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CORE COURSE IN BOTANY/PLANT SCIENCE 3B03 BOT/PLS: Phycology, Mycology and Lichenology

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

SECTION - A

Answer all.

- 1. Sexual reproduction is absent in
 - a) Ascomycetes

- b) Basidiomycetes
- c) Deuteromycetes
- d) Myxomycetes
- 2. The black rust of wheat is caused by
 - a) Puccinia

b) Penicillium

c) Rhizopus

- d) Peziza
- 3. Alginic acid is found in the cell walls of
 - a) Cyanophyceae
- b) Chlorophyceae
- c) Phaeophyceae
- d) Rhodophyceae
- 4. Corona are structures associated with the sex organs of
 - a) Polysiphonia

b) Sargassum

c) Chara

d) Volvox

 $(4 \times 1 = 4)$

SECTION-B

Answer any eight.

- Describe the cell structure of Oedogonium.
- 6. Briefly describe the classification of lichens based on thallus morphology.

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- 7. Explain the pycnidial stage in Puccinia.
- 8. Differentiate between holocarpic and eucarpic fungi.
- 9. Give the economic importance of blue green algae.
- 10. Explain the classification of bacteria based on flagellation.
- 11. Discuss the role of sex pili in bacteria.
- 12. Explain the lysogenic cycle of a bacteriophage.
- 13. Write the various methods of asexual propagation present in Chlamydomonas.
- 14. Describe the branching pattern present in Cladophora.
- 15. Explain the sexual reproduction in Ulothrix.
- 16. Explain the Congrosira stage in Vaucheria.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$

SECTION-C

Answer any four.

- 17. Describe the various types of pigments present in different classes of algae.
- 18. What are the advanced features of Charales?
- 19. Explain the role of algae in soil fertility.
- 20. Describe the nannandrous type of sexual reproduction in Oedogonium.
- 21. What are the different nutritional types of bacteria?
- 22. Explain the asexual reproduction in Penicillium.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12)$

SECTION - D

Answer any one.

- 23. Discuss the economic significance of fungi.
- 24. With neat diagrams explain the reproductive methods noticed in Volvox.
- 25. Explain the various methods of reproduction seen in Vaucheria. (1×8=8)