# FIFTH SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2023

# Botany

# BOT 5B 07—ANGIOSPERM MORPHOLOGY AND SYSTEMATICS

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Two Hours and a Half

Maximum: 80 Marks

#### **Section A**

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

Ceiling: 20 Marks.

- 1. What is Thyrsus? Give one example.
- 2. Define author citation. Give an example.
- 3. Write notes on JNTBGRI.
- 4. Describe the contributions of van Rheede to the field of angiosperm taxonomy.
- 5. Write short notes on APG system of classification.
- 6. What is numerical taxonomy?
- 7. Enumerate the identifying features of Malvaceae.
- 8. What is meant by virtual herbarium?
- 9. Explain about Monographs.
- 10. Write botanical names of any four economically important plants of Liliaceae.
- 11. Explain the concept of valid publication.
- 12. What is Synandrium? Where can you find this?

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## **Section B**

Answer **all** questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

Ceiling: 30 Marks.

- 13. Differentiate natural system of classification from phylogenetic system with example.
- 14. What is Typification? Explain the various types used in plant nomenclature.
- 15. Give an account of the various types of cymose inflorescences found in angiosperms with examples.
- 16. Give an account on chemotaxonomy.
- 17. Describe the types of flowers based on symmetry, relative position and arrangement.
- 18. Write about the objectives and importance of systematics.
- 19. Enumerate the floral features of the family Orchidaceae with diagrams.

## **Section C**

Answer any **one** question. The question carries 10 marks.

- 20. Write about various types of fruits produced by angiosperms with reference to the placentation types observed in these. Also give suitable examples.
- 21. What are Herbaria? Explain the steps involved in the preparation and maintenance of herbarium. Add a note on Kew herbarium.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ marks})$