

The Kelkar Education Trust's

V G Vaze College of Arts, Science and Commerce

(Autonomous)

Syllabus for TYBSc.

(June 2020 Onwards)

Program: B.Sc.

Semester 5

Course Title: BOTANY

Course Code	Paper Title	Credit
SBO501	PLANT DIVERSITY V	2.5
SBO502	PLANT DIVERSITY VI	2.5
SBOP501	PRACTICALS (501 & 502)	3.0
SBO503	FORM AND FUNCTIONS-III	2.5
SBO504	CURRENT TRENDS IN PLANT SCIENCES – III	2.5
SBOP502	PRACTICALS (503 & 504)	3.0

1. Syllabus as per Choice Based Credit System i) Name of the Programme	:	B. Sc (BOTANY)
ii) Course Code	:	SBO501
iii) Course Title	:	PLANT DIVERSITY-III
iv) Semester wise Course Contents	:	Copy of the syllabus Enclosed
v) References and additional references	:	Enclosed in the Syllabus
vi) Credit structure	:	
No. of Credits per Semester	:	2.5 + 1.5 = 04
vii) No. of lectures per Unit	:	15
viii) No. of lectures per week	:	04
ix) No. of Practicals per week	:	01 (per batch of 25 students)
2.Scheme of marking		60 Marks External assessment 40 Marks Internal Assessment
3.Special notes, if any		No
4. Eligibility, if any		As laid down in the College Admission brochure / website
5.Fee structure		As per College Fee Structure specifications
6. Soecial Ordinance/Resolutions, if any		No

Programme: T.Y.B.Sc Course PLANT DIVERSITY – V

Semester: V Course Code : SBO501

	Teaching Scheme (Hrs/Week)		Cont	Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 40 marks			End Semester Examination	Total		
L	Т	Р	C	CIA- 1	CIA- 2	CIA- 3	CIA -4	Lab	Written	
4	-	1	2.5	15	15	10		-	60	100
Max	Max. Time, End Semester Exam (Theory) -2Hrs.									

Course Objectives

1. To recognize and identify major groups of non-vascular plants.

2. To understand the phylogeny of nonvascular plants and study of their classification.

3. To explore the morphological, anatomical, embryological details as well as the economic importance of viruses, bacteria, algae and fungi.

		Course Content	
Unit No.	Module No.	Content	Lectures
1		 Microbiology Types of Microbes: Viruses, Bacteria, Algae, Fungi, Protozoa, Mycoplasma and Actinomycetes. Culturing: Sterilization, media, staining, colony characters Pure cultures 	15
2		 Algae (G.M. Smith Classification System to be followed) Division Rhodophyta: Classification and General Characters: Distribution, Cell structure, pigments, reserve food, range of thallus, reproduction: asexual and sexual, Alternation of Generations, Economic Importance. Structure, life cycle and systematic position of <i>Polysiphonia</i>, <i>Batrachospermum</i>. Division Chrysophyta: Classification and General Characters : Distribution, Cell structure, pigments, reserve food, range of thallus, Reproduction: asexual and sexual, Alternation of Generations, Economic Importance. Structure, life cycle and systematic position of <i>Vaucheria</i>. 	15

	• Structure, life cycle and systematic position of <i>Pinnularia</i> .	
3	 Fungi (G.M. Smith Classification System to be followed) Basidiomycetes: Classification and General characters Life cycle of Agaricus Life cycle of Puccinia Deuteromycetae: Classification and General Characters Life cycle of Alternaria 	15
4	 Plant Pathology Study of plant diseases: Causative organism, symptoms, predisposing factors, disease cycle and control measures of the following. White Rust -<i>Albugo candida</i> Tikka disease of ground nut: <i>Cercospora</i> Little Leaf of brinjal - <i>Mycoplasma</i> Citrus canker -<i>Xanthomonas axonopodis</i> pv. <i>citri</i> Leaf curl - leaf curl virus in Papaya. 	15
	Total No. of Lectures	60

1. Syllabus as per Choice Based Credit System

i) Name of the Programme	:	B. Sc (BOTANY)
ii) Course Code	:	SBO502
iii) Course Title	:	PLANT DIVERSITY-VI
iv) Semester wise Course Contents	:	Copy of the syllabus Enclosed
v) References and additional references	:	Enclosed in the Syllabus
vi) Credit structure	:	
No. of Credits per Semester	:	2.5 + 1.5 = 04
vii) No. of lectures per Unit	:	15
viii) No. of lectures per week	:	04
ix) No. of Practicals per week	:	02 (per batch of 25 students)
2.Scheme of marking		60 Marks External assessment 40 MarksInternal Assessment
3.Special notes, if any		No
4.Eligibility, if any		As laid down in the College Admission brochure / website
5.Fee structure		As per College Fee Structure specifications
6.Soecial Ordinance/Resolutions, if any		No

Programme: T.Y.B.Sc Course PLANT DIVERSITY – VI Semester: VI Course Code : SBO502

	Sc	achi hen s/W	0	Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 40 marks			End Semester Examination	Total		
L	Т	Р	С	CIA- 1	CIA- 2	CIA- 3	CIA -4	Lab	Written	
4	-	1	2.5	15	15	10		-	60	100
Max	Max. Time, End Semester Exam (Theory) -2Hrs.									

