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UNDERGRADUATE (CBCS) EXAMINATION, FEBRUARY 2021 Fifth Semester

(Offered by the Board of Studies in Botany)

Open Course - BO5OPT02 - HORTICULTURE AND NURSERY MANAGEMENT

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions. Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. Define pomology.
- 2. Explain the uses of pruning shear.
- 3. What is vermicompost?
- 4. Explain seed viability.
- 5. What is seed testing?
- 6. Name any two famous gardens in India.
- 7. What is meant by landscaping?
- 8. Give examples for two cut flowers?
- 9. What is Japanese ikebana?
- 10. What is olericulture?
- 11. What is the use of tobacco decoction?
- 12. What is an arboretum?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.



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- 13. Write a note on nutrient application as foliar spray.
- 14. Explain the advantages and disadvantages of seed propagation.
- 15. Explain advantages and disadvantages of vegetative propagation.
- 16. Give an account on aquatic gardens.
- 17. What is pruning? Explain the significance of pruning.
- 18. Explain the cultivation practices of amaranthus and potato.
- 19. Explain the preparation of jam, jelly and squash.
- 20. What are garden friends? Explain the beneficial aspects of garden friends.
- 21. Give an account on equipments used for controlling pests.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.

- 22. What is irrigation? Explain different methods of irrigation.
- 23. Explain the method of bonsai preparation.
- 24. Write a note on cultivation of mango and banana. Explain the factors that affect duration of storage of fruits.
- 25. What are annual weeds? Explain the methods of eradication of weeds.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

