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**M.Sc. (Biotechnology) (Semester - I)**  
**BT-11 : Advanced Biological Chemistry**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 80]*

*Instructions to the candidates:*

- 1) *Question no. 1 is compulsory.*
- 2) *Answer any four from the remaining questions.*
- 3) *Marks are given in parentheses.*

**Q1)** Briefly describe any four of the following : **[4 × 5 = 20]**

- a) Give the principle of Fluorescence spectroscopy with its applications.
- b) Explain the structure of  $\beta$ -pleated sheet of a protein.
- c) Discuss the role of alkaloids in plant chemical defence.
- d) Define metabolic engineering. Give its role in metabolomics studies.
- e) Describe any one homopolysaccharide with example.

**Q2)** a) Give the manipulation of metabolic pathway at enzyme level. **[7]**

b) Discuss the protein degradation pathway by using ubiquitin. **[8]**

**Q3)** a) With the help of schematic diagram explain the components and working of UV-Visible spectroscopy. **[8]**

b) Describe the Soxhlet method for isolation of secondary metabolites. **[7]**

**Q4)** Answer the following :

- a) Give the pharmacological applications of terpenoids. **[5]**
- b) Discuss the importance of protein micro array in disease diagnosis. **[5]**
- c) Explain the three prominent ways of metabolic regulation. **[5]**

**P.T.O.**

**Q5)** Write a short notes on :

- a) Metabolic Flux. [5]
- b) Site directed mutagenesis. [5]
- c) Henderson-Hesselbach equation. [5]

**Q6)** Describe in detail non covalent interactions involved in forming tertiary structure of a protein. [15]



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**M.Sc. (Biotechnology) (Semester - I)**  
**BT-12 : Molecular & Cell Biology**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 80]*

*Instructions to the candidates:*

- 1) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 2) Question no. 1 is compulsory. Solve any four of the remaining.
- 3) Use of colour pencils restricted to diagrams.

**Q1)** Short notes on : (any four) **[ $4 \times 5 = 20$ ]**

- a) Tyrosine kinase receptor.
- b) Sugar transport in plants.
- c) Cell cycle.
- d) Pharmacogenomics.
- e) Natural defense against diseases.

**Q2)** a) Explain the mechanism of protein transport to chloroplast. **[7]**

- b) How are auxins delivered to the target cells? Add a note on their mode of action. **[8]**

**Q3)** Short notes on : **[ $5 \times 3 = 15$ ]**

- a) Photophosphorylation.
- b) Jagendorff's experiment.
- c) Hill's reaction.

**Q4)** a) Explain in detail - Genes involved in early development with the help of suitable example. **[7]**

- b) Describe role of secondary messengers with example. **[8]**

**P.T.O.**

**Q5)** Describe in detail process of prokaryotic transcription. [15]

**Q6)** Short notes on : [5 × 3 = 15]

- a) Alkylating agents & mutations.
- b) Nucleotide excision repair.
- c) O-linked glycosylation.



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**M.Sc. (Biotechnology) (Semester - I)**  
**BT-13 : Environmental Biotechnology**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 80*

*Instructions to the candidates:*

- 1) *Question no. 1 is compulsory.*
- 2) *Out of the remaining questions attempt any four.*
- 3) *Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
- 4) *Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*

**Q1)** Write short notes on : (any four) **[4 × 5 = 20]**

- a) Gas law governing dispersion of air pollution.
- b) Agenda 21.
- c) Measures for noise control.
- d) Conservation biotechnology.
- e) Ecolabeling.

