2012

M.Sc.

1st Semester Examination

MICROBIOLOGY

PAPER-IV (MCB-104)

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer any two questions from each group.

Group-A

[Marks : 20]

Answer any two questions.

 (a) Write the structure of two sulphur containing amino acid: Mention their significance in the maintaining the tertiary structure of protein.

- (b) Write brief notes on:
 - (i) Protein motif force.
 - (ii) Molecular cheperon.
- (c) What is the cleavage site of trypsin.

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- 2. (a) What is catalytic efficiency of enzyme?
 - (b) Why linear transformation of enzyme Kinetics is needed?
 - (c) State the limitation of L-B plot.
 - (d) What are components of F_0 - F_1 ATP use system? 2+3+2+3
- 3. Write short notes on (any four):

 $4\times2\frac{1}{2}$

- (a) Acetylation of protein.
- (b) Denaturation of protein.
- (c) Allosteric enzyme.
- (d) cAMP as second messanger.
- (e) Ramachandran plot.
- (f) Artificial membrane.
- (g) Ribozyme.
- (h) MAPK signaling pathway.

Group-B

[Marks: 20]

Answer any two questions.

4. (a) Describe the role of phosphotransferase system (PTS) in regulation of sugar metabolism.

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(b) Describe the role of Phosphoketolase enzyme in heterofermentation system.

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(c) State the metabolic importance of glucose-6-phosphate.

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5. (a) Describe the pathway of glutamine synthesis.

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(b) State its regulatory steps.

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(c) What is PHB?

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6. Write short notes on (any four):

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- (a) Cataplerosis.
- (b) Fatty acid synthase.
- (c) Significance of pentose phosphate pathway.
- (d) Precursors of de-novo synthesis of purine.
- (e) Amphibolic role of TCA cycle.
- (f) Anapleurosis
- (g) Enzymes in glyoxalate cycle