

OPEN/GENERAL ELECTIVE COURSE: BASICS IN ORGANIC FARMING II

Open for First Year Graduate Student w.e.f. 2023-24

RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN BOTANY AND APPROVED BY THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL

Devrukh Shikshan Prasarak Mandal's

Nya. Tatyasaheb Athalye Arts, Ved. S. R. Sapre Commerce, and Vid. Dadasaheb Pitre Science College (Autonomous), Devrukh. Tal.Sangmeshwar, Dist. Ratnagiri-415804, Maharashtra, India

Name of the Implementing	:	Nya. Tatyasaheb Athalye Arts, Ved. S. R. Sapre		
Institute		Commerce, and Vid. Dadasaheb Pitre Science College		
		(Autonomous), Devrukh. Tal. Sangmeshwar, Dist.		
		Ratnagiri-415804,		
Name of the Parent University	:	University of Mumbai		
Name of the Programme	:	Bachelor of Science/Arts/Commerce		
Name of the Class to Which	:	First Year, Semester Second		
the course is Open				
No. of Credits	:	02		
Title of the Course	:	Basics in Organic Farming II		
Course Code	:	BTOE102		
Passing Marks		40%		
Nature of Course	:	Open/General Elective Course		
Level	:	UG		
Pattern	:	60:40		
Status	:	Multidisciplinary- Open to all in the First Year		
To be implemented from	:	2023-2024		
Academic Year				

Academic Council Item No: 3 dated 08/07/2023

Syllabus for Open/General Elective Course in Basics of Organic Farming II

(With effect from the academic year 2023-2024)

SEMESTER-II

Course Title: Basics of Organic Farming II Type of Vertical: Open/General Elective Paper No.– II No. of Credits - 02 COURSE CODE: BTOE103

Learning Outcomes Based on BLOOM's Taxonomy:

After completing the course, the learner will be able to...

Course Learning Outcome No.	Blooms Taxonomy	Course Learning Outcome
CLO-01	Remember	Recall the liquid organic manure concept, advantages and disadvantages, pest management in organic farming.
CLO-02	Understand	Explain the role and importance of liquid manures and pest management in organic farming.
CLO-03	Apply	Present the liquid manure and pest management understanding to local area problems related to various crops.
CLO-04	Analyse	Differentiate the changing patterns of liquid manures and pest management.
CLO-05	Evaluate	Justify significance of liquid manures and pest managements in organic farming.

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COURSE CONTENT					
Module No.	Content	Credit	Lectures		
1	 Liquid Organic Manures Liquid Organic Fertilizers- Micoorganisms in Liquid Organic Fertilizers, Nutrient content, Advantages and Uses Jivamrit- Requirement, Process, Application, Advantages Beejamrit - Requirement, Process, Application, Advantages Panchgavya - Requirement, Process, Application, Advantages Vermiwash: Requirement, Process, Application, Advantages Practicals: To study liquid organic manure To prepare jeevamrita To prepare beejamruta To prepare panchgavya To prepare amrutpani and Sapt dhanyankur 	01	30		
2	Pest and Disease Management in OrganicFarming and Organic CertificationPest and Disease Management in Organic Farming:Strategies- Avoidance TechniquesManaging the Growth Environment, DirectTreatmentVarious Herbal pesticides, Plants used, Procedure, benefitsWeed Management in Organic FarmingOrganic Crop ManagementIndia Organic certificationProcess of Organic certification, Certification Agencies, Field InspectionSuccess stories of Organic Farmers	01	30		

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Practicals:		
To study integrated pest management		
To identify crop friendly insects		
To prepare herbal organic pesticides to protect crop		
from pest and disease		
To prepare Neem extract		
To prepare Dashparni		
To use protection traps		
To study weed management in organic farming		
To study organic certification process		
Total	02	60

Required Previous Knowledge

Basic Knowledge of organic manures, liquid organic manures, pest, diseases and its management is necessary before starting to learn the course

Access to the Course

The course is available for all the students admitted for Bachelor Degree as open elective. The students seeking admission to this course considering the terms and conditions laid down by the University of Mumbai, the Government of Maharashtra, and the college, from time to time.

Forms of Assessment

The assessment of the course will be of Diagnostic, Formative and Summative type. At the beginning of the course diagnostic assessment will be carried out. The formative assessment will be used for the Continuous Internal Evaluation whereas the summative assessment will be conducted at the end of the term. The weightage for formative and summative assessment will be 60:40. The pattern will be followed as decided in Academic Council of the college.

Grading Scale

The grading scale used is O to F. Grade O is the highest passing grade on the grading scale, and grade F is a fail. The Board of Examinations of the college reserves the right to change the grading scale.

Reference Books:

Woomer, PL. and Swift, M.J. 1994. The Biological Management of Tropical Soil

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Organic Farming for Sustainable Agriculture by Dahama A. K. Agrobios Publication.

Organic Farming in India, Problems and Prospects by Thapa, U. and Tripathi, P.

Recent Developments in Organic farming by Gulati and BarikLampin, N. 1990. Organic

Farming. Farming Press Books, Ipswitch, U.K.

- Palaniappan, S.P and Anandurai, K. 1999. Organic Farming- Theory and Practice, Scientific Pub., Jodhpur.
- Veeresh, G.K., Shivashankar, K. and Singlachar, M.A. 1997. Organic Farming and Sustainable Agriculture, Association for Promotion of Organic Farming, Bangalore.

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