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8. B.Sc.-II Year-Agro Chemical Fertilizers

10. B.Sc.-II Year-Biochemistry

12. B.Sc.-II Year-Dyes & Drugs Chemistry

14. B.C.A. (Bachelor of Computer Application)-II Year

18. B.Sc.-II Year-Computer Application (Optional)

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32. B.Sc.-II Year-Zoology

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Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) Learning Outcome Based Course Structure (New scheme)

Faculty of Science and Technology Subject: Agricultural Microbiology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – III & IV) Semester Pattern effective from June-2020

Semester	Course No.	Name of the Course	Instruction Hrs/ week	Total period	Continuous Assessment (CA)	End Semester Evaluation (ESE)	Total Marks	Credits
	CCAMB III (Section A)	Microbial Physiology & Metabolism (P-VI)	03	45	10	40	50	2
	CCAMB III (Section B)	Applied Microbiology (P-VI)	03	45	10	40	50	2
III	CCAMBP II [CCMB III & IV (Section A)]	Practical's based on P-VI & P-VIII (P-X)	04	10 Practical's	10	40	50	2
	SECAMB I	SEC I (1 Skill/ optional Swayam Course)	03	45	25	25	50	(02)*
	CCAMB IV (Section A)	Microbial Genetics (P-VIII)	03	45	10	40	50	2
	CCAMB IV (Section B)	Microbes in Agriculture (P-IX)	03	45	10	40	50	2
IV	CCAMBP III [CCMB III & IV (Section B)]	Practical's based on P- VII & P-IX (P- XI)	04	10 Practical's	10	40	50	2
	SECAMB II	SEC II (1 Skill / optional Swayam Course)	03	45	25	25	50	(02)*
				Total credits semester III and IV				12(04)*

Note – ESE: End Semester Examination, CA: Continuous Assessment, SECAMB: Skill Enhancement Course Agricultural Microbiology, CCAMB: Core Course Agricultural Microbiology, CCAMBP: Core Course Agricultural Microbiology Practical.

Outline and Salient Feature:

B. Sc. Agricultural Microbiology syllabus is crafted to serve the need of choice based credit system course structure to orient and practically train students in the field of Agricultural Microbiology. The course is specifically bringing core courses, skilled enhanced courses together dealing additional domain of knowledge in this field of study where in Core Course includes Applied Microbiology, Microbial Physiology and Metabolism, Microbial Genetics, Soil Science and Microbes in Agriculture.

Skill enhanced courses includes Food Quality analysis, Soil health management, Microbial biofertilizers and Biopesticides for sustainable agriculture which is well suited to understand application of microorganisms in relation to human health, Soil health management, microbes as fertilizers and in agrobased industries.

Utility:

The syllabus of B. Sc. Agricultural Microbiology course will orient and train the students in view of general microbiology, Agricultural Microbiology and Laboratory techniques in isolation of microorganisms, microbial genetics and Molecular Biology, occurrence of metabolic events and its relation to environment and Agriculture, Industrial and Pharmaceutical Microbiology to understand and apply this knowledge for carrier orientation.

SE Course will provide additional opportunity for a student to develop skills of interest in this field of study.

Learning Objectives:

The learning or training objectives of SEC has been mentioned below the skill of the course.

Prerequisite:

The course is offered for a student registered for undergraduate programme in the faculty of Science and technology who had primary training in the field of biology at higher secondary school level evident in terms of certificate by CBSC/ICSC/HSC for entry level core courses in Agricultural Microbiology optional subject. Whereas for SEC and DSE courses, student preferably needs training in microbial and soil sciences and also likes to gain additional advanced knowledge in this field of science.

(New scheme)

Faculty of Science and Technology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – III) Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Microbial Physiology and Metabolism (P-VI) CCAMB III (Section A)
Paper Number: VI

Credits: 02 (Marks: 50) Periods: 45

Specific Program Outcome:

The aim of the undergraduate degree in Agricultural Microbiology is to make students knowledgeable about the various basic concepts in wide-ranging contexts, which involve the use of knowledge and skills of Microbiology and acquire knowledge and understanding of the microbiology concepts as applicable to diverse areas such as Human health, industrial, environment, genetics, agriculture, food and others. Their understanding, knowledge and skills in Agricultural Microbiology needs to be developed through a thorough teaching learning processes in the class, practical skills through the laboratory work, their presentation and articulation skills, exposure to industry and interaction with industry experts, write short research-based projects where they are guided and mentored by the academic and other experts of the subject.