Course Objectives
1. To recognize and identify major groups of vascular plants.
2. To understand the phylogeny of vascular plants and study of their classification.

3. To explore the morphological, anatomical, embryological details as well as the economic importance of bryophytes, pteridophytes, and gymnosperms.

		Course Content	
Unit No.	Module No.	Content	Lectures
1		 Paleobotany Lepidodendron- All form genera root, stem, bark, leaf, male and female fructification. Lyginopteris- All form genera root, stem, leaf, male and female fructification. Pentoxylon- All form genera. Contribution of Birbal Sahni, Birbal Sahni Institute of Paleobotany, Lucknow 	15
2		 Angiosperms I Complete classification of Bentham and Hooker (only for prescribed families), Merits and demerits Bentham and Hooker's system of classification for flowering plants up to family with respect to the following prescribed families and economic and medicinal importance for members of the families. (Special stress on fruit morphology to be given) Capparidaceae Mimusoideae 	15

	3. Umbelliferae	
	4. Rubiaceae	
	5. <mark>Scrophulariceae</mark>	
	6. Commelinaceae	
	Anatomy I	
3	 Anomalous secondary growth in the Stems of <i>Bignonia</i>, <i>Salvadora</i>, <i>Achyranthes</i>, <i>Dracaena</i>. Storage roots of Beet, Radish Root stem transition Types of Stomata– Anomocytic, Anisocytic, Diacytic, Paracytic, and Graminaceous 	15
	Palynology	
	Pollen Morphology	15
	Pollen viability-storage	
	Germination and growth of pollen	
4	• Application of Palynology in honey industry, coal and oil exploration, forensic science	
	Total No. of Lectures	60

SBO	P501 PRACTICAL –I AND II	
PRAC	TICAL-I PLANT DIVERSITY V	Credits 1.5
Sr. No.	Description	
1	 Microbiology Study of aeromicrobiota by petriplate exposed method: Fungal culture, B culture. Determination of Minimum Inhibitory Concentration (MIC) of sucrose a microorganism. Study of antimicrobial activity by the disc diffusion method. 	
2.	Algae (G.M. Smith Classification System to be followed) • Polysiphonia • Batrachospermum • Vaucheria • Pinnularia	
3.	 Fungi (G.M. Smith Classification System to be followed) Study of stages in the life cycle of the following Fungi from fresh / preserve permanent slides Agaricus Puccinia Alternaria 	ved material and
4.	Plant Pathology Study of the following fungal diseases: • White rust in Cruciferae (Brassicaceae) • Tikka disease in Groundnut • Little leaf of brinjal • Citrus canker • Leaf curl in Papaya Leaf	

SBOP	501 PRACTICAL –I AND II
PRAC	TICAL-II PLANT DIVERSITY VI Credits 1.5
Sr. No.	Description
1	Paleobotany
	Study of the following form genera with the help of permanent slides/ photomicrographs.
	Lepidodendron
	• Lyginopteris
	Pentoxylon
2	Angiosperms I
	• Study of one plant from each of the following Angiosperm families as per Bentham and
	Hooker's system of classification.
	Capparidaceae
	• Mimusoideae
	• Umbelliferae
	• Cucurbitaceae
	Rubiaceae
	• Scrophulariaceae
	 Commelinaceae Mombalagiaal papuliarities and according importance of the members of the shows
	• Morphological peculiarities and economic importance of the members of the above- mentioned Angiosperm families
	• Identifying the genus and species of a plant with the help of flora
2	Anatomy I
-	• Study of anomalous secondary growth in the stems of the following plants using double
	staining technique.
	1) Bignonia
	2) Salvadora
	3) Achyranthes
	4) Dracaena
	• Study of anomalous secondary growth in the roots of 1) Beet 2) Radish
	• Types of Stomata
	1) Anomocytic
	2) Anisocytic
	3) Diacytic4) Paracytic
	5) Graminaceous
3	Palynology I
5	• Study of pollen morphology (NPC Analysis) of the following by Chitale's Method
	1) Hibiscus
	2) Datura
	3) Ocimum
	4) Crinum

5) Pancratium
6) Canna
Determination of pollen viability
• Pollen analysis from honey sample – unifloral and multifloral honey
• Effect of varying concentration of sucrose on In vitro Pollen germination

