Mid-West University

Examinations Management Office

Final Examinations-2080

Bachelor level/ B. Sc. /2nd Semester

Full Marks: 60
Pass Marks: 30

Subject: Phanerogams (BOT421)

Time: 3 hours

Candidates are required to give their answer in their own words as far as practicable. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Section A

Attempt all the long questions.

[4X8 = 32]

- 1. Write an illustrated account of microgametogenesis and megagametogenesis in *Ephedra* with necessary diagram. (3+5)
- 2. Give an outline of classification system of Engler and Prantl. Write merits and demerits of it. (5+3)

OR

Describe the family Orchidaceae in semi - technical terms with floral formula and floral diagram. Write any two economic importance of this family. (4.5+1+1.5+1)

- 3. Give an account of morphology and anatomy of needle of *pinus* with well labeled diagram. (1+3+3)
- 4. Describe the family Lamiaceae in semi technical terms with floral formula and floral diagram. Write any two botanical names of this family. (4.5+1+1.5+1)

Section B

Answer the questions in brief.

[7X3=21]

- 5. Describe the floral characteristics of Magnoliaceae.
- 6. Discuss the structure of ovule of *Cycas*.
- 7. Describe about the disc floret of family Asteraceae.
- 8. Give an outline of classification of gymnosperms.
- 9. Write down the merits and demerits of Bentham and Hooker's system of classification.
- 10. Discuss the evolutionary trends in reproductive structures of gymnosperms.

OR

List out the principles and significance of plant systematic.

11. Write short notes on economic importance and distribution of *Pinus* in Nepal.

Section C

Answer any seven questions in very short.

[7x1=7]

- 12. Define zygomorphic flower.
- 13. Give any two economic importances of plants belonging to family Liliaceae with their botanical names.
- 14. Differentiate between manoxylic and pycnoxylic wood.
- 15. Give morphology of *Ephedra*.
- 16. Write down the floral formula of Rosaceae.
- 17. What is the significance of APG system of classification?
- 18. Mention the functions of cambium.
- 19. Mention the xerophytic characteristics of gymnosperms.
- 20. What do you mean by placentation? Also write its type.