- 7. Write down the features of sporophyte in Bryophytes. Discuss the evolution of sporophyte in Bryophytes. 6
- 8. Write a detailed note on morphology and reproduction in Rhynia.

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### SECTION—C

- 9. Answer the following questions briefly:
  - (a) Differentiate between Phaeophyceae and Rhodophyceae.
  - (b) Elaborate the role of algae in human welfare.
  - (c) What is a Diplohaplontic life cycle? Give an example.
  - (d) List the important features of *Xanthophyceae*.
  - (e) Differentiate between liverworts and hornworts.
  - (f) Why Bryophytes are known as amphibians of plant kingdom?
  - (g) What is a sporocarp?
  - (h) Define the term ligule.

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Time Allowed: Three Hours] [Maximum Marks: 40

**Note :**– The candidates are required to attempt *two* questions each from Sections A and B. Section C will be compulsory.

## SECTION—A

- Discuss the thallus organization and variation in reserve food material in different classes of algae.
- 2. Name the class in which *Sargassum* is placed. Describe its life history. 6
- Explain the details of most accepted system of classification proposed for algae.
- 4. Write a detailed note on sexual reproduction in *Volvox*. 6

### SECTION—B

5. Describe the structure of gametophyte and sporophyte of *Funaria*.

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6. Discuss the life history of a homosporus member of Pteropsida.

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