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MASTER'S DEGREE (C.S.S) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2024 2022 ADMISSIONS REGULAR

SEMESTER IV - Food Science And Nutrition FN4E03TM20 - Biophysical Techniques

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weight: 30

Part A

I. Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 1 weight.

(8x1=8)

- 1. Write a note on Thin Layer Chromatography(TLC).
- 2. What is retention factor?
- 3. Define Isoelectric pH of a protein.
- 4. Differentiate PAGE and SDS PAGE.
- 5. Write a note on co-enzymes.
- 6. List the different classes of enzymes.
- 7. Define Absorbance.
- 8. Explain the term Absorption spectrum.
- 9. Write a note on the turbidimetric method of assay.
- 10. What are radioactive and stable isotopes? Give examples.

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 2 weight

(6x2=12)

- 11. Discuss the separation of a mixture of amino acids using paper chromatography.
- 12. Explain the experimental procedure for Gas Liquid Chromatography.
- 13. Explain the principle and application of immuno electrophoresis.
- 14. Comment on the clinical applications of enzymes.
- 15. Discuss enzyme specificity.
- 16. Explain the instrumentation of a fluorometer with a neatly labelled diagram.
- 17. Differentiate light microscope and electron microscope.
- 18. Mention the requisites of micro-organisms used for microbiological assays of vitamins.

Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 5 weight

(2x5=10)

- 19. Elaborate on the principle and applications of Gas Chromatography.
- 20. Explain the principle and application of SDS-PAGE.
- 21. Elaborate on different types of ELISA.
- 22. Discuss the principle, instrumentation and working of an electron microscope.

