

B.Sc. Sem.-6 Examination

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Bio-Technology

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[Max. Marks : 50]

Time : 2-00 Hours]

1. (A) Describe culture media ingredients and formulation used for industrial fermentation. 7
(B) Explain process for sterilization of Air for fermentation process. 7
 2. (A) Explain selection and screening of industrially important organisms. 7
(B) Describe the methods used in strain improvement of industrial cultures. 7
 3. (A) Describe medium, process and recovery for the production of SCP. 7
(B) Write note on cultivation of common edible mushrooms. 7
 4. (A) Describe the fermentative production of *Bacillus thuringiensis*. 7
(B) Explain medium and fermentation process of yeasts biomass. 7
 5. (A) Describe overproduction of amino acids by physiological manipulation limiting biotin concentration. 7
(B) Describe the fermentative production of Vitamin B12. 7
 6. (A) Explain overproduction of amino acids using auxotrophic mutants. 7
(B) Explain two-stage process for the fermentative production of Alcohol. 7
 7. (A) What is secondary metabolism ? Explain production and genetic control of secondary metabolism. 7
(B) Explain uses of ergot alkaloids and its microbial production. 7
 8. (A) Discuss in detail the fermentative production of Xanthan gum. 7
(B) Describe the fermentative production of Cephalosporin. 7
9. Answer the followings (Any Eight) 8
- Q-1 Select the one that is not a fermentation product:
A Antibiotics
B Citric Acid
C Alcohol
D Sucrose
- Q-2 Which of the following is/are the substrate/s used as a carbon source in fermentation Industry?
A Molasses
B Malt Extract
C Methanol
D All of the above
- Q-3 What is the role of antifoaming agent in fermentation technology?
A They are used to control oxygen level of the medium
B They are used to maintain the temperature of the medium
C They are used to lower the surface tension of the medium
D All the above
- Q-4 Sterilization of the media is most commonly achieved by:
A Lyophilization
B Heat sterilization
C Incineration
D Boiling
- Q-5 The most common method used for citric acid production is-----.

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- A Surface fermentation
 - B Submerged fermentation
 - C Both A & B
 - D None
- Q-6 Which of the following is a good source of nitrogen as well as growth factors?
- A Urea
 - B Ethanol
 - C Yeast extract
 - D Dextrin
- Q-7 Baker's yeast production is carried out by:
- A An aerobic fed-batch process
 - B ICI pressure cycle fermenter
 - C Both (A) and (B)
 - D None of the above
- Q-8 Which of the following organisms is not used for the production of citric acid?
- A *Aspergillus wentii*
 - B *Candida oleophila*
 - C *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*
 - D *Candida oleophila*
- Q-9 Whey is rich in which carbohydrate?
- A Glucose
 - B Lactose
 - C Fructose
 - D Sucrose
- Q-10 ----- the analogue of valine used in the repression of *Salmonella* sp.
- A Leucine
 - B Isoleucine
 - C Trifluoroleucine
 - D Cephamycin
- Q-11 Microbial biomass or protein extract used as food or feed additive
- A Yeast Extract
 - B Single cell protein
 - C Peptone
 - D All the above
- Q-12 Identify the RNA synthesis inhibitor from the following:
- A Tetracyclins
 - B Cephalosporins
 - C Rifamycin
 - D Puromycin

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Q-13 A novel technology developed to produce SCP by utilizing starchy wastes by yeasts is known as:

- A Symba process
- B ICI pressure cycle fermenter
- C Subterminal oxidation
- D None of the above

Q-14 The term used for the mushroom inoculum containing spores and/or small pieces of fruiting body is:

- A Compost
- B *Agaricus bisporus*
- C Phallin and muscarine
- D Spawn

Q-15 Overproduction of secondary metabolites based on genetic engineering are

- A Mutation
- B Recombination
- C Molecular genetic improvement
- D All of these

Q-16 What is Sulfite waste liquor?

- A It is a by-product of corn wet-milling
- B It is a finely ground, yellow flour made from the embryo of cottonseed
- C It is the spent sulfite liquor from pulp and paper industry
- D All the above

Q-17 Sterols are :

- A Organic molecules
- B Occur naturally
- C Cholesterol
- D All of these

Q-18 The terminology used to describe the type of algal culture is:

- A Indoor/Outdoor
- B Batch, continuous and semi-continuous
- C Axenic/Xenic
- D All the above

Q-19 Xanthan is commercially produced by-----

- A *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*
- B *Xanthomonas campestris*
- C *Pseudomonas elodea*
- D *Leuconostoc mesenteroides*

Q-20 Optimum growth of *Rhizobia* occurs at _____ temperature.

- A 15 to 20 °C
 - B 28 to 30 °C
 - C 35 to 37 °C
 - D 10 to 15 °C
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