Chapter-03

PLANT KINGDOM

VERY SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS (1 mark)

- **01.** What do you mean by Numerical Taxonomy?
- **02.** What are the features taken into consideration for chemotaxonomy?
- **03.** How algae reproduce vegetatively?
- **04.** How algae reproduce asexually?
- **05.** Name two species of algae that are used as food.
- **06.** Name two algae from which agar is prepared.
- **07.** Write down two species of algae that are used as food for space travellers.
- **08.** Name the pigment present in Chlorophyceae.
- **09.** Name the pigment present in Phaeophyceae.
- 10. Name the pigment present in Rhodophyceae.

SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS (2 marks)

- 11. Role of algae in the ecosystem and environment?
- **12.** What is carageen and how is it used commercially?
- **13.** What is algin and how is it used commercially?
- **14.** Write the economic importance of Agar.
- **15.** What is meant by the protonema stage?
- **16.** What is mycorrhiza? Give an example.
- 17. How gametes are developed in Bryophytes?

SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS (3 marks)

- **18.** State the thalloid structure of class Phaeophyceae.
- **19.** Differentiate between monocotyledon and dicotyledon.
- 20. Mention the two stages of mosses and briefly discuss them.
- **21.** State the types of reproduction in algae and discuss them briefly.
- **22.** Give a brief account of Bryophytes economic and environmental importance.
- 23. How pollen grains are formed in gymnosperms?

24. Explain the process of the development of archegonia in Riccia.

LONG ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS (5 marks)

- 25. What is the dominant phase of pteridophytes and how does it develope?
- **26.** Expand the term PEN and write its ploidy number. How it is formed?
- **27.** What do you mean by the alternation of a generation? Discuss different types of it with examples.

HOTS/MODEL QUESTIONS:

- **01.** Which gymnosperms provide each of the following?
 - (a) Taxol
- (b) canada balsam
- (c) Ephedrin
- (d) Sago
- **02.** What is meant by the haplo-diplontic life cycle?
- **03.** Explain pollination in gymnosperms.
- **04.** How would you differentiate diplontic and haplontic life cycle?
- **05.** What are coralloid roots? Where do you find them?
- **06.** Why Cycas is called a living fossil?
- **07.** Enlist xerophytic adaptations of gymnosperms.
- **08.** What do you mean by a precursor of seed habit?
- **09.** Name an alga that adopts a haplo-diplontic and diplontic life cycle.
- **10.** Why is a bryophyte called amphibian of the plant kingdom?
- 11. Both gymnosperms and angiosperms bear seeds. Still, they are classified separately. Justify.
- **12.** Expand PEC. What is its function?
- **13.** With the help of diagrams, explain the different parts of a bisexual flower.
- **14.** What are the disadvantages of an artificial system of classification?
- **15.** Discuss the differences between bryophytes and pteridophytes.
- **16.** Enlist the differences between Gymnosperm and pteridophytes.
- 17. With the help of a suitable diagram, explain 7-celled 8 nucleated embryo sac in angiosperm.
- **18.** Explain the nature of sporophylls in pteridophytes.

- **19.** How does an angiosperm support pollinator to carry out pollination in contrast to gymnosperm?
- **20.** What are pyrenoids?
- **21.** What are kelps?
- 22. What is the shape and structure of gametes in class Phaeophyceae?
- 23. What do you mean by floridean starch?
- **24.** Who are the Reptiles of the plant kingdom?
- **25.** Name the male and female sex organs of bryophytes.
- **26.** What is a sporophyte?
- **27.** How bryophytes can be used as fuel?
- **28.** Define the term microphyll and macrophyll.
- 29. What do you mean by strobilus?
- **30.** Write a note on the asexual reproduction of liverworts.
- 31. Define the term heterospory and how it helps the pteridophytes. Give two examples of it.
- **32.** What do you mean by pollination? How the male gametes enter into female gametophyte and how it fertilizes the female gametes?
- **33.** Discuss natural, artificial, and phylogenetic classification systems with examples.
- **34.** Explain the life cycle of angiosperms.