

**KARPAGAM ACADEMY OF HIGHER  
EDUCATION**  
Department of Biotechnology  
(Scheme of examination for 2016-2017  
onwards) B.Sc., Biotechnology Curriculum

| Course code            | Name of the course                        | Objectives and Outcomes |              | Hrs / week | Marks |     |       | Exam (hrs) | Credit |
|------------------------|---|-------------------------|--------------|------------|-------|-----|-------|------------|--------|
|                        |   | PEO´s                   | PO´s & PSO´s |            | CIA   | ESE | Total |            |        |
| SEMESTER – I           |   |                         |              |            |       |     |       |            |        |
| 16LSU101               | Language -1                               | -                       | -            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16ENU101               | English                                   | -                       | -            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU101               | Biochemistry and Metabolism               | I                       | a, b         | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU102               | Cell Biology                              | I                       | a, b         | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU103               | Chemistry -1                              | I                       | a            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU111               | Biochemistry & Metabolism Practical       | I                       | a, b         | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
| 16BTU112               | Cell Biology Practical                    | I                       | a, b         | 03         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
| 16BTU113               | Chemistry -1 Practical                    | I                       | a            | 03         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
|                        | Semester total                            |                         |              | 30         | 320   | 480 | 800   | –          | 26     |
| SEMESTER – II          |   |                         |              |            |       |     |       |            |        |
| 16LSU201               | Language -1                               | -                       | -            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU201               | Genetics                                  | II                      | e            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU202               | Chemistry -2                              | I                       | a            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU203               | General Microbiology                      | I                       | c            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU211               | Genetics Practical                        | II                      | e            | 03         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
| 16BTU212               | Chemistry- 2 Practical                    | I                       | a            | 03         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
| 16BTU213               | General Microbiology Practical            | I                       | c            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
| 16AEC201               | Environmental Studies                     | I, IV                   | d, o         | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
|                        | Semester total                            |                         |              | 30         | 320   | 480 | 800   | –          | 26     |
| SEMESTER – III         |   |                         |              |            |       |     |       |            |        |
| 16BTU301               | Plant Physiology                          | II                      | e            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU302               | Molecular Biology                         | II                      | e            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU303               | Immunology                                | II                      | f            | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 4      |
| 16BTU304A<br>16BTU304B | Molecular Diagnostics                     | III, IV                 | k, l, o      | 03         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 3      |
|                        | Biotechnology and Human Welfare           | I, III                  | d, l         |            |       |     |       |            |        |
| 16BTU311               | Plant Physiology Practical                | II, IV                  | e, n         | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
| 16BTU312               | Molecular Biology -Practical              | II, IV                  | e, n         | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
| 16BTU313               | Immunology Practical                      | II                      | f, n         | 04         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 2      |
| 16BTU314A              | Molecular Diagnostics Practical           | III, IV                 | k, l, o, n   | 03         | 40    | 60  | 100   | 3          | 1      |
| 16BTU314B              | Biotechnology and Human Welfare Practical | III, IV                 | d, l, n      |            |       |     |       |            |        |
|                        | Semester total                            |                         |              | 30         | 320   | 480 | 800   | –          | 22     |

### SEMESTER – IV

|           |                                      |             |                  |           |            |            |            |          |           |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|-------------|------------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 16BTU401  | Bioprocess Technology                | II          | g, h             | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 4         |
| 16BTU402  | Recombinant DNA Technology           | II          | e, g             | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 4         |
| 16BTU403  | Genomics and Proteomics              | II, III     | e, h, g, j, l    | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 4         |
| 16BTU404A | Industrial Fermentation              | II          | g, h             | 03        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 3         |
| 16BTU404B | Enzymology                           | II          | e, g, h          |           |            |            |            |          |           |
| 16BTU412  | Recombinant DNA Technology Practical | II, IV      | e, g, n          | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 2         |
| 16BTU413  | Genomics and Proteomics Practical    | II, III, IV | e, h, g, j, l, n | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 2         |
| 16BTU414A | Industrial Fermentation Practical    | II, IV      | g, h, n          | 03        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 1         |
| 16BTU414B | Enzymology Practical                 | II, IV      | e, g, h, n       |           |            |            |            |          |           |
|           | <b>Semester total</b>                |             |                  | <b>30</b> | <b>320</b> | <b>480</b> | <b>800</b> | <b>–</b> | <b>22</b> |

### SEMESTER – V

|           |                                      |             |         |           |            |            |            |          |           |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|-------------|---------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 16BTU501A | Plant Diversity I                    | I           | a       | 03        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 3         |
| 16BTU501B | Basics of Forensic Science           | IV          | l       |           |            |            |            |          |           |
| 16BTU502A | Bioinformatics                       | III, IV     | j, l    | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 4         |
| 16BTU502B | Plant Diversity II                   | I           | a       |           |            |            |            |          |           |
| 16BTU503A | Plant Biotechnology                  | II, III     | i, g    | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 4         |
| 16BTU503B | Evolutionary Biology                 | I, III      | b, i    |           |            |            |            |          |           |
| 16BTU504A | Animal Biotechnology                 | III         | i       | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 4         |
| 16BTU504B | Animal diversity-I                   | I           | a       |           |            |            |            |          |           |
| 16BTU511A | Plant Diversity I Practical          | I, IV       | a, n    | 03        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 1         |
| 16BTU511B | Basics of Forensic Science Practical | III, IV     | l, n    |           |            |            |            |          |           |
| 16BTU512A | Bioinformatics Practical             | III, IV     | j, l, n | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 2         |
| 16BTU512B | Plant Diversity –II Practical        | I, IV       | a, n    |           |            |            |            |          |           |
| 16BTU513A | Plant Biotechnology Practical        | II, III, IV | g, i, n | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 2         |
| 16BTU513B | Evolutionary Biology Practical       | I, III, IV  | b, i, n |           |            |            |            |          |           |
| 16BTU514A | Animal Biotechnology Practical       | III, IV     | i, n    | 04        | 40         | 60         | 100        | 3        | 2         |
| 16BTU514B | Animal Diversity-I Practical         | I           | a, n    |           |            |            |            |          |           |
|           | <b>Semester total</b>                |             |         | <b>30</b> | <b>320</b> | <b>480</b> | <b>800</b> | <b>–</b> | <b>22</b> |

### SEMESTER – VI

|           |  |         |         |    |    |    |     |   |   |
|-----------|--|---------|---------|----|----|----|-----|---|---|
| 16BTU601A | I.P.R. Entrepreneurship, Bioethics & Biosafety | III, IV | k, l, o | 03 | 40 | 60 | 100 | 3 | 3 |
| 16BTU601B | Bio- analytical Tool                           | I, III  | d, l    |    |    |    |     |   |   |
| 16BTU602A | Medical Microbiology                           | I, III  | c, k    | 04 | 40 | 60 | 100 | 3 | 4 |
| 16BTU602B | Environmental Biotechnology                    | III, IV | d, k, l |    |    |    |     |   |   |
| 16BTU603A | Biostatistics                                  | III, IV | l, o    | 04 | 40 | 60 | 100 | 3 | 4 |
| 16BTU603B | Environment Management                         | III, IV | d, k, l |    |    |    |     |   |   |

|   |  |            |            |            |             |             |             |          |            |
|---|--|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------|------------|
| 16BTU611A   | I.P.R. Entrepreneurship, Bioethics & Biosafety Practical | III, IV    | k, l, o, n | 03         | 40          | 60          | 100         | 3        | 1          |
| 16BTU611B   | Bio-analytical Tool Practical                            | III, IV    | d, l, n    |            |             |             |             |          |            |
| 16BTU612A   | Medical Microbiology Practical                           | III, IV    | c, k, n    | 04         | 40          | 60          | 100         | 3        | 2          |
| 16BTU612B   | Environmental Biotechnology Practical                    | I, III, IV | d, k, l, n |            |             |             |             |          |            |
| 16BTU613A   | Biostatistics Practical                                  | III        | l, o, n    | 04         | 40          | 60          | 100         | 3        | 2          |
| 16BTU613B   | Environment Management Practical                         | I, III, IV | d, k, l, n |            |             |             |             |          |            |
| 16BTU691  | DSE – 6 Project  | III        | l          | 08         | 40          | 60          | 100         | 3        | 6          |
| ECA / NCC / NSS / Sports / General interest etc., |  |            |            |            |             |             |             |          | Good       |
| <b>Semester total</b>                             |  |            |            |            |             |             |             |          |            |
| <b>Grand Total</b>                                |  |            |            | <b>30</b>  | <b>280</b>  | <b>420</b>  | <b>700</b>  | <b>-</b> | <b>22</b>  |
|   |  |            |            | <b>180</b> | <b>1880</b> | <b>2820</b> | <b>4700</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>140</b> |

LS: Language course; EN: English course; SEC: Skill-enhancement course; DEC: Discipline -specific elective

Blue – Employability    Green – Entrepreneurship    Red- Skill Development

| <b>Skill Enhancement Elective Courses – Theory</b> |                     |  |
|--|---------------------|--|
| <b>Semester</b>                                    | <b>Subject code</b> | <b>Subject</b>                                 |
| III  | 16BTU304A           | Molecular Diagnostics                          |
|  | 16BTU304B           | Biotechnology and Human Welfare                |
| IV   | 16BTU404A           | Industrial Fermentation                        |
|  | 16BTU404B           | Enzymology                                     |
| V  | 16BTU501A           | Plant Diversity I                              |
|  | 16BTU501B           | Basics of Forensic Science                     |
| VI   | 16BTU601A           | I.P.R. Entrepreneurship, Bioethics & Biosafety |
|  | 16BTU601B           | Bio- analytical Tool                           |

| <b>Skill Enhancement Elective Courses - Practicals</b> |                     |  |
|--|---------------------|--|
| <b>Semester</b>  | <b>Subject code</b> | <b>Subject</b>   |
| III  | 16BTU314A           | Molecular Diagnostics Practical                          |
|  | 16BTU314B           | Biotechnology and Human Welfare Practical                |
| IV   | 16BTU414A           | Industrial Fermentation Practical                        |
|  | 16BTU414B           | Enzymology Practical                                     |
| V  | 16BTU511A           | Plant Diversity I Practical                              |
|  | 16BTU511B           | Basics of Forensic Science Practical                     |
| VI   | 16BTU611A           | I.P.R. Entrepreneurship, Bioethics & Biosafety Practical |
|  | 16BTU611B           | Bio-analytical Tool Practical                            |

| <b>Discipline Specific Elective Courses-Theory</b> |                     |                             |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Semester</b>                                    | <b>Subject code</b> | <b>Subject</b>              |
| V  | 16BTU502A           | Bioinformatics              |
|  | 16BTU502B           | Plant Diversity II          |
|  | 16BTU503A           | Plant Biotechnology         |
|  | 16BTU503B           | Evolutionary Biology        |
|  | 16BTU504A           | Animal Biotechnology        |
|  | 16BTU504B           | Animal Diversity-I          |
| VI   | 16BTU602A           | Medical Microbiology        |
|  | 16BTU602B           | Environmental Biotechnology |
|  | 16BTU603A           | Biostatistics               |
|  | 16BTU603B           | Environment Management      |

| Discipline Specific Elective Courses –Practical |              |                                       |
|---|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| Semester  | Subject Code | Subject                               |
| V   | 16BTU512A    | Bioinformatics Practical              |
|   | 16BTU512B    | Plant Diversity –II Practical         |
|   | 16BTU513A    | Plant Biotechnology Practical         |
|   | 16BTU513B    | Evolutionary Biology Practical        |
|   | 16BTU514A    | Animal Biotechnology Practical        |
|   | 16BTU514B    | Animal Diversity-I Practical          |
| VI  | 16BTU612A    | Medical Microbiology Practical        |
|   | 16BTU612B    | Environmental Biotechnology Practical |
|   | 16BTU613A    | Biostatistics Practical               |
|   | 16BTU613B    | Environment Management Practical      |
|   | 16BTU691     | Project Work                          |

## **PROGRAMME OUTCOMES (POs)**

- a) Graduates will acquire in-depth understanding of basic concept, knowledge about biochemistry and cell organelles, their functions for applied field, allied subject and life skills.
- b) The students will be able to discuss the metabolic aspects of biomolecules.
- c) The Graduates will gain the technical capability of handling, isolating and identifying various organisms from different sources.
- d) Understanding and better knowledge of the causes, types and control methods for environmental pollution by the students.
- e) The student will be able to discuss the mechanisms associated with gene expression system in prokaryotes and eukaryotes.
- f) Understand the role of different types of cells, effectors and effectors mechanisms in immune-technology by the students.
- g) Develop skills associated with screening of industrially important strains, various aspects of bioprocess technology and rDNA technology by the graduates.
- h) The student will be able to understand the production of enzymes from different sources and enzyme characterization and kinetic actions in living organisms.
- i) The student will be able to understand the production of transgenic plants and animals for human and environmental welfare.
- j) Understand the basic concepts and modern knowledge of bioinformatics by graduates.
- k) Apply the knowledge and skills gained from molecular aspects should be useful in developing new innovations in different life forms by the graduates.
- l) The student will be able design, solve the application-oriented problem in biotechnological field through project-based learning.

## **PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES (PSOs)**

**To enable the student to emerge as:**

- m) Proficiency to work on biotechnological concepts and interdisciplinary areas of science and technology towards product and process development for industrial and academic research applications.
- n) An expert in Biotechnology and allied fields (medical, microbial, agricultural, environmental, plant and animal) for utilizing the practical skills to address biotechnological challenges.
- o) Proficiency to demonstrate entrepreneurial and leadership skills with life-long learning.

## PROGRAMME EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES (PEOs)

To impart the following PEOs to the students of Under-graduates in Biotechnology:

**PEO I :** To obtain detailed information about the fundamentals of Biotechnology, allied subjects and life skills.

**PEO II :** To provide information about the molecular methods which involved in cellular processes of living systems such as microbes to higher order organisms for applied aspects. To address the emerging need for skilled scientific manpower with research ethics involving organisms.

**PEO III :** To impart the basics and current molecular tools in the areas of Molecular Diagnostics, Fermentation Technology, Plant, Animal & Environmental Biotechnology are included to train the students for man power development and also sensitize them to scope for research. The practical subjects will provide information about the careers in the industry and applied research where biological system is employed.

**PEO IV :** To make the graduates of Biotechnology to learn and to adopt in a competitive world of technology update and contribute to all forms of life.

### MAPPING OF PEOs AND POs

| PEOs    | Programme Outcome (s) |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|---------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|         | (a)                   | (b) | (c) | (d) | (e) | (f) | (g) | (h) | (i) | (j) | (k) | (l) | (m) | (n) | (o) |
| PEO I   | x                     | x   | x   | x   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| PEO II  |                       |     |     |     | x   | x   | x   | x   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| PEO III |                       |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | x   | x   | x   | x   |     |     |     |
| PSO IV  |                       |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | x   | x   | x   | x   | x   |

**கற்பகம் உயர்கல்வி கலைக்கழகம்**  
**தமிழ்த்துறை**  
**பகுதி - I தமிழ்ப் பாடத்திட்டம் (2016 - 2017)**  
**முதல் பருவம்**  
**(இளநிலை அறிவியல் பட்ட வகுப்புகளுக்குரியது)**  
**(For I-UG Science Degree Classes) 16LSU101**

**பாடத்திட்டப் பொதுநோக்கம்**

- கற்றல் வழி சிந்தனைத் திறனையும், கருத்து வெளிப்பாட்டுத் திறனையும், மேம்படுத்துதல்.
- ஆய்வு நோக்கை மேம்படுத்துதல்.
- இலக்கியங்கள் உணர்த்தும் வாழ்வின் நுட்பமான பகுதிகளை உணர்த்துதல்.
- மனித மனத்தினைப் பக்குவப்படுத்துதலில் இலக்கியம் தரும் பங்கினை உணர்த்துதல்.
- வளர்ந்து வரும் சமூகத்தில் அறஉணர்வு, பண்பாடு போன்றவை குறித்து அறிவூட்டல்.
- அரசுத் தேர்வுகளுக்கு மாணவர்களை ஆயத்தமாக்குதல்.

