MAHARASHTRA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITIES EXAM®NATION BOARD, PUNE SEMESTER END EXAMINATION

B.Sc. (Agri.)

| Semester | : | IV (New) | Term | : | II Acade | emic Year : | 2016-17 | |
|------------|---|--------------------|-------|---|--|-------------|---------|--|
| Course No. | : | HORT 243 | Title | : | : Production Technology of Spices, | | | |
| Credits | : | 2 (1+1) | | | Aromatics, Medicinal and Plantation Crops | | | |
| Day & Date | : | Friday, 05.05.2017 | Time | : | 14.00 to 16.00 | Total Marl | ks : 40 | |
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Note: 1. Solve ANY EIGHT questions from SECTION "A".

- 2. All questions from SECTION "B" are compulsory.
- 3. All questions carry equal marks.
- Draw neat diagrams wherever necessary.

SECTION "A"

- Q.1 Discuss the importance of plantation and medicinal crops in India.
- Q.2 Describe the cultivation of black pepper on following points.
 - a) Propagation

b) Varieties

c) Planting method

- d) Harvesting
- Q.3 Describe the cultivation of ginger on following points.
 - a) Soil and climate

b) Propagatio

c) Manures and fertilizers

- d) Harvesting and yield
- Q.4 Complete the following table.

| Sr.No. | Crop | Botanical name | Family | Propagation | Use |
|--------|-----------|----------------|--------|-------------|-----|
| 1) | Rauwolfia | | | | |
| 2) | Guggal | | | | |

- Q.5 Describe the cultivation of cashew nut on following points.
 - a) Soil and climate

b) Planting

c) Varieties

- d) Harvesting and yield
- Q.6 Give the symptoms and control measures of two important diseases of coconut.
- Q.7 Describe the cultivation of cardamom on following aspects.

a) Soil

b) Varieties

c) Propagation

- d) Yield
- Q.8 Give the information on the following points pertaining to coriander.

a) Importance

b) Varieties

c) Fertilizer

- d) Harvesting and yield
- Q.9 Explain in detail cultivation of nutmeg on following points.

a) Soil and climate

b) Propagation

c) Varieties

d) Plant parts used

(P.T.O.)

| Q.10 | W | rite short note on (Any Tv | wo): | | | | | | |
|------|------|--|------------|--------|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| | . 1) | 1) Gum tapping and collection in guggal. | | | | | | | |
| | | Lowering of betel vine | | | | | | | |
| | 3) | Uses of Dawana | | | | | | | |
| | | manife the second secon | SECT | ion ' | "B" | | | | |
| Q.11 | Fi | ll in the blanks. | | - | | | | | |
| | 1) | Periwinkle belongs to fan | nily | | | | | | |
| | 2) | CPCRI is located at | | | | | | | |
| | 3) | Citronella is vegetatively | propagated | by_ | | | | | |
| | 4) | Cumin is classified as | | spice. | | | | | |
| Q.12 | Ma | atch the following pairs. | - 1 9 | | , | | | | |
| | | "A" | | | "B" | | | | |
| | l) | Cocoa | | a) | Assam | | | | |
| | 2) | Beetle vine | | b) | Mangala | | | | |
| | 3) | Tea | | c) | Chocolate | | | | |
| | 4) | Areca nut | | d) | Creeper | | | | |
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