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B. Sc. GENERAL (SEMESTER PATTERN)

B. Sc. THIRD YEAR

MICROBIOLOGY – CURRICULUM

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Dept. of Microbiology

B. Sc. Degree, Course Structure

Subject: Microbiology

Sr. No.	Se mes ter	Paper No.	Title of paper	Total periods/week	Total period	Total Marks	Credits
1	I	I	Introductory Microbiology	03	45	50	02
		II	Methods in Microbiology	03	45	50	02
		Lab Course MB01	Practicals based on theory papers -I&II	06	12 practicals	50	02
2	II	III	Basics of Microbiology, Biomolecules & Genomics	03	45	50	02
		IV	Microbial Nutrition and Growth	03	45	50	02
		Lab Course MB02	Practicals based on theory papers - III&IV	06	12 practicals	50	02
3	III	V	Applied microbiology	03	45	50	02
		VI	Immunology	03	45	50	02
		Lab Course MB03,4	Practicals based on theory papers - V&VI	06	12 practicals	50	02

4	IV	VII	Envoronmental Microbiology	03	45	50	02
		VIII	Medical microbiology	03	45	50	02
		Lab Course MB05, MB06	Practicals based on theory papers – VII & VIII	06	12 practicals	50	02
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5	V	IX	Microbial genetics	03	45	50	02
		X	Biocatalyst and Microbial metabolism	03	45	50	02
		Lab Course MB07, MB08	Practicals based on theory papers IX & X	06	12 Practical	50	02
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6	VI	XI	Molecular biology	03	45	50	02
		XII	Microbial technology	03	45	50	02
		Lab Course MB09, MB10	Practicals based on theory papers XI & XII	06	12 Practical	50	02
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1	V	IX	Microbial genetics	03	45	50	02
		X	Biocatalyst and Microbial metabolism	03	45	50	02
		Lab Course MB-07, MB-08	Practicals based on theory papers IX & X	06	12	50	02
					Practicals	50	02
2	VI	XI	Molecular biology	03	45	50	02
		XII	Microbial technology	03	45	50	02
		Lab Course MB09, MB10	Practicals based on theory papers XI & XII	06	12	50	02
					Practicals	50	02

Note: B.Sc. I,II,III year practical's includes Studies of growth and life activities of microorganisms.

These Studies needs two consecutive days for completion of practical

Workload:

1. Theory: Per paper per week three periods

2. Practical: Per batch per week one practical (Four periods) for two consecutive days (04+04= 08 periods)

INTRODUCTION

Microbiology has been at the forefront of research in industry, environment, agriculture, food, dairy, medicine and biology. It is one of the rapidly growing and applied areas of the science. There many job opportunities available for student in this stream. Industrial production and management are some of the areas in which trained manpower is needed.

Microbiology is one of the optional subjects for B.Sc. degree course of three years. I, II, &III. Students passed 10+2 are eligible for admission. Language of Medium is English. Microbiology curriculum(Course structure) is given as per Annexure-1, Syllabus for B. Sc III year given as per Annexure-2.

The pattern of question paper, standard of passing is as per norms given by BOE of Rajarshi Shahu Mahavidhyalaya, Latur (Autonomous)

The admission procedure for course is as per college norms.

Teacher's qualifications are as per UGC norms.

The list of laboratory Equipments and Instruments are as per Annexur-3.

GENERAL OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

- The syllabus of course is designed to provide knowledge which is useful for making carrier in related fields.
- To promote students for self employment.
- To provide basic knowledge and skills to promote students in research and social scientific awareness.

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B. Sc. Third year (Semester - V)

MICROBIOLOGY

Maximum Marks: 50

Periods: 45

PAPER IX – MICROBIAL GENETICS

Learning Objectives:

To make the students to understand the mutations and repair mechanisms of damaged DNA.

To make the students aware of recombination and gene exchange processes in bacteria.

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Unit – I Mutations

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- 1.1 Types of Mutations: Somatic, Germ line, Base substitutions, Frame shift, Suppressor, Phenotypic effect of mutations
- 1.2 Spontaneous mutation: Mismatching of Bases due to Tautomerism, Deamination, Depurination and Damage due to Oxidative Metabolism
- 1.3 Evidences for spontaneous mutations: Replica plate techniques, Fluctuation test
- 1.4 Induced mutations: Physical and Chemical Mutagenic agents
- 1.5 Ames Test to identify chemical mutagens

Unit – II Repair of DNA damage

10L

- 2.1 Introduction
- 2.2 Photo-reactivation
- 2.3 SOS system
- 2.4 Nucleotide Excision Repair (NER)
- 2.5 Base Excision Repair (BER)
- 2.6 Mismatch Excision Repair (MER)

