

KUVEMPU UNIVERSITY

BIOTECHNOLOGY

Bachelor of science (B.Sc.) Semester scheme
Curriculum structure for upgraded programme – 2024-25
In accordance with SEP

Sl. No	Course/ Paper Code	Title of Paper	Subject Category	Teaching hours	Semester end exams	Internal assessment	Total marks	Credits	Examination duration
Semester - 1									
1	BT – MC -I	Biomolecules and metabolism	MC – T	04	80	20	100	03	3Hrs
	Practical -1		MC – P	04	40	10	50	02	3Hrs
Total				08	120	30	150	05	--
Semester - 2									
2	BT –MC - II	Cell and molecular biology	MC – T	04	80	20	100	03	3Hrs
	Practical - II		MC – P	04	40	10	50	02	3Hrs
Total				08	120	30	150	05	--
Semester - 3									
3	BT –MC - III	Microbial technique, biophysics and biostatistics	MC – T	04	80	20	100	03	3Hrs
	Practical - III		MC – P	04	40	10	50	02	3Hrs
4	Elective/ Optional	Immunology and Immonotechniques	EL/ OP -1	02	40	10	50	02	2Hrs
		Genomics and Proteomics							
Total				10	160	40	200	07	--
Semester - 4									
5	BT – MC - IV	Genetic Engineering and Bioinformatics	MC – T	04	80	20	100	03	3Hrs
	Practical - IV		MC – P	04	40	10	50	02	3Hrs
6	Elective/	Environmental	EL/	02	40	10	50	02	2 Hrs

	Optional	Biotechnology	OP -2						
		Medical Biotechnology and Bionanotechnology							
7	BT-Skill-1	Bioinformatics	Skill-1	04	40	10	50	02	3 Hrs
Total				14	200	50	250	09	--
Semester - 5									
8	BT –MC - V	Plant Biotechnology	MC – T	04	80	20	100	03	3Hrs
9	BT –MC - VI	Animal Biotechnology	MC – T	04	80	20	100	03	3Hrs
	Practical - V	Plant and Animal Biotechnology	MC – P	04	40	10	50	02	3Hrs
10	BT-Skill-2	Molecular Diagnostics	Skill-2	04	40	10	50	02	3Hrs
Total				16	240	60	300	10	--
Semester - 6									
11	BT –MC - VII	Bioprocess Technology	MC – T	04	80	20	100	03	3Hrs
12	BT –MC - VIII	Advances in Biotechnology	MC – T	04	80	20	100	03	3Hrs
	Practical- VI	Bioprocess Technology and Advances in Biotechnology	MC – P	04	40	10	50	02	3Hrs
13	BT-Skill-3	Research Methodology	Skill-3	04	40	10	50	02	3Hrs
Total				16	240	60	300	10	--
Grand Total				72	1080	270	1350	46	

IV Semester B.Sc. Degree (SEP Scheme)

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Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology	Semester	Fourth
Course Title	Bioinformatics		
Course No.	BT -Skill –1	Practical	No. of Credits 02
Contact hours	64 hrs	Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks	10	Summative Assessment Marks	40

The course provides a comprehensive introduction to bioinformatics with a focus on applications in the life sciences. It covers the fundamentals of biological databases, sequence analysis, molecular phylogenetics, protein structure analysis, ADMET (Absorption, Distribution, Metabolism, Excretion, and Toxicity) profiling, target prediction, and primer design. The curriculum emphasizes hands-on, experimental learning through structured computer-based exercises.

Key practical components include:

- Retrieval of nucleotide and protein sequences from public databases (e.g., GenBank, UniProt).
- Sequence similarity searches using BLAST.
- Multiple sequence alignment and phylogenetic tree construction.
- Protein structure visualization and analysis using freely available tools.
- Computational ADMET property prediction for drug discovery.
- Drug–disease target prediction using bioinformatics approaches.
- Primer design for PCR and related applications.
- Interpretation of bioinformatics outputs.

By integrating theoretical foundations with practical exercises, the course builds a strong base in bioinformatics concepts and equips learners with essential computational skills for modern biological research.

