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## Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2018 Biochemistry and Microbiology

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each module.

### Module-1

- 1 a. Explain about concentration of solutions and different ways to express it. (04 Marks)
- b. Describe in detail about Proteins. (08 Marks)
- c. Explain in detail about biological membrane, its structure and function. (04 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Describe in detail about Carbohydrates. (06 Marks)
- b. Describe in detail about transport and passive transport, with neat diagrams. (10 Marks)

### Module-2

- 3 a. What is the principle of bioenergetics? Explain the thermodynamics of bioenergetics. (10 Marks)
- b. Elucidate pentose phosphate pathway of glucose oxidation, with a neat flow chart. (06 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Elucidate biological oxidation and reduction reaction in detail. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain Glycolysis with the help of a neat flow chart. (08 Marks)

### Module-3

- 5 a. Describe about prokaryotes and eukaryotes, with neat labeled diagram. (06 Marks)
- b. Briefly explain the structure, classification and reproduction of bacteria. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Briefly explain the structure, classification and reproduction of fungi. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain about the microbial diversity and taxonomy in detail. (06 Marks)

### Module-4

- 7 a. Explain in detail about microbial growth curve patterns. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain in detail the control of micro organisms by physical agents. (10 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Explain the control of micro organisms by chemical agents. (10 Marks)
- b. Write in detail the physical conditions required for microbial growth. (06 Marks)

### Module-5

- 9 a. Elucidate the synthesis of nanoparticles by bacteria. (07 Marks)
- b. Explain in detail the synthesis of nanoparticles by fungi using extracellular and intracellular method. (09 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Describe about magnetotactic bacteria for natural synthesis of magnetic nanoparticles. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain the mechanism of formation of gold nanoparticles by TMV virus and mention its applications. (08 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.  
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and/or equations written eg. 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.