



## VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY

## M.Sc. Examinations 2020 Semester IV Subject: BOTANY Paper: 401

(Theory)

Full Marks: 40 Time: 2hrs.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

## **Unit – I (Silviculture and Forest Mensuration)**

Answer any one of the following questions (within 250 words):

- 1. Write note on agro-forestry.
- 2. Mention the role of light in forest formation.
- 3. How wild animals influence forest plants?
- 4. What are the different topographical factors?
- 5. What are the different instruments used to measure height of a standing tree?
- 6. Mention the different objectives of silviculture.

## **Unit – II (Silviculture system and Forest Management)**

Answer any one of the following questions (within 250 words):

- 1. What are tolerant and intolerant species? Write short notes on even-aged and uneven-aged management systems.
- 2. What is Clear Felling System? Discuss about the process of removal of mature crops in clear felling system. What are the variations of clear felling system?
- 3. Briefly describe the method of artificial regeneration through different types of Taungya. What are the advantages and disadvantages of Taungya system?



- 4. Enumerate the method of felling in simple coppice system. What is the purpose of standard in coppice system with standard?
- **5.** Write a short note on selection system. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of selection system.
- **6.** Briefly describe the principles and objectives of forest conservation