1. Syllabus as per Choice Based Credit System		
i) Name of the Programme	:	B. Sc (BOTANY)
ii) Course Code	:	SBO503
iii) Course Title	:	FORM AND FUNCTIONS-III
iv) Semester wise Course Contents	:	Copy of the syllabus Enclosed
v) References and additional references	:	Enclosed in the Syllabus
vi) Credit structure	:	
No. of Credits per Semester	:	2.5 + 1.5 = 04
vii) No. of lectures per Unit	:	15
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6. Soecial Ordinance/Resolutions, if any		No

Programme: T.Y.B.Sc Course FORM AND FUNCTIONS- III

Semester: V Course Code : SBO503

	Feaching Scheme (Hrs/Week)Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 40 marks				End Semester Examination	Total				
L	Т	Р	С	CIA- 1	CIA- 2	CIA- 3	CIA -4	Lab	Written	
4	-	1	2.5	20	15	05		-	60	100
Max. Time, End Semester Exam (Theory) -2Hrs.										

Course Objectives

1.To acquire knowledge about two important organelles and molecular mechanisms of translation

2.To understand water relations of plants, inorganic and organic solute transport, and apply the knowledge to manage mineral nutrition and survival in challenging abiotic stresses

3.To understand succession in plant communities and study remediation technologies in order to apply knowledge acquired for cleanup of polluted sites.

4. To get exposure to principles and techniques of plant tissue culture and apply these studies for improving agriculture and horticulture and to become an entrepreneur.

		Course Content	
Unit No.	Module No.	Content	Lectures
1		 Cytology and Molecular Biology Ultra structure and function of nucleus Structure and function of vacuole Structure and function of giant chromosomes The genetic code: Characteristics of the genetic code Translation in Prokaryotes and Eukaryotes. 	15
2		 Plant Physiology I Water relations: Concept of water potential and factors affecting water potential, osmosis, transpiration, inhibition (root pressure and guttation) Translocation of solutes: Composition of phloem sap, girdling experiment. Pressure flow model (Munch's hypothesis): Phloem loading and unloading, anatomy of sieve tube elements and mechanisms of sieve tube translocation. Mineral Nutrition: Role of Macro and Micro nutrients, physiological functions and deficiency symptoms. 	15
3		 Environmental Botany Bioremediation: Principles, factors responsible and microbial population in bioremediation. Phytoremediation: Types (Phytoextraction, Rhizofiltration, Phytostabilization, Phytodegradation, Phytovolatilization) Metals, Organic pollutants Plant succession: Hydrosere and Xerosere – Formation of Barren Space, Succession on the Land Citing Different Seres leading up to the Climax, Succession in Water, Ecesis, Poly and Mono-climax theories. 	15
4		 Plant Tissue Culture Aspects of Micro-propagation with reference to Banana cultivation Plant cell suspension cultures for the production of secondary metabolites: With special reference to Shikonin production. Somatic Embryogenesis and Artificial Seeds. Protoplast Fusion and Somatic Hybridization: i) Concept, Definition and various methods of Protoplast Fusion ii) Applications of Somatic Hybridization in Agriculture 	15
		Total No. of Lectures	60

1. Syllabus as per Choice Based Credit System

i) Name of the Programme	: B.Sc (BOTANY)
ii) Course Code	: SBO504
iii) Course Title	CURRENT TRENDS IN PLANT : SCIENCES – III
iv) Semester wise Course Contents	: Copy of the syllabus Enclosed
v) References and additional references	: Enclosed in the Syllabus
vi) Credit structure	:
No. of Credits per Semester	: $2.5 + 1.5 = 04$
vii) No. of lectures per Unit	: 15
viii) No. of lectures per week	: 04
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3.Special notes, if any	No
4. Eligibility, if any	As laid down in the College Admission brochure / website
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6.Soecial Ordinance/Resolutions, if any	No

Programme: T. Y. B. Sc Course CURRENT TRENDS IN PLANT SCIENCES – III

Semester: V Course Code : SBO504

Teaching Scheme (Hrs/Week)			ne	Cont	Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 40 marks				End Semester Examination	Total
L	Т	Р	С	CIA- 1	CIA- 2	CIA- 3	CIA -4	Lab	Written	
4	-	1	2.5	20	15	05		-	60	100
Ma	Max. Time, End Semester Exam (Theory) -2Hrs.									

Course Objectives

- 1.To learn Ethnobotanical principles, applications and utilize indigenous plant knowledge for the cure of common human diseases and improvement of agriculture.
- 2. To get exposure to the technique of mushroom cultivation and explore the possibility of entrepreneurship in the same.
- 3.To gain knowledge about the latest molecular biology techniques for isolation and Characterization of genes.
- 4. To learn principles and application of commonly used techniques in instrumentation
- 5.To gain proficiency in the monograph study and pharmacognostic analysis of six medicinal plants.