**Q2)** Compare and contrast between renewable and non-renewable energy sources. Justify the advantages of renewable energy sources giving appropriate examples. **[15]**

**Q3)** a) Explain the principle of GIS. Give its applications in ecological mapping. **[8]**  
b) What is EIA? Write guidelines for EIA with an appropriate case study. **[7]**

**Q4)** a) Explain the principle and methodology involved in nitrogen removal in waste water treatment. **[8]**  
b) Write a note on environmental priorities in India. **[7]**

**P.T.O.**

**Q5)** a) Elaborate on biological treatment strategies for air pollution abatement. [8]

b) Define soil pollution. Discuss its causes and harmful effects on environment. [7]

**Q6)** a) Explain physical operations applied in waste water treatment and elaborate on adsorption operation. [8]

b) Describe in detail aerobic attached growth process for removal of organisms in waste water treatment. [7]



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**M.Sc. (BIOTECHNOLOGY) (Semester - II)**

**BT-21 : Genetic Engineering**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 80]*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of five questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the two sections must be written in separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**SECTION - I**

- Q1)** a) What are cosmids? Describe their applications with examples. [8]  
b) Describe criteria to select plasmids as cloning vectors. [8]
- Q2)** a) Describe Maxam and Gilbert's technique of DNA sequencing. [8]  
b) Describe with example different enzymes used in genetic Engineering. [8]
- Q3)** a) Describe different methods of construction of rDNA molecules. [8]  
b) Explain the use of RFLP in detection of genetic disorders. [8]
- Q4)** Write explanatory notes on any two of the following : [16]  
a) Genetically engineered biotherapeutics.  
b) Star activity of restriction enzymes & its significance.  
c) Lambda replacement vectors.

## **SECTION - II**

- Q5)** a) Describe different methods of transfer of rDNA molecules to host cells. [8]  
b) What is RT-PCR? Describe the technique & its applications. [8]
- Q6)** a) Describe different strategies in primer designing. [8]  
b) Describe the technique of maximization of production of proteins using expression vectors. [8]
- Q7)** a) Discuss recombinant retro viruses as gene delivery systems for gene therapy protocols. [8]  
b) What is genomic DNA library? Describe the technique & its uses. [8]
- Q8)** Write explanatory notes on any two of the following : [16]  
a) Hybrid arrested translation & its applications.  
b) Cytogenetic maps.  
c) DNA markers in plants.



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**M.Sc. (Biotechnology) (Semester - II)**

**BT 22 : Bioinformatics  
(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 80]*

*Instructions to the candidates:*

- 1) Attempt total five questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answer to the two sections must be written in separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

### **SECTION - I**

**Q1)** Explain use of genomic databases to obtain the desired sequences. Add a note on features of any one desired genomic database. **[16]**

**Q2)** a) What are the important features in paire wise alignment of sequences using BLAST? **[8]**

b) How will you find out a gene by using a tool of bioinformatics? **[8]**

**Q3)** What are drug targets? What is the role of bioinformatics in drug designing? **[16]**

**Q4)** Write notes on : **[16]**

- a) Genebank.
- b) PDB.

## **SECTION - II**

- Q5)*** a) What are annotations? Explain with the help of suitable example. [8]  
b) Draw Ramchandran plot & discuss its importance in protein chemistry. [8]
- Q6)*** a) Discuss use of scop in protein structure classification. [8]  
b) Explain the importance of SWISS PROT in protein sequence analysis. [8]
- Q7)*** a) What are the strategies used in epitope prediction? [8]  
b) What is the role of bioinformatics in analysis of protein structure-function relationship? [8]
- Q8)*** Write notes on : [16]  
a) Bioinformatics business models.  
b) Commercial research funding in bioinformatics.



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**M.Sc. (BIOTECHNOLOGY) (Semester - II)**

**BT-23 : Plant Biotechnology  
(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 80]*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of five question selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the two sections must be written in separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**SECTION - I**

**Q1)** a) What is Plant Biotechnology? How is it different from Plant Biology? [8]

b) Mention at least three economically important algae and explain use of biotechnology for qualitative and quantitative improvement of any one. [8]

**Q2)** Mention at least four economically important Fungi. Explain use of Fungal biotechnology for qualitative improvement of any two. [16]

**Q3)** What are the advantages of embryogenesis over organogenesis as route of multiplication during micropropagation? Cite two examples. [16]

**Q4)** Write explanatory notes on any two of the following : [16]

- a) Transgenics for secondary metabolites.
- b) Importance of callus cultures.
- c) Use of PGRs in plant biotechnology.

