

ADD ON COURSE: CERTIFICATE COURSE IN WATER AND SOIL TESTING DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

L.T.K. COLLEGE, Azad, Lakhimpur, 787032, Assam

1. Aims and Objectives:

- a. To develop basic understanding regarding soil testing in the students.
- b. To introduce them with macro and micro nutrients for soil.
- c. To enhance their skills about water analysis.

2. Syllabus:

Syllabus: - Certificate course in Soil and Water Testing.

Theory:

Unit I- Introduction to Water testing, Physico- chemical parameters: Colour, odour, P ^H,turbidity, total dissolved solids, Types of Water: hard and soft water, Water pollutants, role of water testing for environment, Uses of water analysis.

Recommended Books:

- 1. Hand book of water and waste water analysis, Kanwaljit Kaur
- 2. Expermental methods for water analysis, Dr.G.S. WAGH, Nirali prakahan
- 3. An introduction to water sampling and testing of water systems. J.paul Guyer, P.E, R.A

Unit II- Introduction of Soil, properties of soil, fertility status of soils, soil profile, and classification, Soil taxonomy, conservation and management,, role of soil testing for environment, Uses of soil analysis.

Recommended Books:

- 1. Soil and soil fertility, Troch, F.R. And Thompson, L.M.Oxford press.
- 2. Handbook of agriculture sciences, S.S.Singh, P.Gupta, A.K.Gupta, Kalyani publication.
- 3. Introduction to soil laboratory manual, J.J.Harsett stipes.

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Practical:

Part I - Water Analysis

- 1) Determination of hardness of water.
- 2) Determination of PH of given water sample.
- 3) Determination of alkalinity of water.
- 4) Determination of TDS of given sample of water.
- 5) Determination of dissolved oxygen test (DO)
- 6) Determination of electrical conductivity.
- 7) Determination of Phosphate.
- 8) Determination of temperature.

Part II - Soil Analysis

- 1) Visit to farmers fields for collection of soil samples, identification of nutrient deficiency symptoms in crop.
- 2) Determination of PH of given soil sample.
- 3) Determination of nutrient content (NPK) of soil.
- 4) Determination of salinity of given soil sample.
- 5) Determination of micro-nutrient content of soil sample.

3. Class Routine:

Days	Time		
Monday	2.00 pm – 3.00 pm		
Wednesday	2.00 pm – 3.00 pm		
Friday	2.00 pm - 3.00 pm		

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5. Student List:

Student Enrolment List and Students Who Completed the Course

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1	Asharani Nath					
2	Devaprotim dutta					
3	Partha pratim boruah					
4	Himanka hazarika					
5	Zakaria alom					
6	Biren doley					
7	Khagen borah					
8	Bikrom gohain					
9	Rahul borah					
10	Narendra das					
11	Shraaban kr. nath					
12	Bhargab hazarika					
13	Dhurbajyoti doley					
14	Krishna moni borah					
15	Subhrama bhakh jyoti nath					
16	Bokul kalita					
17	Devajit pegu					
18	Indro jyoti borah					
19	Khagendra ba magor					
20	Krishna borah					
21	Smiriti nath					
22	Nijara pegu					
23	Nihar ranjan kalita					
24	Rajani kanta doley					
25	Uday jyoti dula kahoria					
26	Barnali miri					
27	Priyanka doley					
28	Janmantor dowarah					
29	Pawan hemrom					
30	Bitu doley					
	Pranjal pegu					
31	Raj regon					
32	Pavan chetry					
33	Rantu saikia					

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6. Question Paper:

Total No. of Questions - 20

Total No. of Printed Pages - 2

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WATER AND SOIL TESTING

QUESTION PAPER

(For the Academic Year 2022 only)

Time: 2 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

SECTION - A

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

Answer ANY TEN the questions..

- 1. Define Soil pH.
- 2. What is soil texture and soil structure?
- 3. What is C:N ratio of the soil?
- 4. What are macro nutrients?
- 5. Write the functions and deficiency symptoms of Nitrogen.
- **6.** Write the functions of Sulphur.
- 7. What are trace elements?
- **8.** Define Irrigation.
- 9. List the methods of irrigation.
- 10. Define critical stages of irrigation.
- 11. Define Drainage.
- 12. Define Soil Erosion.

SECTION - B

 $5 \times 6 = 30$

Answer ANY FIVE questions.

- 13. Explain the effect of soil organic matter on properties of the soil.
- 14. List the essential elements for plant growth.
- 15. Explain drip irrigation with a diagram.
- 16. Explain vermi composting.
- 17. What are the objectives of irrigation?
- 18. Give the classification of manures and fertilizers.
- 19. Explain soil sampling procedure.

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7. Certificate:





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8. Learning Outcome: After the completion of the course students develop their skills related to soil testing. They develop their understanding of the macro and micronutrients of soil and become more efficient in soil testing.

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Course Co-ordinator

Add on Course

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