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Third Semester FYUGP Degree Examination NOVEMBER 2025

KU3DSCMBG203 - MICROBES IN DAILY LIFE

2024 Admission onwards

Time: 1.5 hours Maximum Marks: 50

Section A

Answer any 6 questions. Each carry 2 marks.

- 1. Define anaerobic sludge digestion.
- 2. What is the importance of sewage treatment?
- 3. What is irradiation?
- 4. Define blanching.
- 5. What does HACCP stand for?
- 6. Name one nutraceutical compound obtained from turmeric.
- 7. Define food infection and give one example.
- 8. Differentiate between ectomycorrhiza and arbuscular mycorrhiza.

Section B

Answer any 4 questions. Each carry 6 marks.

- 9. Analyze the interrelationship between ISO 22000, HACCP, and GMP in ensuring safe food supply.
- 10. Explain the role of GMP in maintaining hygiene in food industries
- 11. Discuss the potential risks and public concerns associated with GM foods.
- 12. Differentiate between the symptoms of cholera and typhoid.
- 13. Compare the effectiveness of Rhizobium inoculants with chemical nitrogen fertilizers.
- 14. Analyze the role of heterocysts in cyanobacterial nitrogen fixation.

Section C

Answer any 1 questions. Each carry 14 marks.

- 15. Describe the structure and functioning of a trickling filter with a diagram.
- 16. Discuss various methods used for food preservation