



Syllabus for B.Sc. Microbiology (UG)

CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)

I & II Semester Microbiology Papers

**Under-Graduate (UG) Program
Framed According to the National Education Policy (NEP 2020)**

From the academic year 2021-22

MODEL CURRICULUM

Name of the Degree Program: BSc (Basic/Hons.)

Discipline Core: Microbiology

Total Credits for the Program: B.Sc. Basic - 136 and B.Sc. Hons. - 176

Starting year of implementation: 2021-22

Program Outcomes: Competencies need to be acquired by the candidate for securing B.Sc. (Basic) or B.Sc. (Hons)

Introduction:

The NEP-2020 offers an opportunity to effect paradigm shift from a teacher-centric to student-centric higher education system in India. It caters skill based education where the graduate attributes are first kept in mind to reverse-design the programs, courses and supplementary activities to attain the graduate attributes and learning attributes. The learning outcomes-based curriculum framework for a degree in **B.Sc. (Honours) Microbiology** is intended to provide a comprehensive foundation to the subject and to help students develop the ability to successfully continue with further studies and research in the subject while they are equipped with required skills at various stages. Effort has been made to integrate use of recent technology and use of MOOCs to assist teaching-learning process among students. The framework is designed to equip students with valuable cognitive abilities and skills so that they are successful in meeting diverse needs of professional careers in a developing and knowledge-based society. The curriculum framework takes into account the need to maintain globally competitive standards of achievement in terms of knowledge and skills in **Microbiology** and allied courses, as well develop scientific orientation, spirit of enquiry, problem solving skills, human and professional values which foster rational and critical thinking in the students. This course serves a plethora of opportunities in different fields right from classical to applied aspects in **Microbiology**.

GRADUATE ATTRIBUTES IN B.Sc. (Hons.) Microbiology

Some of the characteristic attributes a graduate in **Microbiology** should possess are:

- Disciplinary knowledge and skills
- Skilled communication
- Critical thinking and problem solving capacity
- Logical thinking and reasoning
- Team Spirit & Leadership Quality
- Digital efficiency
- Ethical awareness / reasoning
- National and international perspective
- Lifelong learning

Flexibility:

- The programmes are flexible enough to allow liberty to students in designing them according to their requirements. Students may choose a single Major, one Major with a Minor, and one Major with two Minors. Teacher Education or Vocational courses

may be chosen in place of Minor/s below listed are the various options students may choose from.

- One Major subject/discipline, Two Languages, Generic Electives, Ability Enhancement, Skill Development and Vocational courses including Extracurricular Activities.
- One Major and one Minor subject/discipline along with Languages, Generic Electives, Ability Enhancement, Skill Development and Vocational courses including Extracurricular Activities
- Two Major subject/disciplines along with Languages, Generic Electives, Ability Enhancement, Skill Development and Vocational courses, including Extracurricular Activities.
- One Major subject/discipline and one Vocational course along with Languages, Generic Electives, Ability Enhancement and Skill Development and courses including Extracurricular Activities.
- One Major Discipline and One Education Discipline along with Languages, Generic Electives, Ability Enhancement and Skill Development Courses including Extracurricular Activities.

By the end of the program the students will be able to:

- Acquire knowledge and gain understanding of concepts in microbiology and its applications in **pharma, food, agriculture, beverages, and nutraceutical industries.**
- Understand the distribution, morphology and physiology of microorganisms and demonstrate the skills in aseptic handling of microbes including isolation, identification and maintenance.
- Competent to apply the knowledge gained for conserving the environment and resolving the environment related issues.
- Learning, practicing professional skills in handling microbes and contaminants in laboratories and production sectors.
- Exploring the microbial world and analyzing the specific benefits and challenges.
- Applying the knowledge acquired to undertake studies and identify specific remedial measures for the challenges in health, agriculture, and food sectors.

- Thorough knowledge and application of good laboratory and good manufacturing practices in microbial quality control.
- Understanding biochemical and physiological aspects of microbes and developing broader perspective to identify innovative solutions for present and future challenges posed by microbes.
- Understanding and application of microbial principles in forensic and working knowledge about clinical microbiology.
- Demonstrate the ability to identify ethical issues related to recombinant DNA technology, GMOs, intellectual property rights, biosafety and biohazards.
- Demonstrate the ability to identify key questions in microbiological research, optimize research methods, and analyze outcomes by adopting scientific methods, thereby improving the employability.
- Enhance and demonstrate analytical skills and apply basic computational and statistical techniques in the field of microbiology.

Assessment: Weightage for assessments

Type of Course	Formative Assessment / IA	Summative Assessment
Theory	40	60
Practical	25	25
Projects	40	60
Experiential Learning (Internships/MOOC/ Swayam etc.)	40	60

*In lieu of the research Project, two additional elective papers/ Internship may be offered in 8th semester.

Progressive Certificate, Diploma, Bachelor's Degree or Bachelor's Degree with Honours provided at the end of each year of exit of the Four-years Undergraduate Programme.

