

T.Y.B.Sc.  
SEMESTER V  
BOTANY



**Veer Narmad South Gujarat, University, Surat**  
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Subject wise credit

SEM	Course	Paper No.	Hours/Week	Credit	Practical No.	Hours/Week	Credit	
V	Core I	BOT 501	2	2	XI	2	2	
		BOT 502	2	2		2	2	
		BOT 503	2	2	XII	2	2	
		BOT 504	2	2		2	2	
		BOT 505	2	2	XIII	2	2	
		BOT 506	2	2		2	2	
V	F.C. (English) E.C. CAN NSS/NCC/Saptadhara		3	2	-	-	-	
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VI	Core I	BOT 601	2	2	XIV	2	2	
		BOT 602	2	2		2	2	
		BOT 603	2	2	XV	2	2	
		BOT 604	2	2		2	2	
		BOT 605	2	2	XVI	2	2	
		BOT 606	2	2		2	2	
VI	F.C. (English) E.C. CAN NSS/NCC/Saptadhara		3	2	-	-	-	
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<b>T.Y.B.Sc. (To be implemented from June-2013) Theory Courses</b>			
<b>Paper</b>	<b>Semester – V</b>	<b>Paper</b>	<b>Semester-VI</b>
<b>BOT-501</b>	Algae and Fungi	<b>BOT-601</b>	Pteridophytes and Paleobotany
<b>BOT-502</b>	Plant Pathology and Bryophyte	<b>BOT-602</b>	Gymnosperms, Fossil Gymnosperms And Botanical Techniques
<b>BOT-503</b>	Plant Biotechnology, Biostatistics And Molecular Biology	<b>BOT-603</b>	Cell Biology And Genetics
<b>BOT-504</b>	Plant Physiology And Biochemistry	<b>BOT-604</b>	Plant Ecology And Phyto-Geography
<b>BOT-505</b>	Anatomy and Embryology	<b>BOT-605</b>	Economic Botany And Pharmacognosy
<b>BOT-506</b>	Elective Paper: Angiosperm Morphology Systematic Botany & Environmental Issue	<b>BOT-606</b>	Elective Paper: Angiosperm Taxonomy & Palynology
<b>CAN</b>	Horticulture	<b>CAN</b>	Gardening

**Practicals based on theory papers-**

<b>Pra. XI</b>	Algae, Fungi, Bryophyte & Plant Pathology	<b>Pra. XIV</b>	Pteridophytes, Gymnosperms, Paleobotany & Botanical Techniques
<b>Pra. XII</b>	Plant Physiology, Biochemistry & Embryology	<b>Pra. XV</b>	Plant Ecology, Phyto-Geography, Cell Biology And Genetics
<b>Pra. XIII</b>	Angiosperm & Anatomy	<b>Pra. XVI</b>	Economic Botany, Pharmacognosy, Palynology & Angiosperm Taxonomy



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**BOTANY PAPER-501**

**BOT-501: ALGAE AND FUNGI**

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**UNIT-1**

**General introduction of Algae**

- Habit and habitat
- Thallus organization
- Classification according to Smith, General characters, structure and reproduction of the following classes:

- I. **Cyanophyta**
- II. **Chlorophyta**
- III. **Phaeophyta**
- IV. **Rhodophyta**

**UNIT-2**

**Life History of Algae**

- Life history of the following types on the basis of their classification with reasons, occurrence, thallus structure, cell structure and reproduction

(Excluding development)

- I. **Cyanophyceae - *Rivularia & Tolypothrix***
- II. **Chlorophyceae- *Volvox & Chara***
- III. **Phaeophyceae - *Sargassum***
- IV. **Phodophyceae- *Polysiphonia***
- V. **Bacillariophyceae- *Navicula***



## UNIT-3

### General introduction of Fungi

- Classification (Aim worth), and general characters of fungi
- Habitat, thallus, cell-structure, Nutrition, growth and reproduction in division Eumycota

