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NAAC REACCREDITED - 'A' GRADE

SIES College of Arts, Science and Commerce (Autonomous) Sion (West) Mumbai: 400022

Affiliated to Mumbai University Syllabus under NEP effective from June 2024 Offered by: Department of Botany

Program: S. Y. B.Sc. Course: Botany (DSC) Minor

Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) with effect from the academic year 2024-25

	SYUGP Credit Structure break-up from 2023-24 (Across All courses)									
Level	Se				OE	VSC	VEC	OJT, FP, RP, CEP		Degree/
	m	Major	Elect	Minor		SEC	VEC	CC		Cum Cr
5	Sem 3	(3T+1P) + (3T+1P)	0	(3T+1P)	2	VSC Major/ Minor	2	FP/CEP 2 (Sci) & CC 2	22	88 UC
5 (2024-25)	Sem 4	(3T+1P) + (3T+1P)	0	(3T+1P)	2	SEC Major/ Minor	2	FP/CEP 2 (Art/Com) & CC 2	22	88 UG Diploma

PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES (PSOs)

After completing the graduation (B. Sc.) course in Botany, the learners would be able to:

- PSO1: Identify the different groups of plants and gain knowledge about plant biodiversity and its conservation.
- PSO2: Learn different techniques, protocols, methodologies during study and apply them in future.
- PSO3: Utilize botanical knowledge for problem solving and for taking real time decisions while working with plants.
- PSO4: Learn good laboratory practices and acquire research skills required for industrial support services.
- PSO5: Inculcate scientific temperament, good reasoning power, technological and analytical skills while designing the experiments.
- PSO6: Develop interest in pursuing higher studies in plant sciences and allied fields to develop a better future.
- > **PSO7:** Understand the scope, current trends, job prospects and career avenues in Botany.
- PSO8: Share social and environmental consciousness with fellow citizens and motivate them towards taking fundamental steps towards environmental conservation.

PREAMBLE

Keeping in tune with the revised autonomous syllabus of F. Y. B. Sc. the committee has taken utmost care to maintain the continuity in the flow of information of higher level at S. Y. B. Sc. Hence some of the modules of the existing S. Y. B. Sc. syllabus have been upgraded with the new modules as per the guidelines of NEP, to make the learners aware about the recent developments in various branches of Botany (like Cytogenetics, Plant physiology and Biochemistry, Ecology and Environmental Botany, Medicinal Botany, Plant biotechnology, Industrial Botany, etc.). Various interdisciplinary courses such as Biotechnology & Bioinstrumentation are also introduced to keep the students on par with the updated tools and techniques.

One paper of theory and one practical each (Semester - III & Semester - IV) are compulsory for the students.

Each theory period shall be 60 minutes in duration. The theory component shall have 48 instructional periods per semester. Each practical will be 2 periods of 60 minutes each.

S. Y. B. Sc. Botany Syllabus Under NEP To be implemented from the Academic year 2024-2025

Minor subject: 1 SEM – III SECOND YEAR BSc (BOTANY MINOR) (Credits: 4)

Theory: Paper I –Functional Botany III				
Paper Code	Unit No.	Unit Name	Credits	Lectures/week
SIUBOMN211	SIUBOMN211 1 Ecology and Phytogeography		03	01
	2	Plant Physiology: Photosynthesis		01
		and Respiration		
	3	Pharmacognosy & Phytochemistry		01
Practical I – Functional Botany III				
SIUBOMNP211	Based on Sl	UBOMN211(Practical I)	01	02

Semester III Functional Botany III (4Cr) (Minor)	Hr45
Course code: SIUBOMN211	Cr.03
Paper II - Functional Botany III	
LEARNING OBJECTIVES: The course, Functional Botany III, comprises units on Ecology and Phytogeography, Plant physiology and Pharmacognosy & Phytochemistry. The course would create awareness about basic concepts in ecology, phytogeography, and their significance. The course will aid students in understanding the basic mechanism of photosynthesis, respiration, and photorespiration in plants. The course would introduce different allied branches of medicine and also enhance students' understanding of traditional medicines in grandma's pouch, secondary metabolites, psychoactive drugs, and adulteration in medicinal drugs.	
COURSE OUTCOMES:	
After completion of the course, learners will be able to understand:	
CO1: The different types of energy pyramids and the process of energy flow in	
an ecosystem.	
CO2: The ecological adaptations observed in plants in response to the surrounding	
environment.	
CO3: Phytogeographical regions of India and scope of phytogeography.	
CO4: Basic process of photosynthesis in plants.	
CO5: Various processes related to respiration and photorespiration.	