	EXIT OPTIONS	Credits Required
1.	Certificate upon the successful completion of the First Year (Two Semesters) of the multidisciplinary Four-years Undergraduate Programme/Five-years Integrated Master's Degree Programme.	44-48
2.	Diploma upon the successful completion of the Second Year (Four Semesters) of the multidisciplinary Four-years Undergraduate Programme/Five-years Integrated Master's	88-96

	Degree Programme.	
3.	Basic Bachelor's Degree at the Successful Completion of the Third Year (Six Semesters) of the multidisciplinary Four-years Undergraduate Programme/Five-years Integrated Master's Degree Programme.	132-144
4.	Bachelor's Degree with Honours in a Discipline at the Successful Completion of the Fourth Year (Eight Semesters) of the multidisciplinary Four-years Undergraduate Programme/Five-years Integrated Master's Degree Programme	176-192

By the end of the program the students will be able to:

1. Acquire and understand the concepts of microbiology and its application in **pharma, food, agriculture, beverages, and nutraceutical industries**.
2. Understand the distribution, morphology and physiology of microorganisms and demonstrate the skills in aseptic handling of microbes including isolation, identification and maintenance.
3. Gain knowledge for conserving the environment and resolve the environmental related issues.
4. Apply the knowledge acquired to undertake studies and identify specific remedial measures for the challenges in health, agriculture and food sectors.
5. Understand and apply good laboratory and good manufacturing practices in microbial quality control.
6. Understand biochemical and physiological aspects of microbes and develop broader perspectives to identify innovative solutions for present and future challenges posed by microbes.
7. Understand the application of microbes in forensic and working knowledge about clinical microbiology.
8. Demonstrate the ability to identify ethical issues related to recombinant DNA technology, GMOs, intellectual property rights, biosafety and biohazards.
9. Demonstrate the ability to identify key questions in microbiological research, optimize research methods, and analyze outcomes by adopting scientific methods, thereby improving the employability.
10. Enhance and demonstrate analytical skills and apply basic computational and statistical techniques in the field of Microbiology.

IIA. Model Program Structures for the Under-Graduate Programs in Bengaluru City University and its affiliated Colleges.

Subject: Microbiology

Semester	Discipline Core (DSC)(Credits) (L+T+P)	Discipline Elective(DSE) / Open Elective (OE) (Credits) (L+T+P)	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC), Languages (Credits) (L+T+P)		Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)		Total Credits
					Skill based (Credits) (L+T+P)	Value based (Credits) (L+T+P)	
I	DSC-T1 MBL 101 A1- General Microbiology (04) DSC-P1 MBL 101 General Microbiology (02)	OE-T1, MBL-301 Microorganisms for Human Welfare (03)	L1-1(3), L2- 1(3) (4 hrs. each)	-----	SEC-T1, MBL-701, Microbiological Techniques (1+0+2)	Physical Education for Health & Wellness fitness(1)(0+0+2)(1)(0+0+2)	25
II	DSC-T2 MBL 102 A2-Microbial Biochemistry and Physiology (04) DSC-P2 MBL 102 Microbial Biochemistry and Physiology (02)	OE-T2, MBL 302, Environmental Microbiology and Human Health (3)	L1-2(3), L2- 2(3) (4 hrs. each)	Environmental Studies (2)	-----	Physical Education - NCC/NSS/R&R(S&	25
Exit option with Certificate in Microbiology (50 Credits)							

B.Sc. Microbiology (Basic / Hons.), First Semester

Course Title: DSC-T1MBL101, General Microbiology (A1)	
Course Code: DSC-T1 MBL101	L-T-P per week: 4-0-0
Total Contact Hours: 56	Course Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 40	Duration of ESA/Exam: 3 h
Model Syllabus Authors: Curriculum Committee	Summative Assessment Marks: 60

Course Prerequisite (s): PUC or +2 (Life Sciences as one of the core disciplines)

Course Outcomes (COs): At the end of the course the students will be able to:

1. Thorough knowledge and understanding of concepts of Microbiology.
2. Learning and practicing professional skills in handling microbes.
3. Thorough knowledge and application of good laboratory and good manufacturing practices in microbial quality control.

Course Articulation Matrix: Mapping of Course Outcomes (Cos) with Program Outcomes (Pos 1-12)

Sl. No	Course Outcomes (COs) / Program Outcomes (POs)	T1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
I	Core competency	X											
II	Critical thinking	X											
III	Analytical reasoning	X											
IV	Research skills	X											
V	Team work	X											

Course Articulation Matrix relates course outcomes of course with the corresponding program outcomes whose attainment is attempted in this course. Mark 'X' in the intersection cell if a course outcome addresses a particular program outcome.