## UNIT-4

### Life history of Fungi

- Life history of the following types on the basis of their classification with reasons, occurrence, vegetative structure and reproduction (Excluding development).
- I. **Mastigomycotina- Albugo**
  - II. **Zygomycotina- *Pilobolus***
  - III. **Ascomycotina- *Penicillium***
  - IV. **Basidiomycotina- *Agaricus***



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BOTANY PAPER-502

BOT-502 PLANT PATHOLOGY AND BRYOPHYTE

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### UNIT-1

#### Plant Pathology

- Introduction & History of Plant Pathology
- Indian Plant Pathologist
- Reasons for plant diseases
- Origin of plant diseases
- Identification and characters of plant diseases
- Principles of control of plant diseases
- Fungicides
- Biopesticides

### UNIT-2

#### Plant diseases according to plant pathogen

- **Bacterial diseases**
  - Wilt disease of potato
  - Leaf spot of mango
- **Fungal diseases**
  - Tikka disease of groundnut
  - Wilt of cotton
  - Powdery mildew of barley
  - Blast disease of Rice



- **Viral diseases**

- Leaf curl of papaya
- Yellow vein disease of Bhindi
- Bunchy top banana

**UNIT-3**

**General accounts of Bryophytes**

- Amphibian adaptation of Bryophytes
- General characters and Classification
- General account of Hepaticopsida, Anthocerotopsida, Bryopsida
- Ecological aspects of Bryophyta
- Economic importance of Bryophytes

**UNIT-4**

**Life History of Bryophytes**

- Classification, life history of the following types (Excluding development)
  - I. **Hepaticopsida : *Marchentia and Porella***
  - II. **Anthocerotopsida: *Notothylus***
  - III. **Bryopsida: *Sphagnum***



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**BOTANY PAPER-503**

**BOT: 503- PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY, BIostatISTICS AND  
MOLECULAR BIOLOGY**

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**UNIT-1**

**Molecular Biology**

- r-DNA methods- Merits, Demerits and Application
- Restriction endonuclease and Ligase
- Cloning vectors
- DNA- Finger printing
- PCR (Polymerize Chain Reaction)

**UNIT-2**

**Plant Biotechnology-I**

- Definition, History and Importance of Biotechnology
- Somatic Hybridization
- Artificial seed
- Anther culture
- Embryo culture

**UNIT-3**

**Plant Biotechnology-II**

- Clonal Propagation
- Genetic engineering of plant





- Genetic manipulation in plant cell
- Uses of biotechnology

## **UNIT-4**

### **Biostatistics**

- History of Biostatistics
- Definition, function and limitation of Biostatistics
- Importance of statistical methods in Biology
- Classification: Meaning, Important characters and types
- Measure of Central Tendency
  - Meaning
  - Characters
  - Mean, Mode and Median
- Standard deviation



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BOTANY PAPER-504

BOT: 504- PLANT PHYSIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY

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### UNIT-1

#### Plant Physiology-I

- Diffusion, Osmosis, Plasmolysis
- Absorption- Active and Passive
- Ascent of sap- Including theories
- Translocation- Upward, downward and lateral
- Photosynthesis
- Respiration

### UNIT-2

#### Plant Physiology -II

- Growth
- Mineral nutrition
- Plant growth substance
  - Growth promoter- Auxin, Gibberellins and Cytokinin
  - Growth retardant- ABA and Ethylene

### UNIT-3

#### Physiological instrument

- I. Isotop
- II. Colorimeter
- III. Spectrophotometer



IV. Ultracentrifuge

V. pH Meter

- Chromatography

#### UNIT-4

##### Biochemistry

- pH and Buffer
- Solution and colloidal system
- Protoplasm as a colloidal system
- **Enzymes**
  - Definition, Classification, properties
  - Factor affecting rate of enzymatic activities and mechanism of enzyme action.
- **Amino acids**
- **Carbohydrate**



