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**Syllabus For**

**Master of Science in Biotechnology Part – I**

**(Semester I and II)**

(Syllabus to be implemented from July, 2023 onwards as Per NEP 2020)

**For M.Sc- Biotechnology Part - I**

**BIOTECHNOLOGY to be implemented from June2023**

**1. TITLE: Biotechnology**

**2. YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION:-** As per NEP 2020 Guidelines Syllabus will be implemented from June, 2023 onwards.

**3. PREAMBLE:**

This syllabus is framed to give sound knowledge with understanding of Biotechnology to Postgraduate students at first year of two years of M.Sc. degree course. Students learn Biotechnology as a separate subject from M.Sc. I. The goal of the syllabus is to make the study of Biotechnology popular, interesting and encouraging to the students for higher studies including research. The new and updated syllabus is based on a basic and applied approach with vigour and depth. At the same time precaution is taken to make the syllabus comparable to the syllabi of other universities and the needs of industries and research. The syllabus is prepared after discussion at length with number of faculty members of the subject and experts from industries and research fields. The units of the syllabus are well defined, taking into consideration the level and capacity of students.

**4. GENERAL OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE / PAPER:**

- 1) To make the students knowledgeable with respect to the subject and it's practicable Applicability.
- 2) To promote understanding of basic and advanced concepts in Biotechnology.
- 3) To expose the students to various emerging areas of Biotechnology.
- 4) To prepare students for further studies, helping in their bright career in the subject.
- 5) To expose the students to different processes used in industries and in research field.
- 6) To prepare the students to accept the challenges in life sciences.
- 7) To develop skills required in various industries, research labs and in the field of human health.

**5. DURATION**

- The course shall be two year full time course.

**6. PATTERN:-**

Pattern of theory and Practical Examination will be Semester wise.

**7. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION:**

The medium of instruction shall be English.

**3) OTHER FEATURES:**

**(A) LIBRARY:**

Reference and Text Books, Journals and Periodicals, Reference Books. – List Attached

**(B) LABORATORY SAFETY EQUIPMENT:**

- 1) Fire extinguisher
- 2) First aid kit
- 3) Fumigation chamber
- 4) Stabilized power supply
- 5) Insulated wiring for electric supply.
- 6) Good valves & regulators for gas supply.
- 7) Operational manuals for instruments.
- 8) Emergency exits.

## M.Sc.-I Biotechnology as per NEP2020

### Teaching and Evaluation Scheme

**M. Sc. I Biotechnology (Sem. I & II) From Academic Year: 2023 – 2024**

Sr. No.	Course Abbr.	Course code	Course Name	Teaching Scheme		Examination Scheme and Marks				Course Credits
				TH	PR	CA	CIE	PR	Marks	
<b>Semester-I</b>										
1	DSC-I	DSC21MBT11	Biological Chemistry	4	-	80	20	-	100	4
2	DSC-II	DSC21MBT12	Microbial technology	4	-	80	20	-	100	4
3	DSE-I A	DSE21MBT11	Environmental Biotechnology and Ecology	4	-	80	20	-	100	4
	DSE-II B	DSE21MBT12	Genetics and Basic Cell Biology							
4	RMD-I	RMD21MBT11	Research Methodology	4	-	80	20	-	100	4
5	DSC-PR-I	DSC21MBT19	Techniques in Biological Chemistry and Microbial Technology	-	4	-	-	100	100	4
6	MIN-PR-II	MIN21MBT19	Techniques in Environmental Biotechnology and cell Biology	-	2	-	-	50	50	2
				<b>16</b>	<b>06</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Semester-II</b>										
1	DSC-III	DSC21MBT21	Molecular Biology	4	-	80	20	-	100	4
2	DSC-IV	DSC21MBT22	Enzyme Technology	4	-	80	20	-	100	4
3	DSE-II A	DSE21MBT21	Virology	4	-	80	20	-	100	4
	DSE-II B	DSE21MBT22	Immunology							
4	DSC-PR-III	DSC21MBT29	Techniques in Molecular Biology and Enzyme Technology	-	4	-	-	100	100	4
5	MIN-PR-IV	MIN21MBT29	Techniques in Immunology and Virology	-	2	-	-	50	50	2
6	OJT-I	OJT21MBT21	On Job Training		04	-	-	-	100	4
				<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Total (Sem. I &amp; II)</b>				<b>28</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1100</b>	<b>44</b>