B.Sc. Microbiology (Basic / Hons.), First Semester

Content of Course 01: Theory: DSC-T1 MBL101: General Microbiology	56 h
Unit – 1: Historical development and origin of microorganisms	14 h
Historical development of Microbiology – Theory of spontaneous generation, Biogenesis and Abiogenesis. Contributions of Antony van Leeuwenhoek, Louis Pasteur, Robert Koch, Joseph Lister, Edward Jenner, Alexander Fleming, Martinus Beijerinck, Sergei Winogradsky and Elie Metchnikoff. Contribution of Indian scientists in the field of Microbiology. Fossil evidences of microorganisms. Origin of life, primitive cells and evolution of microorganisms. Microscopy- working principle, construction and operation of simple and compound microscopes.	
Unit – 2: Staining, sterilization and preservation techniques	14 h
Staining: Nature of stains, principles, mechanism, methods and types of staining- simple, Differential-Gram staining, acid fast staining, capsule staining, endospore, inclusion bodies. Sterilization: Principles, types and techniques - physical and chemical. Preservation of microorganisms: Methods of preservation, slant culture, stab culture, soil culture, mineral oil overlaying, glycerol preservation, Lyophilization.	
Unit – 3: Prokaryotic microorganisms	14 h
Overview of prokaryotic cell structure: Size, shape, arrangement. Ultra structure of prokaryotic cell: bacterial and archaeal - cell wall and cell membrane. Components external to cell wall - capsule, slime, s-layer, pili, fimbriae, flagella; structure, motility, chemotaxis. Cytoplasmic matrix - Cytoskeleton, ribosome, inclusion granules: Composition and function. Nuclear Material – bacterial structure (its differences with the Eukaryotic chromosome); Extra Chromosomal material. Bacterial Endospore - Examples of spore forming organisms, habitats, function, formation and germination. Reproduction in bacteria.	
Unit – 4: Eukaryotic microorganisms	14 h
Overview of eukaryotic cell: Types of cells; Structure and function of organelles- cell wall, cell membrane, cytoplasmic matrix, cytoskeleton, endoplasmic reticulum, Golgi complex, peroxisomes, lysosomes, vesicles, ribosomes, mitochondria, chloroplast and nucleus. Structure and functions of flagella. Reproduction in fungi-Vegetative, asexual and sexual	

Pedagogy: Lectures, Presentations, videos, Assignments and Weekly Formative Assessment Tests.

Formative Assessment	
Assessment Occasion	Weightage in marks
Assignment/ Field Report/ Project	15 Marks
Test	20 Marks
Participation in class	05 marks
Total	40 Marks

General Microbiology Laboratory Content:

Course 01: Practicals: DSC-P1MBL101: General Microbiology

Course Title: General Microbiology	Course Credits: 02
Course Code: DSC-P1MBL101	L-T-P per week: 0-0-4
Total Contact Hours: 28	Duration of ESA/Exam: 4 h
Formative Assessment Marks: 25	Summative Assessment Marks: 25

1. Microbiological laboratory standards and safety protocols.
2. Operation and working principles of light and compound microscope.
3. Working principle and operations of basic equipments of microbiological laboratory (Autoclave, oven, incubator, LAF, pH meter, spectrophotometer, colorimeter, vortex, magnetic stirrer etc.).
4. Isolation and identification of microorganisms from natural sources (Algae, Yeast, filamentous fungi and protozoa).
5. Bacterial motility by hanging drop method.
6. Simple staining – Negative staining.
7. Differential staining – Gram staining.
8. Acid fast staining.
9. Structural staining – Flagella and capsule.
10. Bacterial endospore staining.
11. Staining of reserved food materials (granular).
12. Staining of fungi by lactophenol cotton blue.

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Pedagogy: Lectures, Presentations, videos, Assignments and Weekly Formative Assessment Tests.

Formative Assessment	
Assessment Occasion	Weightage in Marks
Assignment/Monograph	10
Test	10
Participation in class	05
Total	25

Course 02: Theory: OE-T1MBL301: Microorganisms for Human Welfare

Course Title: Microorganisms for Human Welfare	Course Credits: 03
Course Code: OE-T1MBL301	L-T-P per week: 0-0-3
Total Contact Hours: 42h	Duration of ESA/Exam: 4h
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Summative Assessment Marks: 45
Unit – 1: Food and Fermentation	14 h
Fermented Foods – Types, nutritional values and health benefits. Probiotics, prebiotics, synbiotics and nutraceuticals. Fermented Products – Alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages, dairy products.	
Unit – 2: Agriculture	14 h
Bio-fertilizers and bio-pesticides - types and applications, beneficial microorganisms in agriculture, AM fungi, Mushroom cultivation, Biogas production.	
Unit – 3: Pharmaceutical Industry	14 h
Drugs – types, development and applications. Antibiotics – types, functions and antibiotic therapy. Vaccines – types, properties, functions and schedules.	

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Pedagogy: Chalk and Talk, PPT, Group discussion, Seminars, Field visit

Formative Assessment	
Assessment Occasion	Weightage in Marks
House Examination/Test	15
Written Assignment/Presentation/Project / Term Papers/Seminar	10
Class performance/Participation	05
Total	30

Skill Enhancement Course in Microbiology

Course 03: Theory: SEC-T1MBL701, Microbiological Techniques

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate skills as per National Occupational Standards (NOS) of “Lab Technician/Assistant” Qualification Pack issued by Life Sciences Sector Skill Development Council-LFS/Q0509, Level3.
- Perform microbiology and analytical techniques. Knowledge about environment, health, and safety (EHS), good laboratory practices (GLP), good manufacturing practices (GMP) and standard operating procedures (SOP)
- Demonstrate professional skills at work, such as decision making, planning, and organizing, Problem solving, analytical thinking, critical thinking and documentation.
- Principles which underlies sterilization of culture media, glassware and plastic ware to be used for microbiological work.
- Principles of a number of analytical instruments which the students have to use during the study and also later as microbiologists for performing various laboratory manipulations.
- Handling and use of microscopes for the study of microorganisms which are among the basic skills expected from a practicing microbiologist. They also get introduced to a variety of modifications in the microscopes for specialized viewing.