		Course Content	
Unit No.	Module No.	Content	Lectures
1		 Ethnobotany and Mushroom Industry Ethnobotany- Definition, history, sources of data and methods of study, Contribution of S.K.Jain in the field of Ethnobotnay Applications of ethnobotany: Ethno-medicines. Agriculture. Edible plants. Traditional medicines used by tribals in Maharashtra towards Skin ailments: <i>Rubia cordfolia, Sandalwood</i> Liver ailments: <i>Phyllanthus, Andrographis</i> Wound healing and ageing: <i>Centella, Typha, Terminalia, Tridax.</i> 	15

	Total No. of Lectures	60
4	sources, geographical distribution, common varieties, macro and microscopic characters, chemical constituents, therapeutic uses, adulterants- <i>Strychnos</i> seeds, <i>Senna</i> leaves, Clove buds, <i>Allium sativum</i> , <i>Acorus calamus</i> and <i>Curcuma</i> <i>longa</i>	
	 Pharmacognosy and Medicinal Botany Monographs of drugs with reference to biological 	15
	Chromatography: General account of Column chromatography. Principle and bedding material involved in adsorption and partition chromatography, ion exchange chromatography, molecular sieve chromatography.	
3	 Instrumentation Colorimetry and Spectrophotometry (Visible, UV and IR) – Instrumentation, working, principle and applications. 	15
2	 Plant Biotechnology I Construction of genomic DNA libraries, Chromosome libraries and c- DNA libraries. Identification of specific cloned sequences in c-DNA libraries and Genomic libraries Analysis of genes and gene transcripts –Restriction enzyme, analysis of cloned DNA sequences. Hybridization (Southern Hybridization). 	15
	 4. Fever: <i>Vitex negundo, Tinospora cordifolia</i> leaves 5. Diabetes: <i>Momordica charantia, Syzygium cuminii</i> Mushroom industry: Detail general account of production of mushrooms with respect to methods of Composting, spawning, casing, harvesting of mushroom. Cultivation of <i>Pleurotus, Agaricus, Volvariella</i> mushroom. General account of mushrooms: Nutritional value, picking and packaging, economic importance 	

PRAC	CTICAL-IIIFORM AND FUNCTION IIICredits 1.5
Sr. No.	Description
1	Cytology and Molecular Biology
	 Mounting of Giant chromosomes from <i>Chironomous</i> larva
	• Smear preparation from <i>Tradescantia</i> buds
	• Predicting the sequence of amino acids in the polypeptide chain that will be formed
	following translation(Eukaryotic)
2	Plant Physiology I
	• Estimation of Phosphate phosphorus (Plant acid extract)
	• Estimation of Iron (Plant acid extract)
	(Note: Preparation of a standard graph and determination of the multiplication factor for
	Phosphate / Iron estimation using a given standard phosphate / Standard Iron solution should
	be done in regular practical as this will also be put as a question in practical exam)
3	Environmental Botany
	• Estimation of the following in given water sample
	1. Dissolved oxygen demand
	2. Biological oxygen demand
	 Hardness Salinity and Chlorinity
4	4. Salinity and Chlorinity Micropropogation
4	 Plant Tissue culture:
	• Preparation of stock solutions for preparation of MS medium
	(Note: Concept of preparation of specified molar solutions should be taught and problems based on preparation of stock solutions for tissue culture media will be given).

SBOI	P501 PRACTICAL –III AND IV
PRAC	TICAL-IV CURRENT TRENDS IN PLANT SCIENCES II Credits 1.5
Sr. No.	Description
1	Ethnobotany and mushroom industry
	• Study of plants mentioned in theory for Ethnobotany
	Mushroom cultivation (To be demonstrated)
	• Identification of various stages involved in mushroom cultivation – spawn, pin head stage, mature/ harvest stage of <i>Agaricus, Pleurotus, Volvariella</i>
2	Biotechnology I
	• Growth curve of <i>E. coli</i>
	 Plasmid DNA isolation and Separation of DNA using AGE
	Restriction mapping (problems), Southern blotting
3.	Instrumentation
	 Demonstration of Beer Lambert's Law
	 Experiment based on Ion exchange chromatography for demonstration
	• Experiments based on separation of dyes/plant pigments using gel column
	chromatography.
4.	Pharmacognosy
	Macroscopic / Microscopic characters and Chemical tests for active
	constituents of the following plants.
	• Allium sativum
	Acorus calamus
	Curcuma longa Sama anovatifalia
	Senna angustifolia
	Strychnos nux-vomica Eventing componential at a
	Eugenia caryophyllata

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