

## Objectives

Exploration of plant diversity in un/underexplored areas of Manipur and Nagaland: Inventory, conservation of threatened and endemic plants, field and bioprospection of selected taxa for using as bioresources :

- **Inventory of plant diversity including higher (Angiosperms and Gymnosperms) and lower (Pteriophytes, Broyophytes, Lichens and Algae) groups of plants.**
- **To identify threatened and endemic plant taxa as per IUCN criteria and establishment of field germplasm bank for conservation.**
- **Bioprospection of widely used ethnomedicinal/others plants for developing potential bioresoures.**