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Core Course

MBY 3B 04—ENVIRONMENTAL AND SANITATION MICROBIOLOGY

Time : Three Hours	Maximum: 80 Mark
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Section A

Answer all questions.
Each question carries ½ mark.

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1.	Anaerobic biodegradation of PCBs is carried out by the fungus.						
	(a)	Phanaerochaete sp.	(b)	Mucor sp.			
	(c)	Acinetobacter sp.	(d)	Fusarium sp.			
2.	2. A Waterborne viral pathogen is:						
	(a)	Hepatitis B Virus.	(b)	Hepatitis A Virus.			
	(c)	Influenza Virus.	(d)	Pox Virus.			
3.	3. ————————————————————————————————————						
	(a)	Aspergillus Niger.	(b)	Rhizopus Stolonifer.			
	(c)	Alternaria Alternata.	(d)	Trichoderma Viridae.			
4.	A media used to differentiate $E.coli$ and $Enterobacter$.						
	(a)	Deoxycholate Citrate Agar.	(b)	Mac Conkey's Agar.			
	(c)	Eosine Methylene Blue Agar.	(d)	Blood Agar.			
5.	is a recyling method that uses earthworms to consume and process organic wates.						
6.	formation and settling in activated sludge processing.						
7.	The bacteria producing ———— enzyme transform Hg ²⁺ to CH ₃ -Hg ⁺ .						
8.	oily fluids used as Plasticizers and Polyvinyl Polymers.						
9.	Non-biodegradable, pollutants persist in the environment is called ———.						

Turn over

- 10. Form of water pollution resulted from nutrient run off from fields is called ———.
- 11. Name an organism corroding iron pipes in oil industry.
- 12. Name the organism called as 'Sulfur Pearl of Namibia'.

 $(12 \times \frac{1}{2} = 6 \text{ marks})$

Section B

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 13. Aerosols.
- 14. Burkard Spore Trap.
- 15. Colilert defined substrate test.
- 16. Biofilm.
- 17. Nanobacteria.
- 18. Nitroaromatic Compounds.
- 19. Biofilters.
- 20. Pseudomonas Putida.
- 21. Land Fills.
- 22. Coliform Bacteria.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ marks})$

Section C

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

- 23. Andersen Sampler.
- 24. Vermi Composting.
- 25. Disease forecasting in plants.
- 26. Synthetic Polymers.
- 27. Heavy metal tolerance in micro-organisms.
- 28. Multiple tube fermentation test.

- 29. Composting.
- 30. Bioremediation of oil spills.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Section D

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 12 marks.

- 31. Define Sewage. Describe various methods used for Sewage treatment.
- 32. Describe different layers of atmosphere. Discuss sources and distribution of air microflora.
- 33. Discuss the mechanisms of methanogenesis. Add a note on design and management of a biogas plant.

 $(2 \times 12 = 24 \text{ marks})$