



Time: 2 hrs

GIET UNIVERSITY, GUNUPUR – 765022 M. Sc. (Ag.) (First Semester) Examinations, November – 2022 AGRON 503 - Principles and Practices of Weed Management

Maximum : 35 Marks

(1 x 5 = 5 Marks)

 $(2.5 \times 4 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

(5 x 4 = 20 Marks)

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

PART – A

Q. 1. Define (or) Explain the following in one or two sentences.

- a. Weed Control Efficiency
- b. Herbicide formulation
- c. Crop bound weeds
- d. Herbicide selectivity
- e. Aquatic weed

PART – B

Q2. Answer ANY FOUR questions.

- a. Write down the factors affecting crop-weed competition.
- b. Mention different steps for herbarium preparation.
- c. What is herbicide mixture and mention the types of herbicide mixtures.
- d. Write down the advantages of chemical weed control.
- e. What are the various methods of vegetative propagation in weeds?
- f. Mention the advantages of IWM.

PART – C

Attempt ANY FOUR questions. All question carries equal marks.

- 3. Classify the weeds based on ontogeny, origin and soil types with suitable examples .
- 4. Define herbicide resistance. Write briefly the cause and mechanism of herbicide resistance in weeds.
- 5. What do you mean by herbicide mixture? State the interaction of herbicide with fertilizer and insecticide.
- 6. Define weed and mention the biological methods of weed control.
- 7. Classify herbicide based on time of application, selectivity and site of application with suitable examples.
- 8. Differentiate between the followings with suitable examples.
 - a) Creeping perennial verses bulbous perennial
 - b) Season bound weed verses crop bound weeds