## **Bankura University**

# B.Sc 1<sup>st</sup> Semester (Honours) Theory Examination,2021 Microbiology

Course ID: 12211 Course Code: SH/MCB/101/C-1

Course Title: Introduction to Microbiology & Microbial Diversity

Time: 1h 15 min Full Marks: 25

The figures in the right hand side margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

### UNIT-I

# 1. Answer any five questions of the following:

1x5=5

- a. Write down the contribution of Martinus Beijerinck in the development of Microbiology.
- b. What is refractive index of a microscope?
- c. Mention two pigments of Cyanophyta.
- d. What are hormogonia?
- e. Define viroids.
- f. What do you mean by binary fission?
- g. Mention role of one beneficial fungi.
- h. What is the genetic material of Covid -19?

### UNIT-II

# 2. Answer any two questions from the following: a. Write down the principle and application of Phase contrast Microscope. b. Discuss in brief about Koch's postulates. What do you mean by sterilization? c. Mention the pathogenesis of Plasmodium. Name one control agent. d. Write down five economic importance of fungi.

## 3. Answer any one question from the following:

10x1=10

- a. Discuss in brief about Carl Woese three kingdom concept of classification. Add a short note on Prion. (5+5=10)
- b. What is algal bloom? Mention the general characteristic features of Chlorophyta. What is agar-agar? (2+6+2=10)