Course content:03		14 h
Course Title: SEC-T1MBL701: Microbiological Techniques		
Total Contact Hours: 14 Hours	Duration of ESA:01Hrs.	
Formative Assessment Marks: 10	Summative Assessment Marks: 15	
Unit-1: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Microbiological culture media: Types, Composition, Preparation, Application and storage; Ingredients of media, natural and synthetic media, chemically defined media, complex media, selective, differential, indicator, enriched and enrichment media.• Isolation and cultivation of microorganisms: Collection of samples, processing of samples, serial dilution, inoculation of samples, incubation and observations of microbial colonies. Morphological characterization of microorganisms -Colony characteristics, Microscopic characters, biochemical / physiological tests or properties and identification. Sub culturing of microorganisms and pure culture techniques. Preservation of microorganisms.• Advanced Microscopic Skills: Different types of microscopes - Phase contrast, Bright Field, Dark Field, Fluorescent, Confocal, Scanning and Transmission Electron Microscopes, Scanning Probe Microscopy		

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Centrifugation, Chromatography and spectroscopy: principles, types, instrumentation, operation and applications. 	
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Lab content of Skill Enhancement Course in Microbiology

Course - 03: Practicals: SEC-P1MBL701, Microbiological Techniques

Course content:03	
Course Title: SEC-P1MBL701: Microbiological Techniques	
Total Contact Hours: 28 Hours	Duration of ESA:02Hrs.
Formative Assessment Marks: 25	Summative Assessment Marks: 25

1. Methods and practices in Microbiology lab: MSDS (Material Safety and Data Sheet), Good Clinical Practices (GCP), Standard Operating Procedure (SOP), Good Laboratory Practices (GLP), Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP).
2. Usage and maintenance of basic equipments of microbiology lab: Principles, calibrations, and SOPs of balances, pH meter, autoclave, incubators, laminar air flow (LAF) and biosafety cabinets, microscopes, homogenizers, stirrers.
3. Preparation of different types of bacterial culture media.
4. Preparation of different types of fungal culture media.
5. Preparation of different types of algal culture media.
6. Isolation and cultivation of bacteria, actinobacteria, fungi and algae.
7. Identification and characterization of bacteria, actinobacteria, fungi and algae.
8. Biochemical and physiological tests for identification of bacteria.
9. Separation of biomolecules by paper/thin layer chromatography.
10. Demonstration of column chromatography.
11. Preparation of permanent slides (bacteria, fungi and algae).
12. Procedures for documentation, lab maintenance, repair reporting.

Pedagogy: Lectures, Presentations, videos, Assignments and Weekly Formative Assessment Tests.

Formative Assessment	
Assessment Occasion	Weightage in Marks
Assignment/Monograph	10
Test	10
Participation in class	05
Total	25

B.Sc. Microbiology (Basic / Hons.), Second Semester

Course Title: DSC-T2 MBL102, Microbial Biochemistry and Physiology (A2)	
Course Code: DSC-T2 MBL102	L-T-P per week: 4-0-0
Total Contact Hours: 56	Course Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 40	Duration of ESA/Exam: 3 h
Model Syllabus Authors: Curriculum Committee	Summative Assessment Marks: 60

Course Outcomes (COs): At the end of the course the students will be able to:

1. Acquire thorough knowledge and understanding of concepts of Microbiology.
2. Learn and practice professional skills in handling microbes.
3. Gain thorough knowledge and apply good laboratory and good manufacturing practices in microbial quality control.

Course Articulation Matrix: Mapping of Course Outcomes (Cos) with Program Outcomes (Pos 1-12)

Sl. No	Course Outcomes (COs) / Program Outcomes (POs)	T1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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II	Critical thinking	X											
III	Analytical reasoning	X											
IV	Research skills	X											
V	Team work	X											

Course Articulation Matrix relates course outcomes of course with the corresponding program outcomes whose attainment is attempted in this course. Mark 'X' in the intersection cell if a course outcome addresses a particular program outcome.

B.Sc. Microbiology (Basic / Hons.), Second Semester

Content of Course 1: Theory: DSC-T2MBL102: Microbial Biochemistry and Physiology	56h
Unit – 1: Biochemical concepts	14h
Basic Biochemical Concepts: Major elements of life and their primary characteristics, atomic and chemical bonds – covalent, non-covalent, ionic, hydrogen and Vander Waal's Forces. Biological Solvents: Structure and properties of water molecule, water as an universal solvent, polarity, hydrophilic and hydrophobic interactions, acids, bases, electrolytes, pH and buffers, Henderson–Hasselbalch equation.	
Unit – 2: Macromolecules	14h
Carbohydrates: Definition, classification, structure and properties. Amino acids and proteins: Definition, structure, classification and properties of amino acids, structure and classification of proteins. Lipids and Fats: Definition, classification, structure, properties and importance of lipids; fatty acids: types and classification.	