**பாடத்திட்டப் பயன் விளைவு**

1. இந்திய குடியுரிமைப் பணி முதலான போட்டித் தேர்வுகளில், விருப்பப் பாடமாக இந்திய குடியுரிமைப் பணி முதலான போட்டித் தேர்வுகளில், விருப்பப் பாடமாக இடம்பெறுகின்ற, 'தமிழ் இலக்கிய வரலாறு' குறித்த முழுமையான அறிமுகம் பெற்றிருத்தல்.
2. கல்வெட்டியல், ஓலைச்சுவடியியல் மற்றும் தொல்லியல் சார்ந்த ஆவணத் தேடலுக்குரிய ஆய்வுமனப்பான்மையுடன், இலக்கியங்களை அணுகுதல்.
3. தமிழின் வளர்ச்சித் துறையாகிய, 'அறிவியல் தமிழ்' ; 'இணைய தமிழ்' குறித்த பன்னோக்கு அணுகுமுறையிலான ஆய்வுச் சிந்தனை மேம்பாடு.
4. வேலைவாய்ப்புக்குரிய சுயதிறன் மேம்பாட்டுடன், படைப்பாக்கத்திறன் மேம்பாடும் பெற்றிருத்தல்.
5. சமுதாய மற்றும் வாழ்வியல் மதிப்புகளைப் பேணுவதற்குக் கருவியாக இலக்கியங்களை நாடுகின்ற மனப்பான்மை வளர்ச்சி.
6. மொழிபெயப்புத் துறைசார்ந்த வேலைவாய்ப்புத் திறன் பெற்றிருத்தல்

**தாள்கள் வரிசையும் தேர்வுச் செயல்திட்டமும் பகுதி-I தமிழ்**

| பருவம் | தாள் | கற்பிக்கும் நேரம்/வாரம் | தேர்வு மணிகள் | மதிப்பெண் அக/எழுத்து | மொத்தம் | மதிப்பீடு |
|--------|------|-------------------------|---------------|----------------------|---------|-----------|
| ஒன்று  | I    | 4                       | 3             | 40 / 60              | 100     | 4         |

**அலகு - I : இக்கால இலக்கியம்:**

**(10 மணிநேரம்)**

**கல்வி :** மகாகவி பாரதியார் - சுயசரிதை - ஆங்கிலக் கல்வி.

**இன்றைய நிலை :** கவிமணி தேசிக விநாயகம் பிள்ளை - ஒற்றுமையே உயிர்நிலை.

**மனிதநேயம் :** கவிஞர் சிற்பி பாலசுப்பிரமணியன் -மலையாளக் காற்று.

**சூழலியல் :** கவிஞர். வைதீஸ்வரன் - விரல் மீட்டிய மழை.

**பெண்ணியம் :** கவிஞர். சுகந்தி சுப்பிரமணியம் - புதையுண்ட வாழ்க்கை.

**அலகு - II : அற இலக்கியம்:**

**(10 மணிநேரம்)**

கொன்றை வேந்தன்: 1-50 பாடல்கள்

திருக்குறள்: பண்புடைமை, வினைத்திட்டம் - 20 குறள்கள்

பழமொழி நானூறு: 5 பாடல்கள்



**அலகு - III : சிற்றிலக்கியம்:**

**(10 மணிநேரம்)**

மூவருலா: 1-26 கண்ணிகள்

திருச்செந்தூர் முருகன் பிள்ளைத்தமிழ்: 2 பாடல்கள்

கலிங்கத்துப் பரணி: போர்பாடியது - 9 பாடல்கள்

**அலகு - IV : கட்டுரை:**

**(10 மணிநேரம்)**

1. உயர்தனிச் செம்மொழி - பரிதிமாற்கலைஞர்
2. கட்டிடக்கலை - அ. இராசமாணிக்கனார்
3. வாழ்க்கை - இளவழகனார்
4. ஆளுமைத்திறன் அறிவோம் - ஸ்ரீகண்ணன்
5. மணற்கேணி - நெ.து.சுந்தரவடிவேலு

**அலகு- V : மொழிப்பயிற்சி:**

**(8 மணிநேரம்)**

1. படைப்பிலக்கியப் பயிற்சிகள் (கதை, கவிதை, கட்டுரை, உரைநடை)
2. மொழிபெயர்ப்பு
3. இலக்கணப் பயிற்சிகள்

**பாட நூல்: கற்பகச்சோலை - தமிழ் ஏடு.** கற்பகம் பல்கலைக்கழகத் தமிழ்த் துறை வெளியீடு.

**Course Objectives**

- To help students enhance their Language skills.
- To introduce different kinds of literary works.
- To familiarize different genres of Literature.
- To instruct moral values through literature.
- To improvise their productive and receptive skills.
- To strengthen the basic knowledge about grammar.

**Course Outcomes**

1. Develop the four types of skills.
2. Reading and comprehending literary works.
3. Genres of literature to provide moral education.
4. Develop communication skills in business environment.
5. Interpersonal skills will be developed.
6. Betterment of language competence.

**UNIT I**

**Prose:** Google Guys (Extract) – Richard L Brandt

**Poetry:** The Blind Pedlar – Osbert Sitwell

**Short Story:** A Garden So Rich – Christie Craig

**Vocabulary:** Prefixes, Antonyms, Sentence Completion

**Grammar:** Articles, Adverbs, Pronouns

**Composition:** Proverb Expansion

**UNIT II**

**Prose:** Happiness 101 – Geeta Padmanabhan

**Poetry:** An Old Woman – Arun Kolatkar

**Vocabulary:** Suffixes, Analogies

**Grammar:** Nouns, Adjectives

**Composition:** Dialogue Writing

**UNIT III**

**Prose:** Structured Procrastination – John Perry

**Short Story:** The Umbrella Man – Roald Dahl

**One-Act Play:** The Boy Who Stopped Smiling – Ramu Ramanathan

**Vocabulary:** Synonyms, Euphemisms, Word Definitions

**Grammar:** Verbs, Conjunctions and Interjection, Indirect/Reported Speech

**UNIT IV**

**Poetry:** No Sentence – Anjum Hassan

**One-Act Play:** While the Auto Waits- O' Henry

**Vocabulary:** Words Often Confused, Anagrams

**Grammar:** Prepositions, Voice- Active and Passive

**Composition:** Letter Writing- Informal

**UNIT V**

**Short Story:** The Bird – Amar Jalil

**One-Act Play:** The Cellphone Epidemic – Claudia I. Haas

**Vocabulary:** Portmanteau Words, One Word Substitute

**Grammar:** Questions, Pronunciation

**Composition:** Letter Writing- Formal

**Prescribed Text**

Rao, G. Chandralekha et al. *Spring* (2013). Emerald Publishers: Chennai.

**Suggested Readings**

Shyamala, V. *English for Communication*. (2006). Emerald Publishers: Chennai

### Course Objectives

The objectives of the course are to make the students to

- Understand the basic concepts of cellular structure and organization of various biomolecules.
- Understand the functions and importance of various biomolecules.
- Describe the various metabolic pathways involved in cells for its normal functioning.
- Obtain basic knowledge on disorders associated with metabolism of biomolecules.
- Understand enzymes and their classification
- Understand about Carbohydrates Metabolism

### Course Outcomes

On successful completion of the course, students will be able to:

1. Understand Biochemistry as discipline and milestone discoveries in life sciences that led to establishment of Biochemistry as separate discipline.
2. Understand fundamental properties of elements, their role in formation of biomolecules and in chemical reactions within living organisms.
3. Draw or describe the structure of amino acids, proteins, enzymes, chemical messengers, carbohydrates, lipids, and nucleic acid.
4. Describe the metabolism of carbohydrates, lipids, proteins and amino acids, and write chemical reactions for the individual steps in each pathway.
5. Write the chemical reactions involved in biochemical pathways that produce ATP, such as citric acid cycle and electron transport.
6. Be familiar with the enzymes (biocatalysts), and their salient attributes including unique conformation and amazing catalytic properties.

### UNIT- I

**Introduction to Biochemistry:** Amino acids & Proteins: Structure, properties and function of Amino acids and Protein, Amino acid and protein classification. Protein Purification. Denaturation and renaturation of proteins. Fibrous and globular proteins. Carbohydrates: Structure, Function and properties of Monosaccharides, Disaccharides and Polysaccharides. Bacterial cell wall polysaccharides, Glycoproteins and their biological functions

### UNIT-II

**Lipids:** Structure and functions –Classification, nomenclature and properties of fatty acids, essential fatty acids. Phospholipids, sphingolipids, glycolipids, cerebrosides, gangliosides, Prostaglandins, Cholesterol.  $\beta$ -oxidation of fatty acids.

### UNIT-III

**Nucleic acids:** Structure and functions: Physical & chemical properties of Nucleic acids, Nucleosides & Nucleotides, purines & pyrimidines, Biologically important nucleotides, Double helical model of DNA structure, A, B & Z – DNA, denaturation and renaturation of DNA

### UNIT-IV

**Enzymes:** Nomenclature and classification of Enzymes, Holoenzyme, apoenzyme, Cofactors, coenzyme, groups, metalloenzymes, monomeric & oligomeric enzymes, activation energy and transition state, enzyme activity, specific activity, common features of active sites, Role of: NAD<sup>+</sup>, NADP<sup>+</sup>, FMN/FAD, coenzymes A, Thiamine pyrophosphate, Pyridoxal phosphate, lipoic-acid, Biotin, vitamin B12, Tetrahydrofolate and metal ions. **Photosynthesis– Photosystem I and II.**

### UNIT-V

**Carbohydrates Metabolism:** Glycolysis: Fate of pyruvate under aerobic and anaerobic conditions. Pentose phosphate pathway and its significance, Gluconeogenesis, Glycogenolysis and glycogen synthesis. TCA cycle.

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**Course Objectives**

The objectives of the course are to make the students to

- Understand the structures and functions of basic components of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells, especially macromolecules, membranes, and organelles
- Understand how the cellular components are used to generate and utilize energy in cells
- Understand the cellular components underlying cell division.
- Obtain knowledge of various cellular events to understand various physiological processes.

**Course Outcomes**

On successful completion of Cell Biology course, students will be able to:

1. Describe the importance of cell biology in fundamental functions of living systems.
2. Describe the structures and basic components of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells.
3. Illustrate how the cellular components are used for various cellular activities.
4. Demonstrate the pathways involved in various cellular events including cell cycle and cell division.
5. Describe cellular events associated with cell death and cancer formation.

**UNIT- I**

**Cell:** Introduction and classification of organisms by cell structure, cytosol, compartmentalization of eukaryotic cells, cell fractionation. **Cell Membrane and Permeability:** Chemical components of biological membranes, organization and Fluid Mosaic Model, membrane as a dynamic entity, cell recognition and membrane transport.

**UNIT- II**

**Membrane Vacuolar System, Cytoskeleton and Cell Motility:** Structure and function of microtubules, Microfilaments, Intermediate filaments. **Endoplasmic reticulum:** Structure, function including role in protein segregation. **Golgi complex:** Structure, biogenesis and functions including role in protein secretion.

**UNIT-III**

**Lysosomes:** Vacuoles and micro bodies: Structure and functions **Ribosomes:** Structures and function including role in protein synthesis. **Mitochondria:** Structure and function, Genomes, biogenesis. **Chloroplasts:** Structure and function, genomes, biogenesis **Nucleus:** Structure and function, chromosomes and their structure.

**UNIT- IV**

**Extracellular Matrix:** Composition, molecules that mediate cell adhesion, membrane receptors for extra cellular matrix, macromolecules, regulation of receptor expression and function.

**UNIT-V**

**Cancer:** Carcinogenesis, agents promoting carcinogenesis, characteristics and molecular basis of cancer. Signal transduction.

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### Course Objectives

The objectives of the course are to know

- The molecular orbital theory, preparation and properties of inorganic compounds.
- Theory of covalent bond, polar effects and stereochemistry of organic compounds.
- About important industrial chemicals like silicones, fuel gases and fertilizers and their impact on environment.
- Elements of photochemistry, chemical kinetics and chromatography.
- About the dyes, chemotherapy and vitamins.
- About the Column, Paper and Thin Layer Chromatography.

### Course Outcomes

The student understands

1. The molecular orbital theory, preparation and properties of inorganic compounds.
2. Theory of covalent bond, polar effects and stereochemistry of organic compounds.
3. About important industrial chemicals like silicones, fuel gases and fertilizers and their impact on environment.
4. Elements of photochemistry, chemical kinetics and chromatography.
5. About the dyes, chemotherapy and vitamins.
6. Principles and applications of Column, Paper and Thin Layer Chromatography.

### Unit-I

**Chemical Bonding:** Molecular orbital theory-linear combination of atomic orbitals-bonding and antibonding molecular orbitals-energy level diagram-bond order- M.O. configuration of H<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub> and F<sub>2</sub> molecules. Diborane: Preparation, properties and structure. NaBH<sub>4</sub>: Preparation and uses. Borazole: Preparation and properties. Interhalogen compounds: ICl, BrF<sub>3</sub>, IF<sub>5</sub> - preparation, properties, uses and structure. Basic properties of iodine. Compounds of sulphur: Sodium hydrosulphite- preparation, properties, uses and structure. Per acids of sulphur: Preparation, properties, uses and structure.

### Unit-II

**Industrial Chemistry:** Silicones: Synthesis, properties and uses. Fuels gases: Natural gas-water gas-semi water gas-carbureted water gas-producer gas- oil gas (Manufacturing details not required). Fertilizers: NPK fertilizer-ammonium sulphate-urea-superphosphate of lime- triple superphosphate-potassium nitrate-ammonium nitrate. Pollution: Water, air and soil pollution-sources and remedies-acid rain-ozone hole-greenhouse effect.

### Unit- III

#### Covalent Bond and Stereoisomerism:

**Covalent Bond:** Orbital overlap, hybridization and geometry of CH<sub>4</sub>, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub> and C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>. Polar effects: Inductive effect-electromeric effect- mesomeric effect- steric effect- hyperconjugation.

**Stereoisomerism:** Elements of symmetry-polarised light and optical activity-isomerism in tartaric acid-racemisation- resolution- geometrical isomerism of maleic and fumaric acids-keto-enol tautomerism of acetoacetic esters.

### Unit- IV

**Dyes, Chemotherapy and Vitamins:** **Dyes:** Terms used chromophore, auxochrome, bathochromic shift and hypsochromic shift- classification of dyes – based on chemical structure and application-one example each for azo, triphenylmethane, vat and mordant dyes- preparation. **Chemotherapy:** Preparation, uses and mechanism of action sulpha drugs- preparation and uses of prontosil, sulphadiazine and sulphafurazole-structure and uses of penicillins and chloromycetin. **Vitamins:** Diseases caused by the deficiency of vitamins A, B<sub>1</sub>, B<sub>2</sub>, C and D-sources of these vitamins.



## Unit- V

**Elements of Photochemistry, Chemical Kinetics and Chromatography: Elements of Photochemistry:** Photochemical laws-Beer Lambert's law-Grotthuss-Draper law-Stark- Einstein law (statement only).

**Chemical Kinetics:** Rate-order-molecularity-pseudo first order reactions-zero order reactions-determination of order of reaction-measurement of order and rates of reactions- effect of temperature on reaction rate-energy of activation.

**Chromatography:** Principles and applications of Column, Paper and Thin Layer Chromatography.

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4. Puri, Sharma &Pathania, (2003). *Physical Chemistry*. Jalandhar: Vishal Publishing Company Ltd.
5. Gopalan, R. & Sundaram, S. (2003). *Allied Chemistry* (3rd ed.). New Delhi: Sultan Chand & Sons.

Total hours/week: L:0 T:0 P:4

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

**Course Objectives****The main objectives of the course are,**

- To acquire skill on various experimental methods and techniques on order to analyse the given biological samples.
- To know the standard procedures for handling the biochemical assays and instruments.
- To know the threshold levels of primary biochemicals.
- To analyse common organic reagents and compounds based on their properties.
- To analyse biological compounds from unknown mixture/origin.
- To Understand Good laboratory practices in a laboratory.

**Course Outcomes****The learners will be able to,**

1. Gain skills on quantitative estimation methods for various biomolecules from natural sources.
2. Acquire handling skills to handle the instrumentations.
3. Obtain skills on primary screening of samples.
4. Develop skills to prepare useful reagents in the laboratory.
5. Use of handling of glass wares, minor equipment for conducting experiments.
6. Learn safety and precautionary measures for working in a laboratory.

**List of Practicals**

1. Preparation of buffers.
2. Qualitative tests for Carbohydrates, lipids and proteins
3. Principles of Colorimetry: (i) Beer's law, estimation of protein. (ii) To study relation between absorbance and %transmission.
4. Separation of Amino acids by paper chromatography.
5. Estimation of blood glucose by glucose oxidase method.
6. Determination of - pH optima, temperature optima, Km value, V<sub>max</sub>, Effect of inhibitor (Inorganic phosphate) on the enzyme activity.
7. To study the effect of pH, temperature on the activity of salivary amylase enzyme.
8. To study activity of any enzyme under optimum conditions.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To enable students to learn the basics of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells
- To develop practical biological skills such as staining, sterilization, dialysis etc.
- To prepare students for subsequent biological courses that require an understanding of the physiology of organisms such as cell division, enzyme activity etc.
- To understand the basics of techniques to study cells.
- To prepare students to handle the equipment available and identify the suitable and appropriate experiments.
- To learn aseptic techniques in the lab.

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to,

1. Understand the unique features of plant and animal cells.
2. Gain the practical skills on tissue mounting techniques to visualize the cell morphology.
3. Acquire knowledge about cell's response to various environmental conditions.
4. Able to differentiate the cells of various living organisms and get awareness of physiological processes of cell.
5. Able to observe and correctly identify different cell types, cellular structures.
6. Able to handle the equipment available and identify the suitable and appropriate experiments.

**List of Practicals**

1. Study the effect of temperature and organic solvents on semipermeable membrane.
2. Demonstration of dialysis.
3. Study of plasmolysis and de-plasmolysis.
4. Cell fractionation and determination of enzyme activity in organelles using sprouted seed or any other suitable source.
5. Study of structure of any Prokaryotic and Eukaryotic cell.
6. Microtomy: Fixation, block making, section cutting, double staining of animal tissues like liver, pancreas, kidney.
7. Cell division in onion root tip.
8. Preparation of Nuclear, Mitochondrial and cytoplasmic fractions.

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**Course Objectives**

The student should know

- The molecular orbital theory, preparation and properties of inorganic compounds.
- Theory of covalent bond, polar effects and stereochemistry of organic compounds.
- Theory about important Aromatic or aliphatic
- About the preliminary test
- Elements of chemical confirmatory test.
- Understand the concepts of safe laboratory practices.

**Course Outcomes**

The student understands

1. The molecular orbital theory, preparation and properties of inorganic compounds.
2. Theory of covalent bond, polar effects and stereochemistry of organic compounds.
3. About importance of the preliminary test
4. About the chemical confirmatory test
5. Elements of photochemistry, chemical kinetics.
6. About the safety measures to handle the chemicals in the lab.

**List of Practicals**

1. Preliminary tests
2. Detection of elements present
3. Aromatic or aliphatic
4. Saturated or unsaturated
5. Nature of the functional group
6. Confirmatory tests– aldehydes, ketones, amines, diamide, carbohydrates, phenols, acids, esters & nitro compounds.

Note: Each student should analyses minimum 6 compounds.

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**பாடத்திட்டப் பொதுநோக்கம்**

- கற்றல் வழி சிந்தனைத் திறனையும், கருத்து வெளிப்பாட்டுத் திறனையும், மேம்படுத்துதல்.
- ஆய்வுநோக்கை மேம்படுத்துதல்.
- இலக்கியங்கள் உணர்த்தும் வாழ்வின் நுட்பமான பகுதிகளை உணர்த்துதல்.
- மனித மனத்தினைப் பக்குவப்படுத்துதலில் இலக்கியம் தரும் பங்கினை உணர்த்துதல்.
- வளர்ந்து வரும் சமூகத்தில் அறஉணர்வு, பண்பாடு போன்றவை குறித்து அறிவூட்டல்.
- அரசுத் தேர்வுகளுக்கு மாணவர்களை ஆயத்தமாக்குதல்.