Specific Course Outcome:

Microbial Physiology and Metabolism trains students for gaining expertise in the microbial world, their physiology and metabolism. It gives clear understanding how phototrophs are different from heterotrophs in their metabolic pathways, what substrates they utilize for their growth and perpetuation. It gives an insight which specific enzymes are involved in various processes. A wide range of microbial by-products produced such as alcohol, organic acids, antibiotics and enzymes etc. can be studied and its production at pilot scale can be done by the students who get well versed in this course.

Unit Number	Unit Content	Unit – Wise Learning	Number
and Name		Outcome	of
			Lectures
UNIT- I Phototrophic Metabolism	 Photosynthetic Apparatus in Prokaryotes, Outline of oxygenic and Anoxygenic photosynthesis in bacteria, General Characteristics and Metabolism of Photosynthetic Bacteria, Nitrifying Bacteria, Sulfur Bacteria, Iron Bacteria and Cyanobacteria 	Has gained knowledge about microbial diversity in broad sense in terms of metabolic processes Has acquired understanding and differentiating phototrophs, lithotrophs, chemotrophs, heterotrophs, chemolithoautotrophs and chemoheterotrophs etc.	07
Unit-II Chemoheterotrophic Metabolism-Aerobic Respiration	 Concept of aerobic respiration, Sugar degradation pathways i.e. EMP, ED, Pentose phosphate pathway TCA cycle, Electron transport chain: components of respiratory chain, comparison of mitochondrial and bacterial ETC, electron transport phosphorylation, uncouplers and inhibitors 	Has acquired fair knowledge in of aerobic respiration and associated mechanisms of energy generation for their survival	13
	Anaerobic respiration with special reference to dissimilatory nitrate reduction	Able to describe the growth characteristics of the	15

Unit- III Chemoheterotrophic Metabolism - Anaerobic Respiration and Fermentation	(Denitrification; nitrate/nitrite and nitrate/ammonia respiration; fermentative nitrate reduction). 2. Fermentation - Alcohol fermentation and Pasteur effect; Lactate fermentation (homofermentative and heterofermentative pathways), 3. concept of linear and branched fermentation pathways.	microorganisms which uses different nutrient for growth and associated mechanisms of energy generation for their survival.	
Unit-IV Enzymology	 Definition, Nomenclature, Classification of enzymes according to IUB system, General properties, mechanism of enzyme action, Biocatalysis – Induced fit and Lock &Key Model, factors affecting enzyme activity (Temperature, pH, Substrate concentration and enzyme concentration), Michaelis Menten equation, significance of Km and Vmax. Inhibition of Enzymes activity: Competitive non Competitive, Un-Competitive and Allosteric. 	Have acquired knowledge how microbes efficiently using enzymes for aerobic and anaerobic respiration to generate energy for growth. Able to understand how various environmental factors affect the activity of the enzymes. Have acquired knowledge to classify the enzymes according to their reactions	10

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(New scheme)

Faculty of Science and Technology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – III) Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Applied Microbiology (P-VII) CCAMB III (Section B)
Paper Number: VII

Credits: 02 (Marks: 50) Periods: 45

Specific Program Outcome:

The aim of the undergraduate degree in Agricultural Microbiology is to make students knowledgeable about the various basic concepts in wide-ranging contexts, which involve the use of knowledge and skills of Microbiology and acquire knowledge and understanding of the microbiology concepts as applicable to diverse areas such as medical, industrial, environment, genetics, agriculture, food and others. Their understanding, knowledge and skills in Agricultural Microbiology needs to be developed through a thorough teaching learning processes in the class, practical skills through the laboratory work, their presentation and articulation skills, exposure to industry and interaction with industry experts, write short research-based projects where they are guided and mentored by the academic and other experts of the subject.

Specific Course Outcome:

Applied microbiology trains students for gaining expertise in the microbial world and the way it interacts with humans. It looks at how we can harness and utilize the powers of the microbes in areas ranging from air, water and sewage microbiology to Milk Microbiology and extends to industrial applications. A wide range of microbial by-product production, quality assessment and health hazard monitoring is possible by students who get well versed in this course.

