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FIRST SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2019

(CBCSS-UG)

Microbiology

MBG 1B 01—GENERAL MICROBIOLOGY

(2019 Admissions)

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

Part A

Comment on the following:

- 1. Capsule staining.
- 2. Archaebacterial cell membrane.
- 3. Magnification.
- 4. Grams iodine.
- 5. Cold sterilisation.
- 6. Fluorescent dyes.
- 7. Bacteriophage.
- 8. Animalcules.
- 9. SEM.
- 10. Actinomycetes.
- 11. Plasmid.
- 12. Dipicolinic acid.

 $(12 \times 2 = 20 \text{ ceiling})$

Part B

Each question carries 5 marks.

Write briefly:

- 13. Contributions of Louis Pasteur to microbiology.
- 14. Differentiate between Gram positive and Gram negative bacteria.

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- 15. Working of bright field and dark field microscope.
- 16. Phenol coefficient.
- 17. Acid fast staining.
- 18. Bacterial flagella.
- 19. Sporulation in bacteria.

 $(7 \times 5 = 30 \text{ ceiling})$

Part C

Answer any one question. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 20. Discuss various methods of control of micro-organisms.
- 21. Explain the structure of a bacterial cell with diagram.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ marks})$