**Semester I**

**Subject Code-DSC21MBT11 Biological chemistry (Credit 04)**

Topic	Units	Lectures 60
	<b>Unit-I</b>	
1	<p><b>Chemical Basis of Life:-</b> Chemical Basis of Life- Urey-Miller Experiment, abiotic formation of amino acids, oligomers, Water- Properties of Water, Ionization and hydrophobicity , emergent properties of biomolecules in water. Biological importance of water. Solvation properties of water. Hydrophobic attraction of water, Concept of Biomolecules, Macromolecules and their monomeric subunits.</p>	<b>10</b>
	<b>Unit-II</b>	
2	<p><b>Carbohydrates:</b> - Stereochemical relations of aldoses and ketoses. Ring formation in monosaccharide. <math>\alpha</math> and <math>\beta</math> anomers Biological importance of Carbohydrates, classification with examples, monosaccharide, disaccharides- Maltose, Lactose, Sucrose. Oligo saccharides, polysaccharides with specific reference to Starch, Glycogen. Cellulose, Concept of reducing and non reducing sugars, Glycoconjugates - Glycoproteins, Glycolipids. <b>Metabolism of Carbohydrates:-</b> Glycolysis, TCA cycle, Gluconeogenesis, Glycogenesis, Glycogenolysis (reactions, energetics, Significance regulation at Enzymatic , hormonal level), Oxidative phosphorylation, components of ETC, <math>F_1 - F_0</math> ATP synthase Complex, Chemiosmotic hypothesis, inhibitors/uncouples of ETC.</p>	<b>18</b>
	<b>Unit-III</b>	
3	<p><b>Amino acids:-</b> Introduction Biological importance, classification based in R group with examples, essential and non- essential amino acids, Zwitter ion &amp; I pH ,concept of pka, H-H equation , Peptide bond formation Urea cycle. <b>Proteins:-</b> Biological significance of Proteins, Protein classification based on composition (Simple, Conjugate, Derived with examples), reactions of protein sequencing Dansyl chloride, Dabsyl chloride, Sangers reagent, Edman's reagent), Structural level organization of Proteins- Primary, Ramchandran Plot, Secondary( Types-<math>\alpha</math>-helix and <math>\beta</math>-pleated sheet), super secondary motifs, forces stabilizing tertiary structure with reference to Mb, Quaternary structure- Hemoglobin Structure of Ribozyme.</p>	<b>18</b>
	<b>Unit IV</b>	
4	<p><b>Lipids- Biological importance of Lipids, Classification of Lipids –</b> Simple, compound, derived, Types of fatty acids, saturated ,unsaturated at least 4 examples, types of waxes, Cholesterol, Lipoprotein- LDL, VLDL, HDL, Chylomicrones, Liposomes, micelle formation , chemical properties of lipids- Saponification value, Iodine value, Acid Value. <b>Metabolism of Lipids:-</b> <math>\beta</math>- oxidation of fatty acid- palmitic acid, Biosynthesis of fatty acid –palmitic acid , regulation of fatty acid metabolism.</p>	<b>14</b>

**References:**

1. Biochemistry text book by Lubert Stryer
2. Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of Plants
3. Buchanan B, Gruissem W, Jones R, ASPP, Maryland; First Edition 2000
4. Plant Biochemistry -Hans-Walter Heldt; 2006 Edition
5. Plant Biochemistry and Molecular Biology -Lea PJ, Leegood RC;  
Second Edition 1999 John Wiley & Sons
6. Plant Physiology -Taiz L and Zeiger E; Fourth Edition 2006, Sinauer Associates, INC

**Subject Code: - DSC21MBT12      Microbiology (Credit 04)**

Topic No.	Topics	Lectures 60
	<b>Unit-I</b>	
1	<p><b>Beginning of Microbiology</b>, milestones in the development of microbiology, spontaneous generation, Microbial Ecosystem, Microbial world, Branches of Microbiology, Application of microbiology.</p> <p><b>Microbial evolution and Taxonomy</b>, systematics and taxonomy: Evolution of earth's earliest life forms, primitive organisms, their metabolic strategies and their molecular coding, New approaches to bacterial taxonomy, nomenclature, Bergey's manual, Ribotyping. Modern trends in Prokaryotic Taxonomy – Polyphasic, Polygenic, Numerical taxonomy.</p>	<b>15</b>
	<b>Unit-II</b>	
2	<p><b>Characteristics and Salient features of major groups of Bacteria</b> Occurrence, shape and arrangement of bacterial cells, structure of bacterial cell – cell wall (Gram positive or Gram negative), capsule, plasma membrane, cytoplasm, ribosome, nucleoid, mesosomes, plasmids, flagella, pili (fimbriae), inclusion bodies, cell division and endospore formation. Characteristics of major groups of bacteria, Archaeobacteria – general characteristics and classification; Eubacteria, Actinomycetes – general characteristics and classification, economic importance. Cyanobacteria – general characteristics and classification – ultra-structure, reproduction and economic importance. Mycoplasma, Rickettsia, Chlamydia, Photosynthetic bacteria and bioluminescent bacteria.</p>	<b>15</b>
	<b>Unit-III</b>	
3	<p><b>Microbial Growth</b> Reproductive strategies, Bacterial Cell Cycle, Influence of environmental factors on growth, Microbial growth in Natural environmental, Laboratory culture of cellular Microbes, Growth curve, Measurement of Microbial population, Continuous culture of microorganism</p>	<b>15</b>
	<b>Unit IV</b>	
4	<p><b>Microbial Ecology and Symbiosis</b> <b>Methods in Microbial Ecology</b>-Culturing techniques, Assessing Microbial diversity, Assessing Microbial Community Activity <b>Microorganism in Marine and Freshwater Ecosystems</b>-Water as microbial Habitat. <b>Microorganism in Terrestrial Ecosystems</b>- Soil as Microbial Habitat, Microbes- Plants Interaction The Subsurface Biosphere, Microbes in soil Environment. <b>Microbial interaction</b> Introduction, Mutualism- microorganism-insects mutualism, sulphide based mutualism, The rumen ecosystem. Co operation, Commensalism, predation, Parasitism, Ammensalism, Competition, Human Microbes interaction.</p>	<b>15</b>