Unit Number	Unit Content	Unit – Wise Learning	Number of
and Name		Outcome	Lectures
UNIT- I Microbiology of Air	 Composition of air, Number and kinds of microorganisms in air (indoor, outdoor) Significance of air flora in human health, hospitals, industries, Distribution and sources of air borne microorganisms. Air as a carrier of microorganisms, Droplet, droplet nuclei and aerosol, Dispersal of Microorganisms in air, Methods of enumerations of microorganisms in air Air borne diseases - list of diseases caused by bacteria, fungi, viruses, Air pollution Air sanitation - dust control, UV radiation, bactericidal vapours, filtration, laminar air flow system (HEPA filters) 	Have developed a fair good knowledge and understanding of different aspects microorganisms present in air in relation to human health, hospitals and industries. Have developed skills to measure microorganisms in air and its control measures	10
1. Types of water, sources of microorganisms in water, 2. Bacteriological examination of water Presumptive, confirmed, completed test, SPC, MPN, Membrane filter technique, Water purification methods, 3. Determining sanitary quality of water, bacteriological evidence of faecal pollution, indicators of faecal pollution,		Has acquired fair knowledge about the source of microorganism in water, microbiological examination of water and sanitary quality of water. Also able to identify the important role microorganisms play in	12

	 Significance of index organisms, Faecal and non-faecal coliforms (IMViC & elevated temperature tests). Water borne diseases (list) Microbiology of Sewage: Definition of sewage, chemical composition. Microbiology of sewage treatment, Municipal sewage treatment: Primary, Secondary, and Tertiary sewage treatment, chemical treatment: chlorination, Disposal of treated 	maintaining the healthy water by degradation of solid and liquid wastes, activities of microorganisms are used in sewage treatment of plants.	
Unit- III Microbiology of Food	 sewage. Food as a substrate for microorganisms, Major groups of bacteria, fungi, yeasts important in food microbiology, Sources of contamination of food, factors affecting kind and number of microorganisms in food, Microbiological examination of food: general and specific methods of examination, Principles of food preservation: Microbiostatic and microbicidal methods: Asepsis, removal of microorganisms, anaerobic conditions, high temp, low temp, drying, chemical preservatives, high osmotic pressure, radiation, smoking, Microbial spoilage of foods, Food borne diseases, food intoxication – Staphylococcal, Clostridial, Salmonella and Mycotoxins 	Able to describe the role of microorganisms in the spoilage of food. Have acquired skill in microbiological examination of food and in food preservation	13
Unit-IV Microbiology of Milk	 Definition of and composition of milk, Sources of contamination of milk, Desirable and undesirable changes carried out by microorganism in milk, Types of microorganisms: Biochemical types, temperature characteristic types and pathogens (of bovine and human origin), Changes in the flora of raw milk stored at room temp, Microbiological examination of milk – SPC, DMC, MBRT, Pasteurization, phosphatase test, sterilization of milk. Applications of microorganisms in Dairy industries, Cheese-microbiology and production 	Have acquired knowledge how microbes efficiently contaminate milk and causes change in milk Have acquired skill in microbiological examination of milk and applications of microorganisms in dairy industries.	10

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Faculty of Science and Technology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – IV) Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Microbial Genetics (P-VIII) CCAMB IV (Section A)

Paper Number: VIII

Credits: 02 (Marks: 50) Periods: 45

Specific Program Outcome:

The aim of the undergraduate degree in Agricultural Microbiology is to make students knowledgeable about the various basic concepts in wide-ranging contexts, which involve the use of knowledge and skills of Microbiology and acquire knowledge and understanding of the microbiology concepts as applicable to diverse areas such as medical, industrial, environment, genetics, agriculture, food and others. Their understanding, knowledge and skills in Agricultural Microbiology needs to be developed through a thorough teaching learning processes in the class, practical skills through the laboratory work, their presentation and articulation skills, exposure to industry and interaction with industry experts, write short research-based projects where they are guided and mentored by the academic and other experts of the subject.

Specific Course Outcome:

Microbial genetics develops a broad perspective of the subject dealing with microbial genomes, their evolution and types of genetic material present in different microorganisms. It enables students to gain knowledge about how the microbial genome replicates and transfer genetic information to the progeny. It provides an insight how the gene transfers from one organism to another leading to antibiotic resistant bacterial species and confers immunity towards other organisms. Moreover, certain microorganisms have colicin gene and xenobiotic degrading enzyme coding genes found on plasmids which can be transferred from one species to another microbial species through gene transfers or by transposition.

