on the topics offered to them regarding the methodology, research design, writing project/dissertation by acquiring scientific knowledge. 2. Practically students will know the different principles and functions of instruments/apparatus uses in laboratory, different lab safety rules and regulations.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Lab based activities.
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	10. ICT, Black board/White board based research methodology classes. 4. Journals e-journals. 5. Internet
	ASSESSMENT	3. Class attendance. 4. Power point presentation.
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
	M.Sc 2nd Semester	
COURSE:		
PAPER NAME:	1. Microbiology and Plant Pathology 2. Practical Paper: Microbiology, Plant Pathology and Cytogenetics	
PAPER CREDIT:	6+4=10	

PAPER CODE:	1. BOT-2026 2. BOT-2044	
UNIT/ TOPIC Unit-I Microbial diversity: 'Species' and 'Strain' concept in microbiology, ICN for virus, bacteria and other microbes, microbiome concept, ecological significance of microbes, microbiology of soil, air, water and milk. Unit-V Immunology: Innate and acquired immunity, antibodies, cells and tissues of the immune system, immune diseases, serological reactions and serodiagnostics, cancer biology. Unit-VI Applied microbiology: Application of microbes in the field of agriculture, fermented foods and dairy products, industry and bio-waste management.	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory paper: Theory: 80 Internal Assessment: 20 Practical paper: Practical: 80 Internal Assessment: 20
PRACTICALS: 1. Isolation and pure culture of microbes from soil, air and water. 2. Estimation of water quality. 3. Identification and characterization of milk bacteria and nodule bacteria. 4. Methylene blue reductase test for bacterial contamination of milk. 5. Study of plant pathogenic fungi from diseased specimens (symptoms, causal organism and their morphological & reproductive characters) 6. Spore measurement and camera lucida diagram	TENTATIVE DATES	February: 2, 6(2), 9, 13(2), 16, 20(2), 23, 27(2)=16 March: 1, 5(2), 12(2), 15, 19(2), 22, 26(2)=15 April: 2(2), 5, 9(2), 19, 23(2), 26, 30(2)=15 May: 3, 7(2), 10, 14(2), 17, 21(2), 24, 28(2), 31=17
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	63
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Knowledge on microbial diversity, techniques, microbial genetics and physiology 2. Knowledge on principles plant pathology and mechanism of pathogenesis, immunology and applied microbiology.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	1. ICT, white board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	M.Sc 4th Semester Microbiology (Special Paper)	
PAPER NAME:	Microbiology (Paper I) Practical Paper:	

<p>PAPER CREDIT: 5</p> <p>PAPER CODE: 1. BOT 4165 (Theory)</p> <p>UNIT/ TOPIC (BOT 4165)</p> <p>Unit-II Soil microbiology: Soil environment, microbial diversity in soil, soil microbial communities and decomposition of organic matter, methods to detect and quantify soil microbes, soil metagenomics, biosensors to monitor soil health and toxicity.</p> <p>Unit-III Agricultural microbiology: Agriculturally important microbes, biological N₂-fixation, phosphate solubilization, PGPRs, rhizosphere, phyllosphere, Mycorrhiza, Biofertilizers, Crop diseases caused by different pathogens, Bio-control of plant diseases.</p> <p>Unit-V Food microbiology: Fermented foods (milk, meat, vegetables, beer, wine and vinegar, SCP), food spoilage, food sterilization and preservation, food borne diseases.</p>	<p>MARKS ASSIGNED:</p>	<p>Theory paper: Theory: 80 Internal Assessment: 20</p> <p>Practical paper: Practical: 80 Internal Assessment: 20</p>
	<p>TENTATIVE DATES</p>	<p>January: 24(1), 27, 29(1), 30(1), 31=08 February: 2(1), 3, 5(1), 6(1), 7, 9(1), 10, 12(1), 13(1), 16(1), 17, 19(1), 20(1), 21, 23(1), 26(1), 27(1), 28=30 March: 1(1), 2, 4(1), 5(1), 6, 8(1), 9, 11(1), 12(1), 13, 15(1), 16, 18(1), 19(1), 20, 22(1), 23, 26(1), 27, 30=39 April: 1(1), 2(1), 3, 5(1), 6, 8(1), 9(1), 10, 19(1), 20, 22(1), 23(1), 24, 26(2), 27, 29(1), 30(1)=28 May: 3(1), 4, 6(1), 7(1), 8, 10(1), 11, 13(1), 14(1), 15, 17(1), 18, 20(1), 21(1), 22, 24(1), 25, 27(1), 28(1), 29, 31(1)=34</p>
	<p>NUMBER OF CLASSES</p>	<p>139</p>
	<p>LEARNING OUTCOMES</p>	<p>1. Knowledge on Microbial interactions, bioremediation, microorganisms in mining and energy production. 2. Knowledge on soil microbes, soil metagenomics. 3. Knowledge of Biofertilizers and biocontrol of plant diseases</p>