Porphyrins and Vitamins: Definition, structure, properties and importance of chlorophyll, cytochromes and hemoglobin.	
Unit – 3: Microbial growth and nutrition	14h
<p>Microbial Growth: Definition, growth curve, phases of growth, growth kinetics, generation time. Synchronous culture, continuous culture (chemostat and turbidostat), coulter cultures, diauxic growth. Measurement of growth: Direct microscopic count - Haemocytometer; viable count, membrane filtration; electronic Counting; Measurement of cell mass; Turbidity measurements - Nephelometer and spectrophotometer based techniques; Measurement of cell constituents. Growth yield. Influence of environmental factors on growth.</p> <p>Microbial Nutrition: Microbial nutrients, macro and micronutrients, classification of organisms based on nutritional requirements.</p> <p>Membrane Transport: Structure and organization of biological membranes, Types of cellular transport - passive, facilitated, active, group translocation, membrane bound protein transport system, carrier models, liposomes, ion channels, Na⁺K⁺-ATPase.</p>	
Unit – 4: Bioenergetics, Respiration and Photosynthesis	14h
<p>Bioenergetics: Free energy, enthalpy, entropy, laws of thermodynamics. High energy compounds: classification, structure and significance, oxidation reduction reactions, equilibrium constant, redox potential.</p> <p>Microbial Respiration: Electron transport chain, protein translocation, and substrate level phosphorylation, oxidative phosphorylation, inhibitors of ETC and mechanism, structure and function of ATP synthase and ATP synthesis. Fermentation reactions (homo and hetero lactic fermentation)</p> <p>Microbial Photosynthesis: Light reaction: Light harvesting pigments, Photophosphorylation, CO₂ fixation pathways: Calvin cycle, CODH pathway, Reductive TCA pathway.</p>	

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Formative Assessment	
Assessment Occasion	Weightage in marks
Assignment/ Field Report/ Project	15 Marks
Test	20 Marks
Participation in class	05 marks
Total	40 Marks

Microbial Biochemistry and Physiology Laboratory Content

Course 01: Practicals: DSC-P2, MBL102: Microbial Biochemistry and Physiology

Course Title: Microbial Biochemistry and Physiology	Course Credits: 02
Course Code: DSC-P1 MBL102	L-T-P per week: 0-0-4
Total Contact Hours: 28	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 h
Formative Assessment Marks: 25	Summative Assessment Marks: 25

1. Preparation of normal and molar solutions.
2. Calibration of pH meter and determination of pH of natural samples.
3. Preparation of buffer solutions (any 4).
4. Qualitative analysis of carbohydrates.
5. Qualitative analysis of amino acids and proteins.
6. Qualitative analysis of lipids.
7. Estimation of reducing sugar by DNS method.
8. Estimation of protein by Lowry's method.
9. Determination of saponification values and iodine number of lipids/fatty acids.
10. Determination of bacterial growth by turbidometric method & calculation of generation time.
11. Effect of pH, temperature and salt concentration on bacterial growth.
12. Demonstration of aerobic and anaerobic respiration in microbes.

Pedagogy: Lectures, Presentations, videos, Assignments and Weekly Formative Assessment Tests.

Formative Assessment	
Assessment Occasion	Weightage in Marks
Assignment/Monograph	10
Test	10
Participation in class	05
Total	25

Course 02: Theory: OE-T2, MBL302: Environmental Microbiology and Human Health

Course Title: Environmental Microbiology and Human Health	Course Credits: 03
Course Code: OE-T2MBL302	L-T-P per week: 0-0-3
Total Contact Hours: 42h	Duration of ESA/Exam: 3h
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Summative Assessment Marks: 45
Unit – 1: Soil and Air Microbiology	14 h
Soil and air as a major component of environment. Types, properties and uses of soil and air. Distribution of microorganisms in soil and air. Major types of beneficial microorganisms in soil. Major types of harmful microorganisms in soil.	
Unit – 2: Water Microbiology	14 h
Water as a major component of environment. Types, properties and uses of water. Microorganisms of different water bodies. Standard qualities of drinking water	
Unit – 3: Microbial Diseases and Control	14 h
Public health hygiene and communicable diseases. Survey and surveillance of microbial infections. Air borne microbial diseases, water borne microbial diseases, Food borne microbial infections. Epidemiology of microbial infections, their detection and control.	

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Pedagogy: Chalk and Talk, PPT, Group discussion, Seminars, Field visit

Formative Assessment	
Assessment Occasion	Weightage in Marks
House Examination/Test	15
Written Assignment/Presentation/Project / Term Papers/Seminar	10
Class performance/Participation	05
Total	30

**Structure of
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in
MICROBIOLOGY
(Model II A)**



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Program Name	B.Sc. Discipline	Total Credits for the Program	Credits
Core	Microbiology	Starting year of implementation	2021-22

Program Outcomes: At the end of the program the student should be able to:

(Refer to literature on outcome-based education (OBE) for details on Program Outcomes)

- PO1. Knowledge and understanding of concepts of microbiology and its application in pharma, food, agriculture, beverages, nutraceutical industries.
- PO2. Understand the distribution, morphology and physiology of microorganisms and demonstrate the skills in aseptic handling of microbes including isolation, identification and maintenance
- PO3. Competent to apply the knowledge gained for conserving the environment and resolving the environmental related issues.
- PO4. Learning and practicing professional skills in handling microbes and contaminants in laboratories and production sectors.
- PO5. Exploring the microbial world and analysing the specific benefits and challenges.
- PO6. Applying the knowledge acquired to undertake studies and identify specific remedial measures for the challenges in health, agriculture, and food sectors.
- PO7. Thorough knowledge and application of good laboratory and good manufacturing practices in microbial quality control.
- PO8. Understanding biochemical and physiological aspects of microbes and developing broader perspective to identify innovative solutions for present and future challenges posed by microbes.
- PO9. Understanding and application of microbial principles in forensic and working knowledge about clinical microbiology.
- PO10. Demonstrate the ability to identify ethical issues related to recombinant DNA technology, GMOs, intellectual property rights, biosafety and biohazards.
- PO11. Demonstrate the ability to identify key questions in microbiological research, optimize research methods, and analyse outcomes by adopting scientific methods, thereby improving the employability.
- PO12. Enhance and demonstrate analytical skills and apply basic computational and statistical techniques in the field of microbiology.

