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Question Paper

B.Sc. Honours Examinations 2022

(Under CBCS Pattern)

Semester - VI

Subject: BIOTECHNOLOGY

Paper: C 13-T

(Bio-analytical Tools)

Full Marks: 40 Time: 2 Hours

Candiates are required to give their answer in their own words as far as practicable.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Group - A

Answer any four questions from the following:

 $5 \times 4 = 20$

- 1. Write down the principle of phase contrast microscope. Mention its biological applications. 3+2
- 2. Briefly describe the instrumental design of pH meter. State the principle of colorimetry. 3+2
- 3. Describe the methods of different sub-cellular organelles separation technique by centrifugation.
- 4. State the functional differences between Paper Chromatography (PC) and Column Chromatography (CC). Mention the application of HPLC in the field of biology.

2+3

- 5. Briefly describes the working procedure of immune-electrophoresis technique. State the principle of Western blotting. 4+1
- 6. Write down the biological application of bio-sensors. What do you understand by absorption spectroscopy? 3+2

Group - B

Answer any two questions from the following:

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 1. Describe the different components used in transmission electron microscope (TEM) with a suitable diagram. Write down the principle of TEM. What is the nature of electron gun used in scanning electron microscopy?

 5+3+2
- 2. Describe briefly the instrumental parts of phase contrast microscope (PCM). Write down the process of agarose gel electrophoresis. 5+5
- 3. How Beers-Lambert law applied in UV-Spectrophotometry? What are the limitations of this law? What is the basic principle of gas chromatography? 3+2+5
- 4. What do you understand by nano-technology? Describe shortly the application of nano-technology in the area of biological research. Write a short note on pulse field gel electrophoresis.

 2+4+4