VANITA VISHRAM WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.Sc.) HONOURS IN BIOTECHNOLOGY

Under Learning Outcomes Based Curriculum Framework

(LOCF)

For Undergraduate (UG) Education

SEMESTER - 3

Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)

Syllabus applicable to the students seeking admission in the following Program

B.Sc. Biotechnology under LOCF w.e.f. the Academic Year 2021-2022

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.SC.) BIOTECHNOLOGY HONOURS SEMESTER 3

CORE COURSE PAPER 1

ENZYMOLOGY

Course Objectives:

- Enzymology is a requisite discipline which plays central role for many, such as biochemistry, genetic engineering, industrial biotechnology, clinical diagnostics as it is regulating all metabolic reactions, central dogmas of biology.
- Enzymology has so many applications in diverse areas like industries, genetic manipulation to get better life, forensic science which make it a favorite area of scientific exploration.

Course Outcome:

- Introduction to enzymes, their working and kinetics.
- Regulation of Enzyme activity.
- Strategies for extraction and purification of enzymes.
- Applications of enzymes.

BT15010 - THEORY COURSE CONTENT			
(4 Credits)			
UNIT 1	Enzymes		
	History		
	Chemical nature and properties of enzymes: Holoenzyme, apoenzyme,		
	Cofactors, coenzyme, prosthetic groups, metalloenzymes, monomeric &		
	oligomeric enzymes, zymogen or proenzyme		
	Enzyme specificity		
	Nomenclature and classification of Enzymes.	17	
	Working of enzymes: Activation energy and transition state, enzyme	lectures	
	activity, specific activity, Active site (common features of active sites)		
	Mechanism of enzyme action:		
	Enzyme kinetics: Michaelis-Menten equation and its derivation; Different		
	plots for the determination of Km and Vmax and their physiological		
	significance		
	Factors affecting Enzyme Activity		
UNIT 2	Regulation of Enzyme Activity		
	Enzyme inhibition: types of inhibition, suicide inhibitor.		
	Non protein enzymes	17	
	Isoenzymes,	1/	
	Allosteric enzyme		
	Enzyme inhibition		
	Units of enzyme activity		
UNIT 3	Extraction and Purification of Enzymes		
	Factors affecting isolation of enzyme/ source selection of enzyme	14	
	Sources for enzyme production	lectures	
	Extraction of soluble, membrane bound enzymes		
	Purification of enzymes: preliminary and advanced methods		

	Applications of enzyme	12	
	Clinical significance of enzymes/biological roles of enzymes	lectures	
UNIT 4	Application of enzymes in medicine, forensic science and food industry		
	Enzyme immobilization		
	Biosensors		
SUGGESTED READING			
1. Biochemistry, Lubert Stryer, 6th Edition, WH Freeman, 2006.			
2. Harper's illustrated Biochemistry by Robert K. Murray, David A Bender, Kathleen M.Botham,			
Peter J. Kennelly, Victor W. Rodwell, P. Anthony Weil. 28th Edition, McGrawHill, 2009.			
3. Biochemistry, Donald Voet and Judith Voet, 2nd Edition, Publisher: John Wiley and Sons, 1995.			
4. Biochemistry by Mary K.Campbell & Shawn O.Farrell, 5th Edition, Cenage Learning, 2005.			
5. Fundamentals of Enzymology Nicholas Price and Lewis Stevens Oxford University Press 1999			
6. Fundamentals of Enzyme Kinetics Athel Cornish-Bowden Portland Press 2004			
7. Practical Enzymology Hans Bisswanger Wiley–VCH 2004			
8. The Or	The Organic Chemistry of Enzyme-catalyzed Reactions Richard B. Silverman Academic Press		
2002			

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