Unit Number and Name	Unit Content	Unit – Wise Learning Outcome	Number of Lectures
UNIT- I Nucleic Acids	 DNA as a genetic material, Experimental evidences for DNA as genetic material: Griffith Experiment Avery et. al. Experiment Hershey and Chase Experiment Structure of DNA – Watson and Crick model, Properties of DNA as genetic material, Chemical stability of DNA. RNA as viral Genetic material: i) Sanger's Experiment ii) Gierer and Schramm Experiment (TMV), Types of RNA and their functions, Structure of prokaryotic chromosomes i) E. coli -The model genetic organism 	Have developed a fair good knowledge and understanding of DNA and RNA as genetic material with the help of experimental evidence, structure of DNA and properties. Also understand the genetic organization of <i>E. coli</i>	10
Unit-II DNA Replication in Prokaryote	General concepts of DNA Replication, Replication of DNA: Semi Conservative mechanism (Meselson and Stahl's experiment), Model of DNA replication (Cairns model, Theta, Rolling circle, Uni-,	Has acquired understanding of Replication of DNA and flow of genetic information into progeny, models of DNA replication and Mechanism of	10

	Bi-directional replication), Precursors and enzymes involved in DNA replication 2. Mechanism of DNA Replication: Initiation, Elongation, Beta clamp, Progressive polymerase and Termination	DNA replication	
Unit- III Genetic Exchange in Bacteria	 Transformation: Historical Background, Mechanism of transformation, Competence, Binding, Penetration, synapsis and integration Conjugation: Discovery of conjugation in bacteria, Properties of F plasmids/sex factor, Hfr strains and their formation, F' factor and sexduction Mechanism of conjugation Transduction: Discovery of Transduction, Generalized and specialized transduction, Abortive transduction. Mechanism of Transduction 	Have developed understanding of about the three well known mechanism by which genetic material is transferred among the microorganisms viz. Transformation, Conjugation and Transduction	13
Unit-IV Genetic Recombination in Bacteria	 General perspective of Genetic recombination in bacteria, Holliday model Homologous recombination in bacteria (Initiation, Synapsis, branch migration, and resolution) Types of Recombination: Site specific recombination, Illegitimate Recombination (Integrative and excessive). Transposition: Transposable elements in prokaryotes, Insertion sequence, Transposons 	Have acquired fair knowledge about generalized and site- specific recombination and transposition	12

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Faculty of Science and Technology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – IV) Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Microbes in Agriculture (P-IX) CCAMB IV (Section B)

Paper Number: IX

Credits: 02 (Marks: 50) Periods: 45

Specific Program Outcome:

The aim of the undergraduate degree in Agricultural Microbiology is to make students knowledgeable about the various basic concepts in wide-ranging contexts, which involve the use of knowledge and skills of Microbiology and acquire knowledge and understanding of the microbiology concepts as applicable to diverse areas such as medical, industrial, environment, genetics, agriculture, food and others. Their understanding, knowledge and skills in Agricultural Microbiology needs to be developed through a thorough teaching learning processes in the class, practical skills through the laboratory work, their presentation and articulation skills, exposure to industry and interaction with industry experts, write short research-based projects where they are guided and mentored by the academic and other experts of the subject.

Specific Course Outcome:

Microbes in agriculture deals with plant associated microbes and plant and animal diseases. Its study enables students to gain in-depth knowledge about microbial existence in soil, their interactions, and microbial influences on one another. It helps to understand beneficial and harmful plant pathogens to combat plant diseases. Also the microorganisms play an important role in biotransformation of elements in the soil which increases soil fertility, improves soil texture, water holding capacities and humus formation.

Unit Number and Name	Unit Content	Unit – Wise Learning Outcome	Number of
			Lectures
Unit- I Microbial Interactions in Soil	 Soil as a culture medium, Diversity and distribution of microorganisms in soil, Brief account of microbial interactions: Definition with examples of symbiosis, Mutualism, synergism, commensalism, competition, amensalism, parasitism and predation. Microbial associations in phytosphere, rhizosphere and spermosphere, Rhizosphere and non rhizosphere microflora, R: S ratio, interactions between plant and rhizosphere flora, Plant growth promoting Rhizobacteria, Mycorrhiza: types and importance to agriculture, organic matter decomposition – humus formation. 	Have developed a fair good knowledge and understanding of soil, diversity and distribution of microorganism, microbial interactions with other microorganisms and plants. Have developed the skill to measure the R:S ratio of soil	10
1. Carbon cycle: Microbial degradation of cellulose, hemicelluloses, lignin and chitin 2. Nitrogen cycle: Nitrogen fixation,		Have developed a fairly good understanding of the role of microorganisms in the	
Biogeochemical ammonification, nitrification, denitrification		biogeochemical cycles.	10
Cycles	and nitrate reduction.	Have developed skills for	
	3. Phosphorus cycle: Phosphate immobilization and solubilisation.	isolation of microorganisms involved in biogeochemical	

