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TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2020 held in March, 2021

ECOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

(3rd Semester)

Course No.: EESSEC-301T

(Bamboo Cultivation, Utilization and Management)

Full Marks: 50
Pass Marks: 20

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION-A

Answer any fifteen of the following questions:

 $1 \times 15 = 15$

- 1. What is a monopodial bamboo?
- 2. What is culm sheath?
- 3. What is a sympodial bamboo?

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- 4. What is culm emergence?
- 5. What is a traditional bamboo product?
- **6.** Name two bamboo species used for the preparation of incense stick.

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- 7. Name four commercial bamboo products.
- 8. What is value addition?
- 9. What is a rhizome?
- 10. What is polyhouse?
- 11. Define culm layering.
- 12. What is culm cutting?
- **13.** Name two indigenous recipes prepared from bamboo shoot.

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- 14. What is fermentation technology?
- 15. Name four nutritional properties of bamboo shoot.
- 16. What is traditional fermentation?
- 17. What is sporadic flowering?

- 18. Name two bamboo diseases.
- 19. Name three village bamboo species.
- 20. Name two bamboo species that fowers gregariously.

SECTION—B

Answer any five of the following questions: $2 \times 5 = 10$

- 21. Give an account of diversity of bamboo species in North-East India.
- 22. Describe rhizome growth patterns found in bamboo.
- 23. Give an account of utilization of bamboo species in North-East India.
- **24.** Describe the commercial utilization of bamboo species.
- **25.** Describe the process of nursery bed preparation used for bamboo.
- **26.** Describe the role of tissue culture techniques in bamboo propagation.

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- **27.** Give an account on processing technology of bamboo shoots.
- **28.** Describe the laboratory fermentation techniques of bamboo shoots.
- **29.** Give an account on different harvesting strategies adopted for forest bamboos.
- **30.** Describe the pest management strategies adopted in bamboo.

SECTION-C

Answer any five of the following questions: 5×5=25

- **31.** Explain briefly the diversity and distribution of sympodial and monopodial bamboo species in North-East India.
- **32.** Explain briefly culm and clump characteristics of monopodial and sympodial bamboo species.
- **33.** Describe the strategies that can improve the commercial utilization of bamboo.
- **34.** Explain briefly the role of bamboo in rural socioeconomy.

- **35.** Explain the vegetative propagation techniques used in bamboo.
- **36.** Give a detailed account of seedling nursing and management.
- 37. Explain the use of bamboo as a source of food and its health benefits to the people of North-East India.
- **38.** Explain the nutritional properties of bamboo shoot.
- **39.** Discuss the nutrient and fertilizer management in bamboos.
- **40.** Discuss merits and demerits of bamboo flowering on forest ecosystem.
