

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN FOOD SAFETY
AND QUALITY MANAGEMENT (PGDFSQM)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2022

MVPI-001 : FOOD MICROBIOLOGY

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. All the parts of a question must be attempted together.

1. Explain any **ten** of the following terms : $10 \times 1 = 10$
- (a) Aerobe
 - (b) Bacteriocin
 - (c) Halophile
 - (d) Prokaryotic cells
 - (e) Aflatoxin
 - (f) Zoonotic
 - (g) Norwalk virus
 - (h) CFUs
 - (i) PDA
 - (j) DMC
 - (k) Virulence
 - (l) Enterotoxins

2. (a) What is Systematics ? Enumerate different types of bacteria on the basis of morphology. 5
- (b) Enumerate five important mold/yeast genera. 5
3. (a) Define foodborne diseases. Differentiate between food infection and food intoxication. 5
- (b) Name five common foodborne diseases with their causative organisms. 5
4. (a) What are fermented foods ? Write their importance. 5
- (b) Give a generalized scheme of various operations employed in food fermentation technology. 5
5. (a) What are dye reduction tests ? Explain the principle and procedure of any one. 5
- (b) What is Gram Staining ? Explain its principle. 5
6. Give the protocol for detection of the following : $2 \times 5 = 10$
- (a) *Bacillus cereus*
- (b) *Listeria monocytogenes*

7. Write short notes on any **two** of the following : *2×5=10*

- (a) Biochemical Kits
 - (b) Immunological Kits
 - (c) Steps in PCR Cycle
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