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FIFTH SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018

(CUCBCSS—UG)

Open Course

BTY 5D 01—INTRODUCTION TO BIOTECHNOLOGY

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 40 Marks

Section A

Answer any one out of two questions in about 1500 words.

The question carries 10 marks.

- 1. Define Biotechnology. Give a detailed account on various tools used in Biotechnology.
- 2. Give a detailed account on the principle and steps involved in DNA Finger printing. Add a note on its applications.

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

Section B

Answer any four out of eight questions in about 750 words.

Each question carries 5 marks.

- 3. Give an account on gene therapy.
- 4. Give an account on biopesticides.
- 5. What is fermentation? Explain the principle involved.
- 6. Give a detailed account on single cell protein.
- 7. Describe the procedure involved in the preparation of wine.
- 8. Give an account on fermented milk product.
- 9. Give an historical account on traditional Biotechnology.
- 10. Give an account on biofertilizers.

 $(4 \times 5 = 20 \text{ marks})$

Section C

Answer all questions in about 200 words. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Write on the nutritive value of mushroom.
- 12. What is red Biotechnology?
- 13. What are GM crops? Give one example.
- 14. What is still wine production?
- 15. Write short account on pickles.

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$