**பாடத்திட்டப் பயன் விளைவு**

1. இந்திய குடியுரிமைப் பணி முதலான போட்டித் தேர்வுகளில், விருப்பப் பாடமாக இந்திய குடியுரிமைப் பணி முதலான போட்டித் தேர்வுகளில், விருப்பப் பாடமாக இடம்பெறுகின்ற, 'தமிழ் இலக்கிய வரலாறு' குறித்த முழுமையான அறிமுகம் பெற்றிருத்தல்.
2. கல்வெட்டியல், ஓலைச்சுவடியியல் மற்றும் தொல்லியல் சார்ந்த ஆவணத் தேடலுக்குரிய ஆய்வுமனப்பான்மையுடன், இலக்கியங்களை அணுகுதல்.
3. தமிழின் வளர்ச்சித் துறையாகிய, 'அறிவியல் தமிழ்'; 'இணைய தமிழ்' குறித்த பன்னோக்கு அணுகுமுறையிலான ஆய்வுச் சிந்தனை மேம்பாடு.
4. வேலைவாய்ப்புக்குரிய சுயதிறன் மேம்பாட்டுடன், படைப்பாக்கத்திறன் மேம்பாடும் பெற்றிருத்தல்.
5. சமுதாய மற்றும் வாழ்வியல் மதிப்புகளைப் பேணுவதற்குக் கருவியாக இலக்கியங்களை நாடுகின்ற மனப்பான்மை வளர்ச்சி.
6. மொழிபெயப்புத் துறைசார்ந்த வேலைவாய்ப்புத் திறன் பெற்றிருத்தல்

**தாள்கள் வரிசையும் தேர்வுச் செயல்திட்டமும் பகுதி-I தமிழ்**

| பருவம் | தாள் | கற்பிக்கும் நேரம்/வாரம் | தேர்வு மணிகள் | மதிப்பெண் அக/எழுத்து | மொத்தம் | மதிப்பீடு |
|--------|------|-------------------------|---------------|----------------------|---------|-----------|
| இரண்டு | II   | 4                       | 3             | 40 / 60              | 100     | 4         |

**அலகு - I : பக்தி இலக்கியம்**

**(10 மணிநேரம்)**

சைவ, வைணவ இலக்கியங்கள் - தோற்றம் ,வளர்ச்சி, வரலாறு.

1. சைவம் - பெரியபுராணம் - திருமூலநாயனார் புராணம்.
2. வைணவம் - பெரியாழ்வார் திருமொழி: 10 பாடல்கள்.

**அலகு - II : சங்க இலக்கியம் :**

**(15 மணிநேரம்)**

சங்க இலக்கியங்கள் அறிமுகம்

**அ). எட்டுத்தொகை**

**நற்றிணை :** பிரசம் கலந்த - பாலை -110

**குறுந்தொகை :** கருங்கட்டாக் கலை - குறிஞ்சி- 69

**ஐங்குறுநூறு :** நெய்தல்-தொண்டிப்பத்து: திரைஇமிழ் இன்னிசை-171

**பதிற்றுப்பத்து :** சிதைந்தது மன்ற - 27

**பரிபாடல்:** பரிபாடல் திரட்டு-மதுரை நகர்ச்சிறப்பு -  
உலகம் ஒரு நிறையாத்தான்-6, மாயோன் கொப்பூழ்-7, செய்யாட்கு இழைத்த-9,  
கார்த்திகை காதில்-10, ஈவாரைக் கொண்டாடி-11.

**கலித்தொகை :** சுடர்தொடிகேளாய்: குறிஞ்சிக்கலி- 36

**அகநானூறு :** அன்னாய் வாழி வேண்டன்னை - குறிஞ்சி - 48

**புறநானூறு :** யாதும் ஊரே யாவருங் கேளிர் -பொதுவியல்- 192

**ஆ). பத்துப்பாட்டு**

**திருமுருகாற்றுப்படை - பழமுதிர்ச்சோலையின் சிறப்பு**

**முருகன் இருப்பிடங்கள் - 'சிறுதினை மலரொடு'**

என்பதிலிருந்துதொடங்கி,

'அறிந்தவாறே' என்பது வரையிலான தொடர்கள்: 218-249.

**முருகன் அருள்புரிதல் - 'தெய்வம் சான்ற' என்பதிலிருந்து தொடங்கி,**

'நல்குமதி' என்பது வரையிலான தொடர்கள்: 286-295.

**அலகு - III : காப்பியம்**

**(6 மணிநேரம்)**

**சிலப்பதிகாரம்:**

**மங்கல வாழ்த்துப் பாடல்: (21-29) - கண்ணகியின் சிறப்பு:**

'நாகநீள் நகரொடு' என்பதிலிருந்து தொடங்கி,

'கண்ணகி என்பாண் மன்னோ' என்பது வரையிலான தொடர்கள்.

**நடுகற்காதை: (207-234) - சேரன் செங்குட்டுவன் கண்ணகிக்குக் கோயில்**

**எடுத்தல்:** 'அருந்திறலரசர்' என்பதிலிருந்து தொடங்கி, 'மன்னவரேறென்' என்பது வரையிலான தொடர்கள்.

**வாழ்த்துக்காதை: (482-485) - செங்குட்டுவனுக்குக் கண்ணகி**

**காட்சியளித்தல்:** 'என்னே' என்பதிலிருந்து தொடங்கி, 'விசும்பில் தோன்றுமால்' என்பது வரையிலான தொடர்கள்.

**வழக்குரை காதை: பத்தினிப் பெண்டிர் எழுவர் கதை:** 'நீர்வார் கண்ணை' என்பதிலிருந்து தொடங்கி, 'புகாரென் பதியே' என்பது வரையிலான தொடர்கள்.

**வஞ்சினமாலை:** 'வன்னி மரமும்' என்பதிலிருந்து தொடங்கி, 'பதிப்பிறந்தேன்' என்பது வரையிலான தொடர்கள்.

**அலகு - IV : சிறுகதை**

**(10 மணிநேரம்)**

1. குளத்தங்கரை அரசமரம் - வ.வே.சு.ஜயர்
2. காட்டில் ஒரு மான் - அம்பை
3. நாற்காலி - கி.ராஜநாராயணன்
4. நகரம் - சுஜாதா

**அலகு- V : மொழிப்பயிற்சி**

**(7 மணிநேரம்)**

படைப்பிலக்கியப் பயிற்சிகள் (கதை, கவிதை, கட்டுரை, உரைநடை)

மொழிபெயர்ப்பு

**பாட நூல்: கற்பகச்சோலை - தமிழ் ஏடு.** கற்பகம் பல்கலைக்கழகத் தமிழ்த் துறை வெளியீடு.

### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are,

- To deliver the basic concepts of heredity in different living organisms
- To gain the information about the level of genome organization in various living organisms
- To obtain the knowledge about transmission of genetic information across generation at the individual and population level
- To understand how to identify and classify mutations in DNA.
- To relate the structure and function of the DNA molecule to its functional role in encoding genetic material.
- To describe the basic aspects of the flow of genetic information.

### Course Outcomes

The learners will be able to,

1. Acquire knowledge about the central theories and methodologies traditional, molecular and population genetics.
2. Acquire information on sex- linked inheritance and associated diseases.
3. Understand the role of genetics in breeding and natural selection.
4. Apply the principles of inheritance as formulated by Mendel.
5. Apply the Hardy-Weinberg Law in analyzing population genetics for gene frequency, sex linkage, equilibrium, and heterozygote frequency.
6. Acquire knowledge about the relationship between genetic, physical, and cytogenetic maps.

### UNIT- I

**Introduction:** Historical developments in the field of genetics. Organisms suitable for genetic experimentation and their genetic significance. Cell Cycle: Mitosis and Meiosis: Control points in cell-cycle progression in yeast. Role of meiosis in life cycles of organisms.

### UNIT-II

**Mendelian Genetics:** Mendel's experimental design, monohybrid, di-hybrid and tri hybrid crosses, Law of segregation & Principle of independent assortment. Verification of segregates by test and back crosses, Chromosomal theory of inheritance, Allelic interactions: Concept of dominance, recessiveness, incomplete dominance, co-dominance, semi-dominance, pleiotropy, multiple alleles, pseudo-allele, essential and lethal genes, penetrance and expressivity.

### UNIT-III

**Chromosome and Genomic Organization:** Eukaryotic nuclear genome nucleotide sequence composition—unique & repetitive DNA, satellite DNA. Centromere and telomere DNA sequences, repetitive transposed sequences- SINEs & LINEs. Genetic organization of prokaryotic and viral genome. Structure and characteristics of bacterial and eukaryotic chromosome, chromosome morphology, concept of euchromatin and heterochromatin. Concept of cistron, exons, introns, genetic code, gene function.

### UNIT-IV

**Chromosome and Gene Mutations:** Definition and types of mutations, causes of mutations, Ames test for mutagenic agents, screening procedures for isolation of mutants and uses of mutants, variations in chromosomes structure - deletion, duplication, inversion and translocation (reciprocal and Robertsonian). Sex determination, sex linkage, sex linked diseases: Mechanisms of sex determination, Fragile- X-syndrome and chromosome, sex influenced dominance, sex limited gene expression, sex linked inheritance.

## UNIT-V

**Genetic Linkage, Crossing Over and Chromosome Mapping:** Linkage and Recombination of genes in a chromosome crossing over. Extra chromosomal inheritance: Rules of extra nuclear inheritance, maternal effects, maternal inheritance, cytoplasmic inheritance, organelle heredity, genomic imprinting. Evolution and population genetics: In breeding and out breeding, Hardy Weinberg law (prediction, derivation), allelic and genotype frequencies, changes in allelic frequencies, systems of mating, evolutionary genetics, natural selection.

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### Course Objectives

- To make the student to be conversant with the extraction of metals, coordination chemistry, preparation, properties uses and structure of naphthalene and heterocyclic compounds.
- To make the student acquire sound knowledge of electrochemistry, biological functions of amino acids and proteins.
- To educate students on chemistry of carboxylic acids, nitro compounds and carbohydrates.
- To impart basic understanding on Thermodynamics
- To educate students on topics Electrochemistry
- To educate on thermodynamic laws, entropy, enthalpy change and the principles of electroplating.

### Course Outcomes

1. The students will be able to understand the metallurgy of metals and the theories of coordination compounds and the industrial importance of EDTA, haemoglobin and chlorophyll.
2. The students will be able to understand the concept of aromaticity and preparation of aromatic compounds including heterocyclic compounds.
3. The students will be able to understand the preparation, classifications and properties of amino acids, proteins and carbohydrates.
4. The students will be able to understand the concepts of first and second laws of thermodynamics.
5. The students will be able to understand the fundamentals of electrochemistry.
6. To expose students on radical analysis in inorganic mixtures; Determination of surface tension and viscosity of liquids.

### Unit-I

#### Metals and Coordination Chemistry:

**Metals:** General methods of extraction of metals-methods of ore dressing-types of furnaces- reduction methods-electrical methods-types of refining-Van Arkel Process-Zone refining.

**Coordination Chemistry:** Nomenclature-theories of Werner, Sidgewick and Pauling- chelation and its industrial importance-EDTA-haemoglobin-chlorophyll-applications in qualitative and quantitative analysis.

### Unit-II

#### Aromatic Compounds and Heterocyclic Compounds:

**Aromatic Compounds:** Aromaticity-Huckel's  $(4n+2)$  rule- aromatic electrophilic substitution in benzene-mechanism of nitration, halogenation, alkylation, acylation and sulphonation. Naphthalene: Isolation, preparation, properties and structure. **Heterocyclic Compounds:** Preparation and properties of pyrrole, furan, thiophene and pyridine.

### Unit-III

**Amino acids, Proteins and Carbohydrates:** **Amino acids:** Classification, preparation and properties. Peptides-preparation of peptides (Bergmann method only). **Proteins:** Classification, properties, biological functions and structure. **Carbohydrates:** Classification, preparation and properties of glucose and fructose- discussion of open chain and ring structures of glucose and fructose-glucose-fructose interconversion.

### Unit-IV

**Energetics:** Type of systems-processes and their types - isothermal, adiabatic, reversible, irreversible and spontaneous processes-statement of first law of thermodynamics-need for the second law of thermodynamics-heat engine-Carnot cycle-efficiency-Carnot theorem- thermodynamics scale of temperature-Joule-Thomson effect- Enthalpy- Entropy and its significance-Free energy change.

## Unit-V

**Electrochemistry:** Kohlrausch law-conductometric titrations-hydrolysis of salts-galvanic cells-E.M.F.-standard electrode potentials-reference electrodes- electrochemical series and its applications-buffer solution-buffer solution in the biological systems-pH and its determination-principles of electroplating.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To inculcate knowledge on fundamentals of microorganisms.
- To learn the structural organization, morphology and reproduction of microbes.
- To know the principles of Microscopy and advancements in Microscopy
- To deal with the study of genetic, metabolic strategies and ecology of microorganisms.
- To learn the basic knowledge of the main microbiological techniques to be applied in the laboratory.
- To develop understanding about microbial metabolism, growth, energy generation and disease caused.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Gain rigorous knowledge on historical perspective of Microbiology
2. Acquire basic knowledge on different structure of microbes.
3. Get Ideas on different type of microscope.
4. Acquire basic knowledge the different applications of microbiology in biotechnology.
5. Acquire basic knowledge of genetic, metabolic strategies and ecology of microorganisms.
6. Acquire basic knowledge about microbial metabolism, growth, energy generation and disease caused.

**UNIT-I**

Fundamentals, History, Scope and Evolution of Microbiology. Classification of microorganisms: Microbial taxonomy, criteria used including molecular approaches, Microbial phylogeny and current classification of bacteria. Microbial Diversity: Distribution and characterization Prokaryotic and Eukaryotic cells, Morphology and cell structure of major groups of microorganisms eg. Bacteria, Algae, Fungi, Protozoa and Unique features of viruses.

**UNIT-II**

Cultivation and Maintenance of microorganisms: Nutritional categories of micro-organisms, Media, Types of media, Methods of isolation, Stating and types, Purification and preservation.

**UNIT-III**

Microbial growth: Growth curve, Microbial growth kinetics, batch and continuous culture, Measurement of growth, growth factors, factors affecting growth of bacteria. Bacterial Reproduction: Transformation, Transduction and Conjugation. Endospores and sporulation in bacteria.

**UNIT-IV**

Water Microbiology: Bacterial pollutants of water, coliforms and non coliforms. Sewage composition and its disposal. Food Microbiology: Important microorganism in food Microbiology: Moulds, Yeasts, bacteria. Major food born infections and intoxications, Preservation of various types of foods. Fermented Foods.

**UNIT-V**

Causative agent, pathology, diagnosis, treatment and control of Microbial diseases. TB, Cholera, Malaria, Amoebiasis, AIDS Control of Microorganisms: By physical, chemical and chemotherapeutic Agents.

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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are,

- To learn about prokaryotic and eukaryotic genetic system using modern techniques.
- To inculcate knowledge on cell division stages.
- To develop skills on cell mounting techniques.
- To develop skills on karyotyping
- To inculcate knowledge on pedigree analysis.
- To learn about the mendelian laws and the experiment outcomes.

### Course Outcomes

The learners will be able to

1. Gain rich knowledge on genetic model system used in research.
2. Acquire basic knowledge on different stages in cell division.
3. Get Ideas on pedigree analysis for detection of genetic disorders.
4. Acquire basic knowledge on karyotyping
5. Acquire basic knowledge of genetic variations among microorganisms.
6. Apply the principles of inheritance as formulated by Mendel.

### List of Practicals

1. Permanent and temporary mount of mitosis.
2. Permanent and temporary mount of meiosis.
3. Mendelian deviations in dihybrid crosses
4. Demonstration of - Barr Body -*Rhoeo* translocation.
5. Karyotyping with the help of photographs
6. Pedigree charts of some common characters like blood group, color blindness and PTC tasting.
7. Study of polyploidy in onion root tip by colchicine treatment.

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**VOLUMETRIC ANALYSIS****A. Acidimetry & Alkalimetry**

1. Estimation of sodium carbonate using standard sodium hydroxide.
2. Estimation of sodium hydroxide using standard sodium carbonate.
3. Estimation of sulphuric acid using standard oxalic acid.
4. Estimation of potassium permanganate using standard sodium hydroxide.

**B. Permanganometry**

1. Estimation of ferrous sulphate using standard Mohr's salt.
2. Estimation of oxalic acid using standard ferrous sulphate.
3. Estimation of calcium-direct method.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To understand the basic principles of microscopy ultra-structure of microbes along with staining and sterilization methods
- To understand various accessories for microbiology practicals.
- To acquaint the students with various aspects of basic microbiology.
- To understand the biochemical characterization of isolated microbes.
- To develop practical biological skills such as staining, sterilization etc.
- To develop skills on primary screening of microorganisms.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Develop basic skill in aseptic techniques
2. Have outline knowledge on isolation, sub culture and maintenance of microbes.
3. Gain experience in microbiological laboratory practices and skills in the design and execution of microbiology related research.
4. Develop skills to prepare useful medias for microbial growth in the laboratory.
5. Use of handling of glass wares, minor equipment for conducting experiments.
6. Learn safety and precautionary measures for working with microbes in a laboratory.

**List of Practicals**

1. Preparation of media & sterilization methods
2. Methods of Isolation of bacteria from different sources.
3. Staining methods: simple staining, Gram staining, spore staining, negative staining, hanging drop.
4. Biochemical characterization of isolated microbes.
5. Enumeration of microorganism - total & viable count.
6. Determination of bacterial cell size by micrometry.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To create awareness about environmental problems among people.
- To develop an attitude of concern for the environment.
- To motivate public to participate in environment protection and improvement.
- To learn about the environment, resources available, biodiversity and its conservation
- To understand the current scenarios- to find ways for protection and betterment of or habitat.
- To Understand the concepts and methodologies to analyze the interactions between social and environmental processes.

