**BIOF212 MICROBIOLOGY LABORATORY**

**Set-A 10-12-2022**

1. **Observe the given slide (A/B/C) under the microscope and mention its features only in the table below (BASED ON YOUR SET- A/B/C). [1MX6 = 6M]**

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| Slide Number | Shape of the cells (1M) | Color of the cells (1M) | Identify the Staining technique (1M) | Name the stain  (1° stain if applicable)  (1M) | Name the stain  (2° if applicable) (1M) | Name of the mordant (if used) (1M) |
| C |  |  |  |  |  |  |

1. **Observe the given spotter and answer the following questions according to your set no (e.g., A/B/C). [1X6 = 6M]**

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| Name the test (mention full name) (1M) |  |
| What is importance of this experiment (1M) |  |
| Name the dye used (1M) |  |
| What is the name of the dye in decolorized form (1M) |  |
| Type of milk in the tube (1M) |  |
| Explain the reason for change in dye color (1M) |  |

1. **Identify and name the type of microorganism based on the condition in which they thrive and replicate. (3M)**
2. **Temp-** **55°C, 10% NaCl, pH 11.0**

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| Condition | Name based on Temperature [1M] | Name based on Salt conditions [1M] | Name based on pH condition [1M] |
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1. **(I) Observe the given spotter (based on your set number- A/B/C) thoroughly and mention your answer. Based on the plates observed, mention your answer only in the set provided for spotter set A/B/C. [3M]**

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| Which of the following Strains will grow on the given LB Agar Plate? (Answer Y/N) | C (LB Agar Tetracycline and Streptomycin) (Answer Y/N) |
| Donor [1M] |  |
| Recipient [1M] |  |
| Conjugated [1M] |  |

1. **Based on your observation from the bacterial conjugation experiment, (7M)**
   * + - 1. **What is the name of the plasmid carried by donor strain? Why the donor strain is named so, what does it donate? [1M + 2M =3M]**
         2. **Name the bacterial structure that allows Conjugation? [1M]**
         3. **Explain the basis for peculiar antibiotic resistance pattern observed for Donor, recipient and Conjugated strain. [3M]**
2. **Observe the given spotter set thoroughly and mention your answer. (5M)**
3. **What is the name of the structure in the plate provided as spotter? [1M]**
4. **Name the organism and its life cycle stage responsible for these structures. [1+1 =2M]**
5. **Calculate the PFU/ml taking the dilution and volume into consideration? (1M for clearly writing the formula used and 1M for finding the correct answer) [2M]**