

**USBCT-C02 - Biochemistry Paper-II : General Microbiology and Virology**

P. Pages : 2

Time : Three Hours



**GUG/W/23/11541 (S)**

Max. Marks : 50

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- Notes : 1. All questions are compulsory.  
2. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss in detail the process of formation of endospore. **10**

**OR**

- a) Describe the cell wall structure of Gram positive bacteria. **2½**  
b) Draw a well labeled diagram of flagella. **2½**  
c) Write a note on Slime layer and capsule. **2½**  
d) Write a note on different shapes and sizes of bacteria. **2½**

2. Give a detail account of lytic cycle of virus. **10**

**OR**

- a) What are the different stages of lysogenic life cycle of  $\lambda$  phage? **2½**  
b) Explain the principle and technique of Gram staining. **2½**  
c) Draw a well labeled diagram of TMV. **2½**  
d) Discuss chromophore and auxochrome with example. **2½**

3. Discuss in details Synchronous cultures. **10**

**OR**

- a) Describe continuous culture with the help of chemostat. **2½**  
b) Write a note on turbidostat. **2½**  
c) Classify microorganisms on the basis of gaseous requirements. **2½**  
d) Describe any one method for total cell count. **2½**

4. Discuss in detail Physical control methods for microbial control. **10**

**OR**

- a) Explain the role of halogen and phenol as chemical microbial control method. **2½**

- b) What is the role of sulphonamides as chemotherapeutic agent? 2½
- c) Discuss the role of Antibiotics. 2½
- d) Write a short note on chemotrophs. 2½

5. Solve **any ten** from following.

- a) Draw generalized diagram of a typical bacterial cell. 1
- b) What is episomes? 1
- c) What are the different classes of plasmids? 1
- d) Define stain. 1
- e) The primary stain used in acid-fast staining is ..... 1
- f) Size of virus is same as like bacteria ----- True or false. 1
- g) Define generation time. 1
- h) What is growth rate? 1
- i) What happens during stationary phase of growth curve? 1
- j) What is incineration? 1
- k) Define antiseptic. 1
- l) Define sanitizer. 1

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