## **SECTION - II**

- Q5)** Explain any one method of developing transgenic plants, cite at least two examples. **[16]**
- Q6)** Enlist the applications of transgenic plants. Explain with suitable examples any two. **[16]**
- Q7)** a) What are biopesticides? How are these manufactured? Cite two examples. **[8]**  
b) What are somatic hybrids? Explain any two applications. **[8]**
- Q8)** Write explanatory notes on any two of the following : **[16]**
- a) Application of haploids in crop improvement.
  - b) Plantibodies.
  - c) SCP.



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**M.Sc. (Biotechnology) (Semester - III)**

**BT-31 : Animal Biotechnology  
(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 80]*

*Instructions to the candidates:*

- 1) *Attempt a total of five questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.*
- 2) *Answers to the two sections must be written on separate answer books.*
- 3) *Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*
- 4) *Figures to the right indicate full marks.*

### **SECTION - I**

- Q1)** Mention animal cell culture systems. Explain any one type with reference to maintenance and growth. [16]
- Q2)** What are stem cells? How are they identified? Explain the procedure for long term maintenance and characterization of stem cell cultures. [16]
- Q3)** Explain : [16]
- a) Hazards of artificial breeding of live stock.
  - b) Methods of conservation of live stock.
- Q4)** Write explanatory notes on any two of the following : [16]
- a) Gene banking.
  - b) Heterogeneity of stem cells.
  - c) Applications of animal cell cultures.

## **SECTION - II**

**Q5)** Explain the methodology of in vitro fertilization in animals. Add a note on follow up of the immediate products of in vitro fertilization. [16]

**Q6)** Describe in detail the procedures to obtain transgenic animal. [16]

**Q7)** Explain : [16]

- a) Advantages of artificial insemination.
- b) Bioethical issues arising out of transgenic animals.

**Q8)** Write explanatory notes on any two of the following : [16]

- a) Methods of germ cell storage.
- b) Embryo transfer and its application.
- c) Knock out mice.



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**M.Sc. (BIOTECHNOLOGY) (Semester - III)**

**BT-32 : Fermentation Technology**  
**(2008 Pattern) (New)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 80]*

*Instructions to the candidates:*

- 1) Attempt a total of five question selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the two sections must be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

### SECTION - I

**Q1)** With the help of suitable diagram(s) describe the operational aspects of the two basic types of impeller systems used in typical fermenters. [16]

**Q2)** a) With the help of a diagram explain how shear forces are reduced in bubble column reactors. [8]  
b) What is non mechanical agitation? Explain its need and advantages over mechanical agitation. [8]

**Q3)** a) Explain properties of stainless steel that make it compatible for use in construction of bioreactors. [8]  
b) Illustrate and describe the construction of combined impeller aerators. [8]

**Q4)** Write explanatory notes on any two of the following : [16]  
a) Advantages of salting out for recovery of enzymes.  
b) Bioprocess as better means for production of organic acids.  
c) Control of precursors on metabolite production.

**P.T.O.**

## **SECTION - II**

**Q5)** Explain the use of centrifugation as a unit - process in downstream processing of a fermentation product, using suitable example and equipment diagrams. [16]

**Q6)** a) Draw and explain the flow chart for down stream processing for recovery of ethanol from fermented broth. [8]

b) Explain the biochemistry of methane production. [8]

**Q7)** a) State and explain the applications of lactic acid bacteria for betterment of human life. [8]

b) Explain the role of feedback inhibition in regulating the over production of microbial metabolites. [8]

**Q8)** Write explanatory notes on any two of the following : [16]

a) Use of solvents in enzyme recovery.

b) Limitations of chemical processes as compared to bioprocesses in manufacture of secondary metabolites.

c) Control of over production of metabolites by inhibitors.