	CO5: Allied systems of medicine.	
	CO6: Traditional use of plants from Grandma's pouch.	
	CO7: Various secondary metabolites produced in plants and their role.	
	CO8: Psychoactive drugs from plants.	
	CO9: Adulterations in medicinal drugs.	
	NIT I – Ecology and Phytogeography	15
1	Energy pyramids, Energy flow in an ecosystem. (04)	
2	Ecological adaptations in plants. (04)	
3	Phytogeography – Introduction, scope, significance. (03)	
4	Phytogeographical regions of India. (04)	
U	NIT II – Plant physiology	15
1	Photosynthesis: Introduction and significance, site of photosynthesis,	
	photosynthetic pigments – nature and functions, role of light, absorption and	
	action spectrum, photosynthetic unit, photoluminescence, Emerson's effect,	
	photosystems, Factors affecting photosynthesis. (04)	
2	Light reaction – Photolysis of water, photophosphorylation: Cyclic, noncyclic,	
	chemiosmotic pathway. (03)	
3	Dark reaction- C ₃ cycle, C ₄ cycle & CAM. (03)	
4	Respiration: Aerobic: Glycolysis, TCA Cycle, ETS & Energetics of respiration;	
	Anaerobic respiration (04)	
5	Photorespiration (01)	
U	NIT III – Pharmacognosy & Phytochemistry	15
1	Traditional and alternative systems of medicine- Ayurveda, Siddha, Unani and	
	homoeopathy (03)	
2	Botanical source, Active constituents, and Medicinal uses of some medicinal	
	plants from Grandma's pouch – Zingiber officinalis, Mentha piperita, Piper	
	nigrum, Ocimum sanctum, Adhatoda vasica. (02)	
3	Study of secondary metabolites w.r.t chemical properties, occurrence,	
	examples, and therapeutic uses – alkaloids, glycosides, volatile oils, tannins.	
	(04)	
4	Psychoactive drugs from plant sources and their effects. (02)	
5	Adulteration and Substitution of medicinal drugs – Reasons & types.	
	Adulteration of Saraca asoca with Polyalthia longifolia; Glycyrrhiza glabra with	
	Abrus precatorius; Bacopa monnieri with Centella asiatica. (04)	
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	REFERENCE BOOKS: Course Title: Functional Botany III		
Unit I:	Ecology and Phytogeography		
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- Trease and Evans. (2009). Pharmacognosy (16th ed.). W. B. Saunders Co. Ltd., London.
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	Semester III (Minor)	Hr 20
	Course code: SIUBOMNP211	Cr. 1
	Practical Paper II – Functional Botany III	
1	Estimation of primary productivity by harvest method.	
2	Estimation of primary productivity by chlorophyll method.	
3	Identification of plants adapted to different environmental conditions:	
	Hydrophytes: Free floating (<i>Pistia</i> / <i>Eichhornia</i>); Rooted floating (<i>Nymphaea</i>);	
	Submerged (<i>Hydrilla</i>), Mesophytes (any common plant); Hygrophytes	
	(Typha/Cyperus), Xerophytes: Succulent (Opuntia); Woody Xerophyte (Nerium);	
	Halophyte (<i>Avicennia</i> pneumatophore).	
4	Study of phytogeographical regions of India.	
5	Estimation of the amount of chlorophyll present in the leaf tissue	
6	Separation of photosynthetic pigments by paper chromatography.	
7	Q10 – germinating seeds using Phenol red indicator.	
8	Study of an absorption spectrum of chlorophyll.	
9	Macroscopic and microscopic study to analyze the Adulteration of Saraca asoca	
	with Polyalthia longifolia; Glycyrrhiza glabra with Abrus precatorius; Bacopa	
	monnieri with Centella asiatica.	
10	Test for alkaloids, glycosides, saponins, and phenolics.	1
11	Identification of medicinal plants from Grandma's pouch - Zingiber officinalis,	1
	Mentha piperita, Piper nigrum, Ocimum sanctum, Adhatoda vasica.	

Minor subject: 2 SEM – IV SECOND YEAR BSc (BOTANY Minor) (Credits: 4)

Theory: Paper I	Theory: Paper II –Functional Botany IV				
Paper Code	Unit No.	Unit Name	Credits	Lectures/week	
SIUBOMN221	UBOMN2211Cell biology & Cytogenetics03		03	01	
	2	Plant biotechnology		01	
	3	Industry based on plant products		01	
Practical I – Fur	ctional Bota	any IV			
SIUBOMNP22	Based on SIUBOMN221(Practical II)		01	02	
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Semester IV Functional Botany IV (4Cr) (Minor)	Hr45
Course code: SIUBOMN221	Cr.03
Paper II - Functional Botany IV	
LEARNING OBJECTIVES: The course Functional Botany IV comprises of the units	
Cell Biology and Cytogenetics, Plant Biotechnology and Industry based on plant	
products. The course would allow the students to explore the ultrastructure and functions	
of various cell organelles. It would encourage students to learn concepts related to cell	
division as well as types of nucleic acids. It would make students understand the	
structures, causes and effects of chromosomal aberrations, sex determination, maternal	
effects with their examples. It would make students understand the applications of plant	
tissue culture and R-DNA technology. It would also highlight the applications of	
protoplast fusion and somatic hybridization in agriculture. It would enhance students'	
understanding of the economic and commercial value of botanical products as well as	
understanding of the industrial relevance of botanicals with respect to current demands	
of industry. It would teach them about the role of industrial enzymes and the process of	
biofuel production.	
COURSE OUTCOMES:	
After completion of the course, learners would be able to understand:	
CO1: Ultrastructure and functions of cell organelles.	
CO2: The process of Cell Division and its significance.	
CO3: Ultrastructure of Interphase Nucleus. Types, structure, and functions of	
Nucleic Acid.	
CO4: The Cytological and Genetic Effects Chromosomal Aberrations.	

