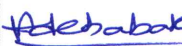
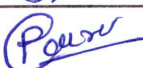


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Attendance of BOS Meeting

Board of Studies in		Department of Botany	
Date		20/04/2026	
Time		10.30 am to 11.30 am	
Venue		Department of Botany	
Mode:		Hybrid	
Members:			
Sr. No.	Name	Present mode Online / Offline	Signature
1	Name: Dr. Sonali Kadam Head of the Department (Chairman)	Offline	
2	Name: Dr. Ajit Kengar (VC nominee)	Online	
3	Name: Dr. Milind Sardesai (outside the parent university)	Online	
4	Name: Dr. Mahesh Gokhale (outside the parent university)	Online	
5	Name: Mr. Nilesh Lele Representative from industry/corporate sector/ any other organization	Online	
6	Name: Dr. Rutuja Kolte Alumnus	Online	
7	Name: Mr. Sharad Apate Department faculty member	Online	
8	Name: Dr. Viraj Chabake Department faculty member	Offline	
9	Name: Ms. Priyanka Shinde-Avere Department faculty member	Offline	
10	Name: Mr. Paresh Gurav Department faculty member	Offline	

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Minutes of BOS Meeting held on 20th April, 2026

Agenda:	1. To confirm the minutes of the last meeting held on 11th December 2025. 2. Department related matter - Approval of new Question paper pattern for theory exam - F.Y., S.Y. and T.Y.B.Sc. 3. To approve new course codes for SEC syllabus designed for F.Y.B.Sc Sem II and S.Y.B.Sc. Sem III and IV. 4. To approve the changes in syllabus for VSC for semester V and VI. 5. To discuss the course for M.Sc. in Botany by research and by papers. 6. To discuss the course for 4th year B.Sc. Honours in Botany. 7. Any other matter with the permission of the chair.
Minutes:	Prof. Dr.Sonali Kadam, Chairman BOS in Botany, welcomed and introduced the honorable invitees, Vice Principal, Science faculty and faculty members from the college. Dr. Milind Sardesai was present for some time at the beginning of meeting and had to leave early due to prior commitment. Chairman of the BOS, Prof. Dr.Sonali Kadam, started the meeting with an agenda. With the permission of VC nominee, Prof.Dr.Ajit Kengar, the discussion started.
Item 1	To confirm the minutes of the last meeting held on 11th December 2025. Read the minutes of the meeting held on 11th December 2025. The minutes of the meeting held on 11th December 2025 were confirmed. Proposed by Dr. Viraj Chabake Seconded by Prof. Dr. Ajit Kengar
Item 2	Department related matter - Approval of new Question paper pattern for theory exam - F.Y., S.Y. and T.Y.B.Sc. Discussion related to the new Question paper pattern for theory exam - F.Y., S.Y. and T.Y.B.Sc. Raised by Mr. Paresh Gurav Approved by Prof. Dr. Ajit Kengar Seconded by Rutuja Kolte
Item 3	To approve new course codes for SEC syllabus designed for F.Y.B.Sc Sem II and S.Y.B.Sc. Sem III and IV. Discussed the new course codes for SEC syllabus designed for F.Y.B.Sc Sem II and S.Y.B.Sc. Sem-III and IV. Proposed by Mrs. Priyanka Shinde-Avere Approved by Prof. Dr.Ajit Kengar Seconded by Dr. Rutuja Kolte

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Item 4	To approve the changes in syllabus for VSC for semester V and VI. Discussed the changes in syllabus for VSC for semester V and VI. Mr. Nilesh Lele questioned whether the unit for Research Methodology will be having industrial factor too on which Prof. Dr. Sonali Kadam responded stating that we can think about it. Proposed by Prof. Dr. Sonali Kadam Approved by Prof. Dr. Ajit Kengar Seconded by Mr. Nilesh Lele
Item 5	To discuss the course for M.Sc. in Botany by research and by papers. Discussed the course for M.Sc. in Botany by research and by papers. Proposed by Dr. Viraj Chabake Approved by Prof. Dr. Ajit Kengar Seconded by Dr. Mahesh Gokhale
Item 6	To discuss the course for 4th year B.Sc. Honours in Botany. Discussion the course for 4th year B.Sc. Honours in Botany Proposed by Prof. Dr. Sonali Kadam Approved by Prof. Dr. Ajit Kengar Seconded by Dr. Mahesh Gokhale
Item 7	Any other matter with the permission of chair Change in Nomenclature of S.Y.B.Sc. Major and Botany Minor Proposed by Mrs. Priyanka Shinde-Avere Approved by Prof. Dr. Ajit Kengar Discussion related to the new Question paper pattern for practical exam - S.Y.B.Sc. Botany Major. Raised by Mr. Paresh Gurav Approved by Prof. Dr. Ajit Kengar
General Discussion	Dr. Ajit Kengar suggested to start the 4th year Honours for B.Sc., so that later on we can start a PG course in Botany and also the students will get qualified to secure a Ph.D program since we have a Ph.D centre.

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	• Special Vote of Thanks to all the experts was presented by Prof. Dr. Sonali Kadam, Chaiperson, BOS Botany as this was the last meeting with this panel and we will be forming new panel before next BOS meeting.
Vote of thanks	Vote of thanks was presented by Mr. Paresh Gurav to all the BOS members. With the permission of the Chairman, the meeting concluded.
Signature of Chairperson	 The Head of Botany Dept. R. P. Gogate-College of Arts & Science & R. V. Jogalekar College of Commerce Ratnagiri - 415 612