Assessment:

Weightage for assessments (in percentage)

Type of Course	Formative Assessment / IA	Summative Assessment
Theory	40	60
Practical	25	25
Projects	-	-
Experiential Learning (Internships etc.)	-	-

Contents of Courses for B.Sc. Microbiology as Major

Model II A

Semester	Course code	Course Category	Theory / Practical	Credits	Paper Title	Marks	
						S.A	I.A
3.		DSC- 7	Theory	3	Microbial Diversity	60	40
			Practical	2	Microbial Diversity	25	25
		OE- 3	Theory	3	Microbial Entrepreneurship	60	40
4.		DSC- 8	Theory	3	Microbial Enzymology and Metabolism	25	25
			Practical	2	Microbial Enzymology and Metabolism	60	40
		OE- 4	Theory	3	Human Microbiome	25	25
	Exit Option with Diploma in Microbiology (100 Credits)						



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Program Name	BSc Microbiology		Semester	Third Sem
Course Title	Microbial Diversity			
Course No.	MBL-103	DSC -3T	No. of Theory Credits	4
Contact hours	56 hrs		Duration of ESA/Exam	2 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks	40		Summative Assessment Marks	60

Course Pre-requisite (s):.

Course Outcomes (COs): At the end of the course the student should be able to:

1. Acquire knowledge about microbes and their diversity
2. Study the characteristics, classification and economic importance of Prokaryotic and Eukaryotic microorganisms.
3. Gain knowledge about viruses and their diversity

Content	Hrs
Unit-I	08 Hrs
Biodiversity and Microbial Diversity Concept, definition and levels of biodiversity; Biosystematics – Major classification systems- Numerical and Chemotaxonomy. Study and measures of microbial diversity; Conservation and Economic values of microbial diversity.	
Unit -II	
Diversity of Prokaryotic Microorganisms Distribution, factors regulating distribution. An overview of Bergey's Manual of Systematic Bacteriology. General characteristics; Classification; Economic importance of: Archaea: <i>Thermus aquaticus</i> , Methanogens Bacteria: <i>Escherichia coli</i> , <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> , Cyanobacteria: <i>Microcystis</i> , <i>Spirulina</i> Actinomycetes: <i>Streptomyces</i> , <i>Nocardia</i> , <i>Frankia</i> Rickettsiae: <i>Rickettsia rickettsi</i> Chlamydiae: <i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i>	16 Hrs
Spirochaetes: <i>Trepanema pallidum</i> , <i>Mycoplasma</i>	

Unit -III	
Diversity of Eukaryotic Microorganism General characters; Classification- Economic importance Fungi: Ainsworth classification- detailed study up to the level of classes, Salient features and reproduction. Type study: <i>Rhizopus</i> , <i>Saccharomyces</i> , <i>Aspergillus</i> , <i>Agaricus</i> , <i>Fusarium</i> Algae: Occurrence, distribution, and symbiotic association- Lichen; thallus organization and types. Type study: <i>Chlorella</i> , <i>Diatom</i> , <i>Gracilaria</i> , Protozoa: Classification up to the level of classes. Type study: <i>Euglena</i> , <i>Trichomonas</i> , <i>Plasmodium</i> , <i>Trypanosoma</i>	16 Hrs
Unit -IV	16 Hrs
Diversity of Viruses General structure, Isolation, purification and culturing of viruses. Principles of Viral Taxonomy- Baltimore and ICTV and the recent trends. Capsid symmetry- Icosahedral, helical, complex Animal: HIV, Corona, Ortho and Paramyxovirus, Oncogenic virus Plants: TMV, Papaya virus Microbial: T4, lambda, cyano and myco phages. Sub viral particles. Viroids and Prions.	

Course Articulation Matrix: Mapping of Course Outcomes (COs) with Program Outcomes (POs 1-12)

Course Outcomes (COs) / Program Outcomes (POs)	Program Outcomes (POs)											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Knowledge about microbes and their diversity		✓			✓			✓				
Study, characters, classification and economic importance of Pro-eukaryotic and Eukaryotic microbes		✓	✓		✓							
Knowledge about viruses and their diversity		✓				✓				✓		

Pedagogy: Lectures, Seminars, Industry Visits, Debates, Quiz and Assignments

Summative Assessment = 60 Marks	
Formative Assessment Occasion / type	Weightage in Marks
Attendance	10
Seminar and Assignment	10
Debates and Quiz	10
Test	10
Total	60 marks + 40 marks = 100 marks