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**M.Sc. (BIOTECHNOLOGY) (Semester - III)**

**BT-33a : Principles of Virology  
(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 40]*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of four question selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the two sections must be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

### **SECTION - I**

- Q1)** What are viruses? Mention the characters used for their classification. Draw and explain any one scheme of classification of viruses. [10]
- Q2)** Explain the process of replication of Polio virus and HIV. [10]
- Q3)** Write notes on : [10]  
a) Ultra structure of T4 bacteriophage.  
b) Diagnosis of viral diseases.

### **SECTION - II**

- Q4)** Explain various aspects of epidemiology of measles. [10]
- Q5)** a) Enlist at least three viral diseases of plants and describe structure of causative virus for any one disease. [5]  
b) How does Hepatitis B virus evoke pathogenic responses? [5]
- Q6)** Write notes on : [10]  
a) Poultry viruses.  
b) Viral vaccines.



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**M.Sc. (BIOTECHNOLOGY) (Semester - III)**

**BT-33b : Advanced Immunology  
(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 40]*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of four question selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the two sections must be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

### **SECTION - I**

**Q1)** Explain with the help of an appropriate example, role of cell or tissue system in immune system. [10]

**Q2)** Give a concise account of evolution of immune response in plants. [10]

**Q3)** Write short notes on : [10]

- a) Monoclonal antibody.
- b) Auto immune system.

### **SECTION - II**

**Q4)** Explain with the help of an appropriate example, use of transgenic animals in immunology. [10]

**Q5)** Mention the steps involved in large scale manufacture of antibodies and explain any one step. [10]

**Q6)** Write short notes on : [10]

- a) Polyvalent Vaccines.
- b) Immunodiagnostics.



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**M.Sc. (Semester - IV)**  
**BIOTECHNOLOGY**

**BT - 41 : Genomics and Proteomics**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 60*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of Five questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the two sections should be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**SECTION - I**

**Q1)** Explain how directed sequencing technique is useful for whole genome analysis. [12]

**Q2)** Explain with the help of an appropriate example, how sequence based modeling can be used in structural genomics. [12]

**Q3)** Give an explanatory account of any one of the following: [12]

- a) SAGE in functional genomics..
- b) Transcriptomics.

**Q4)** Write notes on any two of the following: [12]

- a) Use of pharmacogenomics in drug discovery.
- b) RNAi for studying gene expression.
- c) Toxicogenomics.

## **SECTION - II**

**Q5)** What is protein structure initiative? How is it useful in structural proteomics? [12]

**Q6)** Explain the role of proteomics in drug development. Cite appropriate examples. [12]

**Q7)** Enlist different strategies used in proteomics and elaborate any one strategy. Cite appropriate examples. [12]

**Q8)** Write notes on any two of the following: [12]

- a) Proteomics for screening of diagnostic markers.
- b) PDB.
- c) Understanding Protein - Protein interactions.



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**M.Sc. (Semester - IV)**  
**BIOTECHNOLOGY**

**BT - 42 : Legal and Ethical Aspects in Biotechnology and IPR**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 60*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of Five questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the sections must be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**SECTION -I**

**Q1)** What are different types of properties? To which type you would assign a patentable invention? Why? [12]

**Q2)** What is Budapest Treaty? Explain its contribution in Biotechnological IPs. Explain with an appropriate example. [12]

**Q3)** Explain the procedures for

- a) Transfer of a copyright. [6]
- b) Controlling infringement of a patent. [6]

**Q4)** Write notes on: [12]

- a) Patent on transgenic plants.
- b) Plant Breeders' rights.

## **SECTION - II**

**Q5)** What is an industrial design? Justify such design as an intellectual property. Mention the legal provisions that protect such designs. [12]

**Q6)** Compare the Patent Act 1970 (India) and recently ammended Patent Act with reference to Biotechnology patents. [12]

**Q7)** Explain:

- a) Protection of Farmers' rights. [6]
- b) Significance of Geographical Indication. [6]

**Q8)** Write notes on: [12]

- a) Mandate of WTO with reference to biotechnology.
- b) Role of Biodiversity Act.



