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CC11-MICROBIOLOGY

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

1. Answer any **five** of the following: 1×5 = 5
- (a) Name an organism used for industrial production of lipases.
 - (b) What is the source of sulphite waste liquor?
 - (c) What is enzyme encapsulation?
 - (d) What is lyophilization?
 - (e) What is the precursor used for industrial production of penicillin?
 - (f) Give an example of antimicrobial agent used in wine production.
 - (g) What is fed batch culture?
 - (h) Define SmF and SsF.
2. Answer any **three** of the following: 5×3 = 15
- (a) Write a brief note on downstream processing of Vitamin B₁₂. 5
 - (b) Briefly describe about airlift fermenter. 5
 - (c) What is enzyme immobilization? State the application of immobilized enzymes. 2+3
 - (d) How the measurement and control of foaming and dissolved oxygen done in a bioreactor? 2½+2½
 - (e) Briefly describe the methods used for the maintenance of microbial cultures. 5
3. Answer any **two** of the following: 10×2 = 20
- (a) What is malting? Briefly discuss the industrial production of beer. Give a brief description of recovery of citric acid after production. 1+5+4
 - (b) With suitable example, illustrate how filtration and centrifugation helpful in downstream processing of fermented industrial products. 5+5
 - (c) Citing suitable example, describe how industrially important microorganisms are isolated from different sources. State some important criteria used to select industrially important microbes. 6+4
 - (d) Write short notes on: 5+5
 - (i) Constantly stirred tank fermenter
 - (ii) Various method of microbial cell disruption for intracellular product recovery.

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