

End Semester/Reappear (Semester I) Examination December 2022

Programme: B. Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture	Full Marks: 50
Course: Fundamentals of Plant Biochemistry and Biotechnology	Time: 2 Hrs.
Course Code: 13A.106	
Enrolment no	

Section I

1. Short Answer type questions. Answer any four.

 $4 \times 5 = 20$

- a. Describe briefly the structure and function of phospholipids.
- b. Explain the Michaelis and Menten and Line Weaver Burk equation briefly.
- c. Define micropropagation. Explain briefly the advantages of vegetative propagation.
- d. Explain Marker Assisted Breeding in crop improvement.
- e. Discuss the zwitterions nature of amino acids.
- f. What are molecular markers? Explain briefly their role in plant breeding.

Section II

Long answer type questions. Answer any two.

 $2 \times 15 = 30$

- 2. Describe the classification of proteins with suitable examples along with their structure.
- 3. Discuss the different forms of DNA along with main features of B-form of DNA.
- 4. Elucidate the basic requirements and techniques of plant tissue culture.
- 5. Explain marker assisted selection. Discuss briefly its role in crop improvements with suitable examples.
