

B.Sc. BIOTECHNOLOGY
SECOND SEMESTER
MICROBIAL & PLANT PHYSIOLOGY
BBT – 202 [SPECIAL REPEAT]
[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

Duration : 3 hrs.

Full Marks : 70

Time : 30 min.

[PART-A: Objective]

Marks : 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1X20=20

- Channel action illustrates _____ mode of transport
 - Active
 - Passive
 - Facilitated
 - Both b) & c)
- Facilitated diffusion requires
 - ATP+ Carrier protein
 - Concentration gradient
 - Concentration gradient+ Carrier Protein
 - Concentration gradient + energy
- In passive transport
 - Carrier proteins are required
 - Carrier proteins are not required
 - Carrier proteins sometimes required
 - None of the above
- In *E. coli* glycerol is transported through
 - Passive transport
 - Active transport
 - Facilitated diffusion
 - None of the above
- Purple sulphur bacteria is
 - Anaerobic photoautotroph
 - heterotroph
 - Aerobic photoautotroph
 - Chemoautotroph
- Which of the following is an organism that obtains its energy from the transfer of electrons originating from chemical compounds and its carbon from an inorganic source?
 - Chemoautotrophs
 - Chemoheterotrophs
 - Photoheterotrophs
 - Photoautotrophs
- The optimum growth temperature for mesophile is
 - 0° C
 - 15° C or lower
 - 20° C- 45° C
 - 50-80 ° C
- An obligate halophile requires high
 - PH
 - Salt
 - Temperature
 - Pressure

9. Organisms that spend their lives on land or on the surface of water are always subjected to a pressure of
 - a. 1 atm
 - b. 600 atm
 - c. 1300 atm
 - d. 5 atm
10. The temperature that allows for most rapid growths during a short period of time is known as
 - a. Minimum temperature
 - b. Maximum temperature
 - c. Optimum temperature
 - d. Growth temperature
11. Photosynthesis, a process of manufacture of organic compound is
 - a. Anabolic process
 - b. Catabolic process
 - c. Both (a) and (b)
 - d. None of the above
12. Light is necessary in the process of photosynthesis to
 - a. Split CO_2
 - b. Produce ATP and NADPH
 - c. Release energy
 - d. All of the above
13. Photosynthetic pigments are located in
 - a. Stroma
 - b. Grana
 - c. Cytoplasm
 - d. Chloroplast
14. The type of reaction center that is involved in photophosphorylation in purple bacteria is
 - a. Fe-S reaction center
 - b. $\text{Cyt}_{b_6/f}$ reaction center
 - c. Pheophytin - quinone reaction center
 - d. All of the above
15. Which is the most effective wavelength of light for photosynthesis?
 - a. Red
 - b. Violet
 - c. Blue
 - d. Green
16. Microorganism involved in biological nitrogen fixation from atmosphere is
 - a. Azotobacter
 - b. Anabena
 - c. Rhizobium
 - d. All of the above
17. Conversion of nitrate to nitrite is carried out by
 - a. Nitrobacter
 - b. Nitrosomonas
 - c. Clostridium
 - d. All of the above
18. Oxidation of ammonia to nitrite is called
 - a. Ammonification
 - b. Denitrification
 - c. Nitrification
 - d. Nitrogen assimilation
19. Which of the following is not plant hormone?
 - a. Corticosteroid
 - b. Brassinosteroid
 - c. Polyamines
 - d. Salicylic acid
20. Which of the following phytochrome inhibits flowering in plants?
 - a. P_R
 - b. P_{FR}
 - c. Both interchangeably
 - d. None of the above

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(PART-B : Descriptive)

Time : 2 hrs. 30 min.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

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| 1. Define photosynthesis. Explain with the help of a pathway how plants prevent photorespiration in hot and arid regions? Explain the pathway of non-cyclic photophosphorylation. Why is cyclic photophosphorylation important for plants? Explain in brief the function of cytb ₆ f complex. | 1+4+3+
1+1=10 |
| 2. Discuss PEP group translocation with a suitable diagram. Differentiate between active and Passive transport. | 7+3=10 |
| 3. Explain how solute and water activity effects the classification of microorganism. Briefly describe classification and adaptations of microbes based on temperature requirements. | 5+5=10 |
| 4. Write a short note on chemolithotrophy. Describe briefly about the chemolithotrophic fueling process in aerobic and anaerobic chemolithotrophs. | 3+7=10 |
| 5. Define Facilitated transport with suitable diagram. Describe briefly about the Sodium Potassium Pump with suitable diagram. | 3+7=10 |
| 6. Explain the roles of antenna complex and reaction center. Explain how green sulphur bacteria performs light reaction. Explain with the help of reactions the fixation of carbon dioxide by C ₃ plants. What do you think will happen to plants when they close their stomata? | 2+3+3+
2=10 |
| 7. What are the different ways a plant can fix nitrogen? Explain the process of reduction of nitrate in plants. Why nitrogen metabolism is important for plants? Explain the process of biological nitrogen fixation. | 2+4+1+
3=10 |
| 8. Define growth, dedifferentiation and redifferentiation. Explain the functions of auxin and gibberellins. Explain sigmoid growth curve. Write in brief about vernalization. | 3+3+2+
2=10 |

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