

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2023
(Second Semester)

Branch – BIOTECHNOLOGY

IMMUNOTECHNOLOGY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

SECTION-A (5 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (5 x 1 = 5)

- 1 Any molecule that induces or elicits an immune response are -----
(i) antigens (ii) antibodies
(iii) epitope (iv) immunogens
- 2 Which of the following cells is not an antigen-presenting cell?
(i) Macrophages (ii) Polymorphonuclear neutrophils
(iii) Dendritic cells (iv) B cells
- 3 Which of the following acts as a co-receptor for B-cell activation ____?
(i) CD28 (ii) CD19
(iii) IL-2 (iv) IgA
- 4 The major molecules responsible for rejection of transplant is ____
(i) antibodies (ii) B cells
(iii) T cells (iv) MHC molecule
- 5 The process of weakening a pathogen is called -----
(i) vaccination (ii) immunization
(iii) attenuation (iv) virulence reduction

SECTION - B (15 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 3 = 15)

- 6 a Give an account on leucocyte and endothelial interaction.
OR
b Write a note on cell-associated pattern recognition receptors.
- 7 a Discuss on the structure of antigen and immunogenecity.
OR
b Summarize the generation of antibody diversity.
- 8 a Define ADCC. Add short notes on ADCC.
OR
b Write short notes on B-cell effector mechanism.
- 9 a Discuss the roles of cytokines in cellular function.
OR
b Explain the type III hypersensitivity reaction.
- 10 a Give an account on ELISPOT assay.
OR
b Write a note on the immunodetection of antigens in cells.

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SECTION -C (30 Marks)

Answer ALL questions
ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 6 = 30)

- 11 a Discuss on the types of immunity.
OR
b Describe the types of immune response.
- 12 a Explain the methodology involved in separation of immune cells by flow cytometry.
OR
b Discuss on the methods involved in preparation of fungal pathogen.
- 13 a What is MHC molecule? Explain its structure and role in immune response.
OR
b Discuss T cell receptor rearrangement.
- 14 a Write a detailed note on compliment activation.
OR
b Write notes on the characteristic features of any two autoimmune diseases.
- 15 a Discuss in detail about cancer immunotherapy.
OR
b Explain about the production and applications of monoclonal antibodies.

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