	1	Sulphur cycle: Microbes involved in sulphur	cycles	
		cycle, Other elemental cycles: Iron and	Cycles	
		Manganese		
	1	Isolation of Microorganisms: Isolation of Soil	Have developed handful skill	
	1.	Bacteria by streak plate method, Isolation of	for isolation of different	
		Fungi, Algae, Cyanophages, Protozoa and	microorganisms from soil	
		Bacteriophages. Enrichment cultures, The	with the help of different isolation methods	
		Buried slide, Immersion plate and Tube	Isolation methods	
Unit- III		method, Direct microscopic examination of		13
Methods in Study		soil, Fluorescent staining, soil percolation		
of Microbes	_	techniques, Estimation of soil enzymes.		
	۷.	Molecular methods: DNA Hybridization		
		technique, Amplified length Polymorphism		
		(AFLP), Pulse Field Gel Electrophoresis		
	1	(PFGE), Fluorescent tagging method	II 1 1 1 . 1 . 11 . C	
	1.	Non symbiotic nitrogen fixating bacteria:	Have developed skills for	
		Azotobacter chroocochum, Azospirillum	growing microorganisms in	
		lipoferum. Symbiotic nitrogen fixating	laboratory for production of	
Unit-IV		bacteria: Rhizobium leguminosarum,	Biofertilizers and microbial	
		Rhizobium japonicum, Nitrogen fixing	enzymes	
		Cyanobacteria: Nostoc, Anabaena		
Microorganisms	2.	Phosphorus solubilising bacteria: Bacillus		12
for Agriculture		megaterium, Pseudomonas putida		
Use	3.	Potash mobilizing bacteria: Frateuria		
		aurentia.		
	4.	Plant growth promoting rhizobacteria		
		(PGPR): Bacillus subtilis, Pseudomonas		
		fluorescens. Biocontrol fungus: Trichoderma		
	_	viride.		
	5.	Insecticide fungus: Metarhizium anisopliae		

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B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – III & IV)

Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Annual Practical's based CCAMBP II [CCAMB III & IV (Section A)]

Paper Number: Practical's based on P-VI & P-VIII (P-X)

Credits: 02 Marks: 50

(Annual practical Based on CCAMBP II [CCAMB III & IV (Section A)] (Practical syllabus requires four periods per batch per week for 2 consecutive days B.Sc. Second year practical includes studies of growth of microorganisms and life activities of Microorganisms. These studies need two consecutive days for completion of practical.)

Specific Program Outcome:

Impart Knowledge of the diverse places where microbiology is involved. Understanding of diverse Microbiological processes. Basic skills such as culturing microbes, maintaining microbes, safety issues related to handling of microbes, Good Microbiological practices etc. Moderately advanced skills in working with microbes such as Pathogens.

Specific Course Outcome:

Acquire skills of handling microorganisms in the laboratory and study their characteristics. Has developed laboratory skills in isolation of phototrophs, chemoautotroph and study their characteristics. Has developed skills for growing microorganisms in the laboratory to produce different enzymes. Also acquires handful skill for isolation of DNA from E. coli and their estimation of DPA method and also estimation of RNA by Orcinol method

- 1. Enrichment culturing and isolation of phototrophs and chemoautotrophs.
- 2. Study of Cyanobacteria-Nostoc, Anabaena.
- 3. Preparation of media for culturing autotrophic and heterotrophic microorganisms algal medium, mineral salts medium, nutrient agar medium and MacConkey's agar.
- 4. Demonstration of alcoholic fermentation.
- 5. Demonstration of Lactic acid fermentation.
- 6. Extraction of Citric acid by salt precipitation.
- 7. Estimation of citric acid by titrimetric method.
- 8. Catalase, Oxidase activity and Urease activity.
- 9. Effect of temperature and pH on enzyme activity.
- 10. Effect of Substrate concentration on enzyme activity.
- 11. Study of different types of DNA and RNA using micrographs and model / schematic representations
- 12. Study of semi-conservative replication of DNA through micrographs / schematic representations
- 13. Isolation of genomic DNA from E. coli
- 14. Estimation of DNA using UV spectrophotometer.
- 15. Colorimetric estimation of DNA by Diphenyl amine method.
- 16. Colorimetric estimation of RNA by Orcinol method
- 17. Isolation of Plasmid DNA from E. coli.
- 18. Study different conformations of plasmid DNA through Agarose gel electrophoresis.
- 19. Demonstration of Bacterial Conjugation.