Course Title	Microbial Diversity (Practical)		Practical Credits	2
Course No.	MBL-103	DSC-4P	Contact hours	26 Hrs
Content				
1. Isolation and identification of bacteria from soil, air and water 2. Isolation, and identification of fungi from soil, air and water 3. Isolation, and identification of Cyanobacteria 4. Isolation, and identification of Actinomycetes 5. Study of morphology of bacteria - cocci, bacilli, vibrio and spiral 6. Measurement of microbial cell size by Micrometry, 7. Spore count by haemocytometer 8. Type study: Cyanobacteria <i>Nostoc</i> , <i>Microcystis</i> <i>Spirulina</i> 9. Type study: Algae; <i>Chlorella</i> , <i>Diatoms</i> , <i>Gracilaria</i> 10. Type study: Fungi; <i>Rhizopus</i> , <i>Saccharomyces</i> , <i>Agaricus</i> 11. Type study: Protozoa: <i>Euglena</i> , <i>Plasmodium</i> , <i>Trypanosoma</i> 12. Study of micrographs /models - HIV, TMV, Corona virus				
Practical assessment				
Assessment				
Formative assessment			Summative Assessment	Total Marks
Assessment Occasion / type	Weightage in Marks		Practical Exam	
Record	5		25	50
Test	10			
Attendance	5			
Performance	5			
Total	25		25	
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Model Curriculum

Program Name	BSc Microbiology		Semester	Third Sem
Course Title	Microbial Entrepreneurship			
Course Code	MBL:303	OE-3	No. of Theory Credits	3
Contact hours	Lecture		Duration of ESA/Exam	2 Hours
	Practical			
Formative Assessment Marks	40		Summative Assessment Marks	60

Course Pre-requisite(s):	
Course Outcomes (COs): At the end of the course the student should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Demonstrate entrepreneurial skills 2. Acquire knowledge on Industrial entrepreneurship 3. Acquire knowledge on Healthcare Entrepreneurship 	
Content	42 Hrs
Unit-I	14 Hrs
General Entrepreneurship Entrepreneurship and microbial entrepreneurship - Introduction and scope, Business development, product marketing, HRD, Biosafety and Bioethics, IPR and patenting, Government organization/ Institutions/ schemes, Opportunities and challenges.	
Unit -II	14 Hrs
Industrial Entrepreneurship Microbiological Industries – Types, processes and products, Dairy products, Fermented foods, Bakery and Confectionery, Alcoholic products and Beverages, Enzymes – Industrial production and applications. Biofertilizers and Biopesticides, SCP and SCO. Nutraceutical products.	
Unit -III	14 Hrs
Healthcare Entrepreneurship Production and applications: Sanitizers, Antiseptic solutions, Polyphenols (Flavonoids), Alkaloids, Cosmetics, Biopigments and Bioplastics, Vaccines, Diagnostic tools and kits.	

Pedagogy: Lectures, Seminars, Industry Visits, Debates, Quiz and Assignments

Summative Assessment = 60 Marks	
Formative Assessment Occasion / type	Weightage in Marks
Attendance	10
Seminar	10
Debates and Quiz	10
Test	10
Total	60 marks + 40 marks = 100 marks

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Program Name	BSc Microbiology		Semester	Fourth Sem
Course Title	Microbial Enzymology and Metabolism			
Course No.	MBL:104	DSC -4T	No. of Theory Credits	4
Contact hours	56 hrs		Duration of ESA/Exam	2 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks	40	Summative Assessment Marks		60

Course Pre-requisite (s):

Course Outcomes (COs): At the end of the course the student should be able to:

1. Differentiating concepts of chemoheterotrophic metabolism and chemolithotrophic metabolism.
2. Describing the enzyme kinetics, enzyme activity and regulation.
3. Differentiating concepts of aerobic and anaerobic respiration and how these are manifested in the form of different metabolic pathways in microorganisms

Content	56 Hrs
Unit-I	14 Hrs
Metabolism of Carbohydrates Concept of aerobic respiration, anaerobic respiration and fermentation. Sugar degradation pathways i.e. EMP, ED, Pentose phosphate pathway, Phosphoketolase pathway. TCA cycle. Fermentation - Fermentation balance, concept of linear and branched fermentation pathways. Fermentation pathways: Alcohol fermentation and Pasteur effect; Butyric acid and Butanol-Acetone Fermentation, Mixed acid and 2,3-butanediol fermentation, Propionic acid Fermentation, acetate fermentation. Chemolithotrophic metabolism: Chemolithotrophy -Oxidation of Hydrogen, Sulphur, Iron and Nitrogen. Anaerobic respiration with special reference to dissimilatory nitrate reduction and sulphate reduction.	
Unit -II	14 Hrs
Metabolism of aminoacids, nucleotides and lipids	
1.Nitrogen Metabolism Introduction to biological Nitrogen fixation, Ammonia assimilation. Assimilatory nitrate reduction, dissimilatory nitrate reduction, denitrification 2. Biosynthesis of ribonucleotides and deoxyribonucleotides The de novo pathway of purines and pyrimidines, recycling by salvage pathway 3. Amino acid degradation and biosynthesis: Deamination and decarboxylation- An overview of aminoacids biosynthesis 4. Lipid degradation and biosynthesis: β -oxidation of palmitic acid; Biosynthesis of palmitic acid. 5. Metabolism of one carbon compounds: Acetogens: Autotrophic pathway of acetate synthesis	