V Semester B.Sc. Degree (SEP Scheme) BIOTECHNOLOGY

Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology		Semester	Fifth
Course Title	Plant Biotechnology			
Course No.	BT -MC – V T	Theory	No. of Credits	03
Contact hours	64 hrs		Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks		20	Summative Assessment Marks	80

Unit 1: Fundamentals of Plant Tissue Culture 16 Hrs

Definition, history, and scope of plant tissue culture. Concept of cellular totipotency and differentiation. Plant tissue culture laboratory layout and facilities. Equipment used in tissue culture (laminar airflow cabinet, autoclave, culture racks, growth chamber). Sterilization methods and aseptic handling techniques.

Composition of plant tissue culture media. Preparation of Murashige and Skoog (MS) medium. Role of plant growth regulators (auxins, cytokinins, gibberellins). Selection of explants, surface sterilization, and inoculation procedures.

Callus culture, Direct and indirect organogenesis, organ cultures-embryo culture, meristem culture.

Unit 2: Advanced Techniques in Plant Tissue Culture 16 Hrs

Somatic embryogenesis — concept, stages, and applications. Synthetic seed production and its applications.

Establishment and maintenance of cell suspension cultures — batch and continuous cultures. Production of secondary metabolites using cell cultures. Protoplast culture — isolation, culture, protoplast fusion techniques, somatic hybridization, and cybridization.

Haploid culture through anther and microspore culture. Somaclonal variation and its significance in crop improvement.

Unit 3: Plant Genetic Engineering and Molecular Techniques 16 Hrs

Principles of plant genetic transformation. Gene constructs, promoters, and selectable markers. Methods of gene transfer — Agrobacterium-mediated transformation, biolistic method, electroporation, and chemical-mediated transformation.

Selection, screening, and regeneration of transformed plants. Molecular confirmation of transgenic plants using PCR and reporter genes.

Brief introduction to genome editing tools (CRISPR-based approaches) in plants.

Unit 4: Applications of Plant Biotechnology 16 Hrs

Micropropagation for large-scale plant production. Production of disease-free plants. Germplasm conservation — cryopreservation and in vitro conservation. Marker-assisted selection in crop improvement.

Applications of plant genetic engineering in crop improvement, stress tolerance, and disease resistance. Role of plant biotechnology in sustainable agriculture and medicinal plant improvement.

Molecular pharming — production of therapeutic proteins, vaccines, and bioactive compounds using transgenic plants.

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10. Vasil, I.K., and Vasil, V. (2007). Molecular Improvement of Cereal Crops. Dordrecht: Springer
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Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology	Semester	Fifth
Course Title	Animal biotechnology		
Course No.	BT -MC – VI T	Theory	No. of Credits 03
Contact hours	64hrs	Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks	20	Summative Assessment Marks	80

Unit 1:

Cell Culture

16 Hrs

Historical and scope, Requirements for cell culture- Laboratory design, culture vessels, equipment's, aseptic handling and safety regulations. Advantages and limitations.

Culture Medium: Physico-chemical factors, Natural Media-Lymph clot, Blood plasma & serum and Embryo extract. Synthetic media- Composition of Balanced Salt solutions, Minimal Essential Medium and growth media. Importance of Serum.

Primary culture- Introduction, Animal selection, tissue, isolation and disaggregation; Mechanical and enzymatic disaggregation: Trypsin and collagenase. Cell expansion techniques- Flask cultures, test tube cultures; Cell quantitation. Organ cultures- characteristics, methods and limitations, Histotypic culture techniques. Suspension culture

Unit-II:

Cell Lines:

16 Hrs

Biology of cultured cells- Culture Environment-Evolution of cell lines, functional environment of cultures. Sub culturing and designation of cell lines, Cell selection- Finite/continuous cell line, species, normal or transformed; growth characteristics and growth phases. Routine maintenance, Examples of cell lines.

Selection and Cloning of Cells: Objectives of cloning, cloning, monolayer and suspension cells; Limiting-dilution and Soft-Agar methods; Isolation techniques- irradiation, broken cover slip, and capillary technique. Cell synchronization- Physical and chemical methods.

Cell Viability and Cytotoxicity assays: Introduction. Toxicity and Viability Assays - Membrane integrity: Enzyme release, Dye exclusion, MTT and Fluorescent dyes.

