

**M. Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION : OCTOBER 2022****SEMESTER 1 : AQUACULTURE AND FISH PROCESSING****COURSE : 21P1AQCT02: BIOPHYSICS, INSTRUMENTATION, MICRO TECHNIQUES AND RESEARCH  
METHODOLOGY***(For Regular - 2022 Admission and Supplementary - 2021 Admission)*

Duration : Three Hours

Max. Weights: 30

**PART A****Answer any 8 questions****Weight: 1**

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| 1. Role of urea in elasmobranchs                                    | (U, CO 4)       |
| 2. Why do lipophilic compounds easily pass through plasma membrane? | (An, CO 4)      |
| 3. Photodiode.  | (U, CO 1)       |
| 4. Applications of Affinity chromatography.                         | (A, CO 1, CO 2) |
| 5. Capillary electrophoresis.                                       | (A, CO 2)       |
| 6. Cryostat   | (An, CO 3)      |
| 7. What is pure research?   | (An, CO 5)      |
| 8. What is primary data collection in research?                     | (U, CO 5)       |
| 9. What are the characteristics of a good research report?          | (An, CO 5)      |
| 10. What are the characteristics of popular report?                 | (An, CO 5)      |
- (1 x 8 = 8)**

**PART B****Answer any 6 questions****Weights: 2**

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| 11. What is Gibbs – Donnan membrane equilibrium . Explain its significance ? | (U, CO 1)              |
| 12. Distinguish between passive transport and active transport.              | (E, CO 4)              |
| 13. Explain the applications of spectrophotometers.                          | (An, CO 1, CO 2)       |
| 14. Explain the principle and applications of paper chromatography.          | (U, CO 2)              |
| 15. Outline the procedure for SDS-PAGE.                                      | (A, CO 2)              |
| 16. Explain how ultrastructures are studied using electron microscopy.       | (An, CO 1, CO 2, CO 3) |
| 17. Describe the process of preparing a whole mount.                         | (An, CO 2, CO 3)       |
| 18. What are the objectives of research?                                     | (A, CO 5)              |
- (2 x 6 = 12)**

**PART C****Answer any 2 questions****Weights: 5**

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| 19. Explain the working and application of an Atomic Absorption spectrophotometer.                   | (A, CO 2)       |
| 20. Explain the principle and applications of Affinity chromatography.                               | (R, CO 1, CO 2) |
| 21. Explain separation of proteins using a suitable electrophoretic technique in a biological sample | (E, CO 1, CO 2) |
| 22. Explain the processing of tissues for electron microscopy studies.                               | (Cr, CO 3)      |
- (5 x 2 = 10)**

OBE: Questions to Course Outcome Mapping

CO	Course Outcome Description	CL	Questions	Total Wt.
CO 1	Understand the principles and operation of octoelectric equipment's in biological research	U	3, 4, 11, 13, 16, 20, 21	18
CO 2	Create information on biophysics and instrumentation as applied to aquaculture	A	4, 5, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21	27
CO 3	Evaluate detailed anatomic studies with the help of micro techniques	E	6, 16, 17, 22	10
CO 4	Understand the basic principles of physiology as applied to aquaculture systems	U	1, 2, 12	4
CO 5	Understand introduction to research methods as a prelude to research work at higher level.	U	7, 8, 9, 10, 18	6

Cognitive Level (CL): Cr - CREATE; E - EVALUATE; An - ANALYZE; A - APPLY; U - UNDERSTAND; R - REMEMBER;