

GENERAL AND APPLIED MICROBIOLOGY

Semester	Subject code	Category	Lecture		Theory		Practical		Credits
			Total hrs	Hrs/ week	Total hrs	Hrs/ week	Total hrs	Hrs/ week	
I	21CPMB21	Practical	0	0	0	0	60	4	5

General Microbiology

1. Handling and maintenance of light microscopy, dark field and phase contrast microscopy.
2. Wet mount of Hay Infusion broth.
3. Micrometry.
4. Motility determination – Hanging drop method.
5. Staining – Simple, Gram, Acid fast, Spore, Capsule, Flagellar staining.
6. Sterilization – Principles, methods – moist heat, dry heat, filtration.
7. Pure Culture techniques – Streak plate, Pour plate and Spread plate.
8. Media preparation – Liquid, Solid, Agar deep, & Slants.
9. Anaerobic Cultivation - Anaerobic jar (Total anaerobes).
10. Antibiotic sensitivity test – Kirby Bauer & MIC.
11. Fermentation of carbohydrates and submerged fermentation.
12. Growth and Growth requirements – bacterial growth curve – turbidimetry. Direct count, viable count.

Applied Microbiology

1. Microbiological analysis of food products – bacterial, fungal. Direct bacterial count from milk. Standard plate count in milk.
2. Reduction test for milk – Methylene blue/ Resazurin.
3. Enumeration of microorganisms from soil and air.
4. Isolation of Azotobacter, Rhizobium, Phosphate solubilizers, ammonifiers, denitrifiers.
5. Extracellular enzyme activity- cellulase, protease, lipase and phosphatase.
6. MPN technique
7. Estimation of BOD and COD.
8. Field trip.