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# B.Sc DEGREE (CBCS ) REGULAR / REAPPEARANCE EXAMINATIONS, APRIL 2022

# **Third Semester**

B.Sc Biotechnology Model III

# COMPLEMENTARY COURSE - MB3CMT04 - APPLIED MICROBIOLOGY

2017 Admission Onwards 104ABFA2

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

# Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **1** mark.

- 1. What is commensalism?
- 2. What is asepsis?
- 3. Define low acid foods.
- 4. What is freeze drying?
- 5. What is Tempeh?
- 6. What is putrefaction?
- 7. What is neutral interaction among soil microorganisms?
- 8. Define nodulation.
- 9. Write about the membrane filtration technique.
- 10. Define water purification.
- 11. Name any two air sampling devices.
- 12. Name any one organic acid and name the organism used in its production.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$ 



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#### Part B

## Answer any six questions.

#### Each question carries 5 marks.

- 13. Explain the characteristic of an ideal chemical preservative.
- 14. Descibe the production of Paddy straw mushroom.
- 15. Briefly describe different types of cheese.
- 16. Explain Probiotics and its significance.
- 17. What are the different types of milk spoilage?
- 18. What is the importance of nitrogen cycle in nature?
- 19. Write about biodegradation of pesticides.
- 20. Brief on sedimentation technique of water purification.
- 21. Write about open plate technique of air sampling.

 $.(6 \times 5 = 30)$ 

## Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 10 marks.

- 22. Explain preservation methods using low temperature and discuss changes caused to foods by low temperature.
- 23. Describe SCP production and explain the advantage and disadvantages.
- 24. Write an essay on biopesticides.
- 25. Write briefly on the steps involved in the production of organic acids and alcohols.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$ 

