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(2013 and Earlier Admn.)

BOTANY

Paper B – 1 : Phycology, Lichenology and Bryology

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

**Instruction :** Draw diagrams wherever necessary.

I. Answer **any two** of the following :

(2x10=20)

- 1) Give an account of the range of thallus organisation in Chlorophyceae.
- 2) Write on the life cycle of Rhodophyceae with special reference to Polysiphonia.
- 3) Explain the structure and evolutionary trends in cyanophyceae.
- 4) Give the principles and modern trends in the classification of algae.

II. Answer **any one** of the following :

(1x10=10)

- 5) Write on the life history and phylogeny of Marchantiales.
- 6) Give an account of general life cycle and classification of lichens.

III. Answer **any three** of the following :

(3x5=15)

- 7) Ultrastructure of flagella.
- 8) Endosymbiotic theory of chloroplast evolution.
- 9) Fossil Bryophytes.
- 10) Bryophytes as pollution indicators.
- 11) Structure of Parmelia.

IV. Answer **any five** of the following :

(5x3=15)

- 12) Thallus of Caulerpa
- 13) Reproductive structure in Chara



- 14) Funaria – stem anatomy
- 15) Anthoceros thallus
- 16) Archesporium
- 17) Spirulina
- 18) Algal bloom
- 19) Soredia.

V. Answer **any five** of the following : (5x2=10)

- 20) Heterocyst
- 21) Trabeculae
- 22) Hold fast
- 23) Colonial algae
- 24) Elaters
- 25) Eviction
- 26) Foliose lichens
- 27) Gemma cup.