Unit – III Recombination and transposable elements

11L

- 3.1 Types of recombination process:
 - i) Homologous Recombination in *E. coli* (Holliday Model) Initiation, Synapsis, Branch Migration and resolution.
 - ii) Site Specific Recombination (Integrative and Excessive Recombination)
 - iii) Illegitimate Recombination (Non-Homologous Recombination)
- 3.2 Transposition:
 - i. Transposable Elements in Prokaryotes

ii. Insertion sequences, Transposons

Unit – IV Gene transfer in bacteria

14L

4.1 Transformation

a. Mechanism of transformation (Competence, Binding, Penetration, Synapsis and Integration)

4.2 Conjugation

i. Discovery of conjugation in bacteria

ii. Mechanism of Conjugation

iii. Formation of *Hfr*, F' and Sexduction

4.3 Transduction

i. Discovery of transduction in bacteria

ii. Generalized and Specialized transduction

iii. Abortive transduction

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MICROBIOLOGY

PAPER NO. X

COURSE:–BIOCATALYST and MICROBIAL METABOLISM

Maximum Marks: 50

Periods: 45

Learning Objectives:

- To understand basic principles of enzymology.
 - To gain knowledge about microbial metabolism.
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Unit-I Enzymes, enzyme kinetics and immobilization

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- 1.1 Definition, General properties, physicochemical nature of enzymes, Types of enzymes :
extracellular, intracellular, constitutive, inducible
- 1.2 Enzyme kinetics -i. Michaelis–Menten equation ii. Applications (Lineweaver-Burk Plot)
- 1.3 Factors influencing enzyme activity
- i. Temperature
 - ii. pH
 - iii. Substrate concentration
 - iv. Enzyme concentration
 - v. Activators
 - vi. Redox Potential
- 1.4 Immobilization of enzymes and cells
- 1.5 Methods of immobilizing enzymes Covalent linkage, Adsorption, microencapsulation, entrapment
- 1.6 Advantages of immobilized enzymes and cells and limitations.

Unit-II Enzyme inhibition and Regulation

11 L

- 2.1 Enzyme inhibition
- i. Reversible Inhibition
 - ii. Competitive Inhibition
 - iii. Non-Competitive Inhibition
 - iv. Uncompetitive Inhibition
 - v. Irreversible Inhibition
 - vi. Substrate and Product Inhibition, Allosteric Inhibition
- 2.2 Regulation of enzyme -Multienzyme System and Regulation

2.3 Isoenzymes

2.4 Coenzymes

Unit-III Microbial Metabolism

12L

3.1 Definitions i. Metabolism ii. Catabolism iii. Anabolism

3.2 Energy yielding biochemical process

i. Role of ATP in metabolism

ii. Role of reducing power in metabolism

iii. Modes of ATP generation.

3.3 Biochemistry of fueling reaction in heterotrophs

i. EMP (Embden Meyerhof Parnas pathway)

ii. HMP (Hexose Monophosphate Pathway)

iii. ED (Entner Doudoroff Pathway)

iv. PKP (Phosphoketolase Pathway)

v. TCA (Tri Carboxylic Acid cycle)

vi. RETC (Respiratory Electron Transport Chain)

3.4 Hydrocarbon metabolism

Unit-IV Pathways of Microbial Fermentations

10L

4.1 Alcohol Fermentation

Ethanol fermentation by Yeasts, the Pasteur effect,

Ethanol Fermentation by Bacteria

4.2 Lactate Fermentation i. Homo and Hetero Fermentative Pathways

4.4 Mixed Acid and Butanediol Fermentation

4.5 Butyrate and Butanol- Acetone Fermentation

4.6 Propionate and Succinate fermentations

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Microbiology

Lab Course-MB 07

Maximum Marks: 50

Periods: 45

(Based on Theory paper: IX)

1. Replica plate Technique.
2. Effect of UV radiations to study the survival pattern of *E. coli* /yeast.
3. Repair mechanisms in *E.coli* / yeast (Dark and Photo reactivation).
4. Isolation of antibiotics resistant Bacterial Mutants by Physical mutagenesis
5. Isolation of antibiotic resistant mutants by chemical mutagenesis.
6. Ampicillin selection method for isolation of auxotrophic mutants.
7. Study of Conjugation in *E. coli*.
8. Isolation of lac mutant of *E col*

