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B.Tech III Year I Semester (R09) Supplementary Examinations, May 2013

## PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY

Time: 3 hours

(Biotechnology)

Max Marks: 70

## Answer any FIVE questions All questions carry equal marks \*\*\*\*\*

- 1 Write short note on:
  - (a) Protoplast Isolation.
  - (b) Suspension culture.
- 2 Write short notes on:
  - Somaclonal variation. (a)
  - (b) Cryopreservation.
- Explain different bioreactor systems for mass cultivation of plant cells. 3
- What is Ti plasmid? Discuss on Agro bacterium gene transfer? 4
- 5 What is biotic stress? Explain the production of herbicide resistance plants.
- 6 Write short notes on:
  - (a) Salt tolerance plants.
  - (b) Temperature tolerant plants.
- 7 What is molecular farming and explain about improving the production of quality oil?
- 8 Explain metabolic regulation with reference to plant primary metabolites.