Unit:III

Cell Process:

16 Hrs

Cell separation: Physical methods- Density gradient centrifugation and Centrifugal elutriation. Biological Methods- Panning, Magnetic cell sorting and Fluorescence-activated cell sorter (FACS). Applications of separation methods. Cryo-preservation of Animal Cells and Tissues - Principles of freezing and thawing of cells. Cell Banks.

Scale up of animal cell culture: General methods practical consideration of growth kinetics, medium and nutrients, pH, oxygen. Monolayer cultures- Roller bottle modifications, large

capacity stationary cultures, unit process system microcarrier cultures. Suspension cultures - Stirred bioreactors, Airlift fermenters. Immobilized cultures - Immobilization cultures, Entrapment cultures and Porous carriers.

Unit IV:

Application of Animal Cell culture:

16 Hrs

Artificial Animal Breeding: Artificial Insemination and Germ Cell Storage, *In vitro* Fertilization (IVF) and Embryo Transfer; Superovulation: Physiological Basis, Influencing Factors, Freezing of embryos, Embryo sexing, Micromanipulation of Embryos - Embryo Splitting, Nuclear Transplantation and Gene injection techniques, Advantages of Cell Manipulation.

Molecular Pharming: Introduction. Creating Transgenic, Biopharmaceuticals: Generation of Vaccines. Transgenic Animals; Methods for production of Transgenic Animals, Applications of Transgenic Mice, Transgenic fish, Transgenic Sheep, Transgenic Chickens Transgenic Pigs and cow.

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1. Watson, J.D. and Gilman, M. 1992. Recombinant DNA, 2nd ed. Scientific American Book New York.
2. Freshney, I. 1987. Culture of Animal Cells. A Manual of Basic Technique 2nd ed., New York.
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5. Ashok Mukhopadhyay, 2009. Animal Cell Technology. I. K. International.
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8. Stakey G. and Davis J. 2007. Medicines from Animal Culture. John Wiley & Sons Ltd.
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Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology	Semester	Fifth
Course Title	Plant and Animal biotechnology		
Course No.	BT -MC – VP	Practical	No. of Credits 02
Contact hours	64hrs	Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks	10	Summative Assessment Marks	40

Practical experiments:

1. Laboratory organization of basic and commercial plant tissue culture/animal cell culture
2. Aseptic techniques and sterile handling
3. Preparation of plant tissue culture media
4. Explant preparation and inoculation.
5. Callus culture technique.
6. Shoot tip/Meristem culture.
7. Anther culture technique
8. Synthetic seed production
9. Preparation of cell culture media: Preparation of basic cell culture media, such as Dulbecco's Modified Eagle Medium (DMEM), antibiotics, and other required additives.
10. Extraction of serum/plasma.
11. Filter sterilization: Practice filter sterilization for sensitive media ingredients.
12. Cell segregation and viability assessment

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Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology	Semester	Fifth
Course Title	Molecular Diagnostics		
Course No.	BT -Skill –2	Practical	No. of Credits 02
Contact hours	64 hrs	Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks	10	Summative Assessment Marks	40

This course provides comprehensive theoretical and practical training in biochemical, immunological, and genetic engineering techniques essential for modern diagnostics. Students will gain hands-on expertise in operating diagnostic instrumentation, interpreting complex data, and implementing rigorous quality control standards. By bridging the gap between theory and "bench-ready" practice, the curriculum prepares graduates for high-impact careers in clinical laboratories, biotechnology, and personalized medicine.

The Key Practical components include:

- Validation of serum biomarkers such as Glucose, Creatine, lipids, haemoglobin.
- Validation of Antigen and antibody interaction by haemagglutination, immunodiffusion, ELISA, Immunoblotting
- Morphological identification and counting of immune cells
- Erythrocyte sedimentation rate (ESR) from blood sample.
- Analysis of DNA- Agarose gel electrophoresis, Polymerase chain reaction

By merging theoretical foundations with practical application, this course establishes a diagnostic strategy and equips learners with the essential skills required for diagnosis of diseases.

VI Semester B.Sc. Degree (SEP Scheme) BIOTECHNOLOGY

Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology		Semester	Sixth
Course Title	Bioprocess Technology			
Course No.	BT -MC – VII T	Theory	No. of Credits	03
Contact hours	64hrs		Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks		20	Summative Assessment Marks	80

Unit I – Fundamentals of Bioprocess Technology Hrs

16

Introduction to bioprocess technology: definition, historical development, and scope. Overview of major bioprocess industries including pharmaceutical, food, agriculture, and environmental sectors.