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to,

1. Understand the concepts and methods from ecological and physical sciences and their application in environmental problem solving.
2. Study the concepts and methods from economic, political, and social analysis as they pertain to the design and evaluation of environmental policies and institutions.
3. Learn the ethical, cross-cultural, and historical context of environmental issues and the links between human and natural systems.
4. Understand the transnational character of environmental problems and ways of addressing them, including interactions across local to global scales.
5. Apply systems concepts and methodologies to analyze and understand interactions between social and environmental processes.
6. Creating the awareness about environmental problems among people

**UNIT-I**

**Introduction:** Environment Definition, scope and importance, components, Ecosystem Definition, Concept, Scope, importance, Structure and functions of ecosystem. Energy flow, Ecological succession Food chains and food webs. Classification of ecosystem.

**Unit II**

**Renewable and Non-renewable Resources:** Natural Resources- Renewable and Non- renewable Resources: Natural resources and associated problems. Forest resources, Water resources, Mineral resources, Food resources, Energy resources, Land resources: Use and over- utilization, exploitation. Role of an individual in conservation of natural resources. Equitable use of resources for sustainable lifestyles. III- effects of fireworks.

**Unit III**

**Biodiversity and Its Conservation:** Introduction, definition: genetic, species and ecosystem diversity. Biogeographical classification of India. Value of biodiversity: consumptive use, productive use, social, ethical, aesthetic and option values. Biodiversity at global, National and local levels. India as a mega-diversity nation. Hot-spots of biodiversity. Threats to biodiversity: habitat loss, poaching of wildlife, man-wildlife conflicts. Endangered and endemic species of India. Conservation of biodiversity: in-situ and ex-situ conservation of biodiversity.

**Unit IV**

**Environmental Pollution:** Definition, Causes, effects and control measures of Air pollution, Water pollution, Soil pollution, Marine pollution, Noise pollution, Thermal pollution, Nuclear hazards, Solid waste management: Causes, effects and control measures of urban and industrial wastes. Role of an individual in prevention of pollution. Pollution case studies. Disaster management: Floods, earthquake, cyclone and landslides.



## Unit V

**Social Issues and the Environment:** From unsustainable to sustainable development. Urban problems related to energy. Water conservation, rain water harvesting, watershed management. Resettlement and rehabilitation of people; its problems and concerns. Environmental ethics: Issues and possible solutions. Climate change, global warming, acid rain, ozone layer depletion, nuclear accidents and holocaust. Case studies. Wasteland reclamation. Consumerism and waste products. Environment Protection Act. Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act. Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act. Wildlife Protection Act. Forest Conservation Act. Issues involved in enforcement of environmental legislation. Public awareness. Population. growth, variation among nations. Population explosion—Family Welfare Programme. Environment and human health. Human rights. Value education. HIV/AIDS. Women and Child Welfare. Role of Information Technology in environment and human health.

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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are,

- To understand the physiological conditions of the plants and metabolism.
- To understand the basic concepts of Photosystems and their importance in plant growth.
- To gain the information about the economic importance of algae and fungi.
- To develop familiarity with plant development, biochemistry, and metabolism.
- To be familiar with cutting edge technology employed in contemporary plant biology.
- To integrate their knowledge of plant physiology to relevant cultural, social, and legal aspects of their lives.

### Course Outcomes

The learners will be able to,

1. Gain adequate knowledge on plant physiology and importance.
2. Understand the molecular mechanisms of macro and micro nutrients in plant growth.
3. Get the basic and applied knowledge of plant growth, development and metabolism.
4. Impart an insight into the various plant water relations
5. Understand the mechanism of various metabolic processes in plants
6. Equip students with skills and techniques related to plant physiology so that they can design their own experiments

**UNIT-I: Anatomy:** The shoot and root apical meristem and its histological organization, simple & complex permanent tissues, primary structure of shoot & root, secondary growth, growth rings, leaf anatomy (dorsi-ventral and isobilateral leaf).

**UNIT-II: Plant water relations and micro & macro nutrients:** Plant water relations: Importance of water to plant life, diffusion, osmosis, plasmolysis, imbibition, guttation, transpiration, stomata & their mechanism of opening & closing. Micro & macro nutrients: criteria for identification of essentiality of nutrients, roles and deficiency systems of nutrients, mechanism of uptake of nutrients, mechanism of food transport.

**UNIT-III: Carbon and nitrogen metabolism:** Photosynthesis- Photosynthesis pigments, concept of two photo systems, photophosphorylation, calvin cycle, CAM plants, photorespiration, compensation point  
Nitrogen metabolism- inorganic & molecular nitrogen fixation, nitrate reduction and ammonium assimilation in plants.

**UNIT-IV: Growth and development:** Growth and development: Definitions, phases of growth, growth curve, growth hormones (auxins, gibberlins, cytokinins, abscisic acid, ethylene). Physiological role and mode of action, seed dormancy and seed germination, concept of photoperiodism and vernalization.

**UNIT-V: Plant adaptation:** Stress adaptation mechanism: Definitions, Indicators of stress response - morphological, physiological, biochemical and molecular level. Stress adaptation and tolerance mechanism - biotic and abiotic stress, Effect of stress on crop productivity, Global warming - physiological effects on crop productivity.

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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are

- To emphasize the basic knowledge about the structure and functions of nucleic acids (DNA/RNA) and proteins.
- To obtain the adequate knowledge on the structure and functions of biomolecules.
- To gain the information about the DNA damage and repair mechanisms.
- To understand the mechanisms behind gene regulations.
- To understand the mechanism behind translation and transcription
- To understand the mutations and its significance

### Course Outcomes

The learners will be able to,

1. Achieve knowledge about the functions of nucleic acids and proteins.
2. Acquire an in-depth knowledge of chemical and molecular processes that occur in and between the cells.
3. Gain an insight into the most significant molecular and cell-based methods used today to expand our understanding of biology.
4. Acquire knowledge about the mechanisms behind gene regulations.
5. Gain knowledge about mechanism behind translation and transcription
6. Acquire an in-depth knowledge about mutation and its significance

**UNIT-I: DNA structure and organization:** DNA as genetic material, Structure of DNA, Types of DNA, Organization of DNA in prokaryote and eukaryotic cells, Chromosome biology – histone and non-histone proteins, organization.

**UNIT-II: DNA structure and replication:** Replication of DNA in prokaryotes and eukaryotes: Semi-conservative nature of DNA replication, Bi-directional replication, DNA polymerases, Replication complex: Pre-priming proteins, primosome, replisome, Rolling circle replication, Unique aspects of eukaryotic chromosome replication, Fidelity of replication.

**UNIT-III: DNA damage, repair and homologous recombination:** DNA damage and repair: causes and types of DNA damage, mechanism of DNA repair: Photoreactivation, base excision repair, nucleotide excision repair, mismatch repair, trans-lesion synthesis, recombinational repair, nonhomologous end joining. Homologous recombination: models and mechanism.

**UNIT-IV: Transcription and RNA processing:** RNA structure and types of RNA, Transcription in prokaryotes: Prokaryotic RNA polymerase, role of sigma factor, promoter, Initiation, elongation and termination of RNA chains Transcription in eukaryotes: Eukaryotic RNA polymerases, transcription factors, promoters, enhancers, mechanism of transcription initiation, promoter clearance and elongation RNA splicing and processing: processing of pre- mRNA: 5' cap formation, polyadenylation, splicing, rRNA and tRNA splicing.

**UNIT-V: Regulation of gene expression and translation:** Regulation of gene expression in prokaryotes: Operon concept (inducible and repressible system), Genetic code and its characteristics, Prokaryotic and eukaryotic translation: ribosome structure and assembly, Charging of tRNA, aminoacyl tRNA synthetases, Mechanism of initiation, elongation and termination of polypeptides, Fidelity of translation, Inhibitors of translation, Posttranslational modifications of proteins.

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1. Karp, G. (2013). *Cell and Molecular Biology: Concepts and Experiments* (7th ed.). Hoboken, US: John Wiley & Sons. Inc.
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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are,

- To understand the basic concepts of immunology.
- To expose students to use these principles of immune system to combat infections.
- To gain the information about the autoimmune diseases.
- To elucidate the genetic basis for immunological diversity and the generation of adaptive immune responses
- To understand the basic knowledge of immunological processes at a cellular and molecular level
- To learn central immunological principles and concepts

### Course Outcomes

The learners will be able to,

1. Gain about the various cells and organs involved in the immune system.
2. Understand the molecular mechanisms of antigen-antibody interactions and also the molecular mechanisms behind the immune response evoked after infection by various pathogens.
3. Learn the theoretical basis for the various immunological techniques.
4. Describe which cell types and organs present in the immune response
5. Apply basic techniques for identifying antigen antibody interactions.
6. Illustrate various mechanisms that regulate immune responses and maintain tolerance

### UNIT-I

**Immune Response:** An overview, components of mammalian immune system, Antigens- Essential features of Ag, haptens, Carrier molecule, Immunological valence, Antigenic determinants. Adjuvants: Freund's complete and incomplete. Antibodies - Molecular structure of Immuno-globulins or Antibodies, Humoral & Cellular immune responses, T lymphocytes & immune response (cytotoxic T-cell, helper T-cell, suppressor T-cells), T-cell receptors, genome rearrangements during B-lymphocyte differentiation, Antibody affinity maturation class switching, assembly of T-cell receptor genes by somatic recombination.

### UNIT-II

**Regulation of immunoglobulin gene expression:** Clonal selection theory, all of types & idiotypes, allelic exclusion, immunologic memory, heavy chain gene transcription, genetic basis of antibody diversity, hypotheses (germ line & somatic mutation), antibody diversity.

### UNIT-III

**Hypersensitivity Reactions (HS):** Type I: Allergies and anaphylaxis; Type II: Antibody mediated HS reactions; Mechanism and pathogenicity; Type III: Immune complex mediated HS reactions: Mechanism & pathogenicity; Type IV: Delayed type (or) cell-mediated HS reactions; Mechanisms and pathogenicity. Type V: Stimulatory HS reactions. Mechanism and pathogenesis.

### UNIT-IV

**Major Histocompatibility complexes:** Class I & class II MHC antigens, antigen processing. Immunity to infection – immunity to different organisms, pathogen defense strategies, avoidance of recognition. Autoimmune diseases, Immunodeficiency-AIDS.

### UNIT-V

**Vaccines & Vaccination** – adjuvants, cytokines, DNA vaccines, recombinant vaccines, bacterial vaccines, viral vaccines, vaccines to other infectious agents, passive & active immunization Introduction to immunodiagnostics – RIA, ELISA.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain basic concepts of molecules and its effect on human and other animals.
- To ascertain the diagnostics tools for infectious diseases.
- To achieve a complete knowledge about molecular diagnostics techniques on human welfare.
- To understand the utility and limitations of various molecular diagnostic tests used for managing patient care.
- To attain the concepts of molecular methods used in clinical microbiology.
- To recognize the importance of proper specimen collection and preparation for molecular detection.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Get hold of the knowledge on fundamentals of molecular diagnostic techniques.
2. Expertise on the concepts of infection, diagnosis and control assortment.
3. Acknowledge on the qualitative studies based on biomarker observations.
4. Apply methodologies of laboratory diagnostics to relevant states of health.
5. Be aware of characteristics signs of clinical manifestations.
6. Comprehend and analyse the concept of disease management.

**UNIT-I**

**Enzyme Immunoassays:** Comparison of enzymes available for enzyme immunoassays, conjugation of enzymes. Solid phases used in enzyme immunoassays. Homogeneous and heterogeneous enzyme immunoassays. Enzyme immunoassays after immuno blotting. Enzyme immuno histochemical techniques. Use of polyclonal or monoclonal antibodies in enzymes immunoassays. Applications of enzyme immunoassays in diagnostic microbiology.

**UNIT-II**

**Molecular methods in clinical microbiology:** Applications of PCR, RFLP, Nuclear hybridization methods, Single nucleotide polymorphism and plasmid finger printing in clinical microbiology Laboratory tests in chemotherapy: Susceptibility tests: Micro-dilution and macro- dilution broth procedures. Susceptibility tests: Diffusion test procedures. Susceptibility tests: Tests for bactericidal activity. Automated procedures for antimicrobial susceptibility tests.

**UNIT-III**

**Diagnosis and Standardization:** Automation in microbial diagnosis, rapid diagnostic approach including technical purification and standardization of antigen and specific antibodies.

**UNIT-IV**

**Diagnostic Immunology:** Concepts and methods in idiotypes. Anti-idiotypes and molecular mimicry and receptors. Epitope design and applications. Immunodiagnostic tests. Immuno- florescence. Radioimmunoassay.

**UNIT-V**

GLC, HPLC, Electron microscopy, flow cytometry and cell sorting. Transgenic animals.

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**Course Objectives:**

The main objectives of the course are

- learn the basics and lay strong foundation in understanding the biotechnological techniques in human welfare.
- To ascertain the knowledge about solid waste management and wastewater treatment.
- To achieve a novel treatment strategy for waste.
- To learn DNA based methods used in forensic science laboratory
- To obtain knowledge about biotechnological approaches beneficial for industries
- Exposure of simple concepts that will complement the course "Biotechnology in Human Welfare"

**Course Outcomes:**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Apply the biotechnology concept for environmental and social welfare.
2. Expertise on the concepts of treatment strategies for waste to renewable energy.
3. Able to produce by-products from waste with help of biotechnology techniques.
4. Able to apply DNA based methods used in forensic science laboratory
5. Able to entry into a wide range of biotechnology industries and research enterprises.
6. Development of non-toxic therapeutic agents, recombinant live and DNA vaccines and gene therapy.

**UNIT- I**

**Industry:** protein engineering; enzyme and polysaccharide synthesis, activity and secretion, alcohol and antibiotic formation.

**UNIT-II**

**Agriculture:** N<sub>2</sub> fixation: transfer of pest resistance genes to plants; interaction between plants and microbes; qualitative improvement of livestock.

**UNIT-III**

**Environments:** e.g. chlorinated and non-chlorinated organ pollutant degradation; degradation of hydrocarbons and agricultural wastes, stress management, development of biodegradable polymers such as PHB.

**UNIT-IV**

**Forensic science:** e.g. solving violent crimes such as murder and rape; solving claims of paternity and theft etc. using various methods of DNA finger printing.

**UNIT-V**

**Health:** e.g. development of non-toxic therapeutic agents, recombinant live vaccines, gene therapy, diagnostics, monoclonal in *E.coli*, human genome project.

**References**

1. Sateesh, M.K. (2010). *Bioethics and Biosafety*. I. K. International Pvt Ltd.
2. Sree Krishna,V. (2007) *Bioethics and Biosafety in Biotechnology*. New age international publishers.

**Course Objectives:**

The main objectives of the course are,

- Know importance and scope of plant physiology.
- To understand the plants and plant cells in relation to water.
- Understand the process of photosynthesis in higher plants with and their pigments.
- Understand the respiration in higher plants with particular emphasis on aerobic and anaerobic respiration.
- Learn about the movement of sap and absorption of water in plant body.
- Understand the plant movements.

**Course Outcomes:**

The learners will be able to

1. Study and impart knowledge about the occurrence, distribution, structure and life history of plants.
2. Enable the students to learn in detail about mono and dicot plant activity.
3. Learn the phylogeny concepts in plants.
4. Understand water relation of plants with respect to various physiological processes.
5. Explain root nodules from a leguminous plant
6. Classify stress indicators

**List of Practicals**

1. Preparation of stained mounts of anatomy of monocot and dicot's root, stem & leaf.
2. Demonstration of plasmolysis by *Tradescantia* leaf peel.
3. Demonstration of opening & closing of stomata
4. Demonstration of guttation on leaf tips of grass and garden nasturtium.
5. Separation of photosynthetic pigments by paper chromatography.
6. Demonstration of aerobic respiration.
7. Preparation of root nodules from a leguminous plant.
8. Estimation of stress indicators – Proline and osmolyte estimation

**References**

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4. Taiz, L., & Zeiger, E. (2006). *Plant Physiology* (4th ed.). MA: USA, Sinauer Associates Inc.

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To inculcate practical skill in chromosomal and plasmid DNA separation by electrophoresis.
- To develop skills on extraction of proteins from plant and animal sources
- To detect the reverse mutation for carcinogenicity.
- To learn what genes are and how they are inherited
- To learn what are the solutions required for molecular biology experiments and how to prepare it
- To understand the principles and applications of molecular biology

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to

1. Perform the experiments for isolation, purification and visualize the nucleic acid from various sources
2. Acquire skills on plasmid DNA extraction.
3. Gain basic knowledge on protein extraction and separation by electrophoresis.
4. Know the protocol for detection of mutation in microbes.
5. Understand what genes are and how they are inherited
6. Know how they control cellular activity and they respond to environment

**List of Practicals**

1. Preparation of solutions for Molecular Biology experiments.
2. Isolation of chromosomal DNA from bacterial cells.
3. Isolation of Plasmid DNA by alkaline lysis method
4. Agarose gel electrophoresis of genomic DNA & plasmid DNA
5. Preparation of restriction enzyme digests of DNA samples
6. Demonstration of AMES test or reverse mutation for carcinogenicity

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Total hours/week: L:0 T:0 P:4

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To understand the basic concepts of immunology.
- To expose students to use these principles of immune system to combat infections.
- To gain the information about the autoimmune diseases.
- To familiarize students with the various immunological techniques
- To identify the cellular and molecular basis of immune responsiveness.
- To describe immunological response and how it is triggered and regulated.

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to,

1. Gain about the various cells and organs involved in the immune system.
2. Understand the molecular mechanisms of antigen-antibody interactions and also the molecular mechanisms behind the immune response evoked after infection by various pathogens.
3. Learn the theoretical basis for the various immunological techniques.
4. Transfer knowledge of immunology into clinical decision-making through case studies presented in class.
5. Demonstrate a capacity for problem-solving about immune responsiveness.
6. Describe the roles of the immune system in both maintaining health and contributing to disease.