## Reference

1. Microbiology-Pelzer, Chan, Krieg Tata McGraw Hill Publications
2. Microbiology-Concepts and applications by Paul A. Ketchum, Wiley
3. Fundamentals of Microbiology –Furbisher, Saunders & Toppan Publications
4. General Microbiology –C.B. Powar, H.F. Daginawala, Himalayan Publishing House
5. Medical Bacteriology, 14th edition, (1988), Dey, N.C and Dey, TK., Allied Agency, India
6. Prescott's Microbiology Ninth Edition.



**Environmental Biotechnology and Ecology**  
**Subject Code- DSE21MBT11 (Credit 04)**

Topic No.	Topics	Lectures 60
	<b>Environmental Biotechnology</b>	
	<b>Unit –I</b>	
1	<b>Introduction to environment: pollution and its types;</b> Air pollution and its control Water pollution and its control Soil pollution and its control <b>Environmental Toxicology</b> Definition, classification and concept, Pesticide Toxicity – Classification(Organic and Inorganic), Mode of action of toxicants (Metals, organophosphates, carbamates and mutagens), Bioconcentration, Bioaccumulation, Biomagnifications,	<b>15</b>
	<b>Unit –II</b>	
2	<b>Bioremediation Techniques</b> -Definition, Principle, Insitu and Exsitu Bioremediation, Bioremediation of waste waters (MSW, BSW and ISW), Activated Sludge Process, Lagoons, Oxidation ponds, Trickling filter. <b>Solid Waste Treatment [Plastics and Aromatics], Slurry Phase                      Treatment,</b> <b>Agricultural Bioremediation-</b> Microbial Composting, Biogas, Land Farming and pest Control, <b>Bioremediation of Industrial wastes, Xenobiotics,                      Bioaugmentation and Biofiltration.</b>	<b>15</b>
	<b>Ecology</b>	
	<b>Unit –I</b>	
3	<b>Ecosystem-</b> Concept, structure, function. <b>Productivity-</b> Kinds of productivity. <b>Food chain-</b> types of food chain, food web, concept of tropic level, <b>Ecological pyramids-</b> concepts and types. <b>Energy flow in ecosystem</b> –concept of energy, unit of energy, <b>Biogeochemical cycle</b> Carbon cycle, Nitrogen cycle, Sulphur cycle, Phosphorus cycle Concept - Habitat and Niche	<b>15</b>
4	<b>Population Ecology-</b> Introduction, population characteristics, Nataliy, Mortality, survivor ship curves, age structure, age pyramid. <b>Population growth-</b> Exponential and logistic, r and k strategists. <b>Evolution :-</b> Theories of evolution-Lamarckism, Darwinism, Modern synthetic theory and Mutational theory. Evidences of evolution and Adaptive radiation and Adaptive conversation. Concept of species and speciation. <b>Hardy-Weinberg law and Equation.</b>	<b>15</b>

## References: Environmental Biotechnology

1. Environmental Biotechnology by S. K. Agarwal
2. Biodegradation & Bioremediation (1999), Martin Alexander, Academic press.
3. General Microbiology, Stanier R. Y., Ingram J.L., Wheelis M.L., Painter R.R., McMillan Publications, 1989.
4. Foster C.F., John Ware D.A., Environmental Biotechnology, Ellis Horwood Ltd., 1987.
5. Karrelly D., Chakrabarty K., Omen G.S., Biotechnology and Biodegradation, Advances in Applied Biotechnology Series, Vol.4, Gulf Publications Co. London, 1989.
6. Bioremediation engineering; design and application 1995 John. T. cookson, Jr. Mc Graw Hill, Inc.
7. Environmental Biotechnology by A.K. Chatterjee 8. Environmental Biotechnology by S.N.Jogdand Himalaya Publishing.

