THE CLUSTER UNIVERSITY OF SRINAGAR Syllabus for B.Sc. Ist Year (Semester -I)

Subject: Biotechnology (Session- 2017-2018)

Semester-I

Course title:

BIOMOLECULES

Unit-I

Definition and Properties of Carbohydrates; Structure and Function of Mono, Di and polysaccharides (Glucose, Mannose, Fructose, Galactose, Lactose, Sucrose, Glycogen, Starch and Cellulose); Isomerism of Carbohydrates; Mutarotation; Glycoproteins, Peptidoglycans, Lipopolysaccharides.

Unit-II

Amino acids: Structure and classification. Non-protein Amino Acids., Physical and Chemical Properties of Amino Acids. Peptide bond. Primary structure, Secondary structure, & Ramachandran Plot, Tertiary Structure of Proteins. Forces stabilizing protein structure.

Unit-III

Classification of Lipids and Fatty Acids; Structure and Function of Saturated and Unsaturated Fatty Acids, Triglycerides and Cholesterol; Structure & function of Phospholipids, Sphingolipids, Cerbrosides

Vitamins: Structure and function of water soluble (B1, 2, 6, 12, C) & lipid soluble (A,D, E, K). Hormones: properties and function of Peptide hormones, steroid hormones & Amino-acid derivatives.

Structure of Purines, Pyrimidines, Nucleosides and Nucleotides; Structure of

Biologically important Nucleotides and their function (FADH, NADH, NADPH, Co-A).

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PRACTICALS:

- 1. Good Lab Practices. Do's and Don't in Laboratory.
- 2. Introduction to the use of various Equipments used in Biotechnology Laboratory.
- 3. Different Sterilization Techniques.
- 4. Preparation of solutions and buffers with different concentrations based on Molarity, Molality and Normality.
- 5. Preparation of LB Media.

Books Recommended:

- 1. Lehninger Principles of Biochemistry by David L. Nelson, Michael M. Cox
- 2. Biochemistry by Jeremy M. Berg, John L. Tymoczko and Lubert Stryer
- 3. Biochemistry by U.Satyanarayan.
- 4. Molecular Cloning: A Laboratory Manual (Fourth Edition) by Michael R Green, Joseph, Sambrook.

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