**List of Practicals**

1. Differential leucocytes count
2. Total leucocytes count
3. Total RBC count
4. Hemagglutination assay
5. Hemagglutination inhibition assay
6. Separation of serum from blood
7. Double immunodiffusion test using specific antibody and antigen.
8. ELISA.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain basic concepts of molecules and its effect on human and other animals.
- To ascertain the diagnostics tools for infectious diseases – RFLP, RAPD.
- To achieve a complete knowledge about molecular diagnostics techniques on microbial infection.
- To understand the utility and limitations of various molecular diagnostic tests used for managing patient care.
- To attain the concepts of molecular methods used in clinical microbiology.
- To recognize the importance of proper specimen collection and preparation for molecular detection.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Get hold of the knowledge on fundamentals of molecular diagnostic techniques.
2. Expertise on the concepts of infection, diagnosis and control assortment.
3. Acknowledge on the qualitative studies based on biomarker observations.
4. Apply methodologies of laboratory diagnostics to relevant states of health.
5. Be aware of characteristics signs of clinical manifestations.
6. Comprehend and analyse the concept of disease management.

**List of Practicals**

1. Perform/demonstrate RFLP, RAPD and analysis
2. Kirby-Bauer method (disc-diffusion method) to study antibiotic sensitivity of a bacterial culture
3. A kit-based detection of a microbial infection (Widal test)
4. Study of Electron micrographs (any four).
5. Perform any one immuno diagnostic test (Typhoid, Malaria, Dengue)

**References**

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Total hours/week: L:0 T:0 P:3

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- Learn the basics and lay strong foundation in understanding the biotechnological techniques in human welfare.
- To ascertain the knowledge about Endophyte.
- To achieve an estimation treatment strategy.
- To learn about ethical issues.
- To obtain knowledge about biotechnological approaches beneficial for industries
- To expose simple experiments that will complement the course "Biotechnology in Human Welfare"

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Apply the biotechnology concept for industry products.
2. Expertise on the concepts of treatment strategy.
3. Able to understand the plant part infected with a microbe.
4. Able to enter into a wide range of research enterprises.
5. Get expertise in Bioethics.
6. Understand the concepts of complement course "Biotechnology in Human Welfare"

**List of Practicals**

1. Ethanol fermentation using Baker's yeast
2. Study of a plant part infected with a microbe
3. To perform quantitative estimation of residual chlorine in water samples
4. Isolation and analysis of DNA from minimal available biological samples
5. Case studies on Bioethics (any two)

*(Wherever wet lab experiments are not possible the principles and concepts can be demonstrated through any other material or medium including videos/virtual labs etc.)*

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2. Sree Krishna, V. (2007). *Bioethics and Biosafety in Biotechnology*. New age international publishers.

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To learn the procedure for isolation, screening of industrial important microbes
- To derive industrially important products from microbes.
- To acquire knowledge on Downstream processing.
- To learn the principle and applications of bioprocess technology.
- To learn the fundamental calculation in bioprocessing.
- To learn the schematic diagram of upstream and downstream processing for product recovery and purification.

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to

1. Gain overall knowledge of industrial biotechnology.
2. Obtain information about the application of industrially important microbes.
3. Know the screening, extraction and purification of enzymes.
4. Designing of bioreactors and control necessary for maximizing production.
5. Select and optimize media for maximum production of microbial metabolites.
6. Designing of protocols for strain improvement and separation of molecules after fermentation process.

**UNIT- I**

**Introduction to bioprocess technology:** Range of bioprocess technology and its chronological development. Basic principle components of fermentation technology. Types of microbial culture and its growth kinetics– Batch, Fed batch and Continuous culture.

**UNIT-II**

**Design of bioprocess vessels:** Significance of Impeller, Baffles, Sparger; Types of culture/production vessels- Airlift; Cyclone Column; Packed Tower and their application in production processes. Principles of upstream processing– Media preparation, Inocula development and sterilization.

**UNIT-III**

**Bioreactor control and monitoring:** Introduction to oxygen requirement in bioprocess; mass transfer coefficient; factors affecting KLa. Bioprocess measurement and control system with special reference to computer aided process control.

**UNIT-IV**

**Downstream processing:** Filtration, Centrifugation, Cell disruption, Chromatography, liquid- liquid extraction, product recovery and purification. Effluent treatment- product recovery, sludge process, waste disposal.

**UNIT-V**

**Applications:** Microbial production of ethanol, amylase, lactic acid, penicillin G and Single Cell Proteins. Fermentation economics. Microbial cell immobilization.

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2. Crueger, W., & Crueger, A. (2000). *Biotechnology: A textbook of Industrial Microbiology* (2nd ed.). New Delhi: Panima Publishing Co.
3. Patel, A.H. (1996). *Industrial Microbiology*. (1st ed.). Macmillan India Limited.
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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To learn the procedure for isolation nucleic acids and Protein.
- To learn the strategies for gene transfer in plants and animals.
- To acquire knowledge on genome mapping.
- To familiarize the student with emerging field of biotechnology
- To acquaint the students to versatile tools and techniques employed in recombinant DNA technology.
- To learn the history and recent developments in rDNA technology, Enzymes used in rDNA technology

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Outline the fundamental steps in a genetic engineering procedure.
2. Describe the mechanism of action and the use of restriction enzymes in biotechnology research and recombinant protein production.
3. Explain the usefulness of plasmid preparations, how they are performed, and how the concentration and purity of plasmid samples can be determined.
4. Discuss cloning strategies and techniques used to probe DNA for specific genes of interest.
5. Conceptualize PCR technique in medical and forensic science.
6. Summarize various applications of rDNA technology in human health care and safety regulations.

**UNIT-I**

**Introduction to r-DNA technology:** Basic tools and applications – isolation and purification of nucleic acids, Enzymes used in cloning - restriction enzymes, ligases, polymerases, kinases, phosphatases. Gene recombination and gene transfer – transformation, episomes, plasmids and other cloning vectors (bacteriophage-derived, artificial chromosomes), microinjection, electroporation, ultrasonication.

**UNIT-II**

**Selection and screening of recombinant clones:** Probes – radio labeled and non radiolabeled, guessmers and degenerate probes. Sequence dependent and independent screening, southern, northern hybridization, colony and plaque hybridization, *in situ* chromosomal hybridization, chromosome walking, Genome mapping, DNA fingerprinting, Polymerase chain reaction (PCR), RT- (Reverse transcription) PCR.

**UNIT-III**

**Expression and Characterization of Cloned DNA:** Expression vectors, optimization of protein expression in heterologous systems, Fusion proteins, *In vitro* translation systems. Preparation and comparison of Genomic and cDNA library.

**UNIT-IV**

**Random and Site-directed Mutagenesis:** Primer extension and PCR based methods of site directed mutagenesis, Random mutagenesis, Gene shuffling, production of chimeric proteins, Protein engineering concepts and examples (any two).

**UNIT-V**

**Applications of Genetic Engineering: In plants:** use of *Agrobacterium tumefaciens* and *A. rhizogenes*, Ti plasmids, Strategies for gene transfer to plant cells, Direct DNA transfer to plants, Gene targeting in plants, Use of plant viruses as episomal expression vectors.

In animals: Production and applications of transgenic mice, role of ES cells in gene targeting in mice, Therapeutic products - blood proteins, human hormones, immune modulators and vaccines (one example each). Ethical, legal and social issues.

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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are,

- To import the basic and recent developments in the field of genome sequencing, genome mapping, proteomic data analysis
- To develop the knowledge on gene sequencing methods.
- To know the structure and interactions of proteins.
- To describe advanced genomics and proteomics technologies and the ways in which their data are stored
- To use bioinformatics techniques to query examples of genomic and proteomic databases to analyse cell biology
- To describe the different types of genome variation and their relationship to human diseases

### Course Outcomes

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Have a clear understanding on the application of genetic markers in genome mapping.
2. Application of 2D technique to analyze the structure of protein.
3. Analyze the genomic and proteomic data.
4. Acquire knowledge and understanding of fundamentals of genomics and proteomics, transcriptomics and metabolomics and their applications in various applied areas of biology.
5. Discuss how biological systems information relating to genes, proteins and cellular structures can be used to model living cells, and even to create new synthetic cells
6. Solve problems in new or little-known situations within broader (or multidisciplinary) contexts related to the field of study.

#### UNIT-I

**Introduction to Genomics:** Gene and Pseudogenes, Gene structure, DNA sequencing methods – manual and automated: Maxam and Gilbert and Sangers method. Pyrosequencing, Genome Sequencing: Shotgun and Hierarchical (clone contig) methods, Computer tools for sequencing projects: Genome sequence assembly software.

#### UNIT-II

**Managing and Distributing Genome Data:** Web based servers and software for genome analysis: ENSEMBL, VISTA, UCSC Genome Browser, NCBI genome. Selected Model Organisms' Genomes and Databases.

#### UNIT-III

**Genomic mapping: Genetic markers:** VNTR, mini and micro satellites, STS, SNP, ESTs. Types of genome maps, Mapping techniques – Physical and genetic mapping, Map resources, Practical uses genome maps.

#### UNIT-IV

**Protein and structure determination:** Introduction to protein structure, Chemical properties of proteins. Physical interactions that determine the property of proteins. Short-range interactions, electrostatic forces, van der Waal interactions, hydrogen bonds, Hydrophobic interactions. Determination of sizes -Sedimentation analysis, gel filtration, Native PAGE, SDS-PAGE. Determination of covalent structures – Edman degradation.

#### UNIT-V

**Proteomics:** Introduction to Proteomics, Analysis of proteomes. 2D-PAGE. Sample preparation, solubilization, reduction, resolution. Reproducibility of 2D-PAGE. Mass spectrometry based methods for protein identification. De novo sequencing using mass spectrometric data.

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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are,

- To impart the basic and recent developments in the field of Industrial fermentation
- To impart knowledge about biological and biochemical technology, with a focus on biological products, the design and operation of industrial practices.
- To discuss the role of microorganisms in industry, as well as to carry out experiments to produce microbial metabolites.
- To learn how to conduct experiments related to industrial fermentation and produce microbial metabolites
- To learn about the downstream and upstream process in fermentation technology.
- To learn about the influence of factors affecting the production of various microbial metabolites

### Course Outcomes

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Have a clear understanding on the application of growth kinetics.
2. Design a fermenter and parameters to be monitored and controlled in fermentation process.
3. Gain knowledge about the principle of sterilization necessary for fermentation.
4. Acquire knowledge about the cell growth and product formation.
5. Evaluate the kinetics and mechanism of microbial growth.
6. Develop protocol for scale-up and harvesting from shake flask to bench top fermenter.

#### UNIT-I

**Production of industrial products:** Production of industrial chemicals, biochemicals and chemotherapeutic products. Propionic acid, butyric acid, 2-3 butanediol, gluconic acid, itaconic acid, Biofuels: Biogas, Ethanol, butanol, hydrogen, biodiesel, microbial electricity, starch conversion processes; Microbial polysaccharides; Microbial insecticides; microbial flavours and fragrances, newer antibiotics, anti-cancer agents, amino acids.

#### UNIT-II

**Microbial products and enzymes production:** Microbial products of pharmacological interest, steroidal fermentations and transformations. Over production of microbial metabolite, Secondary metabolism – its significance and products. Metabolic engineering of secondary metabolism for highest productivity. Enzyme and cell immobilization techniques in industrial processing, enzymes in organic synthesis, proteolytic enzymes, hydrolytic enzymes, glucose isomerase, enzymes in food technology/ organic synthesis.

#### UNIT-III

**Purification and characterization techniques:** Purification & characterization of proteins, Upstream and downstream processing, solids and liquid handling. Distribution of microbial cells, centrifugation, filtration of fermentation broth, ultra-centrifugation, liquid extraction, ion- exchange recovery of biological products. Experimental model for design of fermentation systems, Anaerobic fermentations.

#### UNIT-IV

**Kinetics:** Rate equations for enzyme kinetics, simple and complex reactions. Inhibition kinetics; effect of pH and temperature on rate of enzyme reactions. Mathematical derivation of growth kinetics, mathematical derivations of batch and continuous culture operations.

#### UNIT-V

**Mass transfer determination and Metabolic engineering:** Single stage CSTR; mass transfer in aerobic fermentation; resistance encountered; overall mass transfer co-efficient ( $K_a$ ) determination, factors depending on scale up principle and different methods of scaling up. Metabolic engineering of antibiotic biosynthetic pathways.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To understand the kinetics and mechanisms of action of enzymes, to become familiar with the basic methods of studying enzymes, and to appreciate how individual reactions are controlled and integrated into the metabolic pathways of the cell.
- To acquire theoretical and experimental knowledge will enable students to find appropriate employment in different development, scientific-research laboratories.
- To understand the topics related to the practical use of enzymes, including nomenclature and kinetics, preparation and storage methods, use of enzymes in biotechnology and bioanalytics including biosensors and enzyme reactors.
- To provide general knowledge on protein structure and function, as well as the experimental techniques in protein chemistry and protein engineering
- To develop the ability of identifying the experimental techniques required to solve specific problems related to proteins and enzyme functions
- To train students in the evaluation of the consequences of biochemical and biological tools in their professional activities

**Course Outcomes:**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Understand the chemical principles of enzyme catalysis, including cofactor chemistry
2. Show insight in the action of enzymes as biocatalysts and in factors that influence enzyme activity
3. Understand the kinetics of enzymatic reactions
4. Show awareness of the influence of enzyme structure on catalytic properties
5. Show experience with purification, handling and characterization of proteins
6. Show insight in the physico-chemical properties of proteins that underlie purification methods.

**UNIT-I**

**Enzymes and Enzyme kinetics:** Isolation, crystallization and purification of enzymes, test of homogeneity of enzyme preparation, methods of enzyme analysis. Enzyme classification (rationale, overview and specific examples) Zymogens and their activation (Proteases and Prothrombin). Enzyme substrate complex: concept of E-S complex, binding sites, active site, specificity, Kinetics of enzyme activity, Michaelis-Menten equation and its derivation, Different plots for the determination of  $K_m$  and  $V_{max}$  and their physiological significance, factors affecting initial rate, E, S, temp. & pH. Collision and transition state theories, Significance of activation energy and free energy.

**UNIT-II**

**Enzyme inhibition and regulation:** Two substrate reactions (Random, ordered and ping-pong mechanism) Enzyme inhibition types of inhibition, determination of  $K_i$ , suicide inhibitor. Mechanism of enzyme action: General mechanistic principle, factors associated with catalytic efficiency: proximity, orientation, distortion of strain, acid-base, nucleophilic and covalent catalysis. Techniques for studying mechanisms of action, chemical modification of active site groups, specific examples: chymotrypsin, lysozyme, GPDH, aldolase, RNase, Carboxypeptidase and alcohol dehydrogenase. Enzyme regulation: Product inhibition, feed back control, covalent modification.

**UNIT-III**

**Types of Enzymes and its reaction:** Allosteric enzymes with special reference to aspartate transcarbamylase and phosphofructokinase. Qualitative description of concerted and sequential models. Negative cooperativity and half site reactivity. Enzyme - Enzyme interaction, Protein ligand binding, measurements analysis of binding isotherm, cooperativity, Hill and scatchard plots, kinetics of allosteric enzymes. Isoenzymes— multiple forms of enzymes with special reference to lactate dehydrogenase.

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Multienzyme complexes. Ribozymes. Multifunctional enzyme-eg Fatty Acid synthase.

#### UNIT-IV

**Enzyme Technology:** Methods for large scale production of enzymes. Immobilized enzyme and their comparison with soluble enzymes, Methods for immobilization of enzymes. Immobilized enzyme reactors. Application of Immobilized and soluble enzyme in health and industry. Application to fundamental studies of biochemistry. Enzyme electrodes.

#### UNIT-V

**Enzyme engineering:** Thermal stability and catalytic efficiency of enzyme, site directed mutagenesis and enzyme engineering–selected examples, Delivery system for protein pharmaceuticals, structure function relationship in enzymes, structural motifs and enzyme evolution. Methods for protein sequencing. Methods for analysis of secondary and tertiary structures of enzymes. Protein folding *in vitro* & *in vivo*.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To learn the procedure for isolation, screening of industrial important microbes
- To derive industrially important products from microbes.
- To acquire knowledge on growth curve.
- To learn the principle and applications of bioprocess technology.
- To learn the fundamental calculation in bioprocessing.
- To learn the schematic diagram of upstream and downstream processing for product recovery and purification.

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to

1. Gain overall knowledge of bioprocess technology.
2. Obtain information about the application of industrially important microbes.
3. Know the screening, extraction and purification of enzymes.
4. Understand the analysis and control necessary for maximizing production.
5. Select and optimize media for maximum production of microbial metabolites.
6. Designing of protocols for strain improvement and separation of molecules after fermentation process.

**List of Practicals**

1. Bacterial growth curve.
2. Calculation of thermal death point (TDP) of microbial samples.
3. Production and analysis of ethanol.
4. Production and analysis of amylase.
5. Production and analysis of lactic acid.
6. Isolation of industrially important microorganism from natural resources.

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The main objectives of the course are,

- To learn the procedure for isolation nucleic acids and Protein.
- To learn the strategies for gene transfer in plants and animals.
- To acquire knowledge on genome mapping.
- To familiarize the student with emerging field of biotechnology
- To acquaint the students to versatile tools and techniques employed in recombinant DNA technology.
- To learn the history and recent developments in rDNA technology, Enzymes used in rDNA technology

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Outline the fundamental steps in a recombinant DNA technique.
2. Describe the mechanism of action and the use of restriction enzymes in biotechnology research and recombinant protein production.
3. Explain the usefulness of plasmid preparations, how they are performed, and how the concentration and purity of plasmid samples can be determined.
4. Discuss cloning strategies and techniques used to probe DNA for specific genes of interest.
5. Conceptualize PCR technique in medical and forensic science.
6. Utilize versatile tools and techniques employed in recombinant DNA technology.

**List of Practicals**

1. Isolation of chromosomal DNA from plant cells
2. Isolation of chromosomal DNA from *E. coli*
3. Qualitative and quantitative analysis of DNA using spectrophotometer and agarose gel Electrophoresis.
4. Plasmid DNA isolation
5. Restriction digestion of DNA/ Plasmid DNA
6. Ligation of DNA insert into plasmid vector
7. Preparation of Competent cells
7. Transformation of competent cells.
8. Demonstration of PCR

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6. Utilize the various databases at NCBI and other sites for protein localization

**List of Practicals**

1. Use of SNP databases at NCBI and other sites
2. Use of OMIM database
3. Detection of Open Reading Frames using ORF Finder
4. Proteomics 2D PAGE database
5. Software for Protein localization.
6. Software for protein secondary sequencing prediction
7. Hydropathy plots
8. Native PAGE
9. SDS-PAGE

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4. Acquire knowledge about the cell growth and product formation.
5. Evaluate the kinetics and mechanism of microbial growth.
6. Develop protocol for scale-up and harvesting from shake flask to bench top fermenter.