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Microbiology

Maximum Marks: 50

Periods: 45

Lab Course-MB 08

1. Study of enzymes (Lecithinase , Gelatinase , Lipase, Casienase , Catalase , cellulose).
2. Estimation of enzyme activity and determination of Km.
3. Effect of various physicochemical parameters on amylase activity (pH, Temp).
4. Fermentative production of Production of amylase.
5. Immobilization of enzyme by alginate method.
6. Isolation of hydrocarbon degrading microorganisms

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MICROBIOLOGY

PAPER NO. XI – MOLECULAR MICROBIOLOGY

Maximum Marks: 50

Lectures: 45

Objective:

To make the students to understand the molecular biology

To make the students to recognize the modern techniques of genetic engineering

Unit - I Genes and genetic code 10L

1.1 Genes, genome, plasmone

1.2 Genes within a Genome, Genome size and complexity, Recon, muton, cistron

1.3 Eubacterial genome, archeal genome, fungal and yeast genomes, T4 genes and genome

1.4 Characteristics of Genetic code:

(Triplet code, comma free, non-overlapping, degenerate, start and stop signals and wobble hypothesis)

Unit – II Gene Expression 11L

2.1 Structure of RNA Polymerase (RNAP) and the Process of transcription

2.2 Structure of Ribosomes, t-RNA and the Process of Translation

2.3 The transcriptome and proteome

2.4 Transcriptional regulation of gene Expression:

i) The *lac* Operon of *E. coli*

ii) The *trp* Operon of *E. coli*

Unit – III Advanced molecular biology 10L

3.1 PCR: different types, applications (RFLP, RAPD, DNA fingerprinting)

3.2 DNA sequencing: Maxam and Gilbert's method, Sanger's method,

3.3 Blotting techniques: Southern blotting, Northern blotting, Western blotting

Unit - IV Gene cloning 14L

4.1 Introduction, Definition and Purpose of Cloning

4.2 Outline of gene cloning procedure (shot gun method)

4.3 Insertion of target DNA into vector: Cohesive end ligation, blunt end ligation, homopolymer tailing, use of linkers and adaptors

4.4 Gel Electrophoresis

4.5 Methods of gene transfer: CaCl₂ Transformation, Electroporation, Liposome fusion, Transfection

4.6 Screening Strategies (In brief)

i. Insertional inactivation

- ii. Immunochemical methods
 - iii. Colony hybridization
 - iv. cDNA cloning of human insulin gene in *E.coli*
- 4.8 Synthetic microbiology
- i. health care: insulin
 - ii. Agriculture: Bt cotton
 - iii. Pollution : SOX and NOX gene cloning

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PAPER NO. XII – MICRBIAL TECHNOLOGY

Maximum Marks: 50

Lectures: 45

Learning objectives

To understand antigen scope of industrial microbiology

To study application of bioprocess technology

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UNIT I: Definition and Scope of Industrial Microbiology

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- 1.1. Introduction, Definition, Scope and Development of Industrial Microbiology.
- 1.2. Role of microbiologist in biopharma technology.
- 1.3. Bioprocess technology
- 1.4. In vitro- Fermentors
- 1.5. Types of Fermentor: laboratory fermentor, pilot plant fermentor, industrial fermentor, Horton sphere., Tubular, fed batch, fluidised bed reactor, tower fermentor (In brief).
- 1.6. Types of fermentation: Batch, continuous,SSF,surface, submerged fermentations
- 1.7. Automation in bioprocess technology.

UNIT II: Methods in Industrial Microbiology

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- 2.1 Introduction, Screening Techniques (Primary and secondary), Strain improvement (Basic idea in brief),
- 2.2. Stock culture and its maintenance (serial subculture, overlaying with mineral oil, lyophilization, liquid nitrogen, soil stock).
- 2.3. Inoculum development , Fermentation media, (substances used as raw materials for formulation of fermentation media) and its sterilization (batch and continuous).
- 2.4. Bioassays • Bioassay of - Amino acids, vitamins.
- 2.5. Bioassay - Antibiotics.
- 2.6. Quality Control • Quality control tests- purity testing, Microbial Limit Test (MLT).
Pyrogen testing (LAL test), Minimum Inhibitory Concentration(MIC)
- 2.7.FDA and Good Manufacturing Practices

UNIT III: Down stream processing

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- 3.1 Introduction, Recovery and purification of fermentation products
- 3.2 Solids (Insolubles) removal (Filtration, centrifugation, coagulation and flocculation, foam fractionation) ,Cell disruption.
- 3.3 Recovery of product (liquid extraction, ion exchange adsorption, precipitation), Purification (Chromatography, carbon decolorization , crystallization),
- 3.4 Product Isolation (Crystalline processing, drying, packing etc).

