B.E., First Semester

BTBS-X01: Fundamentals of Biotechnology

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Unit.

- I. Answer the following:
 - a) How is biomedical waste transported and discarded?
 - Differentiate between spermatogenesis and oogenesis.
 - Name any two endocrine glands.
 - Define Bioremediation.
 - How is chemical evolution different from organic evolution?
 - What are chromosomes and where are they found?
 - Differentiate between skeletal and smooth muscles.
 - h) Mention any two biosafety measure that you will apply while working in a laboratory.
 - IPR is an acronym for
 - What is the function of liver in digestive system?

(10x1)

UNIT - I

- a) Draw a labeled diagram of eukaryotic cell and mention one function of each organelle.
 - b) Differentiate between a plant cell and an animal cell.

(2x5)

- a) Discuss various theories of evolution in brief. According to you which theory has a III. more scientific basis?
 - b) Describe the Oparin-Haldane hypothesis in detail. How was this tested experimentally? (2x5)
- a) Enlist any five applications of biotechnology in food and agriculture.
 - b) Draw a labeled diagram of mitochondria and mention its functions.

(2x5)

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UNIT - II

- a) Draw a labeled diagram of digestive system and briefly mention function of each
 - b) Name the tissue that covers all the exposed surface of the body and explain its (2x5)
- VI. a) Differentiate between GLP and GMP
 - b) What do you understand by biosafety? How is biosafety applied in laboratories and (2x5)
- VII. Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - a) Components of blood
 - b) Function of endocrine glands
 - c) Neuron and its structure

(2x5)

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