## References: Ecology

1. Fundamentals of ecology ; E.P Odum.
2. Concept of ecology ; Dash.
3. Environmental Biology, Verma & Agarwal
4. Environmental Science., Saigo, Canninham
5. General ecology., H.D.Kumar

**Subject Code:-DSE21MBT12 Genetics and Basic Cell Biology (Credit=04)**

Topic No.	Topics	Lectures 60
	<b>Genetics</b>	
	<b>Unit –I</b>	
1	<p><b>Genetics of bacteria and Bacteriophage</b>                      Concept of a gene in pre-DNA era; mapping of genes in bacterial and phage chromosomes by classical genetic crosses; fine structure analysis of a gene; genetic complementation and other genetic crosses using phenotypic markers; phenotype to genotype connectivity prior to DNA-based understanding of gene.</p> <p><b>Genetics of Yeast</b>                      Meiotic crosses, tetrad analyses, non-Mendelian and Mendelian ratios, gene conversion, models of genetic recombination, yeast mating type switch; dominant and recessive genes/mutations, suppressor or modifier screens, complementation groups, transposon mutagenesis, synthetic lethality, genetic epistasis</p>	<b>15</b>
	<b>Unit –II</b>	
2	<p><b>Genetics as a model of higher eukaryotes</b>                      Monohybrid &amp; dihybrid crosses, back-crosses, test-crosses, analyses of autosomal and sex linkages, screening of mutations based on phenotypes and mapping the same, hypomorphy, genetic mosaics, genetic epistasis in context of developmental mechanism.</p> <p><b>Population genetics</b>                      Introduction to the elements of population genetics: genetic variation, genetic drift, neutral evolution; mutation selection, balancing selection, Fishers theorem.</p> <p><b>Plant genetics</b> Laws of segregation in plant crosses, inbreeding, selfing, heterosis, maintenance of genetic purity, gene pyramiding.</p>	<b>15</b>
	<b>Basic Cell Biology</b>	
	<b>Unit –I</b>	
3	<p><b>Cell Structure</b> – Discovery of Cell, Cell theory - Definition, discovery, three assumptions of cell theory, exceptions, organismal theory, protoplasm theory,</p> <p><b>Organization of Prokaryotic cell, Organization of Eukaryotic cell</b> (plant and animal cell), <b>Ultra structure &amp; functions of cell organelles</b> Mitochondria, Chloroplast, E.R., Golgi apparatus, Lysosome, Peroxisome, Ribosomes.</p> <p><b>Cell membrane</b> –components, Molecular models of cell membrane-Unit membrane model, Protein, crystal model, fluid mosaic model, Types of membrane transport, Passive transport-simple diffusion, facilitated diffusion, osmosis.</p>	<b>15</b>
4	<p><b>Nucleus</b> -Introduction, morphology, occurrence, shape, size, number, position Ultra structure of nucleus-Nuclear membrane, nucleoplasm, nucleopore complex, nucleus.</p>	<b>15</b>

	Chromosome structure - introduction, General features of <b>Prokaryotic chromosome</b> . General features of <b>Eukaryotic chromosome</b> . <b>Cytoskeleton assembly</b> - Introduction, Cytoskeleton elements, Microtubules- occurrence, structure, chemical composition, microtubule associated proteins, functions, Microfilaments- occurrence, structure, chemical composition, functions, Intermediate filaments(IF) - occurrence, structure, chemical composition, types of IF, functions Organization of cilia and flagella	
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### References: Genetics

1. Hartl, D. L., & Jones, E. W. (1998). *Genetics: Principles and Analysis*. Sudbury, MA: Jones and Bartlett.
2. Pierce, B. A. (2005). *Genetics: a Conceptual Approach*. New York: W.H. Freeman.
3. Tamarin, R. H., & Leavitt, R. W. (1991). *Principles of Genetics*. Dubuque, IA: Wm. C. Brown.
4. Smith, J. M. (1998). *Evolutionary Genetics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
5. Strickberger "Genetics"
6. Freifelder "Genetics"
7. Stanier "General Microbiology"
8. P. K. Gupta "Genetics"
9. C. Sarin "Genetics"
10. Larry Snyder Wendy Champness "Molecular Genetics of Bacteria"

### References:- Basic Cell Biology

- 1) Molecular biology of cell-Albert
- 2) Molecular biology & cell biology – Loddish etal
- 3) Cell biology –De Robertis
- 4) Cell biology-Genetics, molecular biology-P.S. Warma & Agarwal
- 5) Genes Lewin
- 6) Cell biology –Geral karp
- 7) Practical biochemistry – Keith, Wilson and Walker
- 8) Cell Biology- C.B.Pawar