**List of Practicals**

1. Comparative analysis of design of a batch and continuous fermenter.
2. Calculation of Mathematical derivation of growth kinetics.
3. Solvent extraction & analysis of a metabolite from a bacterial culture.
4. Perform an enzyme assay demonstrating its hydrolytic activity (protease/peptidase/glucosidase etc.)

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4. Show awareness of the influence of enzyme structure on catalytic properties
5. Show experience with purification, handling and characterization of proteins
6. Show insight in the physico-chemical properties of proteins that underlie purification methods.

**List of Practicals**

1. Purification of an enzyme from any natural resource
2. Quantitative estimation of proteins by Bradford/Lowry's method.
3. Perform assay for the purified enzyme.
4. Calculation of kinetic parameters such as  $K_m$ ,  $V_{max}$ ,  $K_{cat}$

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To understand the physiological conditions of the plants and metabolism.
- To understand the basic concepts of photosystems and their importance in plant growth.
- To gain the information about the economic importance of algae and fungi.
- Learn about the structure, pigmentation, food reserves and methods of reproduction of Algae
- Learn about the structure, pigmentation, food reserves and methods of reproduction of Fungi
- Studied some plant diseases with special reference to the causative agents, symptoms, etiology and control measures.

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to,

- Gain adequate knowledge on plant biodiversity and importance.
- Understand the molecular mechanisms of macro and micro nutrients in plant growth.
- Get the basic and applied knowledge of plant physiology, growth, development and metabolism.
- Discuss about importance of morphological structure, classification, reproduction and economic importance of Algae.
- Know the control measures of plant diseases.
- Explain about structure, classification, reproduction, life cycle and economic importance of Bryophytes.

**UNIT-I**

**Algae:** General character, classification and economic importance. Life histories of algae belonging to various classes: Chlorophyceae – *Volvox*, *Oedogonium*, Xanthophyceae – *Vaucheria*, Phaeophyceae – *Ectocarpus* Rhodophyceae-*Polysiphonia*

**UNIT-II**

**Fungi:** General characters, classification & economic importance. Life histories of Fungi: Mastigomycotina- *Phytophthora*, Zygomycotina-*Mucor*, Ascomycotina- *Saccharomyces*, Basidiomycotina - *Agaricus*, Deutromycotina-*Colletotrichum*

**UNIT-III**

**Lichens:** Classification, general structure, reproduction and economic importance. Plant diseases: Casual organism, symptoms and control of following plant diseases. Rust and Smut of Wheat. White rust of Crucifers. Late blight of Potato. Red rot of Sugarcane. Citrus Canker.

**UNIT-IV**

**Bryophytes:** General characters, classification & economic importance. Life histories of following: *Marchantia*. *Funaria*.

**UNIT-V**

Rust and Smut of Wheat. White rust of Crucifers. Late blight of Potato. Red rot of Sugarcane. Citrus Canker.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To give knowledge on molecular analysis in forensic science.
- To offer knowledge to assess DNA finger printing
- To understand the evidence for suspecting victims in crime
- To handle the evidences left out at the crime scene.
- To understand the basic methods for examine the different types of questioned documents.
- To understand the Classification of fire arms.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

- Demonstrate competency in the collection, processing, analyses, and evaluation of evidence.
- Demonstrate competency in the principles of crime scene investigation, including the recognition, collection, identification, preservation, and documentation of physical evidence.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the scientific method and the use of problem-solving within the field of forensic science.
- Identify the role of the forensic scientist and physical evidence within the criminal justice system.
- Demonstrate the ability to document and orally describe crime scenes, physical evidence, and scientific processes.
- Identify and examine current and emerging concepts and practices within the forensic science field.

**UNIT- I**

Introduction and principles of forensic science, forensic science laboratory and its organization and service, tools and techniques in forensic science, branches of forensic science, causes of crime, role of modus operandi in criminal investigation. Classification of injuries and their medico-legal aspects, method of assessing various types of deaths.

**UNIT-II**

Classification of fire arms and explosives, introduction to internal, external and terminal ballistics. Chemical evidence for explosives. General and individual characteristics of handwriting, examination and comparison of handwritings and analysis of ink various samples.

**UNIT-III**

Role of the toxicologist, significance of toxicological findings, Fundamental principles of fingerprinting, classification of fingerprints.

**UNIT-IV**

Principle of DNA fingerprinting, application of DNA profiling in forensic medicine, Investigation Tools, eDiscovery, Evidence Preservation, Search and Seizure of Computers,

**UNIT-V**

Introduction to Cyber security and recent techniques. development of finger print as science for personal identification,



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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To give knowledge on Bioinformatics and its application
- To offer knowledge to assess biological databases
- To understand and to analyze protein/nucleotide sequences and to predict its 3D structure
- To understand the various online databases for submitting and retrieving data's
- To understand how the phylogeny plays a vital role in finding ambiguities.
- To get practiced with the tools and techniques for analyzing the data.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Understand The relationship between sequence - structure - function of genes
2. Familiarize with the algorithms required to compare sequences and require to know the phylogenetic relationship between the gene sequences
3. Inculcate knowledge on building 3D structures of genes.
4. Locate and use the main databases at the NCBI and EBI resources
5. Know the difference between databases, tools, repositories and be able to use each one to extract specific information
6. Use selected tools at NCBI and EBI to run simple analyses on genomic sequences

**UNIT-I**

History and milestone of Bioinformatics. The notion of Homology. Sequence Information Sources, EMBL, GENBANK, Entrez, Unigene, Understanding the structure of each source and using it on the web. Genome sequencing projects – Steps, Human Genome Project and other genome projects.

**UNIT-II**

Basic concepts of biomolecules – Protein and amino acid, DNA and RNA - Sequence, Structure and function. Protein Information Sources, PDB, SWISSPROT, TREMBL, Understanding the structure of each source and using it on the web. Introduction of Data Generating Techniques and Bioinformatics problem posed by them- Restriction Digestion, Chromatograms, Blots, PCR, Microarrays, Mass Spectrometry.

**UNIT-III**

Sequence and Phylogeny analysis, Detecting Open Reading Frames, Outline of sequence Assembly, Mutation/Substitution Matrices, Pairwise Alignments, Introduction to BLAST, using it on the web, Interpreting results, Multiple Sequence Alignment, Phylogenetic Analysis. Introduction to BLAST, using it on the web, Interpreting results, Multiple Sequence Alignment, Phylogenetic Analysis.

**UNIT-IV**

Biological databases: Types of databases, Sequence databases, Nucleic acid sequence databases -Primary (GenBank, EMBL, DDBJ), Secondary (Uni Gene, SGD, EMI Genomes, Genome Biology), Protein sequence database – Primary (PIR, SWISS-PROT), Secondary (PROSITE, Pfam), Structural databases (PDB, SCOP, CATH), Bibliographic databases and Organism specific databases.

**UNIT-V**

Searching Databases: SRS, Entrez, Sequence Similarity Searches-BLAST, FASTA, Data Submission. Genome Annotation: Pattern and repeat finding, Gene identification tools. Gene prediction: Gene prediction in prokaryote and eukaryotes. Extrinsic approaches and Ab initio approaches. Predicting the protein secondary structure (Domain, blocks, motifs), Predicting protein tertiary structure (Homology, Ab-initio, threading and fold recognition) and visualization of predicted structure.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To develop the skills on morphological identification of plants.
- Understand the diversity among various plants
- Know the systematic morphology and structure of Pteridophytes.
- Learn about the general characters and classification in Pteridophytes, heterospory and origin of seed habit.
- Know about the structure, life history and Economic importance of Gymnosperms.
- Studied the methods of fossilization and fossil plants

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to

1. Study and impart knowledge about the occurrence, distribution, structure and life history of plants
2. Learn in detail about vegetative and reproductive parts of plants.
3. Learn the phylogeny and evolutionary concepts in plants.
4. Learn how to handle a fossilized specimen
5. Acquire knowledge about the structure, life history and Economic importance of Gymnosperms
6. Learn the skills on morphological identification of plants

**UNIT-I**

**Pteridophytes:** General characters of pteridophytes, affinities with bryophytes and gymnosperms, classification, economic importance study of life histories of fossil pteridophytes – *Rhynia*.

**UNIT-II**

**Pteridophytes: Type studies:** Life histories of *Selaginella*- (Heterospory and seed habit), *Equisetum*, *Pteris*, *Lycopodium*.

**UNIT-III**

**Gymnosperms:** General characters, classification, geological time scale, theories of fossil formation, types of fossils, fossil gymnosperms- *Williamsonia* & *Glossopteris*, telome and stele concept.

**UNIT-IV**

**Gymnosperms: Type studies:** Life histories of *Cycas* and *Pinus* and economic importance of gymnosperms.

**UNIT-V**

**Gymnosperms: Type studies:** Life histories of *Pinus*, economic importance of gymnosperms

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To introduce biotechnological methods for production of transgenic plants.
- To give knowledge about various methods of gene transfer in plants.
- To cognize and get the knowledge on micro propagation to protect endangered plants.
- To explain the basics of the physiological and molecular processes that occur during plant growth and development and during environmental adaptations
- To use basic biotechnological techniques to explore molecular biology of plants
- To understand the processes involved in the planning, conduct and execution of plant biotechnology experiments

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Understand the growth conditions required to culture the plants in *invitro* conditions.
2. Inculcate the deep understanding of Gene expression system of plants
3. Acquire knowledge on producing Transgenic plants
4. Inculcate the deep knowledge the processes involved in the planning, conduct and execution of plant biotechnology experiments
5. Learn the structure and organization of plant genome
6. Learn the basic techniques for hybridization in producing transgenic plants

**UNIT-I**

Introduction, Cryo and organogenic differentiation, Types of culture: Seed, Embryo, Callus, Organ, Cell and Protoplast culture. Micropropagation Axillary bud proliferation, Meristem and shoot tip culture and culture, organogenesis, embryogenesis, advantages and disadvantages of micropropagation

**UNIT-II**

*In vitro* haploid production Androgenic methods: Anther culture, Microspore culture and oogenesis. Significance and use of haploids, Ploidy level and chromosome doubling, diploidization, Gynogenic haploids, factors effecting gynogenesis, chromosome elimination techniques for production of haploids in cereals.

**UNIT-III**

Protoplast Isolation and fusion Methods of protoplast isolation, Protoplast development, Somatic hybridization, identification and selection of hybrid cells, Cybrids, Potential of somatic hybridization limitations. Somaclonal variation Nomenclature, methods, applications basis and disadvantages. Plant Growth Promoting bacteria. Nitrogen fixation, Nitrogenase, Hydrogenase, Nodulation, Bio control of pathogens, Growth promotion by free-living bacteria.

**UNIT-IV**

Structure and organization of plant genome, regulation of plant genome expression, transcriptional, translational and post transcriptional regulation of plant genome. Transfer of nucleic acid to plant cells- Direct transformation by electroporation and particle gun bombardment. - *Agrobacterium*, Ti plasmid vector Theory and techniques for the development of new genetic traits.

**UNIT-V**

Transgenic plants, herbicides and pest resistant plants; Molecular farming/ pharming: carbohydrates, lipids, therapeutic proteins, edible vaccines, purification strategies; Oleosin partition technology.

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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain basic concepts of life and gradual evolution of human and other animals
- To ascertain the evolutionary concepts through fossil study of Eukaryotes from Prokaryotes
- To explain Origin of Life especially Prokaryotes as well as Eukaryotes in detail.
- To give detailed explanation of key concepts of Population Genetics in terms of Hardy-Weinberg Law, Genetic Drift and Types of Natural Selection.
- To provide adequate knowledge about Micro-evolutionary changes, Speciation and Adaptive Radiation.
- To impart descriptive knowledge regarding Origin and Evolution of Man

### Course Outcomes

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Get hold of the knowledge on fundamentals of Evolutionary Biology.
2. Expertise on the concepts of evolution, chromosomal aberrations; recombination and random assortment.
3. Acknowledge on the Qualitative Studies Based on Field Observations
4. To develop comprehensive knowledge regarding various Sources of Variations and their role in evolution.
5. To explore salient features of various theories of evolution comprising of Lamarckism, Darwinism and Neo-Darwinism.
6. To impart detailed understanding of Qualitative Studies Based on Field Observations

### UNIT- I

**Historical Review of Evolutionary Concept.** Pre-Darwinian ideas – List of contributors influencing Darwin indicated as a *timeline*. Lamarckism – Merits and demerits. Darwinism – Merits and demerits, Post-Darwinian era –Modern synthetic theory; biomathematics and the theory of population genetics leading to Neo-Darwinism

### UNIT- II

**Life's Beginnings.** Chemogeny– An overview of pre-biotic conditions and events; experimental proofs to abiotic origin of micro- and macro-molecules. Current concept of chemogeny– RNA first hypothesis. Biogeny – Cellular evolution based on proto-cell models (coacervates and proteinoid micro-spheres). Origin of photosynthesis – Evolution of oxygen and ozone buildup. Endosymbiotic theory – Evolution of Eukaryotes from Prokaryotes

### UNIT-III

**Evidences of Evolution.** Paleobiological– Concept of Stratigraphy and geological timescale; fossil study (types, formation and dating methods). Anatomical – Vestigial organs; Homologous and Analogous organs (concept of parallelism and convergence in evolution). Taxonomic – Transitional forms/evolutionary intermediates; living fossils. Phylogenetic – a) Fossil based – Phylogeny of horse as a model. b) Molecule based – Protein model (Cytochrome C); gene model (Globin gene family)

### UNIT-IV

**Sources of Evolution – Variations as Raw Materials of Change.** Types of variations – Continuous and discontinuous; heritable and non-heritable. Causes, classification and contribution to evolution – Gene mutation; chromosomal aberrations; recombination and random assortment (basis of sexual reproduction); gene regulation. Concept of micro- and macro-evolution – A brief comparison

## UNIT-V

**Forces of Evolution – Qualitative Studies Based on Field Observations.** Natural selection as a guiding force – Its attributes and action Basic characteristics of natural selection. Colouration, camouflage and mimicry, Co-adaptation and co-evolution, Man-made causes of change – Industrial melanism; brief mention of drug, pesticide, antibiotic and herbicide resistance in various organisms. Modes of selection, Polymorphism, Heterosis and Balanced lethal systems. Genetic Drift (Sewall Wright effect) as a stochastic/random force – Its attributes and action. Basic characteristics of drift; selection vs. drift, Bottleneck effect. Founder principle.

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2. Hall, B.K., & Hallgrímsson, B. (2008). *Strickberger's Evolution* (4th ed.). Jones and Bartlett
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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To introduce biotechnological methods for production of transgenic animals.
- To give knowledge about various methods of gene transfer in animals.
- To cognize and get the knowledge on techniques to protect endangered animals.
- To explain the basics of the physiological and molecular processes for animals facing environmental adaptations
- To use basic biotechnological techniques to explore molecular biology of animals
- To understand the processes involved in the planning, conduct and execution of animal biotechnology experiments

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Understand the growth conditions required to culture the animals in *invitro* conditions.
2. Inculcate the deep understanding of Gene expression system of animals
3. Acquire knowledge on producing Transgenic animal
4. Inculcate the deep knowledge the processes involved in the planning, conduct and execution of animal biotechnology experiments
5. Learn the structure and organization of animal genome
6. Learn the basic techniques for hybridization in producing transgenic animal

**UNIT- I**

Animal Tissue Culture: Laboratory design: aseptic techniques– handling instruments: Microscopes, Clean-bench, etc., and bio safety. Animal Cell Culture Media: Natural and artificial media – their constituents; Physicochemical properties of media; Serum supplemented and serum-free media; Sterilization methods.

**UNIT - II**

Primary Cell Culture: Methods of tissue disaggregation - isolations of tissues from chick embryo, mouse and human; Continuous and established cell cultures; Cell separation and characterization; Organ culture- types.

**UNIT-III**

Gene transfer methods in Animals – Microinjection, Embryonic Stem cell, gene transfer, Retrovirus & Gene transfer. Introduction to transgenesis. Transgenic Animals – Mice, Cow, Pig, Sheep, Goat, Bird, Insect.

**UNIT-IV**

Animal propagation – Artificial insemination, Animal Clones. Conservation Biology – Embryo transfer techniques. Introduction to Stem Cell Technology and its applications. Expression of bovine growth hormone; production of human proteins in milk and meat. **Animal diseases** need help of Biotechnology – Foot-and mouth disease, Coccidiosis, Trypanosomiasis, Theileriosis.

**UNIT-V**

Production and applications; transgenic animals: mouse, cow, sheep, fish, hen. Genetic modification in Medicine - gene therapy, types of gene therapy, vectors in gene therapy, molecular engineering, human genetic engineering, problems and ethics.

## References

1. Butler, M. (2004). *Animal cell culture and technology: The basics* (2nd ed.). Bios scientific publishers.
2. Glick, B.R., & Pasternak, J.J. (2009). *Molecular biotechnology-Principles and applications of recombinant DNA* (4th ed.). Washington, USA: ASM press.
3. Griffiths, A.J.F., Miller, J.H., Suzuki, D.T., Lewontin, R.C., & Gelbart, W.M. (2009). *An introduction to genetic analysis* (9th ed.). NY: USA, Freeman & Co.
4. Watson, J.D., Myers, R.M., Caudy, A., & Witkowski, J.K. (2007). *Recombinant DNA genes and genomes-A short course* (3rd ed.). NY: USA, Freeman & Co.

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To provide the students with an in-depth knowledge of the diversity in form, structure and habits of invertebrates.
- To learn the basics of systematic and understand the hierarchy of different categories.
- To learn the diagnostic characters of different phyla through brief studies of examples.
- To obtain an overview of economically important invertebrate fauna.
- To explain the organizational hierarchies and complexities of invertebrates.
- To describe the evolutionary trends in external morphology and internal structure.

