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B.Sc. (Agriculture) (2014 & Onwards) (Sem.-3) SOIL CHEMISTRY, FERTILITY AND NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT

> Subject Code: BSAG-307 M.Code: 72557

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

Write short notes on the following: 1.

- b) Role of Ca, Mg and S in plant growthc) Sodium adsorner
- d) Critical limit
- e) Muriate of potash
- f) Incomplete complex fertilizers
- g) Macronutrients
- h) Nutrient deficiency
- Soil with pH < 7
- Bone meal fertilizers

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SECTION-B

- 2. Discuss role of beneficial and essential plant nutrients for plant growth.
- 3. How DRIS approach is beneficial for plant analysis.
- Discuss different chemical methods for reclamation of acidic soils. 4
- 5. Explain different techniques to increase nitrogen use efficiency.
- 6. Explain plant tissue tests for nutrients availability.

SECTION-C

- 7. Discuss salt affected soils and conditions under which these are formed.
- 8. Explain different approaches for soil fertility evaluation.
- of N, P and ations. Describe fertilizer recommendations of N, P and K fertilizers for some important oil seed 9. crops grown under irrigated conditions.

NOTE: Disclosure of Identity by writing Mobile No. or Making of passing request on any page of Answer Sheet will lead to UMC against the Student.

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