**Subject Code: RMD14CHE11: Research Methodology in Biotechnology  
(Credit 04)**

Topic No.	Topics	Lectures 60
<b>Unit –I</b>		
1	<b>Fundamentals of Research Methodology</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meaning, Objective, Motivation and Types of Research</li> <li>• Research Approach</li> <li>• Significance of Research, Research Methods, research and Scientific Methods</li> <li>• Criteria of Good Research, Research Process and steps involved</li> <li>• Hypothesis: Meaning, functions and types of hypothesis; Null/Alternative hypothesis</li> <li>• Literature Survey, Source of information, Review</li> <li>• Ethical issues and intellectual property rights.</li> <li>• Publication Process, Selection of Journal, Citation index, Impact factor, H-index, Journal Cite score, Google scholar index, Research gate, Academia, etc</li> </ul>	<b>15</b>
<b>Unit –II</b>		
2	<b>Interpretation and Report Writing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meaning of Interpretation, Why Interpretation? Technique of interpretation, Precaution in Interpretation</li> <li>• Significance of Report Writing, Different Steps in Writing Report, Layout of the Report, Types of Report.</li> <li>• Mechanics Writing a research report: Writing preliminaries, Main body of research, reference and bibliography</li> <li>• Precaution for Writing Research Reports</li> <li>• Meaning and Importance of workshop, Seminar, Conference, Symposium etc in research</li> <li>• Plagiarism-Concept and Significance of Plagiarism.</li> <li>• Writing tools: Grammerly, Answer the public, Copyscape, Chatgpt, ginger.</li> <li>• Referencing and citation tools: Endnote, Mendeley, Jabref, Zotero.</li> </ul>	<b>15</b>
<b>Unit –III</b>		
3	<b>Research Methodology in Biotechnology</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ultraviolet-visible absorption spectroscopy:</b> Principle, Instrumentation and application.</li> <li>• <b>Fluorescence spectrophotometry:</b> Principle, Instrumentation and application.</li> <li>• Other types (IR, NMR, ESR and MASS) of spectrophotometry: Basic principle and application.</li> <li>• Elementary idea about X-ray crystallography, API- Electrospray and MALDI TOF.</li> </ul>	<b>15</b>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Chromatographic techniques:</b> Principles of chromatography (Adsorption and Partition chromatography), Planar chromatography (Paper and Thin- layer chromatography),</li><li>• <b>Column chromatography</b> (Gas chromatography, Gel exclusion/permeation chromatography and FPLC, Ion-exchange chromatography, Affinity chromatography, HPLC).</li></ul>	
	<b>Unit –IV</b>	
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Electrophoretic techniques:</b> General principles, support media, electrophoresis of proteins (SDS-PAGE, native gels, gradient gels, isoelectric focusing gels and two dimensional gels), electrophoresis of nucleic acids (Agarose, pulse-field and sequencing gels).</li><li>• <b>Radioisotope techniques:</b> Nature of radioactivity, isotopes in biochemistry, measurement of radioactivity (carbon dating, Geiger-Muller counting and liquid scintillation counting), autoradiography.</li></ul>	<b>15</b>

### Reference Books:

1. Kumar R., Research Methodology - A Step-By-Step Guide for Beginners, Pearson Education, Delhi (2006).
2. Montgomery, D. C., Design & Analysis of Experiments, 5th Ed., Wiley India (2007).
3. Kothari, C. R., Research Methodology-Methods and Techniques, 2nd Ed., New Age International, New Delhi.
4. Ram Ahuja, "Research Methods", (2001), Rawat Publications, New Delhi.
5. Cooper D., Schindler P., Business research methods", (2003) Tata Mc-Graw Hill, New Delhi

**Practical Code- DSC21MBT19**

**Total 04 Credits**

**Techniques in Biological Chemistry & Microbiology Technology**

<b>Techniques in Biological Chemistry 02 Credits</b>		
<b>Sr No.</b>	<b>Name of Practical</b>	<b>Type</b>
1	Estimation of Total Flavonoid Content by $AlCl_3$ Method	Major
2	Extraction of Fatty Acid from seed oil and determination of Acid, Sap and Iodine value.	Major
3	Determination of Acid base titration curve and measurement of pKa value of Amino acid.	Major
4	To prepare an Acetic-Na Acetate buffer and validate the Henderson-Hasselbalch equation.	Minor
5	Estimation of Protein Bradford Method and Lowry's method using suitable standard Protein.	Minor
6	Estimation of Total Sugar by Anthrone Method and Phenol $H_2SO_4$ method using suitable standard sugar.	Minor
<b>Techniques in Microbiology Technology 02 Credits</b>		
1	Isolation of Symbiotic Nitrogen fixing bacteria from root nodules of leguminous plant.	Major
2	Study of Growth curve of bacteria.	Major
3	Isolation of E. Coli from sewage water sample with the help of EMB agar medium.	Major
4	Test of Motility of bacteria by Hanging drop Technique and Agar Stabbing Method.	Minor
5	Enrichment and Isolation of Antibiotic Producers	Minor
6	Enrichment and Isolation of Halophiles	Minor

**Techniques in Environmental Biotechnology and Cell Biology 02 Credits**

<b>Sr No.</b>	<b>Name of Practical</b>	<b>Type</b>
1	Determination of BOD of Domestic Waste.	Major
2	Determination of COD from industrial effluents sample	Major
3	Determination of Total, Permanent and Temporary Hardness of water sample	Major
4	Determination of MIC on commercial disinfectant	Minor
5	Determination of TDS of sample water	Minor
6	Isolation of Mitochondria	Major
7	Isolation of Chloroplast	Major
8	Isolation of Nucleus	Major
9	Effect of temperature and pH on membrane permeability.	Minor
10	Dialysis	Minor