UNIT IV: Typical Bioprocess production

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- 4.1 Beverages (Beer, Wine),
- 4.2 Organic acid (Citric acid, lactic acid),
- 4.3 Antibiotics (Penicillin,Cephalosporein)
- 4.4 Therapeutic proteins-anticancer products.
- 4.5 Bioinsecticide (Thuricide), Amino acids (Lysine),
- 4.6 Enzyme (Amylase). Nutraceuticals.

(Production strain, Fermentation media, Fermentation conditions, metabolic pathway involved in synthesis of the product, Product recovery operations, Uses).

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Microbiology

Lab Course-MB- 09

Maximum Marks: 50

Periods: 45

[Based On Theory Paper XI]

1. Studies on gene expression in *E. coli* with reference to Lac operon.
2. Isolation of chromosomal DNA (bacteria/ fungi), qualitative and quantitative analysis.
3. Isolation of plasmid DNA
4. Agarose gel electrophoresis of DNA
5. Restriction digestion and agarose gel electrophoresis of DNA.
6. Isolation of bacterial DNA from Soil/ Water/ Food/ blood, PCR amplification and confirmation by gel electrophoresis
7. Amplification of DNA by PCR.
8. Multiplex PCR demonstration
9. RFLP analysis using gel electrophoresis
10. RAPD analysis

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Microbiology

Lab Course: MB -10

Maximum Marks: 50

Periods: 45

1. Primary screening of antibiotic producers, enzyme producers.
2. Primary screening of organic acid producers and diacetyl producer.
3. Bioassay of penicillin and vitamin B₁₂.
4. Fermentative production of wine.
5. Production of citric acid (Surface / submerged) & its estimation by Titrable acidity
6. Fermentative production of wine & and its estimation by titrable acidity.

7. Fermentative production of enzyme amylase.

8. Recovery of product : amylase , citric acid.

List of the Equipments / Instruments

Sr.no.	Equipments / Instruments	Sr.no.	Equipments / Instruments
1.	Shaker 24x24 (1)	23.	Hot air oven (1)
2.	VDRL shaker (1)	24.	Electrophoresis kit (1)
3.	Autoclave (3)	25.	Magnetic stirrer (1)
4.	Incubator (2)	26.	Vortex mixture (1)
5.	Water bath (1)	27.	UV chamber (1)
6.	Photocolorimeter (2)	28.	Paper chromatography Assembly (1)
7.	Spectrophotometer (1)	29.	Refrigerator kelvinator (1)
8.	Warming table (1)	30.	pH meter (1)
9.	Heating mantle (1)	31.	Bottle washing machine (1)
10.	TLC kit (1)	32.	Soxhalet accelerator (1)
11.	Rough balance (1)	33.	Vacuum pump (1)
12.	Fine balance (1)	35.	Pipette washing machine (1)
13.	One pan balance (1)	36.	ESR assembly (1)
14.	Distillation plant(steel) (1)	37.	Seitz filter assembly (1)
15.	Microscope with oil emulsion objective(14)	38.	Micropipette (5)
16.	Slide projector Automatic (1)	39.	Lab research microscope (microne) (3)
17.	Haemocytometer (9)	40.	Metzes optik monocular microscope model METZ_777 (2)
18.	Haemoglobinometer (9)	41.	Digital photoelectric meter (systronics) make type 112 (1)
19.	Electronics balance (1)	42.	Drier heavy duty Philips (1)
20.	Micrometer slide (2)	43.	Vacuum cleaner.Eureks forbes make trendly model (1)
21.	Hot plate (1)	44.	Electronics balance contech model CA-124 ,0.1 mg to 120 gm (1)

22.	Homogenater (1)	45.	Distillation unit (Bhanu make) (1)
Sr.no.	Equipments / Instruments	Sr.no.	Equipments / Instruments
46.	Godrej Refrigerator 1.Model no.280 litre (30 DY)(1) 2.Model no.230 litre (24AC)(1)	52.	Anaerobic jar (kumar make) (1)
47.	Colony counter digital (1)	53.	Lab Fermenter 5 lit capacity make (DYNA biotech) (1)
48.	Orbital shaking incubator (CIS-24)with voltage stabilizer	54.	Air compressor with motor (Apollo) (1)
49.	Cooling centrifuge (C-24 BL) with voltage stabilizer	52.	Anaerobic jar (kumar make) (1)
50.	Deluxe laboratory centrifuge (R-8C) (1)		
51.	Laminar air flow microfilt(microfilt make) (1)		