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**M. Tech.****(SEM III) ODD SEMESTER EXAMINATION 2015-16  
BIOCHEMISTRY, BIOPHYSICS AND MICROBIOLOGY**

[Time: 3 hrs.]

[Max. Marks: 100]

**Note: Attempt all questions. All questions carry equal Marks.****Q1. Attempt any TWO of the following. [10X2]**

- (a) Describe the basic physical principle and methods underlying nuclear magnetic resonance spectrometry.
- (b) Define different stages in growth curve of bacteria.
- (c) Explain the Michaelis-Menten kinetics.

**Q2. Attempt any TWO of the following. [10X2]**

- (a) Provide detailed history of microbiology. How it lead the way for immunology?
- (b) Compare the relative advantages and disadvantages of x-ray crystallography and NMR spectroscopy for protein structure determination.
- (c) Describe the primary, secondary, tertiary, and quaternary structures of proteins.

**Q3. Attempt any TWO of the following. [10X2]**

- (a) Define terms specific activity, cofactor, prosthetic group, apoenzyme, and holoenzyme.
- (b) Describe the effects of competitive and noncompetitive inhibitors on the kinetics of enzyme.
- (c) How cellular organization of Prokaryotes differs from that of Eukaryotes?

**Q4. Attempt any TWO of the following. [10X2]**

- (a) Describe diagrammatically the various morphological characteristics of bacteria.
- (b) What are the different steps and criteria for the classification of newly discovered bacteria?
- (c) Explain the differences between *Glycolysis* and *Krebs Cycle*.

**Q5. Write short note on any FOUR. [5X4]**

- (a) Turnover number
- (b) Stereoisomers
- (c) Gram's staining principle
- (d) Henderson-Hasselbalch equation
- (e) Acid-Fast Bacteria
- (f) Ramachandran plot