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**BOTANY PAPER-505**

**BOT: 505- ANATOMY AND EMBRYOLOGY**

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**UNIT-1**

**Plant Anatomy-I**

- Laticiferous tissues
  - Introduction, Latex cells- Structure and function
  - Articulated laticifers
- Root- stem transition
- Vascular cambium
  - General development and Structure of the vascular cambium
  - Types of cambium
  - Seasonal activity of cambium
- Nodal anatomy

**UNIT-2**

**Plant Anatomy-II**

- Periderm- Origin, Structure and Function
- Lenticell
- Leaf abscission
- Anomalous Secondary Growth
  - **Stem:-** Bouganvillea, Mirabilis, Tinospora
  - **Root:-** Radish, Beet



## UNIT-3

### Embryology-I

- Megasporogenesis
- Types of embryosac
- **Monosporic (Polygonum- eight nucleated types)**
- **Bisporic (Allium-Eight nucleated types)**
- **Tetrasporic (Fritillaria- Eight nucleated types)**
- Fertilization (Double fertilization) and Significance of double fertilization
- Endosperm

## UNIT-4

### Embryology-I

- Embryo
- Embryogenesis in Dicot (Nicotiana)
- Embryogenesis in Monocot (Poa)
- Nutrition of embryo
- Poly embryony
  - Types (Factor for poly embryony),
  - Causes of poly embryony,
  - Experimental induction of poly embryony,
  - Classification of poly embryony
  - Practical value of poly embryony



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BOTANY PAPER-506

BOT: 506- ELECTIVE PAPER

ANGIOSPERM MORPHOLOGY, SYSTEMIC BOTANY AND  
ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

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### UNIT-1

#### Plant Morphology

- Leaf: Shape, margin, apex of lamina
- Calyx: Modification of Calyx
- Corolla: Form of corolla
- Seed
- Apiphyte, Parasite and Saprophyte

### UNIT-2

#### Introduction of Plant Taxonomy

- History of Taxonomy
- Types of classification: Natural, Artificial and Phylogenetical
- Fundamentals of nomenclature
- Definition, need for nomenclature, common name and scientific name
- Binomial nomenclature and ICBN

### UNIT-3

#### Angiosperm Families

- Taxonomical studies of the following families with references to their geographical distribution, systematic position, floral variations and economic importance.



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|---------------------|-------------------|
| I. Ranunculaceae    | VIII. Acanthaceae |
| II. Annonaceae      | IX. Polygonaceae  |
| III. Menispermaceae | X. Loranthaceae   |
| IV. Tiliaceae       | XI. Musaceae      |
| V. Vitaceae         | XII. Poaceae      |
| VI. Apiaceae        |                   |
| VII. Sapotaceae     |                   |

#### UNIT-4

##### Environmental Issue

- Global warming
- Greenhouse effects
- Ozon depletion
- Acid rain
- Environmental act: Environmental protection act, The air act, The water act, Wildlife protection act, forest conservation act
- Plant and pollution control



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**CAN SUBJECT : HORTICULTURE**

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**Unit-1**

**Introduction of Horticulture**

- Definition, Aims, Branches and importance of horticulture
- Propagation Methods
  - Cutting
  - Layering
  - Through Specialized structures (Corm, Rhizome, bulb, tuber, runner, sucker)
  - Budding,
  - Grafting

**Unit-2**

**Preservation**

- Definition, principles, different methods of preservation and storage of fruits and vegetables.
- Preparation of Jam, Jelly and Sauce.
- Causes of spoilage of fruits
- Role of Hormones in Horticulture





### Unit-3

#### Cultivation of Fruit plants

- Cultivation of following fruit crops with reference to their origin, distribution, climate, soil, propagation, method of cultivation, harvesting and at least three varieties of each crop

- |             |            |
|-------------|------------|
| I. Mango    | V. Coconut |
| II. Banana  | VI. Lemon  |
| III. Sapota | VII. Guava |
| IV. Papaya  |            |