Microorganisms used in bioprocessing such as bacteria, yeast, and fungi and their role in the production of industrial products.

Microbial growth kinetics, growth curve phases, and principles of microbial cultivation. Factors influencing microbial growth and productivity including temperature, pH, oxygen availability, nutrients, and mixing.

Unit II – Upstream Processing and Fermentation Technology

16 Hrs

Principles and components of upstream processing. Selection, improvement, and maintenance of industrial microbial strains. Inoculum development and inoculum scale-up strategies.

Media formulation, optimization, and preparation. Sterilization of media, air, and bioprocess equipment.

Fundamentals of fermentation technology. Types of fermentation processes including aerobic and anaerobic fermentation. Fermentation techniques such as submerged and solid-state fermentation. Overview of industrial fermentation process flow.

Unit III – Bioreactors and Bioprocess Monitoring Hrs

16

Design and construction of bioreactors. Basic components and working principles of bioreactors.

Types of bioreactors including stirred tank, airlift, and packed bed reactors. Operating parameters affecting bioprocess performance such as temperature, pH, dissolved oxygen, agitation, aeration, and foam formation.

Bioprocess monitoring and control systems. Sensors and analytical probes. Introduction to bioprocess automation and principles of scale-up from laboratory to pilot and industrial scale.

Principles and stages of downstream processing.

Cell separation and harvesting techniques including filtration and centrifugation. Cell disruption methods for intracellular products. Product recovery and purification strategies. Separation and purification techniques such as precipitation, chromatography, and membrane-based processes.

Industrial applications of bioprocess technology in the production of antibiotics (Streptomycin), enzymes (amylase), vaccines (Hepatitis B vaccine), biofuels (Bioethanol), and Wine.

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2. Doran, P. M. (2013). *Bioprocess Engineering Principles* (2nd ed.). London: Academic Press.
3. Shuler, M. L., & Kargi, F. (2017). *Bioprocess Engineering: Basic Concepts* (3rd ed.). New Delhi: Prentice Hall of India.
4. Nielsen, J., Villadsen, J., & Lidén, G. (2017). *Bioreaction Engineering Principles* (3rd ed.). New York: Springer.
5. Crueger, W., & Crueger, A. (2000). *Biotechnology: A Textbook of Industrial Microbiology* (2nd ed.). New Delhi: Panima Publishing.
6. Dutta, K. L. (2010). *Biochemical Engineering*. New Delhi: CBS Publishers.
7. Prescott, S. C., & Dunn, C. G. (2004). *Industrial Microbiology* (4th ed.). New Delhi: CBS Publishers.
8. Sibi, G. (2018). *Industrial Microbiology and Biotechnology*. Himalaya Publishing House.
9. B. Sivasankar. (2006). *Bioseparations: Principles and Techniques*. PHI; New title edition.
10. U. Satyanarayana. (2020). *Biotechnology*. Books and Allied (P) Ltd

Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology	Semester	Sixth
Course Title	Advances in Biotechnology		
Course No.	BT -MC – VIII T	Theory	No. of Credits 03
Contact hours	64 hrs	Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks	20	Summative Assessment Marks	80

Unit 1: Stem Cell biotechnology:

16 hrs

Introduction, potency and hierarchy-Totipotent, pluripotent, multipotent and unipotent cells. Stem cell self-renewal and differentiation. Early embryonic development-blastocyst and the origin of Embryonic Stem Cells (ESCs).

Stem Cell characterization: Isolation, culture and ethical considerations. Adult Stem Cells (Mesenchymal & Hematopoietic): Sourcing from bone marrow and umbilical cord blood. Characterization Techniques: Flow Cytometry (FACS) and Immunocytochemistry .

Clinical applications: Tissue Engineering- scaffolds and biomaterials, designing 3D structures biocompatible polymers. Organoids and Spheroids: growing "mini-organs", drug testing and disease modelling. Therapeutic applications, Stem cell banks.

Unit 2: Medicine Biotechnology:

16 hrs

Biopharmaceuticals: Introduction, small-molecule drugs (aspirin) and large-molecule biopharmaceuticals (insulin, monoclonal antibodies).Classification: Proteins, peptides, monoclonal antibodies (mAbs), Recombinant and RNA vaccines and nucleic acid-based drugs. Cancer immunotherapeutics.

