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## FIFTH SEMESTER UG DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024

#### (Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

## BOTANY

# **GBOT5D02T: APPLIED BOTANY**

## (OPEN COURSE)

## Time: 2 Hours

# Maximum Marks: 60

# SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries *two* marks. (Ceiling 20 marks)

- 1. Expand VAM. Write its uses.
- 2. What are the differences between cascade and semi cascade style of Bonsai?
- 3. State the economic importance of Teak.
- 4. List out the characteristics of root stock used for vegetative propagation.
- 5. What is epigeal germination? Give examples.
- 6. Differentiate between stem section cuttings and stem tip cuttings. Give examples.
- 7. List out merits and demerits of chemical control of pest.
- 8. Write binomial and morphology of useful part of Rose wood.
- 9. List out symbiotic and free living nitrogen fixing bacteria.
- 10. Enlist the important microbial bio pesticides.
- 11. What is poisonous mushroom? List out its common characteristics. Give any two examples.
- 12. What is seed bed? Write its significance.

# SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks. (Ceiling 30 marks)

- 13. Write a short note on the uses of medicinal plants.
- 14. Describe different types of organic manures.
- 15. Enumerate artificial methods to overcome seed dormancy.
- 16. Comment on the role of Azolla as bio fertilizer.
- 17. Differentiate between air layering and simple layering.
- 18. Discuss the role of microorganism involved in composting.
- 19. Elaborate on the methods of Anthurium cultivation.

## SECTION C: Answer any one question. The question carries ten marks.

- 20. Discuss about different types of irrigation methods.
- 21. Write an essay on vermi-composting technique.