COURSE: PAPER NAME: PAPER CREDIT: PAPER CODE: UNIT/ TOPIC (BOT 4175): Unit- V Genetic engineering – tools and techniques, manipulation of natural genetical processes in biotechnology, restriction enzymes and ligases, cloning and expression vectors (plasmid, Ti plasmid, cosmid, fosmid, BAC, YAC and PAC).	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	12. ICT, white board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
	M.Sc 4th Semester Microbiology (Special Paper)	
	Microbiology (Paper II)	
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	BOT 4175(Theory)	
	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory paper: Theory: 80 Internal Assessment: 20 Practical paper: Practical: 80 Internal Assessment: 20
	TENTATIVE DATES	
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Microbial genetics, tools and techniques of genetic engineering CO2.Knowledge conjugation, transduction and transformation in Bacteria CO3. 2. Knowledge on microbial biotechnology for human welfare.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	13. ICT, white board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	M.Sc 4th Semester Microbiology (Special Paper)	

PAPER NAME:	Microbiology (Paper III)	
PAPER CREDIT:	5	
PAPER CODE:	BOT 4185(Theory)	
UNIT/ TOPIC (BOT 4185):	MARKS	Theory paper:
Unit- I	ASSIGNED:	Theory: 80
Laboratory diagnoses and control of human diseases caused by virus (AIDS, hepatitis, H1N1), bacteria (<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i> , <i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i>), fungi (Aspergillosis, Candidiasis) and protozoa (malaria).		Internal Assessment: 20
Unit- II		Practical paper:
Control of Microorganisms: Physical, chemical and biological; Antibiotics, mode of action of antibiotics, multidrug resistance in bacteria, principles of microbial assay.		Practical: 80
		Internal Assessment: 20
	TENTATIVE DATES	
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Knowledge of laboratory diagnosis and control of AIDS, hepatitis, swine flue CO2. Knowledge on immunology including immunity, antigen – antibodies CO3. Basic knowledge of mutagens and carcinogens in cancer biology.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	14. ICT, white board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	M.Sc 4 th Semester Microbiology (Special Paper)	
PAPER NAME:	Practical:	
PAPER CREDIT:	4	
PAPER CODE:	BOT 4204 (Practical)	
UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS	Theory paper:
PRACTICALS:	ASSIGNED:	Theory: 80
1. Isolation of specific microorganisms using specific media		Internal Assessment: 20
		Practical paper:

2. Staining of bacterial spore, capsule and flagella 3. Bacteriological water analysis. 4. Methylene blue reductase/ phosphatase test for milk 5. Biochemical tests (phosphatase, urease, nitrate reductase, cellulase) for the activity of microbes. 6. Study of microflora from the rhizosphere of agriculturally important crops.		Practical: 80 Internal Assessment: 20
	TENTATIVE DATES	January: 29(1), 30, 31(1)=05 February: 2(1), 5(1), 7(1), 9(1), 12(1), 16(1), 19(1), 21(1), 23(1), 26(1), 28(1)=22 March: 1(1), 4(1), 6(1), 11(1), 13(1), 15(1), 18(1), 20(1), 22(1), 27(1)=20 April: 1(1), 3(1), 5(1), 8(1), 10(1), 19(1), 22(1), 24(1), 26(1), 29(1)=20 May: 3(1), 6(1), 8(1), 10(1), 13(1), 15(1), 17(1), 20(1), 22(1), 24(1), 27(1), 29(1), 31(1)=26
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	93
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Practices on isolation of microbes from different habitats. 2. Practices on biochemical test for activity of microbes. 3. Practices on biochemical test for identification of bacteria.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test/ Unit Test
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	15. ICT, white board based classes 2. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESMENT	1. Class test/Unit test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	
COURSE:	M.Sc 4th Semester Microbiology (Special Paper)	
PAPER NAME:	Dissertation	
PAPER CREDIT:	Credits: 5	
PAPER CODE:	BOT 4195	
UNIT/ TOPIC:- Any topic will be selected/offered to the students from Environmental Microbiology and Plant Pathology.	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Dissertation = 50 Viva-Voce = 30 Internal Assessment = 20 Total = 100
	TENTATIVE	January: 29, 30=02

	DATES	February: 1, 5, 6, 8, 12, 13, 15, 19, 20, 22, 26, 27, 29=13 March: 4, 5, 7, 11, 12, 14, 18, 19, 21, 26, 28=11 April: 1, 2, 4, 8, 9, 16, 18, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30=12 May: 2, 6, 7, 9, 13, 14, 16, 20, 21, 27, 28, 30=12
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	50
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire vast knowledge on the topics offered to them regarding the methodology, research design, writing project/dissertation by acquiring scientific knowledge. 2. Practically students will know the different principles and functions of instruments/apparatus uses in laboratory, different lab safety rules and regulations. 3. Knowledge on solving the problems of degraded systems by employing candidate Microbes.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Lab based activities.
	RESOURCE/MATERIALS	1. ICT, Black board/White board based research methodology classes. 2. Journals e-journals. 3. Internet
	ASSESMENT	1. Class attendance. 2. Power point presentation.
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE:	FOUR-YEAR UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME (FYUGP-2nd Semester)	
PAPER NAME:	Botany-SEC (Biofertilizers)	
PAPER CREDIT:	02+01=03 (Theory=02, Practical=01)	
PAPER CODE:	SEC0201303	
UNIT/ TOPIC: Unit 1 : General account about the microbes used as biofertilizer – Rhizobium – isolation, identification, Biological nitrogen fixation, Actinorrhizal symbiosis. Unit 2 : <i>Azospirillum</i> : isolation and mass multiplication – carrier based inoculant, <i>Azotobacter</i> : classification, characteristics – crop response to <i>Azotobacter</i> inoculum, maintenance and mass multiplication.	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 30 Practical: 25 Internal Assessment: 20
	TENTATIVE DATES	February: 1, 8, 15, 22, 29=05 March: 7, 14, 21, 28=04 April: 4, 18, 25=03 May: 2, 9, 16, 30=04
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	16
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	1. Students will acquire knowledge on the different microbes use as bio-fertilizers, substitutes as chemical fertilizers and environmental pollution. They will also know about the morphological and associative characters of the different microbes with other plants and aware the uses of bio-fertilizers in the production of different crops plants. 2. Practically students will know the mass cultivation of <i>Rhizobium</i> , <i>Azospirillum</i> and <i>Azotobacter</i> bacteria in artificial laboratory conditions.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test 4. Quiz
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	1. Field study 2. ICT, Black board/White board based classes 3. Teaching through photographs, charts and models.
	ASSESMENT	1. Class test 2. Class attendance 3. Home assignment 4. Field study 5. Sessional examination
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

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TEACHING PLAN (2023-24)

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TEACHING/ LESSON PLAN
SESSION: 2023-24
(ODD and EVEN SEMESTER)