### Unit-4

#### Cultivation of Vegetable plants

- Cultivation of following vegetable crops with reference to their origin, distribution, climate, soil, propagation, method of cultivation, harvesting and at least three varieties of each crop

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|-------------------|-------------|
| I. Carrot         | V. Cucumber |
| II. Potato        | VI. Cabbage |
| III. Brinjal      | VII. Methi  |
| IV. Lady's finger |             |



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BOT PRA. XI : Algae, Fungi, Bryophyte & Plant Pathology

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(A) ALGAE :

- (1) *Rivularia* :  
To study the thallus structure and heterocyst.
- (2) *Tolypothrix* :  
To study the thallus structure.
- (3) *Volvox* :  
To study the Volvox colony.
- (4) *Chara* :  
To study the specimen of Chara, T.S. of the main axis and Sex organs.
- (5) *Sargassum* :  
To study the plants of Sargassum, Anatomy of main axis, leaf and air bladder.
- (6) *Polysiphonia* :  
To study the thallus structure and cystocarp.  
(To study the permanent slides of the above types.)

(B) FUNGI :

- (1) *Albugo* :  
To study vegetative structure.  
(Permanent slide of *Albugo* conidia, Reproductive organs and Oospores.)
- (2) *Pilobolus* :  
To study vegetative structure.  
(Permanent slide of *Pilobolus* WM, Reproductive organs)
- (3) *Penicillium* :  
To study the vegetative structure and Conidiophores.  
(Permanent slide of *Penicillium* vegetative Conidiophores with conidia.)
- (4) *Agaricus* :  
To study the Basidiocarp.



(Permanent slide of T.S. of Stipe, T.S. of Pileus, Button stage v.s. of Agaricus.)

### (C) BRYOPHYTA :

#### (1) *Marchentia*

To study the external morphology of *Marchentia* plant.

(Permanent slide of *Marchentia* veg., W.M. and L.S. of sporophyte.)

#### (2) *Porella* :

To study the external morphology of *Porella* plant.

(Permanent slide of *Porella* veg. W.M. and L.S. of sporophyte.)

#### (2) *Nothothylus* :

To study the external morphology of *Nothothylus* plant.

(Permanent slide of *Nothothylus* W.M. and L.S. of sporophyte.)

#### (3) *Sphagnum* :

To study the external morphology of *Sphagnum*.

(Permanent slide of *Sphagnum* W.M. and L.S. of sporophyte.)

### (D) PLANT DISEASES :

Casual organism and Symptoms of following plant diseases.

#### - Bacterial diseases

- Wilt disease of potato
- Leaf spot of mango

#### - Fungal diseases

- Tikka disease of groundnut
- Wilt of cotton
- Powdery mildew of barley
- Blast disease of Rice

#### - Viral diseases

- Leaf curl of papaya
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BOT PRA. XII : Plant Physiology, Biochemistry & Embryology

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**(A) PHYSIOLOGY :**

Following physiological experiments are to be set up by the student.

(Requirements to be submitted by the students.)

- (1) To find out rate of photosynthesis by bubble counting method.
- (2) To find out effect of  $CO_2$  concentration on rate of Photosynthesis.
- (3) To find out effect of light intensity on the rate of Photosynthesis.
- (4) Experiments on enzyme action:
  - (i) Amylase (ii) Invertase.
- (5) To study the activity of enzyme Urease and the factors effecting the activity.  
(Concentration and Time)
- (6) Estimation of total sugar and reducible sugar.
- (7) Separation of amino acids by paper chromatography.
- (8) Uses of colorimeter and PH meter.
- (9) Estimation of Amino acid by Colorimetric method.
- (10) Estimation of Phosphorus by Colorimetric method.
- (11) Estimation of Ethyl acetate.

**(B) Following physiological experiments are for demonstration only.**

- (1) Experiment to demonstrate the process of transpiration.
- (2) Demonstration of the stomatal transpiration by four leaves method.
- (3) To demonstrate that oxygen is used during respiration.
- (4) To measure the growth rate by lever auxanometer.
- (5) To demonstrate that separation of chloroplast pigments by thin layer Chromatography.