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**M.Sc. (Semester - IV)**  
**BIOTECHNOLOGY**

**BT - 43 : Clinical Research and Database Management**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 1½ Hours*

*[Max. Marks : 40*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of Four questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the sections must be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**SECTION - I**

**Q1)** State important legislations and regulations that govern clinical research.

**[10]**

**Q2)** What are Biologics? Mention the processes for research, development and licencing of Biologics. **[10]**

**Q3)** Write notes on any two of the following: **[10]**

- a) Rights of a patient.
- b) Approval of a new drug.
- c) Aims and objectives of FDA.

**SECTION - II**

**Q4)** Elaborate the process of designing and development of protocol for clinical trials. **[10]**

**P.T.O.**

**Q5)** Enlist the fields of information for a clinical research database. Elaborate any one field. **[10]**

**Q6)** Write notes on any two of the following: **[10]**

- a) Query resolution process.
- b) Recording non serious adverse events.
- c) Design of a case report form.



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**M.Sc. (Semester - IV)**  
**BIOTECHNOLOGY**

**BT - 44a : Nanobiotechnology**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 1½ Hours*

*[Max. Marks : 40*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of Four questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the two sections must be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**SECTION - I**

**Q1)** Mention physico chemical features that define nanoparticles. Add a note on scope of nanoscience. **[10]**

**Q2)** Explain the applications of nanomaterials in Chemical and material sciences. **[10]**

**Q3)** Write notes on: **[10]**

- a) Nanobiosensors.
- b) Nanobiotechnology in separation of cell organelles.

**SECTION - II**

**Q4)** Enlist the methods of synthesis of nanoparticles. Explain any one method. **[10]**

*P.T.O.*

**Q5)** How are nanoparticles processed for their effective application to biological systems? **[10]**

**Q6)** Write notes on: **[10]**

- a) Nanomaterials for drug delivery.
- b) Applications of nanowires.



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**M.Sc. (Semester - IV)**  
**BIOTECHNOLOGY**

**BT - 44b : Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Medicines**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 60*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of Five questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the two sections must be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**SECTION - I**

**Q1)** Explain the ultrastructure of an unfertilized Mature Ovum (Mammal). [12]

**Q2)** Describe post fertilization subcellular changes in Ovum that lead to a viable Zygote formation. [12]

**Q3)** a) Describe the process of establishment of cell lineages. [6]

b) What is embryonic induction? Mention the events involved in it. [6]

**Q4)** Write notes on: [12]

a) Pattern formation.

b) Structure of sperm cell.

## **SECTION - II**

**Q5)** Explain the features of stem cells. Describe the characteristics of embryonic stem cells. **[12]**

**Q6)** What is ES cell technology? Explain its applications. **[12]**

**Q7)** What are knock outs? How are they obtained? Explain their applications. **[12]**

**Q8)** Write notes on: **[12]**

- a) Ethical issues in human cloning.
- b) Advantages of transgenic animals.



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**M.Sc. (Semester - IV)**  
**BIOTECHNOLOGY**

**BT - 44c : Agricultural Biotechnology**  
**(2008 Pattern)**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 60*

**Instructions to the candidates:**

- 1) Attempt a total of Five questions selecting atleast two questions from each section.
- 2) Answers to the sections must be written on separate answer books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**SECTION - I**

**Q1)** Enlist the methods of production of homozygous plants. Explain the method that is commercially viable in agrobiotechnology. [12]

**Q2)** Explain with the help of appropriate examples the use of embryo rescue technique in plant breeding. [12]

**Q3)** Explain the advantages of micropropagation of oil seed crops. [12]

**Q4)** Write notes on: [12]

- a) Experimental polyembryony.
- b) Endosperm culture.

## **SECTION - II**

**Q5)** Enlist the applications of transgenic plants and explain any two with suitable examples. **[12]**

**Q6)** How do gametoclinal variations arise in vitro? How are these employed in agrobiotechnology? **[12]**

**Q7)** Explain the method of use of bioreactor for large scale production of plants. Add a note on its advantages over conventional micropropagation. **[12]**

**Q8)** Write notes on: **[12]**

- a) Metabolic engineering.
- b) Biopesticides.