6. Metabolism of two-carbon compounds: Acetate: Acetic acid bacteria: Ethanol oxidation, sugar alcohol oxidation. Glyoxylate and glycolate metabolism: i. Dicarboxylic acid cycle, ii. Glycerate pathway iii. Beta hydroxyaspartate pathway Oxalate as carbon and energy source	
Unit -III	14 Hrs
Basics of Enzymes Introduction to enzymes–Definition, enzyme unit, specific activity and turnover number, exo/ endoenzymes, constitutive/ induced enzymes, isozymes. Monomeric, Oligomeric and Multimeric enzymes. Multienzyme complex: pyruvate dehydrogenase; isozyme: lactate dehydrogenase. Ribozymes, abzymes Structure of enzyme: Apoenzyme and cofactors, prosthetic group-TPP, coenzyme, NAD, metal cofactors. Classification of enzymes, Mechanism of action of enzymes: active site, transition state complex and activation energy. Lock and key hypothesis and Induced Fit hypothesis. Multisubstrate reactions -Ordered, Random and Ping-pong.	
Unit -IV	14 Hrs
Enzyme Kinetics and Regulation Enzyme Kinetics: Kinetics of one substrate reactions. i. Equilibrium assumptions ii. Steady state assumptions iii. Line weaver-Burk, Hanes-Woolf, Eadie-Hofstee equations and plots. Kinetics of enzyme inhibition. Competitive, non-competitive and uncompetitive inhibition. Effect of changes in pH and temperature on enzyme catalyzed reaction. Kinetics of two substrate reactions. Pre steady state kinetics. Kinetics of immobilized enzymes Enzyme regulation: Allosteric enzyme - general properties, Hill equation, Koshland Nemethy and Filmer model, Monod Wyman and Changeux model. Covalent modification by various mechanisms. Regulation by proteolytic cleavage - blood coagulation cascade. Regulation of multi-enzyme complex- Pyruvate dehydrogenase. Feedback inhibition.	

Course Articulation Matrix: Mapping of Course Outcomes (COs) with Program Outcomes (POs 1-12)

Course Outcomes (COs) / Program Outcomes (POs)	Program Outcomes (POs)											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Differentiating concepts of chemoheterotrophic metabolism and chemolithotrophic metabolism		✓						✓			✓	
Describing the enzyme kinetics, enzyme activity and regulation.		✓						✓			✓	
Differentiating concepts of aerobic and anaerobic respiration and how these are manifested in the form of different metabolic pathways in microorganisms		✓						✓			✓	

Pedagogy: Lectures, Seminars, Industry Visits, Debates, Quiz and Assignments

Summative Assessment = 60 Marks	
Formative Assessment Occasion / type	Weightage in Marks
Attendance	10
Seminar and Assignment	10
Debates and Quiz	10

Test	10
Total	60 marks + 40 marks = 100 marks

Course Title	Microbial Enzymology and Metabolism (Practical)		Practical Credits	2
Course No.	MBL:104	DSC-4P	Contact hours	
Content				
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Estimation of total lipid 2. Identification of fatty acids and other lipids by TLC 3. Isolation of lactose from bovine milk 4. Estimation of total sugars by the phenol-sulphuric acid method 5. Estimation of DNA - DPA method & UV absorbance method 6. Estimation of RNA (Orcinol method) 7. Determination of molar absorption coefficient (ϵ) of l-tyrosine 8. Estimation of polyphenols/ tannins by Folin- Denis method 9. Demonstration of alcoholic fermentation 10. Effect of variables on enzyme activity (amylase): a. Temperature b. pH c. substrate concentration d. Enzyme concentration 11. Determination of K_m and V_{max} of amylase (Lineweaver-Burke plot; Michaelis-Menton equation) 12. Identification of metabolic pathways through charts (Any 3) 				

Practical assessment

Assessment			
Formative assessment		Summative Assessment	Total Marks
Assessment Occasion / type	Weightage in Marks	Practical Exam	
Record	5	25	50
Test	10		
Attendance	5		
Performance	5		
Total	25	25	

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Program Name	BSc Microbiology		Semester	Fourth Sem
Course Title	Human Microbiome			
Course Code	MBL:304	OE-4T	No. of Theory Credits	3
Contact hours	Lecture		Duration of ESA/Exam	Hours
	Practical			
Formative Assessment Marks	40		Summative Assessment Marks	60

Course Pre-requisite(s):	
Course Outcomes (COs): At the end of the course the student should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Articulate a deeper understanding on biological complexities of human micro biome. 2. Understand broader goals of biological anthropology. 3. Compare and contrast the micro biome of different human body sites and impact human health promotion 	
Content	42 Hrs
Unit-I	14 Hrs
INTRODUCTION TO MICROBIOME	
Normal human microbiota and their role in health-gut microflora, skin microflora, microflora of reproductive and excretory system. Symbiotic and parasitic association.	
Unit -II	14 Hrs
MICROBIOMES AND HUMAN HEALTH	
Pre and post-natal Microbiome, Nutritional modulation of the gut microbiome for metabolic health -role of gut microbiomes in human obesity, human type 2 diabetes.	
Influence of microbiome in aging.	
Probiotics-Criteria for probiotics, Development of Probiotics for animal and human use; Pre and synbiotics. Functional foods-health claims and benefits, Development of functional foods.	
Unit -III	14 Hrs
CULTURING OF MICROBES FROM MICROBIOMES	
Culturing of organisms of interest from the microbiome: bacterial, fungal, and yeast.	
Study of the microbiome genome	
Microbiomes and diseases: Microbiome and disease risks: The gut microbiome and host immunity, bacteriocins and other antibacterials. Human microbiome research in nutrition	

Pedagogy

Summative assessment = 40 marks theory paper, End semester Exam duration of exam 2 hours	
Formative Assessment Occasion / type	Weightage in Marks
Assignment	10
Seminar	10
Case studies	10
Test	10
Total	40 marks

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