

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE**  
(AUTONOMOUS)

**MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2025**  
(Fourth Semester)

Branch – **BIOCHEMISTRY**

**IMMUNOLOGY**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (10 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

$(10 \times 1 = 10)$

| Module No. | Question No. | Question   | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|--|---------|-----|
| 1          | 1            | Which of the following primarily mediates Humoral immunity?<br>a) T cells<br>b) B cells<br>c) Macrophages<br>d) Neutrophils  | K1      | CO1 |
|            | 2            | Infer the primary immunological defect in nude mice?<br>a) Lack of mature B cells<br>b) Lack of mature T cells<br>c) Lack of macrophages<br>d) Lack of stem cells          | K2      | CO1 |
| 2          | 3            | Show the region where the endogenous antigens are degraded into peptide fragments<br>a) cytoplasm<br>b) nucleus<br>c) lysosomes<br>d) Cell wall                            | K1      | CO2 |
|            | 4            | Outline the type of T cell recognizes antigens presented by MHC class II molecules?<br>a) Cytotoxic T cells<br>b) Helper T cells<br>c) Reg T cells<br>d) NK cells          | K2      | CO2 |
| 3          | 5            | Which of the following are the immunologically active regions of an immunogen?<br>a) isotype<br>b) allotype<br>c) idiotype<br>d) epitope                                   | K1      | CO3 |
|            | 6            | Relate what Forward Scatter (FSC) primarily measure in flow cytometry?<br>a) Cell internal complexity<br>b) Cell viability<br>c) Cell size<br>d) Fluorescent intensity     | K2      | CO3 |
| 4          | 7            | Find the state of unresponsiveness to an antigen?<br>a) Clonal selection<br>b) Ignorance<br>c) Anergy<br>d) Immune Regulation  | K1      | CO4 |
|            | 8            | Show the Scientist who developed the concept of vaccination<br>a) Louis Pasteur<br>b) Edward Jenner<br>c) Carl Landsteiner<br>d) Joseph Miester                            | K2      | CO4 |
| 5          | 9            | Which of the following glycoproteins on the protein coat of virus helps it in the attachment of the virus to CD4 receptors?<br>a) GP120<br>b) GP41<br>c) GP121<br>d) GP182 | K1      | CO4 |
|            | 10           | Tell the graft when transplanted between non identical twins, is called as<br>a) Allograft<br>b) autograft<br>c) alleleograft<br>d) homograft                              | K2      | CO4 |

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**SECTION - B (35 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks  $(5 \times 7 = 35)$ 

| Module No. | Question No. | Question  | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|---|---------|-----|
| 1          | 11.a.        | Organize the mechanism involved in regulation of hematopoiesis.<br><br>(OR)                 | K3      | CO1 |
|            | 11.b.        | Identify the importance and clinical uses of stem cells.                                    |         |     |
| 2          | 12.a.        | Develop an essay on types, Chemical and biological characteristics of Antigens.<br><br>(OR) | K3      | CO2 |
|            | 12.b.        | Construct the method of Antigen processing and presentation.                                |         |     |
| 3          | 13.a.        | Simplify Precipitation and agglutination.<br><br>(OR)                                       | K4      | CO3 |
|            | 13.b.        | Analyze the principle involved in Enzyme linked immune sorbent assay with its types.        |         |     |
| 4          | 14.a.        | Examine the immune reactions involved in Type II hypersensitivity reaction.<br><br>(OR)     | K4      | CO4 |
|            | 14.b.        | Dissect the process of active and passive immunization.                                     |         |     |
| 5          | 15.a.        | Interpret the mechanism of autoimmune diseases in humans.<br><br>(OR)                       | K5      | CO4 |
|            | 15.b.        | Appraise the immune response involved in graft rejection.                                   |         |     |

**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks  $(3 \times 10 = 30)$ 

| Module No. | Question No. | Question  | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|---|---------|-----|
| 1          | 16           | Discover the development and differentiation of T cells.                            | K4      | CO1 |
| 2          | 17           | Categorize the different types of Immunoglobulin.                                   | K4      | CO2 |
| 3          | 18           | Inspect the structure, function and properties of cytokines.                        | K4      | CO3 |
| 4          | 19           | Interpret the primary immunodeficiency diseases with examples.                      | K5      | CO4 |
| 5          | 20           | Evaluate the structure of HIV, mechanism involved in depletion of CD4 cells by HIV. | K5      | CO4 |