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Fourth Semester

B.Sc Food Technology & Quality Assurance

Core Course - FQ4CRT01 - PRINCIPLES OF FOOD SPOILAGE & PRESERVATION

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. What is asepsis?
- 2. Add a note on "Bread mold".
- 3. Add a note on factors affecting enzymatic activity.
- 4. Comment on the effect of light on food spoilage.
- 5. Comment on fungal rotting of egg.
- 6. List out any four methods employed to prevent moldiness of bread.
- 7. Comment on the reason behind bitter flavor of milk.
- 8. What is Hydrogen swell?
- What is Blanching?
- 10. What is cellar storage?
- 11. Add a note on IMF.
- 12. Add a note on sources of irradiation.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries **5** marks.



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- 13. Discuss the role of biological structures and presence of anti nutritional factors are inhibitory substances in the protection of food against spoilage.
- 14. Explain the classification of food according to their perishability.
- 15. Add a brief note on "spoilage due to storage conditions".
- 16. Explain the spoilage of meat by molds.
- 17. Explain the spoilage of poultry meat.
- 18. What are the factors influencing kind and rate of spoilage?
- 19. Add a brief note on Sterilization of food.
- 20. Explain cryogenic freezers.
- 21. Add a note on combined preservation.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.

- 22. Explain in detail about the role of pH and Wateractivity in food spoilage.
- 23. Explain the spoilage of different kinds of meat.
- 24. Add a note on liquid food concentarion. Explain different types of evaporators used in food industry.
- 25. Describe the antimicrobial activities of Class I and Class II preservatives.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

