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# B. Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION : MARCH 2023 SEMESTER 6 : BOTANY

COURSE: 19U6CRBOT09: PLANT PHYSIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY

(For Regular - 2020 Admission and Supplementary - 2019 Admission)

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 60

#### PART A Answer All (1 mark each)

- 1. Define SAR.
- 2. Name any two allelochemicals.
- 3. Name an achiral amino acid.
- 4. Who proposed the lock and key model?
- 5. What is a buffer? Give an example.
- 6. Define translocation of solutes in plants.
- 7. What is the nitrogen deficiency symptom which appears on the vegetative region?
- 8. Name any two proteins that take part in ETS during cellular respiration.

 $(1 \times 8 = 8)$ 

# PART B Answer any 6 (2 marks each)

- 9. The peptide bond is a partial single bond and a partial double bond. Justify
- 10. What are the sources of allelochemicals in plants?
- 11. What are the practical applications of auxins?
- 12. Define aerobic respiration. State its significance.
- 13. Draw the structure of optically inactive amino acid.
- 14. Define transpiration and explain its types seen in plants?
- 15. Differentiate fluorescence from phosphorescence.
- 16. Differentiate between essential and non-essential amino acids.
- 17. Differentiate between fats and oils.
- 18. What are the effects of drought stress in plants?

 $(2 \times 6 = 12)$ 

# PART C Answer any 4 (5 marks each)

- 19. Explain the steps in Kreb's cycle.
- 20. Write a note on photosynthetic pigments.
- 21. Comment on models which explain enzyme-substrate complex formation.
- 22. Describe physiological roles of ABA in plants.
- 23. Explain the functions of fats.
- 24. Discuss the significance of transpiration.

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$ 

## PART D Answer any 2 (10 marks each)

- 25. Explain stomatal movement. Discuss the theories that explain stomatal opening and closure.
- 26. Briefly discuss the processes involved in the breakdown of glucose to yield ATP in plants?
- 27. Write an essay on classification of enzymes with examples.
- 28. Illustrate and explain photorespiration in plants. What is its significance?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$