

**B.Sc I (SEM I)**  
**1S – BOTANY**  
**Diversity & Applications of Microbes and Cryptogams**

**UNIT-I: Plant Diversity (15)**

- 1.1 Cyanobacteria and its impact on origin of life
- 1.2 Introduction to Plant Kingdom: Cryptogams
- 1.3 Diversity of plants with respect to habitat, form, nutrition and ecological status
- 1.4 General Account of Viruses and structure of TMV and HIV
- 1.5 Bacteria: structure, Nutrition and reproduction
- 1.6 Role of microbes in Agriculture, Medicine and Industries

**UNIT-II: Algae (15)**

- 2.1. Classification according to F. E. Fritsch and G. M. Smith up to classes
- 2.2. General characters of algae with reference to Habitat, Thallus organization, Pigmentation, Reserve food and Reproduction
- 2.3. General characters of following classes with special reference to examples mentioned –
  - 2.3.1. Chlorophyta - Oedogonium
  - 2.3.2. Charophyta – Chara (Thallus structure and reproduction)
  - 2.3.3. Phaeophyta – Sargassum (Thallus structure and reproduction)
  - 2.3.4. Rhodophyta – Batrachospermum

**UNIT-III : Fungi (15)**

- 3.1. Classification according to Ainsworth (1973)
- 3.2. General characteristics of following classes with special reference to examples mentioned –
  - 3.2.1. Mastigomycotina : Albugo (Cystopus)
  - 3.2.2. Ascomycotina : Aspergillus
  - 3.2.3. Basidiomycotina : Puccinia graminis-tritici
  - 3.2.4. Deuteromycotina : General characters
- 3.3 Lichen-Types & Economic importance

**Unit-IV : Bryophyte (15)**

- 4.1. Classification according to G. M. Smith
- 4.2. General characters, thallus organization and life cycle of-

- 1.2.1. Hepaticopsida – Marchantia
- 1.2.2. Bryopsida – Funaria
- 4.3. Evolution of sporophyte in bryophytes
- 4.4. Affinities of bryophytes with algae and pteridophytes
- 4.5. Brief Account on some Indian Bryologist.

#### **Unit-V : Pteridophyte (15)**

- 5.1. Pteridophytes as First Vascular Plants.
- 5.2. Classification according to G. M. Smith
- 5.3. General characters of the following classes with special reference to examples mentioned –
  - 5.3.1. Sphenopsida – Equisetum
  - 5.3.2. Filicopsida – Marsilea
- 5.4. Stele types in pteridophytes
- 5.5 Heterospory and Seed Habit in Pteridophytes

#### **Unit-VI : Application of Microbes Cryptogams (15)**

- 6.1. Economic Importance of Algae with special reference to Food, Industries, Agriculture and Harmful aspects
- 6.2. Mycorrhiza – Types and Application
- 6.3. Role of Fungi in Industries, Medicine, Food & Agriculture
- 6.4. Plant Diseases –
  - 6.4.1. Viral – TMV
  - 6.4.2. Bacteria – Black arm of cotton  
(*Xanthomonos malvacearum*)
  - 6.4.3. Fungal – Tikka disease of groundnut  
(*Cercospora* sps.)
- 6.5. Economical and Ecological Importance of Bryophytes

#### **LABORATORY EXERCISE:**

##### **I. ALGAE**

Preparation of temporary mount, identification with reason of following algal materials edogonium,  
*Hydrodictyon, Chara, Vaucheria, Ectocarpus, Sargassum,*  
*Batrachospermum*

##### **II. FUNGI AND PLANT PATHOLOGY**

- (1) Study of following genera  
*Albugo, Uncinula, Penicillium, Agaricus, Puccinia,*  
*Cercospora*
- (2) Study of Crustose, Fruticose & Foliose Lichen

- (3) Study of symptoms of fungal, viral, bacterial and Mycoplasmal diseases
- (4) Collection of fungal specimen & infected plant part from local region
- (6) Demonstration of Mushroom Cultivation Technology

### **III. BRYOPHYTES**

Study of external and anatomy features of vegetative and reproductive parts of following genera – Marchantia, Anthoceros, Funaria, Polytrichum and Sphagnum

### **IV. PTERIDOPHYTES**

Study of Pteridophyte external and anatomy features of vegetative and reproductive parts of following genera –Lycopodium, Equisetum, Osmunda, Selaginella, Adiantum, Marsilea and any one fossil Specimen

**Note:** 1. Omit the details of development of sex organs and sporophyte.  
 2. Botanical excursion (Two local and one outside the state is compulsory)  
 3. Common algal, fugal, pathological, bryophytic and pteridophytic collection and excursion report must be submitted at the time of practical examination.

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**B. Sc. I: Semester – I**

**Practical Schedule**

**Time: 4 hours Marks: 50**

Q1: Temporary mount and identification of given algal form  
(Any two) 10

Q2: Temporary mount and identification of given fungal form  
(Any two) 10

Q3: Salient features and identification of bryophytic material 05

Q4: Salient features and identification of pteridophytic material 05

Q5: Spotting (Algae, Fungi, Bryophyte, Pteridophyte, Pathology) 10

Q6: Viva-voce and Practical Record 05

Q7: Excursion Report 05