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M. Pharmacy (Pharmacognosy) II-Semester (PCI) (Main) Examination,

August 2018

Subject: Medicinal plant Biotechnology

Time: 3 Hrs	Max. Marks: 75
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Note: Answer any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. 1. Write a note on	
a) Genetic Code b) Application of transgenic plants with examples	5M 10M
2. Discuss the following with examplesa) Synthetic seedsb) Sterilization techniques involved in plant tissue culture	10M 5M
3. a) Differentiate organogenesis from embryogenesis and add a note on embryogenesisb) Elaborate on varis Precursors used in production of secondary metabolites	12M 3M
4. Write a note on hairy root culture.	15M
 a) Explain the production of ergot alkaloids b) Write the application of PCR in plant genome analysis. 	7M 8M
6. Define immobilization and discuss the advantages, disadvantages and different methods of immobilization techniques. Write the applications of immobilization	15M
7. a) Discuss abt different types of bioreactions used for plant cell culture.b) Write a short note on molecular pharmacognosy	10M 5M
8. Discuss the different methods of direct gene transfer in plants. ***********************************	15M