**Semester II**

**Subject Code- DSC21MBT21**

**Molecular Biology (Credit 04)**

Topic	Units	Lectures 60
	<b>Unit-I</b>	
1	<p><b>Experimental Evidences for DNA as a genetic material:-</b> Griffith's Exp., Avery, Macleod, McCarty Exp., Blender Exp., RNA As a genetic material Gierer and Schram expt.</p> <p><b>Properties and Function of DNA:-</b> Tm, Cot Curve, Purity of DNA, Acid- Base Nature, Buoyant Density Concept of Gene, Unit of Gene (Cistron, Recon, and Muton), Fine Structure of gene, One gene One Polypeptide Hypothesis, interrupted gene.</p> <p><b>Organization of genome:-</b>Viral (Lambda, T4), Bacteria (<i>E. coli</i>), Eukaryote, Typical Structure of chromosome (Euchromatin &amp; Heterochromatin), Packaging of DNA (Nucleosome, Solenoid Model).</p>	<b>15</b>
	<b>Unit-II</b>	
2	<p><b>Nucleic Acid biosynthesis:-</b> De novo synthesis of Purine and Pyrimidine ring, Salvage Pathway, Feedback inhibition.</p> <p><b>DNA Replication-</b> Semi conservative model of replication (M.S Expt.). Direction of replication (Unidirectional and Bidirectional).</p> <p><b>Prokaryotic and eukaryotic replication-</b> Enzymes involved in replication, initiation, elongation and termination. Rolling circle model and telomere replication.</p> <p><b>DNA Damage:-</b> Mutation and its Types, Chemical damage of DNA by: Base Analogue, 5 Bromo uracil, 2Amino purine, Nitrous Acid, Nitrosoguanidine, Methly sulphonate, EMS, Intercalating Agent (EtBr), DNA damage by UV Radation</p> <p><b>DNA Repair:</b> - Photo reactivation Repair of pyrimidine dimers, Direct repair, Excision repair (Nucleotide and Base), Mismatch repair, SOS repair, Recombination repair, Repair of double strand DNA break.</p>	<b>15</b>
	<b>Unit-III</b>	
3	<p><b>Transcription in prokaryote and Eukaryote</b> Mechanism of transcription-Enzyme involved, initiation, elongation and termination. Inhibitors of transcription, Post transcriptional modification, Transcriptional control by hormones.</p> <p><b>Genetic Code</b> Properties of genetic code. Assignment of codons with Unknown sequences a) Polyuridylic b) Acid Copolymers method. Assignment of codons with known sequences a) Binding technique b) Repetitive seq. technique. Wobble Hypothesis, Variation in genetic code.</p>	<b>15</b>

Unit IV		
4	<p><b>Translation in prokaryote and Eukaryote</b> Structure and role of ribosome in translation, Amino acid t-RNA complex formation, Initiation, Elongation, termination of translation Inhibitors of translation. Post- translation modifications (Protein folding, Removal of Leader sequences, Phosphorylation, Glycosylation). <b>Regulation of gene expression in prokaryote and eukaryote.</b> Regulation of gene expression in prokaryote a) Lac operon b) Tryptophan operon c) Arabinose operon. <b>Regulation of gene expression at transcriptional and translation level.</b></p>	15

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- 2) Genetics by Strickberger
- 3) Molecular Biology - Glickpastornack
- 4) Molecular biology - Geralad Carph
- 5) Gene by Levin
- 6) Genome by T.A. Brown
- 7) Molecular biology by Lodish
- 8) Biochemistry by Nelsdon and Cox
- 9) Biochemistry by Lubert Stryer

**Subject Code: - DSC21MBT22 Enzyme Technology (Credit 04)**

Topic No.	Topics	Lectures 60
<b>Unit-I</b>		
1	<p>General introduction and historical background, Definition, Properties of Enzymes Nomenclature and IUB classification of enzyme. Chemical nature of enzyme, Activation Energy and Transition state hypothesis, BiSubstrate reaction catalyzing enzymes, Coenzymes and cofactors, Prosthetic groups. Active site (Lock and Key and Induced fit hypothesis),</p> <p>Isozymes(Lactate dehydrogenase), Abzymes, Synzyme, Ribozymes Metallozymes, Metal activated enzymes- Examples Allosteric enzyme- properties and Sequential and Symmetry model of allosteric enzymeS- examples, Aspartate transcarbomylase, Phosphofructokinase I</p>	15
<b>Unit-II</b>		
2	<p>Enzyme activity- factors affecting enzyme activity like Temperature, pH, Activator 2, Inhibitors, Substrate concentration and enzyme concentration. Units of enzyme activity</p> <p>Enzyme catalysis- Factors affecting enzyme catalysis like Proximity orientation, Strain and distortion, Acid base catalysis- Explain with reference to example Keto to Enol conversion tautomerism,, RNase, Covalent catalysis- Explain with reference to example Decarboxylation to Acetoacetate to Acetone via Schiff base formation, Chymotrypsin. Metal ion catalysis- Carbonic unhydrase</p> <p>Enzyme kinetics- steady state kinetics, Michaelis –Menten equation, Significance of Km and Vmax. Concept of Turn over number Determination of Km by-1. Lineweaver Burk plot, 2. Eadie-Hofstee plot, 3. Hanes-Woolf plot, Eisenthal&amp;Cornish plot</p>	15
<b>Unit-III</b>		
3	<p>Enzyme regulation Zymogen activation, Inhibition – Reversible inhibition Example and Kinetics of 1. Competitive inhibition, 2. Non-competitive 3. Un-competitive, Irreversible inhibition. Feedback inhibition, Allosteric inhibition- ATcase, Cholesterol esterasase</p> <p>Purification of enzyme- Introduction, Why isolate enzymes? Objectives and strategy in enzyme purification. Choice of sources, Methods of homogenization, methods of separation, Parameters to check success of purification procedure, Examples of purification procedure(RNA polymerase purification from <i>E.coli</i> and chymotrypsin)</p>	15