	CO5: Basic concepts of Sex determination, Sex linked, and sex influenced- sex	
	limited traits.	
	CO6: Learning the fundamentals of Extranuclear Genetics.	
	CO7: Various sterilization techniques, seed sterilization & techniques in plant tissue	
	culture.	
	CO8: Basic concepts of gene cloning.	
	CO9: Study of somatic embryogenesis and somatic hybridization along with their	
	applications in agriculture.	
	CO10: The concept of aromatherapy & nutraceuticals.	
	CO11: Basic concepts and economic importance of plant-based beverages, plant	
	enzyme industry and biofuels.	
CO	D12: Study of plants as sources of rubber, paper and fibres.	
UN	NT I – Cell biology and Cytogenetics	15
1	Nucleic Acids: Types, structure and functions of DNA and RNA. (02)	
2	Cell division Meiosis and its significance. (02)	
3	Variation in Chromosome Structure (Chromosomal Aberrations):	
	Definition, origin, cytological and genetic effects of the following: Deletions,	
	Duplications, Inversions and Translocations. (04)	
4	Sex Determination, Sex Linked and Sex Influenced - Sex Limited Traits:	
	Sex determination: Chromosomal Methods: heterogametic males and	
	heterogametic females. Sex determination in monoecious and dioecious plants.	
	Genic Balance theory of sex determination in <i>Drosophila</i> , Lyon's Hypothesis of	
	X chromosome inactivation. (04)	
5	Sex Linked: Eye colour in <i>Drosophila</i> , Haemophilia, Colour blindness (01)	
6	Sex Influenced - Sex Limited Traits: Baldness in man (01)	
7	Extranuclear Genetics: Organelle heredity: Chloroplast determined heredity -	
	Plastid transmission in plants, Streptomycin resistance in <i>Chlamydomonas</i> .	
	Male sterility in maize (01)	
- 1	NIT II – Plant Biotechnology	15
1	r-DNA technology: (4)	
	Gene cloning	
	 Enzymes involved in Gene cloning. 	
	Vectors used for Gene cloning.	
2	Introduction to plant tissue culture: (5)	
	 Laboratory organization and techniques in plant tissue culture 	
	Totipotency	

	 Organogenesis 		
	 Organ culture – root cultures, meristem cultures, anther and 		
	pollen culture, embryo culture.		
3	Somatic embryogenesis and artificial seeds: Concept, definition, various		
	methods, and applications. (3)		
4	Protoplast isolation, various methods of protoplast fusion, somatic		
	hybridization, and its applications in agriculture. (3)		
UN	NIT III – Industry based on plant products	15	
1	Aromatherapy oils concerning botanical source, extraction, properties and		
	applications: Ylang-ylang, Rose, Vetiver, Eucalyptus, Jasmine. (04)		
2	Botanical and nutraceuticals: Spirulina, Vanillin, Garcinia indica / Garcinia		
	cambogia, Chlorella and Kale. (03)		
3	Plant-based beverages: Alcoholic- Wine, Beer and Toddy; Non- alcoholic Neera,		
	Coffee and Cocoa. (03)		
4	Enzymes industry: Cellulases, Papain, Bromelain. (02)		
5	Plants as a source of Biofuels- Jatropha, Euphorbia, Calotropis and algae. (02)		
6	Plants as sources of rubber, paper and fibres. (01)		

Course code: SIUBOMN221	REFERENCE BOOKS: Course Title: FUNCTIONAL BOTANY IV
Unit I:	Cell biology and Cytogenetics

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Unit III:	Industry based on plant products	
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	Semester IV (Minor)	Hr 20
	Course code: SIUBOMN221	Cr. 1
	Practical Paper II – Functional Botany IV	
1	Estimation of DNA and RNA from plant material (one Std & one Unknown, No Std	
	Graph).	
2	Study of meiosis from suitable plant material	
3	Study of inheritance pattern concerning Plastid Inheritance.	
4	Study of cytological consequences of chromosomal aberrations (Laggards,	
	Chromosomal Bridge, Ring chromosome, Chromosomal ring) from permanent	
	slides or photomicrographs.	
	Study of karyotypes Cri-du-chat, Philadelphia syndrome & D-G translocation.	
5	Study of Sex-linked inheritance (eye colour in Drosophila, Haemophilia, Colour	
	blindness) & Sex influenced characters (baldness in man, Hypertrichosis).	
	Problems based on sex-linked inheritance.	
6	Preparation of Stock solutions; Preparation of MS medium	
7	Various sterilization techniques. Seed sterilization and inoculation.	
8	Callus induction & Regeneration of plantlets from callus (Demonstration).	1
9	Identification of the cloning vectors – pBR322, pUC18, Ti-plasmid	1
10	Identification – somatic embryogenesis, artificial seeds.	
11	Identification of plants as sources of biofuels, rubber, paper, and fibers.	