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FACULTY OF SCIENCE

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BOTANY

Paper SBOTC-1453

(Plant Anatomy and Embryology of Angiosperms)

(Monday, 16-12-2024)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

Time—Three Hours

Maximum Marks—80

- Note :—* (i) Question No. **1** is compulsory.
(ii) Of the remaining, attempt any *three* questions.
(iii) Draw neat and well labelled diagrams wherever necessary.

1. Write brief notes on the following : 20
- (a) Cytological and molecular aspects of SAM.
 - (b) Leaf structure with reference to Kranz anatomy.
 - (c) Pollen wall
 - (d) Importance of palynology.

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2. Describe in detail :
- (a) Organization of RAM. 10
- (b) Primary and secondary growth in dicot stem. 10
3. Describe in detail :
- (a) Types and functions of secretory tissues. 10
- (b) Floral meristem and floral development in Arabidopsis. 10
4. Describe in detail :
- (a) Development of male gametophyte. 10
- (b) Types and functions of endosperms. 10
5. Describe in detail :
- (a) Role of Palynology in taxonomy. 10
- (b) Techniques of pollen analysis. 10
6. Write brief notes on the following : 20
- (a) Scope of histology
- (b) Phyllotaxy
- (c) Polyembryony
- (d) Pollen morphology.