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(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2009 – 10 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: BY/PC/IM34

M. Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2011 BIOTECHNOLOGY

THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : CORE

PAPER : IMMUNOTECHLOGY

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS: $(20 \times 1 = 20)$

DEFINE / EXPLAIN THE FOLLOWING.

- 1. Interferons
- 2. Lymph
- 3. HLA
- 4. Neutrophils
- 5. Histamine
- 6. MHC
- 7. Hybridomas
- 8. RID
- 9. Lymphokines
- 10. Perforin
- 11. Cytokines
- 12. Myeloma cells
- 13.Haptens
- 14. ELISA
- 15.DTH Typing
- 16. Toxoids
- 17. Epitopes
- 18.Lympholysis
- 19. Thymosin
- 20. Electrophoresis

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SECTION - B

ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS. EACH IN ABOUT 600WORDS: $(4 \times 10 = 40)$

- 21. Give an account on Lymphoid organs and discuss their function.
- 22. Briefly explain the characteristic features and classification of antigen.
- 23. Write a note on autoimmune disorders.
- 24. Explain recombinant DNA vaccines.
- 25. Briefly discuss the types of immunoglobulins.
- 26. Discuss T cell maturation and activation.

SECTION - C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH IN ABOUT 1500WORDS : (2x20 = 40)

- 27. Discuss monoclonal antibodies and hybridoma technology.
- 28. Explain innate and adaptive immunity.
- 29. What are macrophages? Explain macrophage culture and assay for macrophage activation.
- 30. Write short notes on
 - a) active and passive immunization
 - b) Role of cytokines in immune response