Hormone and cytokine Therapy: Introduction, uses of Insulin (Humulin), Human growth hormone. Somatostatin and Erythropoietin hormones. Cytokines as Therapeutics agents, Preparation of Cytokines by Recombinant DNA Technology.

Antisense Therapeutics – Introduction, Applications of RNAi, Advantages of Antisense drugs. RNA Interference Technology. Mechanism of RNAi, siRNA Synthesis and delivery Strategies. Micro RNA.

Unit 3: Pharmaceutical Biotechnology:16 hrs

Animal Handling: Introduction to various laboratory animal and their requirements; An overview behaviour of animal; animal control tools; animal Restraint; handling; animal markings; Ageing requirement;

Pharmacokinetics: Drugs-Natural and synthetic, Routes of drug administration; dosage fixation, ADME analysis, Toxicity analysis.

Quality Control & Regulatory Affairs: Good Laboratory practices (GLP) and Good Manufacturing practices (GMP): Biosimilars: The generic version of biological drugs and the regulatory hurdles for approval: Clinical Trials: Phases I, II, and III for biotechnological products.

Unit 4: Regulatory and Legal Biotechnology

16 Hrs

Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), purpose and importance in biotechnology. Types-patents, copyrights, trademarks, trade secrets and geographical indications. Fundamentals of patents — basic requirements, filing process and protection of biotechnology inventions. IPR issues related to biological resources, traditional knowledge and biodiversity.

Biosafety and its importance in biotechnology laboratories and industries. Basic concepts of biological risk assessment and containment levels. Safe handling of genetically modified organisms (GMOs). Overview of national and international biosafety guidelines. Laboratory safety measures and proper waste disposal practices.

Bioethics and ethical principles in biological research. Ethical issues related to genetic engineering, transgenic organisms, and biomedical applications. Social and environmental impacts of biotechnology. Overview of ethical and regulatory frameworks guiding biotechnology research and applications.

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8. Essentials of genomics and Bioinformatics by CW Sensen. Wiley-VCH publication.

Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology	Semester	Sixth
Course Title	Bioprocess Technology and Advances in Biotechnology		
Course No.	BT -MC – VIP	Practical	No. of Credits 02
Contact hours	64 hrs	Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks	10	Summative Assessment Marks	40

Experiments:

1. Good laboratory practices and good manufacturing practices
2. Determination of acidity of milk by titrimetric method.
3. Amylase production test (Demonstration of starch hydrolysis)
4. Casein hydrolysis test
5. Production of gelatinase (Hydrolysis of gelatin)
6. Microbial production (demonstration) and quantitative estimation of citric acid
7. Production of wine from grapes
8. Estimation of unfermented sugar and percentage of alcohol in the wine sample
9. Determination protein from the crude extract by ammonium sulphate precipitation method
10. Computational analysis of ADMET
11. Case study on bioethics

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Program Name	B. Sc Biotechnology	Semester	Sixth
Course Title	Research Methodology		
Course No.	BT -Skill –3 Practical	No. of Credits	02
Contact hours	64 hrs	Duration of Exam	3 Hours
Formative Assessment Marks		10	Summative Assessment Marks 40

The course module equips students with the essential tools to transform raw laboratory data into professional scientific contributions. By mastering biostatistics, learners will gain the ability to collect, analyze, and represent data. The Literature Review component ensures students can navigate global databases and help them to master Scientific Writing and Presentation,

The Key practical components include:

- Basics in biostatics through MS-Excel, - Sample collection, Mean, Median and Mode, standard deviation, Coefficient of variation and Data representation.
- Literature review: Sources of Literature, conventional sources-indexes and abstracts, journals; Computer-based sources -Pub med, Science Direct, Search engines, Google Scholar, Research gate.
- Scientific Report Writing and Presentations: Writing principles, Components of Reports- Table, Graphs, Figure, Bibliography. Format of the Research report. Research Paper, Dissertation/ Thesis, Project proposal. Data presentation in oral and poster presentations for seminars/conferences.

By merging theoretical foundations with practical application, this module establishes a the students top prepare students to involve in research activities.