Practical Reference Books:

- 1. Laboratory Exercises in Microbiology, Fifth Edition Harley-Prescott
- 2. Microbiology A laboratory Manual 10th edition by James Cappuccino and Natalie Sherman
- 3. Microbiological Applications Lab Manual, Eighth Edition by Benson
- 4. Laboratory Methods in Food Microbiology by Harrigan W F.
- 5. A Laboratory Manual in Food Microbiology by Garg N, Garg K.L.

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B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – III & IV)

Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Annual Practical's based CCAMBP III [CCAMB III & IV (Section B)]

Paper Number: Practical's based on P-VII & P-IX (P-XI)

Credits: 02 Marks: 50

(Annual practical Based on CCAMBP III [CCAMB III & IV (Section B)] (Practical syllabus requires four periods per batch per week for 2 consecutive days B.Sc. Second year practical includes studies of growth of microorganisms and life activities of Microorganisms. These studies need two consecutive days for completion of practical.)

Specific Program Outcome:

Impart Knowledge of the diverse places where microbiology is involved. Understanding of diverse Microbiological processes. Basic skills such as culturing microbes, maintaining microbes, safety issues related to handling of microbes, Good Microbiological practices etc. Moderately advanced skills in working with microbes such as Pathogens.

Specific Course Outcome:

Acquire skills of handling microorganisms in the laboratory and study their characteristics. Has developed laboratory skills in isolation of microorganisms from air, soiled fruits and vegetables, curd and microorganisms involved biogeochemical cycles. This course also developed handy skill for quality and quantity check of milk and water.

- 1. Isolation of microorganisms in air by Plate Settling method.
- 2. Microbial quality testing of water by coliform test: MPN, Presumptive, Confirmed, and Completed Test.
- 3. Determination of Biological oxygen demand (BOD) of water.
- 4. Isolation of microorganisms by crowded plate technique.
- 5. Determination of microbiological quality of milk by MBRT method.
- 6. Isolation of fungi & bacteria from spoiled fruits & vegetables.
- 7. Isolation of Aspergillus niger from spoiled food.
- 8. Identification of mycotoxins from spoiled food.
- 9. Isolation of Lactobacilli and Streptococcus from curd.
- 10. Microbial study- Escherichia coli, Bacillus, Lactobacillus, Azospirillum, Azotobacter, Rhizobium, Yeast, Rhizopus, Penicillium
- 11. Measurement of soil pH, temperature, moisture and electrical conductivity and correlation with the microbes.
- 12. Isolation of soil fungi associated with composting for cellulose degradation.
- 13. Demonstration of mycorrhizal association in soil.
- 14. Determination of R: S ratio.
- 15. Demonstration of IAA production using soil Bacteria/fungi: i) Extraction from filtrate. ii) qualitative tests. iii) quantitative estimation.
- 16. Demonstration of: i) Ammonification, ii) Nitrification, iii) Denitrification, iv) Nitrate reduction, v) Sulfate reduction.
- 17. Isolation & study of *Rhizobium sp.* from root nodules of leguminous plants.
- 18. Isolation of Phosphorus solubilising bacteria from soil.
- 19. Isolation of Biocontrol agent Trichoderma viride from soil.

20. Isolation of free-living nitrogen fixing Azotobacter sp. from soil.

Practical Reference Books:

- 1. Laboratory Exercises in Microbiology, Fifth Edition Harley-Prescott
- 2. Microbiology A laboratory Manual 10th edition by James Cappuccino and Natalie Sherman
- 3. Microbiological Applications Lab Manual, Eighth Edition by Benson
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Faculty of Science and Technology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – III) Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Food Quality Analysis SECAMB - I (Section A)

Paper Number: SECAMB - I

Credits: 02 Marks: 50

Specific Program Outcome:

The aim of the undergraduate degree in Agricultural Microbiology is to make students knowledgeable about the various basic concepts in wide-ranging contexts, which involve the use of knowledge and skills of Microbiology. Their understanding, knowledge and skills in Agricultural Microbiology needs to be developed through a thorough teaching learning processes in the class, practical skills through the laboratory work, their presentation and articulation skills, exposure to industry and interaction with industry experts, write short research-based projects where they are guided and mentored by the academic and other experts of the subject.

Specific Course Outcome:

Have developed a very good understanding of practical aspects of the field of Food Technology, processing and quality of food and analysis methods for food samples. Gain skills food and milk quality testing.

