(For candidates admitted from 2016-2017 onwards)
B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2022.

Part III — Biotechnology — Major

IMMUNOLOGY

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

PART A — $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Answer ALL questions.

- 1. Differentiate antigenicity and immunogenicity
- 2. What is the cytokine?
- 3. Define a hapten?
- 4. Define inflammation
- 5. What are Ir genes?
- 6. What are the main functions of MHC?
- 7. What are the two a pathway by which antigen is processed?
- 8. What are plant based vaccines?

- 9. What is the significance of type I hypersensitivity?
- 10. What is an allograft?

PART B — $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

Answer ALL questions. Choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Account an Lymphnodes.

Or

- (b) Differentiate innate and acquired immunity.
- 12. (a) What are natural killer cells and its role in immunity?

Or

- (b) What is GALT? Explain its significance.
- 13. (a) Explain the basic structure and classes of immunoglobulins.

Or

- (b) Add a note on T-cell development and maturation.
- (a) Write the short notes on anti-idiotypic vaccines.

15. (a) How our immune system act against viral infections.

Or

(b) Describe in detail about immunotherapy.

PART C — $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. Essay on primary lymphoid organs
- 17. Account on macrophages and their role in phagocytosis.
- 18. How the antigens are processed and presented to various cells? Explain in detail.
- 19. How are conjugate vaccines produced and give their applications.
- 20. Account on hypersensitivity and their types.

(b) Add a note on ISCOMS.