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M.Sc. I Semester Degree Examination MICROBIOLOGY

Fundamentals of Microbiology

Paper: HC - 1.1

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

Instructions to Candidates: Answers all sections.

SECTION-A

1. Write brief notes on any **Ten** of the following:

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- a) Spontaneous generation.
- b) Edward Jenner
- c) Serial dilution
- d) Fluorescent microscope
- e) Zeil nelson staining
- f) Phenotypic classification
- g) Plankton
- h) Stab culture
- i) Disinfectant
- j) Biosafety level 4 (BSL4)
- k) Mobile phase
- 1) NCIM

SECTION-B

Write short notes on any six of the following.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

- 2. Lyophilzation.
- 3. Mechanical methods of sterilization.
- 4. Distribution of microorganisms in air.
- 5. Good laboratory practices.

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- 6. X-ray diffraction crystallography.
- 7. Comparison of Prokaryotes and Eukaryotes
- 8. Mass spectroscopy.

SECTION-C

Answer any three of the following:

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

- 9. Write detailed account on preparation of different media for Microbiology laboratory.
- 10. Discuss in detail the working principles of Spectrophotometer.
- 11. Write a detailed account on physical methods of sterilization.
- 12. Discuss the working principles of Electron Microscopy.

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High energy compounds.

Michaelis menton equation.

- 6. Allosteric enzymes and significance.
- 7. Glycogenesis and Glycogenolysis.
- 8. Urea cycle.

SECTION-C

Answer any Three of the following:

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

- 9. Write the structure, types biological and functional properties of amino acids.
- 10. Explain indetail the normal and abnormal constituents of blood.
- 11. Explain Kreb's citric acid cycle adding a note on its energetics.
- 12. Explain the medical applications and significance of lactate dehydrogenase and creatine phosphokinase.