Unit Number and Name	Unit Content	Unit – Wise Learning
		Outcome
Unit I	Methods for analysis of moisture, fats,	
Food Analysis of Major	proteins, starch and crude fibres, Minor	
Components	nutrients, vitamins, minerals, etc.	
	Common pesticides in Food, Analysis of	
	Pesticide residues: Residues in Fruits and	
Unit II	Vegetables, Residues in Milk and Oilseeds;	
Pesticide Residues and Heavy	aflatoxins, heavy metals: Metals Screening	
Metals Analysis in Foods	Test (Lead, Copper, Zinc and Others).	
	Effect of pesticides and heavy metals on	Have developed a very
	human health	good understanding of
	Detection of adulteration in milk, ghee,	practical aspects of testing
1724 111	honey, spices, pulses, oils, sweets etc.,	components of foods,
Unit III Detection of Adulteration In	Detection of non-permitted food additives	pesticide residues,
Food Products	in market food samples, sweets and	adulterant in food and
rood rroddets	savoury products, Cut-out analysis of	presence of microorganisms
	canned food, colours contaminants.	in food
	Sources of Microbes in Food, Microbes	
	and Food Spoilage, Group of	
Unit IV	microorganisms in Food: Bacteria, Yeasts	
Microorganisms in Foods	and molds, viruses, Food poisoning, Food	
wheroorganisms in roods	borne pathogens.	
	Bacteriological analysis of foods: DMC,	
	SPC, Analysis of milk-MBRT; Microbes	
	and Food Preservation.	

	 2. 	Analysis of Major component of Foods MPN: TC & FC Analysis of pesticide residues in foods	This lab course aims to provide the students with analytical and on hands
PRACTICAL Practice	3. 4.	Detection of adulteration from different type of foods Qualitative and quantitative estimations of Microorganisms from foods	practical skills required for analysis of foods for pesticides, adulterants, and microorganisms

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Faculty of Science and Technology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – III)

Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Microbial Biofertilizers SECAMB - I (Section B)
Paper Number: SECAMB - I

Credits: 02 Marks: 50

Specific Program Outcome:

The aim of the undergraduate degree in Agricultural Microbiology is to make students knowledgeable about the various basic concepts in wide-ranging contexts, which involve the use of knowledge and skills of Microbiology. Their understanding, knowledge and skills in Agricultural Microbiology needs to be developed through a thorough teaching learning processes in the class, practical skills through the laboratory work, their presentation and articulation skills, exposure to industry and interaction with industry experts, write short research-based projects where they are guided and mentored by the academic and other experts of the subject.

Specific Course Outcome:

Have developed a very good understanding of practical aspects of production of different biofertilizers

Unit Number and Name	Unit Content	Unit – Wise Learning Outcome
Unit I Algal Biofertilizers	General account of Azolla General Characteristics of Cyanobacteria, characterization of Anabaena, method of production of algal biofertilizers, Role in rice cultivation, field applications.	
Unit II Bacterial Biofertilizers	Symbiotic N ₂ fixers: <i>Rhizobium</i> - isolation, characteristics, types, inoculum production and field applications. Non - Symbiotic N ₂ fixers: Free living <i>Azotobacter</i> - isolation, characteristics, mass inoculum production and Field applications.	Have developed a very good understanding and skill for production of different biofertilizer like agal, bacterial and their field applications. Also create awareness about organic farming among the students
Unit III Mycorrhizae as Biofertilizer	Importance of mycorrhizal inoculums, types of mycorrhizae and associated plants, Mass inoculums. Production of VAM, field applications of Ectomycorrhizae and VAM,	
Unit IV Phosphate Solubilizers	Introduction, Phosphate availability in soil, Phosphate solubilizing bacteria, Mechanisms of phosphate solubilization, mass inoculum production, field Applications	
PRACTICAL Practice	 Isolation, characterization and mass multiplication of Anabaena Isolation of Azotobacter from soil and Rhizobium from leguminous nodule Characterization and mass multiplication of Mycorrhizae 	This lab course aims to provide the students with analytical and on hands practical skills required for production of different

4.	Isolation and characterization of	kinds of biofertilizers
	phosphate solubilizing bacteria	

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Faculty of Science and Technology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – IV)

Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Soil Health Management SECAMB - II (Section A)

Paper Number: SECAMB - II

Credits: 02 Marks: 50

Specific Program Outcome:

The aim of the undergraduate degree in Agricultural Microbiology is to make students knowledgeable about the various basic concepts in wide-ranging contexts, which involve the use of knowledge and skills of Microbiology. Their understanding, knowledge and skills in Agricultural Microbiology needs to be developed through a thorough teaching learning processes in the class, practical skills through the laboratory work, their presentation and articulation skills, exposure to industry and interaction with industry experts, write short research-based projects where they are guided and mentored by the academic and other experts of the subject.

