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FOURTH SEMESTER (CBCSS-UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025

BHA

BHA 4B 08—FOOD PRODUCTION - II (Theory)

(2019–2023 Admissions)

Time: Two Hours and a Half

Maximum: 80 Marks

Part A

Answer the following in not exceeding one paragraph each.

Each question carries 2 marks.

Maximum 25 marks.

- 1. What is the Indian equivalent of the term "spices"?
- 2. What is the importance of using high-quality equipment in food production?
- 3. What is the primary consideration when planning menus for school/college students?
- 4. What technique is used to incorporate air into frozen desserts?
- 5. What is the purpose of a garnish on a dish?
- 6. What factors should be considered for transport/mobile catering menu planning?
- 7. Name two popular British dishes.
- 8. What curing process is used to make prosciutto?
- 9. Mention two common thickening agents used in Indian cooking
- 10. What is the main purpose of adding cumin seeds in Indian dishes?
- 11. Name three commonly used spices in Indian cookery and their primary roles.
- 12. Mention two practical difficulties involved in indenting.
- 13. What are the key ingredients in Italian pesto?
- 14. What is the main difference between short crust and laminated pastries?
- 15. What is the function of salt in bread dough?

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Part B

Answer the following in not exceeding 120 words. Each question carries 5 marks. Maximum 35 marks.

- 16. Explain the importance of using high-quality equipment in quantity food production. How does the specification of equipment impact the efficiency and safety of operations?
- 17. Compare and contrast the flavours and ingredients commonly used in British and Middle Eastern cuisines.
- 18. Describe the basic components of a sandwich and explain their roles.
- 19. Explain the role of fats and sugars in the preparation of buttercream icing. Discuss the factors that influence the texture and stability of buttercream icing.
- 20. Explain the process of tempering chocolate and its importance in the production of chocolate coatings and confections.
- 21. Explain the significance of spices in Indian cuisine and their role in enhancing flavour and aroma. Also, list five commonly used spices in Indian cooking and their culinary uses
- 22. Discuss the role of preventive maintenance in ensuring the longevity and optimal performance of equipment used in quantity food production.
- 23. Discuss the different types of sandwich fillings and provide examples of each category.

(Maximum 35 marks)

Part C

Answer any **two** questions in not exceeding 3 pages each. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 24. Identify and discuss the key parameters to consider for effective quantity food menu planning
- 25. Discuss the different types of sausages and forcemeats, including their ingredients, preparation methods, and culinary uses.
- 26. Explain the concept of non-edible displays and their potential applications. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of using such displays compared to traditional edible displays
- 27. Discuss the importance of baking temperature in bread making and its impact on the final product.

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