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M.Sc. (IVth Semester) Examination, 2020

(Molecular Interactions of Plants with Symbionts, Pathogens and Pests)

Time Allowed: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Minimum Pass Marks: 28

Note: Attempt one question from each unit. All questions carry equal marks.

Unit - I

Q. 1. Describe positive interaction of biotic factor. 14

OR

Write notes on:

- (i) Biotic factors
- (ii) Negative interaction

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Unit - II

Q. 2. Describe fungal pathogenesis in plants.

OR

Describe plant-insect interaction mechanism.

Unit - III

Q. 3. Describe mycorrhizal interaction mechanism in plants.

OR

Write an essay on symbiosis.

Unit - IV

Q. 4. Describe recent advances in parasitic interactionbetween parasites and plants.14

OR

Write notes on:

- (i) Competition
- (ii) Predation

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(3)

Unit - V

Q. 5. Describe the role of pathogens and pests in plant

resistance management.

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Or

Write notes on:

- (i) Gene transformation
- (ii) Genetic engineering

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