Assignment for B.Sc Botany Hons 2nd Semester, CC-3, C3T Mycology and Phytopathology(Unit-1 and Unit-8)

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1)Give an account of the general characteristics of true fungi.5

2)Write a short note on cell wall composition of true fungi.3

3)Give the recent modern classification of Fungi.5

4)Discuss the thallus organization of true fungi.5

5)Describe the modes of nutrition of true fungi.5

6)Give the affinities of true fungi with plants and animals, ultimately what is the position of Fungi in Whittaker's system?4+1=5

7)Write down the use of fungi in alcohol production and baking.2+2=4

8)Name one organic acid and name 2 fungi which are produced to make it. Mention uses of citric acid.1+1+3=5

9)Write the fungal source of enzyme alpha amylase and it's uses.1+3=4

10)Name one secondary metabolite of fungus and it's uses and also the fungus from which it is isolated.1+2+1=3

11)Name one vitamin and one antibiotic and their fungal sources and uses. $2.5 \times 2=5$

12.Discuss the role of fungi in agriculture.(Discuss the role of mycorrhiza as biofertilizer).5

13.Write short note on any 3 mycotoxins.5

14.What are aflatoxin? Write the name of few fungi which produce it, the plants where it is produced, it's mechanism of action. 0.5+1+1+2.5=5

15.Define biological control. State their advantages.1+3=4

16.Define mycoinsecticides and give 4 examples and their targets.1+4=5

17.Define myconematicides and give 4 examples and their targets.1+4=5

18.Define mycofungicides and give 4 examples and their targets.1+4=5

19.Define mycoherbicides and give 4 examples and their targets.1+4=5

20.Dicuss in details about any two diseases of human beings caused by fungal pathogens. $2.5 \times 2=5$