

B.Sc. (Part—II) Semester—IV Examination
4S : BIOTECHNOLOGY (R/V)
(Genetic Engineering and Microbial Biotechnology)

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

- Note** :— (1) **ALL** questions are compulsory.
 (2) Draw neat and labelled diagrams wherever necessary.

1. (A) Fill in the blanks : 2
- (i) Negative supercoiling in DNA is introduced by _____
- (ii) Size of DNA fragment is analysed by _____ gel electrophoresis.
- (iii) Transfer of DNA from one bacterial cell to other by bacteriophage is called as _____
- (iv) An example of organism used for the production of alcohol _____
- (B) Choose correct alternative : 2
- (i) There are _____ codons for protein synthesis.
- (a) 20 (b) 64
- (c) 100 (d) 81
- (ii) Marketed name of Human insulin under the Trade name is :
- (a) Immunoglobulin (b) Leucine
- (c) Humulin (d) Inulin
- (iii) Nature of Interferon is _____
- (a) Protein (b) Carbohydrates
- (c) Glycoprotein (d) Lipid
- (iv) The source of Taq DNA polymerase is _____
- (a) Thermophilus aquaticus (b) Toyponema palladium
- (c) Thermus aquaticus (d) All of the above

- (C) Answer in **one** sentence : 4
- (i) What is conjugation ?
 - (ii) Define Bioleaching.
 - (iii) What is continuous fermentation ?
 - (iv) Define cosmids.
2. Explain the structure of DNA and its replication in prokaryotes. 12
- OR**
- Explain in detail the mechanism of dark and light, DNA repair. 12
3. Explain the structure and regulation of lac operon. 12
- OR**
- Explain translation process in prokaryotes. 12
4. Explain :
- (a) PCR 4
 - (b) Gene library 4
 - (c) Southern blotting technique 4
- OR**
- (d) Phagemids 4
 - (e) DNA endonucleases 4
 - (f) Cosmids 4
5. Explain :
- (a) Interferon 4
 - (b) Growth hormones 4
 - (c) Dextran 4
- OR**
- (d) Insulin 4
 - (e) Amino acids as medicine 4
 - (f) Recombinant vaccine. 4

6. Explain the following :

- (a) Organisms involved in citric acid fermentation. 4
- (b) CSTR bioreactor. 4
- (c) Penicillin Recovery. 4

OR

- (d) Industrial production of Alcohol. 4
- (e) Amylase fermentation. 4
- (f) Differentiate between batch and continuous fermentation. 4

7. Explain the following :

- (a) Bioleaching with example. 4
- (b) Waste water treatment. 4
- (c) Biofertilizers with example. 4

OR

- (d) Xenobiotic compounds. 4
- (e) Microbial Bioremediation. 4
- (f) Give outline of biodiesel production. 4

