## STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086

(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2009 - 10)

#### **SUBJECT CODE: BT/AC/GB23**

#### B. Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2011 BRANCH VI(A) – ADVANCED ZOOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY SECOND SEMESTER

**COURSE**: ALLIED - CORE

PAPER : GENERAL BOTANY – II

TIME : 2½ HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100

#### SECTION - A

#### ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

#### I CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER: $(22 \times 1 = 22)$

- 1. O<sub>2</sub> evolved during photosynthesis is from
  - a) H<sub>2</sub>O
- b) CO<sub>2</sub>
- c) Carbohydrates
- 2. The common name for *Adiantum* is
  - a) Maiden hair fern
- b) Horse tail c) Club moss
- 3. The lower portion of the sporogonium of *Funaria* is called
  - a) Apophysis
- b) Columella c) Operculum
- 4. Tikka leaf spot is caused by
  - a) Cercopsora
- b) Fusarium c) Colletotrichum
- 5. Plant cell possess this ability to regenerate
  - a) Totipotency
- b) Callus
  - c) regeneration

#### II FILL IN THE BLANKS:

- **6**. Citrus canker is caused by -----
- 7. ----is present as a symbiont in coralloid root
- 8. Adiantum belongs to ----- group
- 9. The arrangement of bundles in *Cycas* rachis is----- shaped
- 10. Cytokinin induces -----
- 11. ----- helps in dispersal of spores in Funaria

#### III STATE WHETHER TRUE OR FALSE:

- 12. The ratio of volume of CO<sub>2</sub> released to the volume of O<sub>2</sub> absorbed during respiration is called Respiratory Quotient
- 13. Light reaction takes place in grana
- 14. Pollination in Cycas is effected by wind
- 15. Adiantum is an leptosporangiate fern
- 16. Funaria belongs to Gymnosperm
- 17. Tikka disease is caused by a bacteria

#### IV. MATCH THE FOLLOWING

18. Coralloid root - Totipotency
19. Krebs cycle - Protonema
20. Tissue culture - Apogeotrophic

21. Funaria - Fungi

22. Leaf spot - Citric acid pathway

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#### IV ANSWER ANY SIX, EACH WITH 50 WORDS:

 $(6 \times 3 = 18)$ 

- 23. ABA
- 24. Peristome
- 25. Coralloid root
- 26. Fungicide
- 27. Sori
- 28. Emasculation
- 29. Dormancy.
- 30. False indusium.
- 31. Callus.

#### SECTION - B

### ANSWER ANY 4 IN 300 WORDS. DRAW DIAGRAMS WHEREVER

NECESSARY  $(4 \times 10=40)$ 

- 32. Write an account on the physiological role of auxin.
- 33. Describe the sporophyte of *Funaraia*.
- 34. Describe the Gametophyte of *Adiantum*.
- 35. Explain the T.S of rachis of *Cycas*.
- 36. Give the symptomatology, causal organism and control measure of Tikka disease of Groundnut.
- 37. Explain hybridization technique.

#### **SECTION - C**

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