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March-2022 B.Sc., Sem.- I

101: Microbiology

(Introduction to Microbial World)

Tim	e:2 I	[Max. Marks : 50
Inst	ructio	ns: (1) Attempt any three questions from Q No. 1 to Q No. 8. (2) Question No. 9 is compulsory. (3) Draw figures wherever necessary. (4) Figures to the right indicate marks.
1.		Define Germ theory of disease and describe the experiment of Robert Koch in detail.
	(B)	What is abiogenesis? Describe experimental evidence against abiogenesis.
2.	(A)	What are chemotherapeutic agents? Describe in detail about modern chemotherapy.
	(B)	Describe the developments in soil microbiology.
3.	(A)	Enlist microbial habitats and describe microbial diversity in soil as habitat.
	(B)	Describe distinctive features and characteristics of bacteria.
4.	(A)	What are eukaryotes? Describe the general characteristics of fungi.
	(B)	Write a note on any two acellular entities.
5.	(A)	Describe in detail about microbiology branch.
	(B)	Write a short note on genetic engineering and biotechnology.
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6.	(A)	Describe the principles and methods used for isolation of bacteria.	7
	(B)	What is preservation? Discuss the methods used for the preservation of pure culture.	7
7.	(A)	Write a detail note on bright field microscopy.	7
	(B)	Briefly explain principle and applications of electron microscopy.	7
8.	(A)	What is differential staining? Explain the mechanism of gram's staining technique.	7
	(B)	Discuss microbiological uses of dyes and stains.	7
9.	Give	e short and specific answers in 1-2 lines only: (any eight)	8
	(1)	Mention the contribution of Richard Petri in the field of microbiology.	
	(2)	What are animalcules?	
	(3)	Who discovered the causative agent of mosaic disease of tobacco?	
	(4)	What are vaccines?	
	(5)	Which chemical was first used as disinfectant?	
	(6)	Define fermentation	
	(7)	What are viroids?	
	(8)	Who developed the vaccine against Chicken Cholera?	
	(9)	What is nomenclature?	
	(10)	Define contamination	
	(11)	What is lyophilization?	
	(12)	What are decolourizers?	
	(13)	What is biotechnology?	
	(14)	What is numerical aperture?	
	(15)	Write two uses of phase contrast microscopy.	
	(16)	Write a full form of TEM.	

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