(For the candidates admitted from 2017-2018 onwards)

M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2017.

First Semester

Applied Microbiology

BIO INSTRUMENTATION AND BIOLOGICAL TECHNIQUES

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

PART A —  $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$ 

Answer ALL the questions.

1. (a) What is buffer? Explain its with one example.

Or

- b) Write about water bath shaker.
- 2. (a) Write in detail account on low speed centrifuge.

Or

(b) What are the applications of centrifuges?

3. (a) What is southern blotting? Explain it.

Or

- (b) Write about Agnrobe gel electrophoresis.
- 4. (a) Write about the principle mechanism and uses of Ion-exchange chromntography.

Or

- (b) What is biosensor? Explain it.
- 5. (a) Write a detail account on double immuno diffusion.

Or

(b) Explain the principle and mechanism of RIA.

PART B - (5 × 10 = 50 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

6. (a) Explain in detail about principle and mechanism of pH meter.

Or

(b) Write a detail account on incubator and laminar air flow.

7. (a) Write about the principle, mechanism and uses of ultra centrifuge.

Or

- (b) Write a detail account on differential centrifugation.
- 8. (a) Explain in detail about SDS-PAGE.

Or

- (b) Write about principle procedures and uses of western blotting techniques.
- 9. (a) Write a detail account on paper chromatography.

Or

- (b) What is HPLC? Explain it in detail.
- 10. (a) What is ELISA? Explain it's principle and procedure.

Or

(b) What is agglutination? Write about different types of agglutination reaction.