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	Immobilization of enzyme- concept, Properties of immobilized enzyme, properties of matrix, Disadvantages of immobilization, methods of immobilization – Physical adsorption, Covalent bonding, Cross linking, encapsulation, entrapment. Applications of immobilized enzymes,	
	<b>Unit IV</b>	
4	<p>Biosensors- Definition and Features of biosensor , Components of Biosensor Types of Biosensor-1. Colorimetric Biosensors 2. Potentiometric Biosensor example Glucose Biosensor 3. Amperometric Biosensor 4. Optical Biosensor 5. Piezo – electric Biosensors 6. Immunosensors</p> <p>Application of Enzymes- Industrial enzymes – Thermophile enzymes amylases, lipases, Proteolytic enzymes. Clinical enzymes – enzymes as thrombolytic agent's anti-inflammatory agents. Streptokinase, Asparaginase, Transaminases(AST,ALT), Cholinesterase, Phosphatase, Designer enzymes nature and use, Enzyme structure activity with respect to drug discoveries. Enzyme in Food Processing Industry</p>	<b>15</b>

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**Virology (Credit 04)**

Topic No.	Topics	Lectures 60
<b>Unit –I</b>		
1	<b>History:</b> History, origin and evolution of viruses, pioneers of Virology and properties of viruses. Nomenclature and classification of viruses: Criteria used for naming and classification, Current ICTV classification of viruses of bacteria, plants and animals and humans. Morphology and properties of viruses: Physical- morphology and structure, sedimentation, electrophoretic mobility, buoyant density; Biochemical-chemical composition, nucleic acids, proteins, enzymes, lipids, carbohydrates, polyamines, cations, virus stability; Biological- Host range, inclusion bodies and transmission. Transmission of viruses: Non-vector and vector mode of transmission of viruses.	<b>15</b>
<b>Unit –II</b>		
2	Laboratory Bio-safety: Principles of bio-safety, biosafety levels, containment facilities, maintenance and handling of laboratory animals and requirements of virology laboratory. Isolation, cultivation and maintenance of viruses: Isolation and cultivation of plant and animal viruses (experimental plants and tissue culture, experimental animals, embryonated eggs, organ cultures, primary and secondary cell cultures, suspension and monolayer cell cultures, cell strains, cell lines). Purification of viruses: Extraction of viruses from tissues, clarification, and concentration of viruses in clarified extracts by physical and chemical methods, further purification of viruses by rate zonal / equilibrium density gradient centrifugation, Criteria of virus purity, Quantitation and preservation of purified virus preparations.	<b>15</b>
<b>Unit –III</b>		
3	Assay of viruses: Infectivity assay methods (plaque, pock, end point, local / systemic assay of plant viruses), physical (EM), serological (HA, HI, immunofluorescence, ELISA) and molecular (viral protein and nucleic acid based) approaches. Replication: Introduction to virus replication, steps involved in virus replication and general strategies. Management of viruses: Cultural practices, Sanitation, control of vectors, vaccines, antiviral drugs and chemotherapy	<b>15</b>
<b>Unit –IV</b>		
4	Bacteriophages: Biology of major RNA (MS2, Q $\beta$ ) and DNA (T4, lambda, $\phi$ x174, M13) bacteriophages, replication of M13, T4 and lambda phages; biology of cyanophages. Algal and fungal viruses: Biology of viruses of Phycodnaviridae, Partitiviridae and Totiviridae. Biology of sub-viral agents: Satellite viruses, sat-RNAs, DI particles, viroids, virusoids and prions.	<b>15</b>

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Immunology (Credit=04)