**(C) PHYSIOLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS:**

Study of physiological instruments:

- (i) Colorimeter (ii) Spectrometer
- (iii) ultracentrifuge (iv) pH meter.



**(D) BIOCHEMISTRY:**

- **Test for reducing sugar**
  - Fehling's test
  - Benedict's test
  - Barfoed's test
  - Trommer's test
  - Moore's test
- **Test for non- reducing sugar**
  - Fehling's test
  - Benedict's test
- **Test for Amino acid**
  - Ninhydrin test
  - Test for Tyrosine
  - Test for tryptophan
  - Test for Cysteine

**(E) EMBRYOLOGY:**

- (1) Embryo mounting in any available dicot plant.
- (2) Permanent slide of the following:

**(a) EMBRYOLOGICAL STAGES:**

- (i) T.S. of Anther Showing Four Mature Pollen Sacs
- (ii) T.S. of Mature Anther Showing Dehiscence
- (iii) Pollen Tetrads
- (iv) Pollinia
- (v) Germination of Pollengrain.



**(b) Megasporangium:**

- (i) Two celled stage of Megaspore Mother Cell
- (ii) Ovule with Binucleate Embryo-sac
- (iii) Ovule with 4-nucleate Embryo-sac
- (iv) Ovule with 8-nucleate Embryo-sac

**(c) Embryo:**

- (i) Globular embryo
- (ii) Heart-shaped embryo
- (iii) Mature embryo



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BOT PRA. XIII : Angiosperm & Anatomy

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(A) ANGIOSPERM:

(a) Leaf Shape:

- Linear : *Grasses*
- Lanceolate: *Nerium*
- Elliptical: *Guava*
- Ovate: *China rose*
- Obovate: leaflet of *Cassia obtusifolia*
- Oblong: *Banana*
- Reniform: *Centilla asiatica*
- Cordate: *Betel*
- Sagittate: *Sagittaria sagittifolia*

(b) Leaf margin:

- Entire: *Mango*
- Sinuate: *Polyalthia*
- Serrate: *China rose*
- Dentate: *Melon*
- Denticulate: *Coccinia cordifolia*
- Lobed: *Ranunculus*

(c) In taxonomic studies of angiosperms, plants available in the local area should be given.

- (i) Ranunculaceae
- (ii) Annonaceae
- (iii) Menispermaceae
- (iv) Tiliaceae
- (v) Vitaceae



- (vi) Apiaceae
- (vii) Sapotaceae
- (viii) Acanthaceae
- (ix) Polygonaceae
- (x) Loranthaceae
- Xi) Musaceae
- (xii) Poaceae

**(B) ANATOMY :**

- (1) T.S. of the following stem for anomalous secondary growth.
  - (i) *Bougainvillea*, (ii) *Mirabilis*, (iii) *Tinospora*.
  - Permanent slide: (i) *Bougainvillea* stem T.S. (ii) *Mirabilis* stem T.S.
  - (iii) *Tinospora* stem T.S.
- (2) T.S. of the following root for anomalous secondary growth.
  - (i) Beet (ii) Radish (iii) Carrot
  - Permanent slide: (i) Beet root T.S. (ii) Radish root T.S.
  - (iii) Carrot root T.S.
- (3) Preparation of permanent slide. (Safranin - Fast Green Combination)
- (4) To measure the dimensions of common microorganisms by calibration and standardization of microscope using stage micrometer and ocular micrometer.
- (5) Measurement of microscopic structure and sketching with camera lucida.
- (6) Permanent slide of the following :
  - (i) Laticiferous tissue
  - (ii) Periderm
  - (iii) Lenticell
  - (iv) Leaf fall
  - (v) Latex cell.
- (7) Preparation of slides for nodal anatomy.
  - (i) Unilacunar
  - (ii) Trilocular.

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