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to

1. Outline the origin and classification of animal kingdom
2. Describe the origin of animals and how they differ from other living organisms;
3. Explain the relationship between animal diversity and evolutionary derived changes in animal body plans
4. Analyse the various modes of adaptations in animals
5. Identify and classify with examples the invertebrates
6. Analyse the various modes of adaptations in animals

**UNIT- I**

- a) Outline of classification of Non- Chordates up to subclasses. Coelomata, Acoelomata, Symmetries, Deutrostomes, Protostomes.
- b) Protozoa: Locomotion, Reproduction, evolution of Sex, General features of *Paramecium* and *Plasmodium*. Pathogenic protozoans
- c) Porifera: General characters, outline of Classification; skeleton, Canal System

**UNIT-II**

- a) Coelenterata: General Characters, Outline of classifications Polymorphism, Various types of stinging cells; Metagenesis, coral reefs and their formation.
- b) Platyhelminthes- General Characters; Outline of classification; Pathogenic flatworms: Parasitic adaptations.
- c) Aschelminthes: General features, Outline of classification, Pathogenic roundworms and their vectors in relation to man: Parasite adaptation.

**UNIT-III**

- a) Annelida: - General features, Outline of classification, Coelom: Metameric segmentation, General features of Earthworm, Vermicomposting.
- b) Arthropoda: General Features, Outline of Classification; Larval forms of crustacean, Respiration in Arthropoda; Metamorphosis in insects; Social insects; Insect vectors of diseases; Apiculture, Sericulture.

**UNIT-IV**

- a) Mollusca: general features, Outline of classification, Shell Diversity; Torsioning gastropoda,
- b) Echinodermata: General features, Outline of Classification Larval forms
- c) Hemichordata: Phylogeny: Affinities of *Balanoglossus*

**References**

1. Barnes, R.S.K., Calow, P., Olive, P.J.W., Golding, D.W. & J.I., Spicer (2002). *The Invertebrates: A New Synthesis* (3rd ed.). Blackwell Science.
  2. Barrington, E.J.W. (1979). *Invertebrate Structure and Functions* (2nd ed.). E.L.B.S. and Nelson.
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4. Kent, G.C., & Carr, R.K. (2000). *Comparative Anatomy of the Vertebrates* (9th ed.). The McGraw-Hill Companies.

Total hours/week: L:0 T:0 P:3

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To understand the physiological conditions of the plants and metabolism.
- To understand the basic concepts of diversified growth.
- To gain the information about the economic importance of algae and fungi.
- Learn about the structure, pigmentation, food reserves and methods of reproduction of Algae
- Learn about the structure, pigmentation, food reserves and methods of reproduction of Fungi
- Studied some plant diseases with special reference to the causative agents, symptoms, etiology and control measures.

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to,

1. Gain adequate knowledge on plant biodiversity and importance.
2. Understand the molecular mechanisms of macro and micro nutrients in plant growth.
3. Get the basic and applied knowledge of plant physiology, growth, development and metabolism.
4. Discuss about importance of morphological structure, classification, reproduction and economic importance of Algae.
5. Know the control measures of plant diseases.
6. Explain about structure, classification, reproduction, life cycle and economic importance of Bryophytes.

**List of Practicals**

1. Comparative study of thallus and reproductive organs of various algae mentioned in theory.
2. Comparative study of vegetative and reproductive parts of various fungi mentioned in theory.
3. Study and section cutting and lactophenol mount of plant disease materials studied in theory.
4. Study of various types of lichens.
5. Study of external features & anatomy of vegetative and reproductive parts of Marchantia and Funaria.
6. Collection of algae, fungi, plant diseases materials and bryophytes available locally.

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1. Agrios, G.N. (2004). *Plant Pathology* (5th ed.). UK: Academic Press.
2. Aneja, K.R., & Mehrotra, R.S. (2015). *An Introduction to Mycology* (2nd ed.). New Age International publishers.
3. Kumar, H.D. (1999) *Introductory Phycology*. Aff. East-West Press Pvt Ltd., Delhi.
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5. Sambamurty, (2008). *A Textbook of Bryophytes, Pteridophytes, Gymnosperms and Paleobotany*. IK International Publishers.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To give knowledge on molecular analysis in forensic science.
- To offer knowledge to assess DNA finger printing
- To understand the evidence for suspecting victims in crime
- To handle the evidences left out at the crime scene.
- The basic methods for examine the different types of questioned documents.
- Identify the E-Mail Investigation and related Recovering deleted evidences

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Apply the Laboratory skills to participate in the career needs of Forensic community.
2. Become trained in the laboratory skills of different division of Forensic Science.
3. Be able to work with different R& D organizations.
4. Identify the role of the forensic scientist and physical evidence within the criminal justice system.
5. Demonstrate the ability to document and orally describe crime scenes, physical evidence, and scientific processes.
6. Identify and examine current and emerging concepts and practices within the forensic science field.

**List of Practicals**

1. Documentation of crime scene by photography, sketching and field notes.
2. a. Simulation of a crime scene for training.  
b. To lift footprints from crime scene.
3. Case studies to depict different types of injuries and death.
4. Separation of nitro compounds (explosives)/ ink samples by thin layer chromatography.
5. Investigate method for developing fingerprints by Iodine crystals.
6. PCR amplification on target DNA and DNA profiling,
7. E-Mail Investigation, E-Mail Tracking, IP Tracking, E-Mail Recovery, Recovering deleted evidences, Password Cracking.

**References**

1. Bernard J. Glick, Jack J. Pasternak, &Chery IL. Patten. (2010).*Molecular Biotechnology- Principles and Applications of recombinant DNA* (4th ed.). Washington: ASM Press.
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7. Tilstone, W.J., Hastrup, M.L., & Hald, C. (2013). *Fisher's Techniques of Crime Scene Investigation*. CRC Press.

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To give knowledge on Bioinformatics and its application
- To offer knowledge to assess biological databases
- To understand and to analyze protein/nucleotide sequences and to predict its 3D structure
- To understand the various online databases for submitting and retrieving data's
- To understand how the phylogeny plays a vital role in finding ambiguities.
- To get practiced with the tools and techniques for analyzing the data.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Understand The relationship between sequence - structure - function of genes.
2. Familiarize with the algorithms required to compare sequences and require to know the phylogenetic relationship between the gene sequences.
3. Inculcate knowledge on building 3D structures of genes.
4. Locate and use the main databases at the NCBI and EBI resources
5. Know the difference between databases, tools, repositories and be able to use each one to extract specific information.
6. Use selected tools at NCBI and EBI to run simple analyses on genomic sequences.

**List of Practicals**

1. Sequence information resource
2. Understanding and use of various web resources: EMBL, Genbank, Entrez, Unigene, Protein information resource (PIR)
3. Understanding and using: PDB, Swissprot, TREMBL
4. Using various BLAST and interpretation of results.
5. Retrieval of information from nucleotide databases.
6. Sequence alignment using BLAST.
7. Multiple sequence alignment using Clustal W.

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Total hours/week:T:0P:4

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To develop the practical skills on morphological identification of plants.
- Understand the diversity among various plants
- Know the systematic morphology and structure of Pteridophytes.
- Learn about the general characters and classification in Pteridophytes, heterospory and origin of seed habit.
- Know about the structure, life history and Economic importance of Gymnosperms.
- Studied the methods of fossilization and fossil plants

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to

1. Study and impart practical knowledge about the occurrence, distribution, structure and life history of plants
2. Learn in detail about vegetative and reproductive parts of plants.
3. Learn the phylogeny and evolutionary concepts in plants.
4. Learn how to handle a fossilized specimen
5. Acquire knowledge about the structure, life history and Economic importance of Gymnosperms
6. Learn the skills on morphological identification of plants

**List of Practicals**

1. Examination of morphology and anatomy of vegetative and reproductive parts of *Selaginella*, *Equisetum* and *Pteris*.
2. Examination of morphology and anatomy of vegetative and reproductive parts of – *Cycas* & *Pinus*
3. Plant collection (pteridophytes & gymnosperms).

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To develop the skills on morphological identification of suitable explants.
- Understand the growth hormones of culture medium
- Know the systematic morphology and structure of plants.
- Learn about the general culture techniques.
- Know about the sterilization process in PTC Lab.
- Studied the methods of Micropropagation

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to

1. Study and impart knowledge about the occurrence, distribution, of plants and suitable explants.
2. Learn in detail about growth hormones.
3. Learn the sterilize and prepare an explant of plants.
4. Learn how to handle a PTC equipments
5. Acquire knowledge about aseptic condition maintained in lab
6. Learn the skills on plant culture techniques.

**List of Practicals**

1. Preparation of simple growth nutrient (knop's medium), full strength, half strength, solid and liquid.
2. Preparation of complex nutrient medium (Murashige & Skoog's medium).
3. To selection, Pure, sterilize and prepare an explant for culture.
4. Significance of growth hormones in culture medium.
5. To demonstrate various steps of Micropropagation using banana/tomato/potato.

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2. Brown, T.A., (2006). *Gene Cloning and DNA Analysis* (5th ed.). Oxford: UK, Blackwell Publishing.
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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain practical concepts of types of fossils
- To ascertain the evolutionary concepts through fossil study of Eukaryotes from Prokaryotes
- To explain Origin of Life especially Prokaryotes as well as Eukaryotes in detail.
- To give detailed explanation of key concepts of living fossil
- To provide adequate knowledge about Micro-evolutionary changes, Speciation and Adaptive Radiation.
- To impart descriptive knowledge regarding Origin and Evolution of Man

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Get hold of the practical knowledge on fundamentals of Evolutionary Biology.
2. Expertise on the Sampling techniques.
3. Acknowledge on the Qualitative Studies Based on Field Observations
4. To develop comprehensive knowledge regarding various Sources of Variations and their role in evolution.
5. To explore salient features of various theories of evolution comprising of Lamarckism, Darwinism and Neo-Darwinism.
6. To impart detailed understanding of Analogy, Homology, Paleontological Evidences, Embryological Evidences and Molecular Phylogeny.

**List of Practicals****(A) Evidence of fossils**

1. Study of types of fossils (e.g. trails, casts and moulds and others) and Index fossils of Palaeozoic era
2. Connecting links/transitional forms - Eg. Euglena, Neopilina, Balanoglossus, Chimaera, Tiktaalik, Archaeopteryx, Ornithorhynchus
3. Living fossils - Eg. Limulus, Peripatus, Latimeria, Sphaenodon
4. Vestigial, Analogous and Homologous organs using photographs, models or specimen.

**(B) Variations**

1. Sampling of human height, weight and BMI for continuous variation.
2. Sampling for discrete characteristics (dominant vs recessive) for discontinuous variations e.g. hitch-hiker's thumb, dexterity, tongue rolling, ear lobe (data categorization into 16 groups based on the combination of 4 traits; assigning each subject to the respective group).

**(C) Selection** Exemplifying Adaptive strategies (Colouration, Mimetic form, Co-adaptation and co-evolution; Adaptations to aquatic, fossorial and arboreal modes of life) using Specimens.

**(D) Neo-Darwinian Studies**

1. Calculations of genotypic, phenotypic and allelic frequencies from the data provided
2. Simulation experiments using coloured beads/playing cards to understand the effects of Selection and Genetic drift on gene frequencies (E) Phylogeny.

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1. Ridley, M. (2004). *Evolution* (3rd ed.). Blackwell.
2. Hall, B. K., & Hallgrimson, B. (2008). *Strickberger's Evolution* (4th ed.). Jones and Barlett
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4. Barton, Briggs, Eisen, Goldstein, & Patel, (2007). *Evolution*. Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Press.

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To introduce biotechnological methods for ATC.
- To give knowledge about various methods of gene transfer in animals.
- To cognize and get the knowledge Theory and Practical: Glass ware sterilization, Media sterilization, Laboratory sterilization.
- To explain the basics of the physiological and molecular processes for animals facing environmental adaptations
- To use basic biotechnological techniques to explore molecular biology of animals
- To understand the processes involved in the planning, conduct and execution of animal biotechnology experiments

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Understand the growth conditions required to culture the animals in *invitro* conditions.
2. Inculcate the deep understanding of Laboratory sterilization
3. Acquire knowledge on DNA isolation from animal tissue
4. Understand the Minimal Essential Growth medium
5. Inculcate the deep knowledge the processes involved in the planning, conduct and execution of animal biotechnology experiments
6. Learn the structure and organization of animal genome

**List of Practicals**

1. Sterilization techniques: Theory and Practical: Glass ware sterilization, Media sterilization, Laboratory sterilization.
2. Sources of contamination and decontamination measures.
3. Preparation of Hanks Balanced salt solution
4. Preparation of Minimal Essential Growth medium
5. Isolation of lymphocytes for culturing
6. DNA isolation from animal tissue
7. Quantification of isolated DNA.
8. Resolving DNA on agarose gel.

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Total hours/week: L:4 T:0 P:4

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To provide the students with an in-depth knowledge of the diversity in form, structure and habits of invertebrates
- To learn the basics of systematic and understand the hierarchy of different categories
- To learn the diagnostic characters of different phyla through brief studies of examples
- To obtain an overview of economically important invertebrate fauna
- To explain the organizational hierarchies and complexities of invertebrates
- To describe the evolutionary trends in external morphology and internal structure

**Course Outcomes**

The learners will be able to

1. Outline the origin and classification of animal kingdom
2. Describe the origin of animals and how they differ from other living organisms
3. Explain the relationship between animal diversity and evolutionary derived changes in animal body plans
4. Analyze the various modes of adaptations in animals
5. Identify and classify with examples the invertebrates
6. Analyze the various modes of adaptations in animals

**List of Practicals**

1. Identification and Classification of Any these of the following—Porifera: *Scypha*, *Leucosolenia*, *Euspongia*, *Hylonema*, *Euplectella* Cnidaria: *Medrepora*, *Millepora*, *Physalia*, *Porpita*, *Valella*, *Aurelia*, *Metridium* Platyhelminthes: *Taenia*, *Fasciola*, Aschelminthes: *Ascaris*, *Ancylostoma*, *Enterobius* Annelida: *Pheretima*, *Hirudinaria*, *Chaetopterus*, *Nereis*, *Aphrodite* Arthropoda: *Julus*, *Scolopendra*, *Peripatus*, *Carcinus*, *Limulus*, *Lepisma*, *Dragonfly*, *Musca*, *Acheta* mollusca: *Pila*, *Unio*, *Mytilus*, *Loligo*, *Sepia*, *Octopus*, *Solen* Echinodermata: *Asterias*, *Ophiothrix*, *Echinus*, *Holothuria*, *Astrophyton* Hemichordata: *Balanoglossus*
2. Identification of slides with two points of identification. *Amoeba*, *Paramoecium*, *Ceratium*, *Plasmodium*, *Opalina*, L.S. Sponge, Spicules of sponges, L.S. *Hydra*, *Obelia*, *Bougainvillia*, Larvae of *Fasciola*, Seta of Earthworm, Radula 3. Ecological Note – On any of the specimens in Exercise No 1 Models of dissection of Earthworm, Cockroach Earthworm: Digestive, Nervous System, Cockroach: Digestive Reproductive, Nervous System.

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2. Barrington, E.J.W. (1979). *Invertebrate Structure and Functions* (2nd ed.). E.L.B.S. and Nelson.
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Total hours/week: L:3 T:0 P:0

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To understand the basic knowledge of copy rights and related property rights.
- To develop the entrepreneurship skills using biological product formation.
- To provide the information of filling the patents and copy rights
- To disseminate knowledge on trademarks and registration aspects
- To disseminate knowledge on Design, Geographical Indication (GI), Plant Variety and Layout Design Protection and their registration aspects
- To learn about current trends in IPR and Govt. steps in fostering IPR

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

- Acquire the knowledge on filling and submission of copy rights and related property rights.
- Gain knowledge in developing new pilot scale / large scale industries and associated formalities
- Understand the importance of patenting /copyrights/Trade marks
- Acquire the knowledge on fundamental aspects of Intellectual property Rights to students who are going to play a major role in development and management of innovative projects in industries.
- Disseminate knowledge on patents, patent regime in India and abroad and registration aspects \
- Disseminate knowledge on copyrights and its related rights and registration aspects

**UNIT-I**

Introduction to Indian Patent Law. World Trade Organization and its related intellectual property provisions. Intellectual/Industrial property and its legal protection in research, design and development. Patenting in Biotechnology, economic, ethical and depository considerations.

**UNIT II**

Entrepreneurship: Selection of a product, line, design and development processes, economics on material and energy requirement, stock the product and release the same for making etc. The basic regulations of excise: Demand for a given product, feasibility of its production under given constraints of raw material, energy input, financial situations export potential etc.

**UNIT III**

Bioethics – Necessity of Bioethics, different paradigms of Bioethics – National & International. Ethical issues against the molecular technologies.

**UNIT IV**

Biosafety– Introduction to biosafety and health hazards concerning biotechnology. Introduction to the concept of containment level.

## UNIT V

Good Laboratory Practices (GLP) and Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP).

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1. David H. Holt, *Entrepreneurship: New Venture Creation*.
2. Jack M. Kaplan, *Patterns of Entrepreneurship*.
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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To study the bio-analytical tools and their applications.
- To have sufficient knowledge on the separation of compounds from a mixture.
- To know the application of chromatography in biotechnology.
- To develop the skills to understand the theory and practice of bio analytical techniques.
- To provide scientific understanding of analytical techniques and detail interpretation of results.
- To learn how to design experiments and understand the instrumentation.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Know the working principle, maintenance, and calibrations of bioanalytical tools and technique
2. Estimate the number of biomolecules using the Bioanalytical tool
3. Implement the bioanalytical techniques to analyze the biomolecules
4. Use selected analytical techniques.
5. Be familiar with working principals, tools and techniques of analytical techniques.
6. To understand the strengths, limitations and creative use of techniques for problem-solving.

**UNIT I**

Simple microscopy, phase contrast microscopy, florescence and electron microscopy (TEM and SEM), pH meter, absorption and emission spectroscopy

**UNIT II**

Principle and law of absorption fluorimetry, colorimetry, spectrophotometry (visible, UV, infrared), centrifugation, cell fractionation techniques, isolation of sub-cellular organelles and particles.

**UNIT III**

Introduction to the principle of chromatography. Paper chromatography, thin layer chromatography, column chromatography: silica and gel filtration, affinity and ion exchange chromatography, gas chromatography, HPLC.

