

## First Year M.Pharm Degree Examination - October 2010

[Time: 3 Hours] [Max. Marks: 100]

## ADVANCED PHARMACOGNOSY AND PHYTOCHEMISTRY

(Revised Scheme 2)

Q.P. CODE: 9212

Your answers should be specific to the questions asked.

Draw neat labeled diagrams wherever necessary. Answer all questions

## LONG ESSAY (Answer any TWO)

2 X 20 = 40 Marks

- Describe the biosynthesis of important cardenolides.
- Describe the phytochemistry of plant phenols and alkaloids.
- Explain the factors involved in the production of crude drugs.

## SHORT ESSAY (Answer any FIVE)

5 X 10 = 50 Marks

- Write the Structural elucidation of cholesterol.
- 5. Write a note on the cultivation and post harvesting techniques for digitalis.
- Write a short note on recent advances in phytochemical research.
- Write the general method of isolation and purification of marine drugs.
- 8. Write about the methods of screening of anti-diabetics.
- Describe the role of auxins and abcissic acid in plant growth.

SHORT NOTES 2 X 5 = 10 Marks

- Applications of ethno medicines.
- Medicinal yams.

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