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M. Tech. EXAMINATION, 2020

(Second Semester)

(C Scheme) (Re-appear)

(BIO-TECHNOLOGY)

BT530C

Biodiversity and Bioresource Technology

Time: 2½ Hours [Maximum Marks: 75]

Before answering the question-paper candidates should ensure that they have been supplied to correct and complete question-paper. No complaint, in this regard, will be entertained after the examination.

Note: Attempt Four questions in all. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. (a) Enlighten about the origin of evolution and theories related to Evolution.
 - (b) Discuss Molecular taxonomy and the molecular techniques which help to establish genetic relationship.
- **2.** (a) Define biodiversity and describe types of biodiversity.
 - (b) How can genetic resources and endangered species be conserved?
- **3.** (a) Describe the causes and consequences of biodiversity loss, habitual loss and alteration.
 - (b) Write about in vitro conservation.
- **4.** (a) How does biodiversity management work for a particular habitat?
 - (b) Differentiate between classical and new approaches for germplasm conservation.

- 5. Explain the following in context of Biodiversity:
 - (a) DNA fingerprinting
 - (b) Data Analysis-Measure of Polymorphism.
- **6.** (a) Discuss PCR and its application for studying biodiversity.
 - (b) Describe Bioprospecting and the interdependence between plants, microbes and animals.
- **7.** (a) Outline the benefits and ethical issues related to biotechnologically developed products.
 - (b) Explain Bioprocessing and general aspects related to Quality Control of Bioprocesses.
- **8.** (a) Describe principles of biosafety and levels of biosafety as extra-precautionary measures during working in research labs.
 - (b) Discuss influence of Intellectual Property Rights for commercialization of Biotechnology products.