

B.Sc. Part—II Semester—III Examination

FOOD SCIENCE

(Food Microbiology)

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

Note :—(1) ALL questions are compulsory.

(2) Question No. 2 to 7 carry equal marks.

1. (A) Fill in the blanks :— 2
- (i) Scientific study of Fungi is _____. (mycology/phycozoology)
- (ii) Conversion of sugars into alcohol by means of Fungi is known as _____ fermentation. (aerobic/anaerobic)
- (iii) Classification in a hierarchical system of organisms is _____. (Taxonomy/Anatomy)
- (iv) The highly resistant particles produced by a bacterium to survive in harsh conditions are _____. (Spores/Mycelium)
- (B) Choose the correct alternative :— 2
- (i) _____ are the bacteria which can live at temperature much lower than normal :
- (a) Thermophiles (b) Psychrophiles
- (c) Halophiles (d) None of above
- (ii) _____ is not used for staining of microorganism.
- (a) Crystal Violet (b) Iodine
- (c) Safranin (d) Glucose
- (iii) The branch of science studying the relations of bacteria, molds, fungus etc. with food is known as :
- (a) Industrial Microbiology (b) Medical Microbiology
- (c) Enzymology (d) Food Microbiology
- (iv) Streak plate method is used for :
- (a) Growth curve (b) Pure culture isolation
- (c) Pure Culture Preservation (d) Spore staining

- (C) Answer in **ONE** sentence :— 4
- (i) Define the medium used for growth of micro-organisms.
 - (ii) What is meant by microbial contamination ?
 - (iii) Define Gram positive bacteria.
 - (iv) What is Staining ?
2. (A) Explain the characteristics used for the bacterial classification. 4
- (B) Define food microbiology. Explain three domain system for microbial classification. 4
- (C) Give an account of structure of cell. 4
- OR**
- (P) Differentiate between prokaryotic and eukaryotic cell. 4
- (Q) Explain any four important organs of cell. 4
- (R) What is taxonomy ? What are the components ? 4
3. (A) Explain the factors affecting microbial growth. 4
- (B) What is synchronized growth ? Explain its importance. 4
- (C) Give an account of cell age and explain balance growth. 4
- OR**
- (P) Draw growth curve and explain the phases. 4
- (Q) Explain batch and continuous culture, compare. 4
- (R) Give an account of binary fission. 4
4. Define bacteria, classify them on the basis of size, shape, colony character, and Gram reaction. 12
- OR**
- Explain the role of bacteria in food processing. Explain any four types of bacteria on the basis of their characteristics and use. 12
5. (A) What are Yeasts ? Give an account of its classification. 4
- (B) Explain the structure of moulds. 4
- (C) What are the uses of Yeast in Food processing ? 4

OR

- (P) Give an account of nutrition of Fungi. 4
- (Q) Explain the importance of Fungi in Food processing. 4
- (R) Discuss the classification of fungi. 4
6. (A) What is Media ? Explain the composition. 4
- (B) Explain simple staining in brief. 4
- (C) Explain the terms pure culture, isolation with examples. 4

OR

- (P) Give an account of MPN Method. 4
- (Q) Explain the direct cell count method. 4
- (R) Give an account of maintenance and preservation of media. 4
7. What are the causes of contamination ? How can it be prevented ? What is the normal microflora found in basic food stuffs ? 12

OR

What is Fermentation ? Discuss the advantages and uses. 12