Specific Course Outcome:

Specific course outcome of this skill is making the student aware of soil and its health. To develop the skill of preparation of soil conditioner. To highlight the importance of organic farming amongst the students

Unit Number and Name	Unit Content	Unit – Wise Learning Outcome
Unit I Introduction to Soil	Types of soil, Soil as a natural medium for the growth of Microorganisms, Soil health, Economical and ecological importance of soil, Organic matter in soil.	
Unit II Soil Properties	Soil architecture, Physical properties of soil, soil texture, Water holding capacity, Soil temperature, Soil colloids, aeration, Chemical properties of soil: Soil acidity, Soil alkalinity, Soil salinity.	Have developed a
Unit III Improvement of Soil Fertility	Macro and Micro elements in soil, Green manure, Farm yard Manure, Role of nitrogen fixing bacteria, Role of Phosphate solubilizing bacteria in soil. Role of Mycorrhizae, Factors affecting soil fertility	particularly good understanding and skill for soil properties, soil fertility and management of soil health.
Unit IV Management of Soil Health	Setting up new Soil Testing Laboratories (STLs) and Mobile Soil Testing Laboratories (MSTLs) for macro nutrients and micro nutrients analysis, Strengthening of existing State STLs for micronutrient analysis, Creation of site specific data-bank for balanced use of fertilizers Promotion and distribution of micronutrients, Promoting biofertilizers and organic fertilizers. Strengthening of Fertilizer Quality Control Laboratories	Also create awareness about organic farming among the students

PRACTICAL Practice	 Detection of organic matter in soil Detection of Physical and Chemical properties of soil. Isolation of Nitrogen fixing bacteria and Phosphate solubilizing bacteria from soil, Soil testing for Macro and micronutrients 	This lab course aims to provide the students with analytical and on hands practical skills required for soil health and its improvements
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Faculty of Science and Technology B. Sc. Second Year (Semester – IV)

Subject: Agricultural Microbiology

Paper Name: Biopesticides For Sustainable Agriculture SECAMB - II (Section B)

Paper Number: SECAMB - II

Credits: 02 Marks: 50

Specific Program Outcome:

The aim of the undergraduate degree in Agricultural Microbiology is to make students knowledgeable about the various basic concepts in wide-ranging contexts, which involve the use of knowledge and skills of Microbiology. Their understanding, knowledge and skills in Agricultural Microbiology needs to be developed through a thorough teaching learning processes in the class, practical skills through the laboratory work, their presentation and articulation skills, exposure to industry and interaction with industry experts, write short research-based projects where they are guided and mentored by the academic and other experts of the subject.

Specific Course Outcome:

Specific course outcome of this skill is imparting the knowledge of Agrochemicals used in farming practices, importance of biological control, mass production of biological control agents and effective application of biocontrol agents.

Unit Number and Name	Unit Content	Unit – Wise Learning Outcome	
Unit I Introduction to Biopesticides	Definition, Importance of Biopesticides. Applications of biopesticides, Sources of microbial pesticides. Biopesticides as environment friendly alternative, mechanisms of Biocontrol		
Unit II Methods for Isolation of Biopesticides	Selection of Culture media, Preparations, Sterilization, Pure culture and preservations of biocontrol agents, Mass production of biopesticides	Have developed a particularly good understanding of biopesticides, their isolation methods, characterization and application/ Also create awareness about organic farming among the students	
Unit III Characteristics of Biopesticides	Fungi as biocontrol agents: General characteristics of Mycofungicides, Mycoherbicides, Mycoinsecticides, Myconematocides; Bacteria as biocontrol agents: General characters of Bacillus subtilis, Bacillus thuringiensis, Pseudomonas fluorescence		
Unit IV Practical Applications of Biopesticides	Bacteria against Bacteria, Bacteria against Fungi, Fungi against Fungi, Fungi against Nematodes, Fungi against weeds		
PRACTICAL Practice	 Collection of soil samples and plant parts for isolation of Biopesticides Isolation of Biopesticides from various sources. 	This lab course aims to provide the students with analytical and hands on practical skills required for	

	isolation, characterization and application of biopesticides
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