NAME OF THE TEACHER:	Dr. ARJUN ADHIKARI
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DESIGNATION:	ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
COURSE :	HIGHER SECONDARY 1ST YEAR
PAPER NAME:	BIOLOGY (BOTANY)
PAPER CREDIT:	70 (35)
PAPER CODE:	

UNIT/TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	35
Unit-IV: PANT PHYSIOLOGY Chapter -11: Photosynthesis in Higher Plants Early experiments relating to photosynthesis. Photosynthesis as a means of autotrophic nutrition: Site of photosynthesis, Pigments involved in photosynthesis (elementary idea), Photochemical and Biosynthetic phases of photosynthesis, cyclic and non- cyclic photophosphorylation, chemiosmotic hypothesis; photorespiration; C3 and C4 pathways, factors affecting photosynthesis.	TENTATIVE DATES	Year 2023 August: 7, 14, 21, 28 September: 11, 18, October: 9, 16, 30 November: 6, 20 December: 4, 11, 18 Year 2024 January: 8, 22 February: 5, 12, 19, 26 March: 4, 11
Chapter -12 Respiration in Plants Exchange of gases ; Cellular respiration: Glycolysis, Fermentation , (anaerobic), TCA Cycle and Electron transport system (aerobic), Energy relations –Number of ATP molecules generated, amphibolic pathway, respiratory quotient.	NUMBER OF CLASSES	22
Chapter -13 Plant Growth and Development Phases of Plant Growth and Plant Growth rate, conditions required for growth, differentiation, Dedifferentiation and redifferentiation. Sequence of developmental process in a plants cell Plant, Growth regulators- Auxin, Gibberellins, Cytokinins, Ethylene, ABA.	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will have: 1. Basic understanding of the mineral requirements of plants and their transport mechanisms. 2. Knowledge of phloem transport and translocation of food materials within the plants. 3. Understanding of the process of Photosynthesis and its variation in different group of plants 4. Insights on the growth and development process of plants and the role of PGRs
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, Powerpoint Presentation, Practicals
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: Biology Class XI: NCERT Modern's abc: Arora & Sabrawal e-Resource: Slideshare, Youtube



ASSESSMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
REFLECTION	
ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE :	FYUGP 1 st SEMESTER
PAPER NAME:	PLANT AND MICROBIAL DIVERSITY
PAPER CREDIT:	3 + 1 = 4
PAPER CODE:	100-199

UNIT/TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	60
THEORY:	TENTATIVE DATES	Aug-5, 7, 10, 12, 17, 19, 22, 24, 26, 29, 31, Sept-2, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30 Oct-3, 5, 7, 10
Algae: General features, cell structure, range of thallus structure, reproduction, and classification; a brief account on <i>Nostoc</i> , <i>Oedogonium</i> , and <i>Chara</i>	NUMBER OF CLASSES	27
PRACTICAL: Study of morphology of <i>Nostoc</i> , <i>Oedogonium</i> , <i>Chara</i> (Temporary preparation of slides).	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will have: 2. Basic understanding of the characteristics, distribution, classification, reproduction, and current status of Algal members. 3. Knowledge to identify various groups of Algae in the laboratory through morphological analysis.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, Powerpoint Presentation
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: Algae-Vasistha, Sinha, Singha Algae- Sharma e-Resource: Slideshare, Research Papers
	ASSESSMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE :	FYUGP 1 st SEMESTER (SEC)
PAPER NAME:	NURSERY AND GARDENING
PAPER CREDIT:	2 + 1 = 3
PAPER CODE:	SEC0106803

UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	50
Unit 4:	TENTATIVE DATES	September: 01, 08, 15, 22, 29 October: 06, 13 November: 03, 10, 17
Topic: Gardening:	NUMBER OF CLASSES	10
Definition, Objectives and scopes, different types of gardening	LEARNING OUTCOMES	<p>After the successful completion of classes students will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Recall the different aspects of gardening operations like soil quality, manure, etc required for gardening. Recall the different ways and types of watering techniques that can be applied in the garden and fields. Recall different types of garden. Familiarized with different tools used in nursery and gardening. Recall how to plant and grow, understand and identify different stages of plant growth and identify plant's needs and to provide basic maintenance and care.
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, Powerpoint Presentation
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: Text Book of Nursery & Gardening (Akhil Baruah) e-Resource: Slideshare, Research Papers
	ASSESSMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE :	FYUGP 2 nd SEMESTER (SEC)
PAPER NAME:	BIOFERTILIZERS
PAPER CREDIT:	2 + 1 = 3
PAPER CODE:	SEC0201303

UNIT/TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	50
THEORY: Unit 3: Cyanobacteria (blue green algae), Azolla and Anabaena azollae association, nitrogen fixation, factors affecting growth, blue green algae and Azolla in rice cultivation.	TENTATIVE DATES	February- 23, March- 1, 15, 22 April- 5
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	5
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will have: 1. Basic understanding of role of Cyanobacteria as Biofertilizers 2. Knowledge of Anabaena-Azolla association and their nitrogen fixing capacity
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, PowerPoint Presentations
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: Algae-Vasistha, Sinha, Singh e-Resource: Slideshare, Research Papers
	ASSESSMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE :	B.Sc. 3 rd SEMESTER (GE + R)
PAPER NAME:	PLANT PHYSIOLOGY AND METABOLISM
PAPER CREDIT:	4 + 2 = 6
PAPER CODE:	BOT-RC-3016

UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	60 + 20
THEORY: UNIT-2: Mineral Nutrition Essential elements, macro and micronutrients; Criteria of essentiality of elements; Role of essential elements; Transport of ions across cell membrane, active and passive transport, carriers, channels and pumps. UNIT-3: TRANSLOCATION IN PHLOEM Composition of phloem sap, girdling experiment; Pressure flow model; Phloem loading and unloading. UNIT 4 : PHOTOSYNTHESIS Photosynthetic Pigments (Chl a, b, xanthophylls, carotene); Photosystem I and II, reaction center, antenna molecules; Electron transport and mechanism of ATP synthesis; C3, C4 and CAM pathways of carbon fixation; Photorespiration. UNIT-8 PLANT GROWTH REGULATORS Discovery and physiological roles of auxins, gibberellins, cytokinins, ABA, ethylene.	TENTATIVE DATES NUMBER OF CLASSES 21 LEARNING OUTCOMES	Aug- 8, 10, 17, 19, 22, 24, 29, 31 Sept- 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26, 28 Oct- 3, 5, 10, 12, 31 On successful completion of the course, students will have: 4. Basic understanding of the mineral requirements of plants and their transport mechanisms. 5. Knowledge of phloem transport and translocation of food materials within the plants. 6. Understanding of the process of Photosynthesis and its variation in different group of plants 7. Insights on the growth and development process of plants and the role of PGRs
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, PowerPoint Presentations
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: Principles of Plant Physiology- A. C. Sahu Fundamentals of Plant Physiology- V.K. Jain e-Resource: Slideshare, Research Papers
	ASSESSMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE :	B.Sc. 3 rd SEMESTER (SEC)
PAPER NAME:	BIOFERTILIZERS
PAPER CREDIT:	4
PAPER CODE:	BOT-SE-3014

UNIT/TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 50 Practical: 50
THEORY: Unit 3: Cyanobacteria (blue green algae), Azolla and Anabaena azollae association, nitrogen fixation, factors affecting growth, blue green algae and Azolla in rice cultivation.	TENTATIVE DATES	Aug- 9, 16, 23, 30 Sept- 6, 13, 20, 27 Oct- 4
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	9
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will have: 1. Basic understanding of role of Cyanobacteria as Biofertilizers 2. Knowledge of Anabaena-Azolla association and their nitrogen fixing capacity
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, PowerPoint Presentations
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: Algae-Vasistha, Sinha, Singh e-Resource: Slideshare, Research Papers
	ASSESSMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
REFLECTION		
ACTION TAKEN		

