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

SEMESTER IV - M. Sc. Food Science And Nutrition FN4E01TM20 - Food Biotechnology

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weight: 30

Part A

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

(8x1=8)

- 1. Comment on ELSI in Biotechnology.
- 2. Enlist the major milestones in the phase of 'Modern' Biotechnology.
- 3. Enlist the major enzymes in gene cloning.
- 4. What are the applications of Human Genome Project?
- 5. Enlist enzymes used in HFCS production
- 6. Differentiate between Flocculation and floatation.
- 7. Explain the mechanisms of probiotic activity.
- 8. What are probiotics? Bring out their importance.
- 9. State the applications of biosensors in various fields.
- 10. What are Biochips? How does a biochip work?

Part B

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

(6x2=12)

- 11. Appraise application of genetics in Food Production.
- 12. Briefly summarise major events in Modern era of evolution of biotechnology.
- 13. Explain types of animal culture media.
- 14. Explain in detail solid liquid separations in DSP.
- 15. What is cell disruption? Explain in detail the various mechanical and chemical methods employed for cell disruption.
- 16. Name the Organisms involved in vinegar production. Explain the Trickling process.
- 17. Describe the factors affecting bacterial biomass Production.
- 18. With the help of a schematic diagram describe the main components of a biosensor.

Part C

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

(2x5=10)

- 19. Write an essay on applications of genetics in food production.
- 20. Write an essay on Animal cell culture under a) Technique b) Applications
- 21. Illustrate a simple Bioreactor. Add a note on it's functioning and applications.
- 22. Explain steps involved in button mushroom cultivation process.

