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Microbiological Methods

(NEP)

Time: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 60

Note: (i) Answer **all** sections.

(ii) Draw diagrams wherever necessary.

SECTION - A

1. Answer the following sub-questions.

10x1=10

- (a) Expand TEM.
- (b) What is Chromatography?
- (c) Define Germicide.
- (d) What is membrane filter?
- (e) What you mean by Agar?
- (f) What is the temperature of liquid nitrogen?
- (g) Name the types of stain.
- (h) Give the example of Gram-negative bacteria.
- (i) Expand MDR.
- (j) Who has first used the term 'Antibiotic'?

SECTION - B

Answer **any four** of the following questions.

4x5 = 20

- 2. Distinguish between Compound microscope and Electron microscope.
- **3.** Explain briefly about the principle, precaution and application of Laminar Air Flow.
- **4.** Describe the serial dilution.



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- **5.** Give an account of simple staining.
- **6.** Write a short note on Antifungal agents.
- 7. Explain the filtration methods for sterilization.

SECTION - C

Answer any three of the following questions.

3x10=30

- **8.** Explain the principle and applications of centrifugation.
- **9.** Write a detailed note on Liquid and Gaseous sterilization.
- 10. Give the detail account of the plating methods in culture media.
- 11. Write an explanatory note on the types of stains.
- 12. Briefly explain about the Disc and Agar well diffusion techniques.

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