COURSE :	BSc Botany 4 th Semester (H)
PAPER NAME:	PLANT ECOLOGY AND PHYTOGEOGRAPHY
PAPER CREDIT:	4 + 2 = 6
PAPER CODE:	BOT-HC-4026

UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	60 + 20
THEORY:	TENTATIVE DATES	January- 24, 29 February-5,7,12,19,26,28 March- 4, 6,11,13,18,20,27 April-1,3,8,10,17,22,24
Unit 1 : INTRODUCTION Basic concepts; Levels of organization, Inter-relationships between the living world and the environment, the components and dynamism, homeostasis;	NUMBER OF CLASSES	22
Unit 4 : ADAPTATION OF PLANTS TO VARIOUS ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS Light, temperature, wind and fire	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will have: 1. Basic understanding of the environment and ecological organizations. 2. Knowledge of plant adaptations to various environmental factors. 3. Understanding of the concept of plant communities and their characters. 4. Insights on the different aspects of ecosystem and their functions. 5. Knowledge of the principles and theories of phytogeography as well as endemism.
Unit 7 : PLANT COMMUNITIES Concept of ecological amplitude; Habitat and niche; Characters: analytical and synthetic; Ecotone and edge effect; Dynamics: succession –processes, types; climax concepts.		
Unit 8: ECOSYSTEMS Structure; Processes; Trophic organisation; Food chains and Food webs; Ecological pyramids.		
Unit 10 : PHYTOGEOGRAPHY Principles; Continental drift; Theory of tolerance; Endemism; Brief description of major terrestrial biomes (one each from tropical, temperate & tundra); Phytogeographical division of India; Vegetation types of NE India with special reference to Assam.	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, PowerPoint Presentations, Group discussions
PRACTICALS: 1. Study of instruments used to measure microclimatic variables: Soil thermometer, maximum and minimum thermometer, anemometer, psychrometer/hygrometer, rain gauge and lux meter.	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: 1. Ecology and Environment-P D Sharma 2. A text book of Plant Ecology-Ambasht and Ambasht
2. Determination of pH of various soil and water samples using pH meter.	ASSESSMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
	REFLECTION	

6. (a). Study of morphological adaptations of hydrophytes and xerophytes (four each). (b). Study of biotic interactions of the following: Stem parasite (Cuscuta), Root parasite (Orobanchae) Epiphytes, Predation (Insectivorous plants).	ACTION TAKEN	
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COURSE :	B.Sc. 5 th SEMESTER (H)
PAPER NAME:	PLANT PHYSIOLOGY
PAPER CREDIT:	4 + 2 = 6
PAPER CODE:	BOT-HC-5026

UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory: 60 Practical: 20 Internal Assessment: 20
<p>THEORY:</p> <p>Unit 2 : Mineral nutrition Essential and beneficial elements, macro and micronutrients, methods of study and use of nutrient solutions, criteria for essentiality, mineral deficiency symptoms, roles of essential elements, chelating agents, Ion antagonism and toxicity.</p> <p>Unit 3 : Nutrient Uptake Soil as a nutrient reservoir, transport of ions across cell membrane, passive absorption, electrochemical gradient, facilitated diffusion, active absorption, role of ATP, carrier systems, proton ATPase pump and ion flux, uniport, co-transport, symport, antiport.</p> <p>Unit 4 : Translocation in the phloem Experimental evidence in support of phloem as the site of sugar translocation. Pressure-Flow Model; Phloem loading and unloading; Source-sink relationship.</p> <p>Unit 5 : Plant growth regulators Discovery, chemical nature (basic structure), bioassay and physiological roles of Auxin, Gibberellins, Cytokinin, Abscissic acid, Ethylene, Brassinosteroids and Jasmonic acid.</p>	TENTATIVE DATES	Aug- 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24, 29, 30, 31 Sept- 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21, 26, 27, 28 Oct- 3, 5, 10, 11, 12, 31 Nov- 1, 2, 7, 8, 9
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	34
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will have: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Basic understanding of the mineral requirements of plants and their transport mechanisms. 2. Knowledge of phloem transport and translocation of food materials within the plants. 3. Understanding the process of nutrient uptake in plants 4. Insights on the growth and development process of plants and the role of PGRs
	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, PowerPoint Presentations
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: Principles of Plant Physiology- A. C. Sahu Fundamentals of Plant Physiology- V.K. Jain e-Resource: e-Pathshala, Youtube tutorials, Slideshare, Research Papers
	ASSESMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE :	B.Sc. Botany 6 th Semester (H)
PAPER NAME:	Plant Metabolism
PAPER CREDIT:	4 + 2 = 6
PAPER CODE:	BOT-HC-6016

UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	60 + 20
THEORY: Unit 2 : Carbon assimilation Historical background, photosynthetic pigments, role of photosynthetic pigments (chlorophylls and accessory pigments), antenna molecules and reaction centres, photochemical reactions, photosynthetic electron transport, PSI, PSII, Q cycle, CO ₂ reduction, photorespiration, C4-pathways; Crassulacean acid metabolism; Factors affecting CO ₂ reduction. Unit 3 : Carbohydrate metabolism Synthesis and catabolism of sucrose and starch. Unit 5 : ATP-Synthesis Mechanism of ATP synthesis, substrate level phosphorylation, chemiosmotic mechanism (oxidative and photophosphorylation), ATP synthase, Boyers conformational model, Racker's experiment, Jagendorf's experiment; role of uncouplers.	TENTATIVE DATES January: 24, 27, 29. February: 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 12, 16, 19, 21 March: 4, 6, 9, 15, 16, 18, 23, 27 April-1,3,6,17, 20,25,27,29 May-4,11 NUMBER OF CLASSES 30 LEARNING OUTCOMES On successful completion of the course, students will have: 1. Understanding of the process of Photosynthesis and its variation in different group of plants 2. Knowledge of catabolism and metabolism of sugars. 3. Understanding of the concept of plant communities and their characters. 4. Insights on the different mechanisms of ATP synthesis and the theories associated with the process. 5. Methods of pigment separation and sugar estimation.	
PRACTICALS: 1. Chemical separation of photosynthetic pigments. 2. Estimation of sugar content by Somogyi method. 6. Separation of amino acids by paper chromatography. 7. Demonstration of Thin layer chromatography (TLC). 8. Quantitative analysis of absorption spectrum of photosynthetic pigments.	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	Lectures, PowerPoint Presentations, Group discussions
	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: 1. Principles of Plant Physiology- A. C. Sahu 2. Fundamentals of Plant Physiology- V.K. Jain 3. e-Resource: Slideshare, Research Papers
	ASSESSMENT	Class Test, Group Discussions, Assignments, Sessional Exam
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE :	M.Sc. 1 st SEMESTER
PAPER NAME:	1. Diversity I (Algae, Fungi, Bryophytes) 2. Ecology, Environment and Resource Management
PAPER CREDIT:	6 + 6 + 4 + 4 = 20
PAPER CODE:	1. BOT-1016

UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory paper: Theory: 80 Internal Assessment: 20 Practical paper: Practical: 80 Internal Assessment: 20
Theory paper: BOT-1016 Unit-I Algae: Diversity and classification, recent trends in the classification, pigmentation, morphology and reproduction, phylogeny and interrelationships among different groups, patterns of life cycle and post fertilization stages in Chlorophyta, Xanthophyta, Phaeophyta and Rhodophyta, Ecological importance in different habitats, Algal indicators, Algal blooms, Eutrophication, Productivity in fresh water and marine environment, symbiotic association, Algal culture.	TENTATIVE DATES August: 17, 18, 19, 23, 25, 26, 30 September: 6, 8, 9, 13, 15, 20, 22, 23, 27, 30 October: 4, 6, 7, 11, 13, 14, November: 1, 3, 4, 8, 10, 17, 22, 25, 29	
	NUMBER OF CLASSES	32
	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will have: 1. Clear understanding of the diversity, classification, life cycle pattern, culture techniques, phylogeny and economic values of Algae 2. Students will be skilled with the different pollution types and sources with special reference to NE India 3. Thorough learning of the different theories and principles associated with the phytogeography of the world. They will know about the endemic plants of the region and the metacenters of endemism in India
BOT-1036 Unit-IV Environmental pollution- Sources, types of pollutants of various industrial effluents such as pulp and paper mills, oil exploration and refinery, petrochemicals, iron and steel industries, domestic wastes, organic debris, agricultural wastes, pesticides. Effects of pesticides on soil components, residual toxicity and pollution. Global climate change: greenhouse effects, ozone layer depletion, acid rain.	PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test 4. Seminar presentation
Unit-VI: Phytogeography Dynamic phytogeography and its basic principles, theories and hypotheses, centre of origin of cultivated plants, plant migration, theory of tolerance, age and area hypothesis, concept of endemism, megacentres of endemism in India, endemic plants of India with special reference to N E India, phytogeographic regions of the world and India and their	RESOURCE/ MATERIALS	Books: 1. Ecology and Environment: P.D. Sharma 2. Fundamentals of Ecology: Eugene Odum Self-prepared Complete Notes e-Resource: e-Pathshala, Youtube tutorials, Slideshare, Research Papers
	ASSESSMENT	1. Class test 2. Spot test

Characteristic vegetations. Characteristic flora of NE India.		3. Class attendance 4. Home assignment 5. Field study and Academic excursion
	REFLECTION	
	ACTION TAKEN	

COURSE :	M.Sc. Botany 2 nd Semester
PAPER NAME:	Plant Physiology and Biochemistry
PAPER CREDIT:	6 + 4 = 10
PAPER CODE:	BOT-2036 BOT-2054

UNIT/ TOPIC	MARKS ASSIGNED:	Theory paper: Theory: 80 Internal Assessment: 20 Practical paper: Practical: 80 Internal Assessment: 20
THEORY: Unit-III PHOTOSYNTHESIS: Light harvesting complexes; mechanisms of electron transport; photoprotective mechanisms; CO ₂ fixation-C ₃ , C ₄ and CAM pathways.	TENTATIVE DATES	January: 24, 27, 29. February: 3, 5, 7, 9, 12, 17, 19, 21. March: 4, 6, 9, 13, 16, 18, 20, 23, 27, 30 April-1,3,6,8,17, 20,24,27,29 May-4,11, 13,15
Unit-IV PLANT HORMONES: Biosynthesis, storage, breakdown and transport; physiological effects and mechanisms of action.	NUMBER OF CLASSES	35
Unit-VI Solute transport and photo-assimilate translocation: uptake, transport and translocation of water, ions, solutes and macromolecules from soil, through cells, across membranes, through xylem and phloem; mechanisms of loading and unloading of photoassimilates.	LEARNING OUTCOMES	On successful completion of the course, students will have: 1. Understanding of the process of Photosynthesis and its variation in different group of plants 2. Knowledge of catabolism and metabolism of sugars. 3. Understanding of the concept of plant communities and their characters. 4. Insights on the different mechanisms of ATP synthesis and the theories associated with the process. 5. Methods of pigment separation and sugar estimation.
PRACTICALS: 3. Extraction of carbohydrates from plant materials and estimation of reducing and non-reducing sugars. 6. Extraction of chloroplast pigments and		

quantitative estimation; Determination of chlorophyll a/b ratio and total chlorophyll in C₃, C₄ and CAM plants.
7. Separation of amino acid mixture by thin layer / paper chromatography.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES	1. Theory and practical classes 2. Home assignment 3. Class test 4. Seminar presentation
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ASSESSMENT	1. Class test 2. Spot test 3. Class attendance 4. Home assignment 5. Field study and Academic excursion
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