Topic No.	Topics	Lectures 60
<b>Unit –I</b>		
1	<p><b>Immune system and Immune response:</b> Innate and acquired immunity, structure and functions of immune cells- NK cells, Macrophages, B cells T cells and subtypes, dendritic cells, neutrophils, basophils, eosinophils, and mast cells. Humoral and cell mediated immunity-components and significance. Organs of the immune system- Structural organization and functions of primary and secondary lymphoid organs.</p> <p><b>Antigens and antibodies:</b> Structure and properties of antigens- iso- and allo-antigens, antigen specificity, haptens and adjuvants. Immunoglobulins- Structure, properties, types and subtypes. Affinity and avidity, class switching.</p> <p>Generation of immunological diversity- antibodies and TCR.</p>	15
<b>Unit –II</b>		
2	<p><b>Antigen recognition and Response:</b></p> <p>Activation &amp; Maturation T cell receptor – structure and diversity.MHC – types, structure, distribution, self- restriction. T and B cell activation. Maturation of lymphocytes – positive and negative selection, process of maturation. Antigen processing and presentation – cytosolic and endosomal pathways.T cell and NK cell – mediated lysis of cells, ADCC. Complement system – components, cascades.Cytokines – classification, properties and role as immunomodulators.</p>	15
<b>Unit –III</b>		
3	<p><b>Immunological tolerance-</b> types and mechanisms. Role of T regulatory cells in immunological tolerance and prevention of autoimmunity</p> <p><b>Hypersensitivity reactions :</b> hypersensitivity reactions- types (I, II, III, and IV).</p> <p><b>Autoimmunity:</b> Autoimmune diseases- Systemic lupus erythematosus, Multiple sclerosis, Myasthenia gravis, Rheumatoid arthritis</p> <p>Treatment of autoimmune disorders.</p>	15
<b>Unit - IV</b>		
4	<p><b>Antigen-antibody interactions</b> - Precipitation, agglutination and complement mediated immune reactions</p> <p>Advanced immunological techniques: RIA, ELISA, Westernblotting, ELISPOT assay, immune fluorescence microscopy,flow cytometry and immunoelectron microscopy; surfaceplasmon resonance.</p> <p><b>Vaccinology:-</b> Active and passive immunization; live, killed, attenuated vaccines, subunit vaccines; recombinant vector vaccine , DNA vaccines, conjugate vaccines.</p>	15

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**Practical DSC-PR-III - DSC21MBT29**

**Total 04 Credits**

**Techniques in Molecular Biology & Enzyme Technology**

<b>Techniques in Molecular Biology 02 Credits</b>		
<b>Sr No.</b>	<b>Name of Practical</b>	<b>Type</b>
1	Eukaryotic DNA Isolation from Plant Material.	Major
2	Eukaryotic DNA isolation from Animal Material.	Major
3	Purification of DNA by silica membrane (solution based).	Major
4	Plasmid isolation from Bacteria.	Minor
5	Isolation of RNA from plant.	Major
6	SDS-PAGE for separation of protein using CCB.	Major
7	Genomic DNA isolation from bacteria.	Minor
8	Restriction digestion of DNA.	Minor
9	Silica Gel Extraction by spin column method.	Minor
10	Plasmid isolation by spin column method.	Minor
<b>Techniques in Enzyme Technology 02 Credits</b>		
1	Amylase Assay	Major
2	Isolation of $\alpha$ -Amylase from Germinating Seed.	Major
3	Study the effect of Substrate concentration on $\alpha$ -Amylase	Major
4	Effect of Temperature on $\alpha$ -Amylase	Minor
5	Effect of pH on $\alpha$ -Amylase	Minor
6	Isolation of $\beta$ -Amylase from Sweet potato	Major
7	Effect of Activator on $\beta$ -Amylase	Minor
8	Effect of Inhibitor on $\beta$ -Amylase	Minor
9	Immobilization of Invertase	Minor
10	Study the effect of substrate Concentration on Invertase	Major
11	Purification of Protein/Enzyme By Ammonium Sulphate Precipitation	Minor
12	Study of enzyme activity of Nitrate reductase from plant	Major

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**Techniques in Immunology and Virology (02 Credits)**

<b>Techniques in Immunology</b>		
<b>Sr No.</b>	<b>Name of Practical</b>	<b>Type</b>
1	Serum separation from blood and salting out of IgG by ammonium sulphate fractionation.	Major
2	RPR card test for syphilis,	Major
3	Demonstration of agglutination reaction: Slide haemagglutination (Blood grouping).	Major
4	Demonstration of precipitation reaction: Ouchterlony double diffusion, Single radial immunodiffusion.	Major
5	Determination of antigen concentration by Rocket electrophoresis	Minor
6	Enzyme linked immunosorbant assay (ELISA).	Minor
7	Qualitative detection of Rheumatoid factor in human serum	Minor
8	ASO test (For diagnosis of streptococcal infections)	Minor
<b>Virology</b>		
9	Demonstration of animal viruses' inoculation by chick embryo technique.	Minor
10	Isolation of bacteriophages from water/sewage sample using double agar layer technique.	Major
11	Enumeration of bacteriophages from water/sewage sample by plaque forming unit method. (PFU).	Major
12	Total DNA extraction from virus infected plant,	Major
13	Use of bioinformatics for viral genome analysis,	Minor