

**Fourth Semester FYUGP Degree (Reg) Examination April
2026
KU4VACBOT125 - ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN COMPOST
MAKING
2024 Admission onwards**

Time : 1.5 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Section A

Answer any 6 questions. Each carry 2 marks.

1. What is meant by organic waste?
2. What is the role of earthworms in composting?
3. Define target market.
4. What is meant by sustainable business practices?
5. What is the purpose of bed preparation in vermicomposting?
6. What is small-scale composting?
7. What is meant by site selection in composting?
8. Why is compost packing important?

Section B

Answer any 4 questions. Each carry 6 marks.

9. Describe pit composting and its different types.
10. Compare heap composting and tank composting methods.
11. Describe methods to control odor and pests during composting.
12. Describe the importance of planning and organization in composting operations.
13. Discuss the importance of exploring new markets for compost products.
14. Discuss the preparation and uses of activated compost.

Section C

Answer any 1 questions. Each carry 14 marks.

15. Analyze the role of composting in improving soil fertility and maintaining soil health.
16. a) Analyze the role of branding and pricing in the marketing of compost products.
b) Evaluate the importance of financial planning in compost business development.