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B. Sc DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - JULY 2021 SEMESTER 2 : BOTANY (CORE COURSE)

COURSE: 19U2CRBOT02: MYCOLOGY, LICHENOLOGY AND PLANT PATHOLOGY

(For Regular - 2020 Admission & Improvement / Supplementary 2019 Admission)

Time : Three Hours Max. Marks: 60

PART A

Answer All (1 mark each)

- 1. What are conidia?
- 2. What is perithecium?
- 3. Which fungus is known as Drosophila of fungal kingdom?
- 4. Name a poisonous mushroom..
- 5. What is the scientific name of oyster mushroom?
- 6. To which group of lichen do parmelia belong?
- 7. Who is the Father of plant pathology
- 8. Name a systemic fungicide

 $(1 \times 8 = 8)$

PART B

Answer any 6 (2 marks each)

- 9. Differentiate between oospore and zygospore.
- 10. Why penicillium is called broom fungus?
- 11. Differentiate between ascus and basidium.
- 12. What is mycorrhiza? Add a note on its significance.
- 13. Briefly explain the procedure of spawn production.
- 14. What are the different mechanisms of infection in plants?
- 15. What is quarantine?
- 16. Explain the mode of dissemination of leaf mosaic disease of tapioca?

 $(2 \times 6 = 12)$

PART C

Answer any 4 (5 marks each)

- 17. Explain the structure of ascocarp in Peziza.
- 18. Comment on cell structure of yeast.
- 19. Comment on different types of ascocarps.
- 20. Write down the steps for the cultivation of mushrooms
- 21. What are the ecological and economic significance of lichens?
- 22. How is tobacco decoction prepared?

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$

PART D

Answer any 2 (10 marks each)

23. Discuss the sexual reproduction and life cycle of Peziza.

OR

- 24. Explain macrocyclic life cycle of *Puccinia* with the help of illustrations.
- 25. Name the causal organism, symptoms, disease control measure of Bacterial blight paddy
 OR
- 26. Give brief account of symptoms and methods of spreading leaf mosaic of tapioca. Which is the causative organism? What are the measures adopted to control the disease.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$