UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

EXAMINATION:

Final Examination

May 2006

PROGRAM:

Bachelor of Environmental Health Science IV

COURSE:

Food Fermentation and Dairy Science

COURSE CODE:

EHS 513

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FIVE (5) QUESTIONS

TIME ALLOWED: 2.5 Hours

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QUESTION 1

a) Briefly discuss the commonly used carbon sources for most fermentations

(15 Marks)

b) Briefly describe two possible sources of micro-organisms that can be used for fermentation culture.

(5 Marks)

QUESTION 2

Explain fed - batch culture systems and briefly describe any of its four possible applications in food fermentations.

(20 Marks)

QUESTION 3

Explain four reasons for preventing contamination of fermentation systems and briefly describe five practices that you can employ to prevent contamination of your fermentation process. (20 Marks)

QUESTION 4

Discuss the fermentation technology of meat sausages

(20 Marks)

QUESTION 5

Explain and illustrate fermentation of milk lactose to organic products

(20 Marks)

QUESTION 6

Write short notes about:

a) Alcoholic dairy drinks

(10 Marks)

b) Value adding of cheese whey

(10 Marks)