Subject Code: 1262

B.A./B.Sc. 1st Semester

BOTANY

Paper—IA (Diversity of Microbes)

Time Allowed—3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks—35

Note: — Attempt FIVE questions in all, selecting at least ONE question from each section.

SECTION-A

- 1. Classify algae giving important features and economic importance of each group. 3,4
- Describe the important features and life history of Ectocarpus.
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SECTION—B

- 3. With the help of examples, describe the economic importance of bacteria.
- 4. Write short notes on the following:—
 - (a) General characters of Mycoplasma.
 - (b) Structure of Viruses.

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SECTION—C

5. Describe the important features, economic importance and reproduction of *Saccharomyces*. 2,2,3

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- 6. Write important characters of the following groups:
- (a) Mastigomycotina.
 - (b) Zygomycotina.
 - (c) Ascomycotina. 2.2.3

SECTION-D

- Give a detailed account of the life cycle of Puccinia. 7 7
- Comment on the importance of the following fungal genera:
 - (a) Cercospora.
 - (b) Colletotrichum.
 - (c) Agaricus.
 - (d) Lichens.