**UNIT IV**

Introduction to electrophoresis. Starch-gel, polyacrylamide gel (native and SDS-PAGE), agarose-gel electrophoresis,

**UNIT V**

Pulse field gel electrophoresis, immuno- electrophoresis, isoelectric focusing, Western blotting. Introduction to Biosensors and Nanotechnology and their applications.



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1. Karp, G. (2013). *Cell and Molecular Biology: Concepts and Experiments* (7th ed.). Hoboken, US: John Wiley & Sons Inc.
2. De Robertis, E.D.P., & De Robertis, E.M.F. (2006). *Cell and Molecular Biology* (8th ed.). Lippincott Williams and Wilkins, Philadelphia.
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Total hours/week: L:4 T:0 P:0

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total: 100

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To identify common infectious agents and the diseases that they cause.
- To evaluate methods used to identify infectious agents in medical microbiology lab.
- To recall microbial physiology including metabolism, regulation and replication of pathogenic microbes.
- To explain general and specific mechanisms by which an infectious agent causes disease.
- To recognize and diagnose common infectious diseases from the clinical presentation and associated microbiology.
- To describe the epidemiology of infectious agents including how infectious diseases are transmitted.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Apply the biotechnology concept for controlling infectious agents.
2. Expertise on the concepts of metabolism, regulation and replication of pathogenic microbes.
3. Able to get knowledge on the toxins released by microbes.
4. Able to enter into a wide range of biotechnology industries with research enterprises.
5. Develop of non-toxic therapeutic agents from microbes
6. Able to get knowledge on Fungal and Protozoan infections

**UNIT- I**

Introduction: Normal microflora of human body, nosocomial infections, carriers, septic shock, septicemia, pathogenicity, virulence factors, toxins, biosafety levels. Morphology, pathogenesis, symptoms, laboratory diagnosis, preventive measures and chemotherapy of gram positive bacteria: *S.aureus*, *S.pyogenes*, *B.anthraxis*, *C.perferinges*, *C.tetani*, *C.botulinum*, *C.diphtheriae*, *M.tuberculosis*, *M. leprae*.

**UNIT-II**

Morphology, pathogenesis, symptoms, laboratory diagnosis, preventive measures and chemotherapy caused by gram negative bacteria: *E.coli*, *N. gonorrhoea*, *N. meningitidis*, *P. aeruginosa*, *S. typhi*, *S. dysenteriae*, *Y. pestis*, *B. abortus*, *H. influenzae*, *V. cholerae*, *M. pneumoniae*, *T. pallidum*, *M. pneumoniae*, *Rickettsiaceae*, *Chlamydiae*.

**UNIT- III**

Diseases caused by viruses- Picornavirus, Orthomyxoviruses, Paramyxoviruses, Rhabdoviruses, Reoviruses, Pox virus, Herpes virus, Papova virus, Retro viruses (including HIV/AIDS) and Hepatitis viruses.

**UNIT- IV**

Fungal and Protozoan infections. Dermatophytoses (*Trichophyton*, *Microsporun* and *Epidermophyton*) Subcutaneous infection (*Sporothrix*, *Cryptococcus*), systemic infection (*Histoplasma*, *Coccidioides*).

**UNIT- V**

Opportunistic fungal infections (*Candidiasis*, *Aspergillosis*), Gastrointestinal infections (*Amoebiasis*, *Giardiasis*), Blood-borne infections (*Leishmaniasis*, *Malaria*).

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1. Brooks, G.F., Carroll, K.C., Butel, J.S., & Morse, S.A. (2007). *Jawetz, Melnick and Adelberg's Medical Microbiology* (24th ed.). McGraw Hill Publication.
2. Goering, R., Dockrell, H., Zuckerman, M., & Wakelin, D. (2007). *Mims' Medical Microbiology* (4th ed.). Elsevier.
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ENVIRONMENTAL BIOTECHNOLOGY

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain basic concepts of biotechnology to solve the environmental problems
- To ascertain the knowledge about solid waste management and wastewater treatment.
- To achieve a novel treatment strategy for waste to Bioenergy.
- To gain knowledge about the biological and biotechnological measures for restoring environment.
- To involve in the present scenarios and find valuable solutions for remedy
- To update about the management strategies followed up by the industries and government.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to apply their knowledge on

1. Bio-management of soil
2. Bio-management of Petroleum Contaminants
3. Environmental significance of genetically modified microbes, plants and animals
4. Bioleaching
5. Treatment of municipal waste and Industrial effluents
6. Bioremediation concepts

**UNIT-I**

Conventional fuels and their environmental impact – Firewood, Plant, Animal, Water, Coal and Gas. Modern fuels and their environmental impact – Methanogenic bacteria, Biogas, Microbial hydrogen Production, Conversion of sugar to alcohol Gasohol

**UNIT-II**

Bioremediation of soil & water contaminated with oil spills, heavy metals and detergents. Degradation of lignin and cellulose using microbes. Phyto-remediation. Degradation of pesticides and other toxic chemicals by micro-organisms-degradation aromatic and chlorinated hydrocarbons and petroleum products.

**UNIT- III**

Waste management, Treatment of municipal waste and Industrial effluents Bio-fertilizers Role of symbiotic and asymbiotic nitrogen fixing bacteria in the enrichment of soil. Algal and fungal biofertilizers (VAM)

**UNIT- IV**

Bioleaching, Enrichment of ores by microorganisms (Gold, Copper and Uranium). Solid waste management (an introduction).

**UNIT- V**

Environmental significance of genetically modified microbes, plants and animals.

## References

1. Santra, S.C.(2011).*Environmental Science*(3rd ed.).New Central Book Agency.
2. Pradipta Kumar Mohapatra, (2007). *Environmental Biotechnology*. I.K. International Publishing House.
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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are

- To gain mathematical approach for analyzing the data.
- To learn the knowledge about graphical and diagrammatic representation of Statistical data.
- To learn the knowledge about Scope and applications of biostatistics
- To learn the knowledge about collection, processing and presentation of data and Testing of hypothesis
- To learn the knowledge about Measures of central tendency, Measures of dispersion
- To learn the knowledge about Correlation analysis and regression analysis

### Course Outcomes

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Apply the statistical tool knowledge for research data analysis.
2. Understand the concept of various hypothesis regarding data analysis.
3. To perform analysis for the data based on graphical representation (Bar, multiple bars, histogram, pie chart etc.)
4. To perform analysis to determine the mean, median, mode and standard deviation of given sample/data
5. To perform analysis, determine the probability of given sample/data
6. To perform the t-test/F-Test and Chi-square test of given data

### UNIT I

Statistics – Meaning, Definitions, Introduction to Bio-Statistics -Types of Data, Collection of data; Primary & Secondary data, Classification and tabulation of data, construction of frequency distribution. Graphical and diagrammatic representation of Statistical data.

### UNIT II

Measures of central tendency – Mean, Median and Mode. Measures Dispersion – Absolute and relative measures dispersion – Range, Standard deviation and coefficient of variation. Measures of Skewness and Kurtosis.

### UNIT III

Probability classical & axiomatic definition of probability, Theorems on total and compound probability), Elementary ideas of Binomial, Poisson and Normal distributions.

### UNIT IV

Population and Sample, parameter and statistic, sampling, methods of sampling, confidence level, critical region, testing of hypothesis and standard error, large sample test and small sample test. Problems on test of significance, t-test, *chi*-square test for goodness of fit and analysis of variance (ANOVA)

### UNIT V

Correlation –types of correlation, degrees of correlation, methods of calculating correlation coefficient – scatter diagram, Karl Pearson and Spearman rank correlation coefficients. Regression – regression lines, regression equation, regression coefficients, methods of forming regression equations. Emphasis on examples from Biological Sciences.

## References

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2. Glaser, A.N. (2001). *High Yield TM Biostatistics*. USA: Lippincott Williams and Wilkins.
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Total hours/week: L:4 T:0 P:0

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain basic concepts of Geological consideration of Atmosphere
- To ascertain the knowledge about Energy transfer in an Ecosystem.
- To obtain knowledge Pollution and environmental Health.
- To gain knowledge about the biotechnological measures for restoring environment.
- To involve in the present scenarios and find valuable solutions for remedy
- To update about the management strategies by Bio-transformation.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to apply their knowledge on

1. Principles & Concepts of Ecosystem
2. Ecological efficiencies
3. Environmental significance of Detection of Environmental pollutants
4. Bio-geochemical cycles
5. Hazardous wastes Environmental cleanup
6. Genetic engineering of bacteria and their potential for bioremediation

**UNIT-I**

Our Environment: Geological consideration of Atmosphere, Hydrosphere, Lithosphere Scope of Ecology. Development & Evolution of Ecosystem. Principles & Concepts of Ecosystem. Structure of ecosystem. Strata of an ecosystem. Types of ecosystem including habitats. Cybernetics & Homeostasis. Biological control of chemical environment.

**UNIT-II**

Energy transfer in an Ecosystem. Food chain, food web, Energy budget, Production & decomposition in a system. Ecological efficiencies, Trophic structure & energy pyramids, Ecological energetic, principles pertaining to limiting factors, Bio-geochemical cycles (Nitrogen, Carbon and Phosphate cycles).

**UNIT-III**

Pollution and environmental Health related to Soil, Water, Air, Food, Pesticides, Metals, Solvents, Radiations Carcinogen, Poisons. Detection of Environmental pollutants. Indicators & detection systems.

**UNIT-IV**

Environmental biotechnologies, Biotechnologies in protection and preservation of environment. Bioremediation, Waste disposal.

**UNIT-V**

Bio-transformation, Plastic, Aromatics, Hazardous wastes Environmental cleanup: Case studies

## References

1. Robert May, & Angela McLean. (Eds.). (2007). *Theoretical Ecology: Principles and Applications* (3rd ed.). USA: Oxford University Press.
2. Divan Rosencraz, (2002). *Environmental laws and policies in India*. Oxford Publication.
3. Ghosh, S.K., & Singh, R. (2003). *Social forestry and forest management*. Global Vision Publishing House
4. Joseph, B. (2005). *Environmental studies*. Tata Mc GrawHill.
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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are

- To understand the basic knowledge of copy rights and related property rights.
- To develop the entrepreneurship skills using biological product formation.
- To provide the information of filling the patents and copy rights
- To disseminate knowledge on trademarks and registration aspects
- To disseminate knowledge on Design, Geographical Indication (GI), Plant Variety and Layout Design Protection and their registration aspects
- To learn about current trends in IPR and Govt. steps in fostering IPR

### Course Outcomes

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Acquire the knowledge on filling and submission of copy rights and related property rights.
2. Gain knowledge in developing new pilot scale / large scale industries and associated formalities
3. Understand the importance of patenting /copyrights/Trade marks
4. Acquire the knowledge on fundamental aspects of Intellectual property Rights to students who are going to play a major role in development and management of innovative projects in industries.
5. Disseminate knowledge on patents, patent regime in India and abroad and registration aspects
6. Disseminate knowledge on copyrights and its related rights and registration aspects

### List of Practicals

1. Proxy filing of Indian Product patent
2. Proxy filing of Indian Process patent
3. Planning of establishing a hypothetical biotechnology industry in India
4. A case study on clinical trials of drugs in India with emphasis on ethical issues.
5. Case study on women health ethics.
6. Case study on medical errors and negligence.
7. Case study on handling and disposal of radioactive waste

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2. Jack Kaplan, M., (2009). *Patterns of Entrepreneurship* (3rd ed.).
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Total hours/week: L:0 T:0 P:3

Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are,

- To study the bio-analytical tools and their applications.
- To have sufficient knowledge on the separation of compounds from a mixture.
- To know the application of PCR in biotechnology.
- To develop the skills to understand the theory and practice of bio analytical techniques.
- To provide scientific understanding of analytical techniques and detail interpretation of results.
- To learn how to design experiments and understand the instrumentation.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Know the working principle, maintenance, and calibrations of bioanalytical tools and technique
2. Estimate the number of biomolecules using the Bioanalytical tool
3. Implement the bioanalytical techniques to analyze the biomolecules
4. Use selected analytical techniques.
5. Be familiar with working principals, tools and techniques of analytical techniques.
6. To understand the strengths, limitations and creative use of techniques for problem-solving.

**Practical**

1. Native gel electrophoresis of proteins
2. SDS-polyacrylamide slab gel electrophoresis of proteins under reducing conditions.
3. Preparation of the sub-cellular fractions of rat liver cells.
4. Preparation of protoplasts from leaves.
5. Separation of amino acids by paper chromatography.
6. To identify lipids in a given sample by TLC.
7. To verify the validity of Beer's law and determine the molar extinction coefficient of NADH.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain basic concepts of Identification of pathogenic bacteria
- To ascertain the diagnostics tools for infectious diseases – RFLP, RAPD.
- To achieve a complete knowledge about molecular diagnostics techniques on microbial infection.
- To understand the utility and limitations of various molecular diagnostic tests used for managing patient care.
- To attain the concepts of molecular methods used in clinical microbiology.
- To recognize the importance of proper specimen collection and preparation for molecular detection.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Get hold of the knowledge on fundamentals of molecular diagnostic techniques.
2. Expertise on the concepts of infection, diagnosis and control assortment.
3. Acknowledge on the qualitative studies based on biomarker observations.
4. Apply methodologies of laboratory diagnostics to relevant states of health.
5. Be aware of characteristics signs of clinical manifestations.
6. Comprehend and analyse the concept of disease management.

**List of Practicals**

1. Identification of pathogenic bacteria (any two) based on cultural, morphological and biochemical characteristics.
2. Growth curve of a bacterium.
3. To perform antibacterial testing by Kirby-Bauer method.
4. To prepare temporary mounts of *Aspergillus* and *Candida* by appropriate staining.
5. Staining methods: Gram's staining permanent slides showing acid fast staining, Capsule staining and spore staining.

**References**

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### Course Objectives

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain practical knowledge to solve the environmental problems
- To ascertain the knowledge about wastewater treatment.
- To achieve a water treatment strategy.
- To gain knowledge about for restoring environment
- To involve in the present scenarios and find valuable solutions for remedy
- To update about the microbial load in water sample.

### Course Outcomes

On completion of the course, students are able to apply their knowledge on

- 1.Environmental problems
- 2.Wastewater treatment
- 3.BOD and its calculation
- 4.COD and its calculation
- 5.Bacterial Examination of Water
- 6.Biofertilizers

### List of Practicals

1. Calculation of Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) of water sample.
2. Calculation of BOD of water sample.
3. Calculation of COD of water sample.
4. Bacterial Examination of Water by MPN Method.

### References

1. Santra, S.C. (2011). *Environmental Science* (3rd ed.). New Central Book Agency.
2. Pradipta Kumar Mohapatra, (2007). *Environmental Biotechnology*. I.K. International Publishing House.
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8. Gilbert Masters, (2007). *Principles of Environmental Engineering* (3rd ed.). Prentice Hall.

**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To gain mathematical approach for analyzing the data.
- To learn the knowledge about graphical and diagrammatic representation of Statistical data.
- To learn the knowledge about Scope and applications of biostatistics
- To learn the knowledge about Dispersion
- To learn the knowledge about SPSS
- To learn the knowledge about Distributions analysis

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to

1. Apply the statistical tool knowledge for research data analysis.
2. Understand the concept of various hypothesis regarding data analysis.
3. To perform analysis for the data based on graphical representation (Bar, multiple bars, histogram, pie chart etc.)
4. To perform analysis to determine the mean, median, mode and standard deviation of given sample/data
5. To perform analysis, determine the probability of given sample/data
6. To perform the analysis of given data using SPSS

**List of Practicals**

Based on graphical Representation

1. Drawing of bar and multiple bar diagram
2. Drawing of Histogram
3. Drawing of Pie diagram Based on measures of Central Tendency
4. Calculation of Mean for individual, discrete series using SPSS Package.
5. Mean for continuous series using SPSS Package.
6. Median for individual and discrete series using SPSS Package.
7. Median for continuous series using SPSS Package.
8. Mode for individual and discrete series using SPSS Package.

Based on measures of Dispersion

9. Standard deviation for individual and discrete series using SPSS Package.
10. Coefficient of variation for individual and discrete series using SPSS Package. Based on Distributions Binomial, Poisson and Normal
11. Calculation of Mean and variance for binomial distribution using SPSS Package.
12. Calculation of Mean and variance for Poisson distribution using SPSS Package. Based on t, f, z and Chi-square
13. Karl Pearson's Correlation using SPSS Package.
14. Rank Correlation Coefficient for Untied Rank using SPSS Package.
15. Rank Correlation Coefficient for Tied Rank using SPSS Package.

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Marks: Internal: 40 External: 60 Total:100

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- To obtain basic concepts of biotic and abiotic components of any simple ecosystem
- To ascertain the knowledge about Simpson's and Shannon- Weiner diversity index.
- To achieve a life table and fecundity table.
- To gain knowledge about Principle of GPS.
- To involve in the present scenarios of types of soil, their texture
- To update about the endangered/ threatened species.

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to apply their knowledge on

1. Ecosystem of soil
2. GPS and related concepts
3. Soil and their texture
4. Population density
5. Treatment of municipal waste and Industrial effluents
6. Species variation and threatened species.

**List of Practicals**

1. Study of all the biotic and abiotic components of any simple ecosystem- natural pond or terrestrial ecosystem or human modified ecosystem.
2. Determination of population density in a terrestrial community or hypothetical community by quad rate method and calculation of the Simpson's and Shannon- Weiner diversity index for the same community.
3. Principle of GPS (Global Positioning System).
4. Study of the life table and fecundity table, plotting of the three types of survivorship curves from the hypothetical data.
5. Study of the types of soil, their texture by sieve method and rapid tests for –pH, chlorides, nitrates, carbonates and organic carbon
6. Study any five endangered/ threatened species- one from each class.

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**Course Objectives**

The main objectives of the course are

- The hands-on training through one full semester project with thesis gives special expertise within one of the research areas represented at The Department of Biotechnology

**Course Outcomes**

On completion of the course, students are able to apply their knowledge on

1. This dissertation programme provides the candidate with knowledge, general competence, and analytical skills on an advanced level, needed in industry, consultancy, education and research