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B.Sc., Sem.-V

Elective-305 : Biochemistry

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 70

- Instructions :** (1) All questions carry equal marks.
(2) Draw diagram wherever necessary.

1. (a) Discuss : Isolation, purification & estimation of DNA. **14**
OR
List the properties of an ideal vector. **8**
(b) Draw & explain various steps in gene cloning. **6**
2. Write a note : (any **two**) **14**
(a) Southern blotting technique.
(b) Restriction mapping.
(c) Sanger's method of DNA sequencing.
3. Explain the followings : (any **two**) **14**
(a) The principle & steps of PCR.
(b) Applications of PCR & its advantages over gene cloning.
(c) Variations of PCR
4. (a) Write a note on : Mancini immunodiffusion & Ouchterlony immunodiffusion method. **7**
(b) State principle behind ELISA. Explain the technique & state its application. **7**
OR
(a) Discuss Hybridoma technique & state its applications.
(b) Write a note on Immuno electrophoresis.
5. Answer in brief. **14**
(1) Draw & label λ phage genome. **2**
(2) Give the nomenclature of restriction enzyme giving an example. **2**
(3) Define : PROBE & NICK. **2**
(4) What is insertional inactivation ? **2**
(5) State principle behind RIA. **2**
(6) State the full form of : SIRD & DIRD. **2**
(7) Name the scientists who developed monoclonal antibody technique. **2**

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**Elective-305 : Biochemistry
(Plant Biochemistry)**

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1. (a) Write a short note on Photo pigment system. 7
(b) Short note on phyto-pigments. 7
- OR**
- (a) Give functions and structure of chloroplast. 7
(b) Explain cyclic and acyclic photophosphorylation. 7
2. Write short note on any **two** of the following : 14
 - (a) Electron Transport System.
 - (b) Factors affecting Photosynthesis.
 - (c) Plant Cell Structure.
3. Write short note on following : (any **two**) 14
 - (a) Chemotropism and Phototropism
 - (b) Auxins
 - (c) Gibbrelin
4. Write any **two** of the following : 14
 - (a) Effect of volatile hormone.
 - (b) Functions of Cytokinins.
 - (c) Give general characteristics of Hormones - & - sites of synthesis.
5. Write as follow :
 - (a) Explain Light Reaction. 6
 - (b) Sources/origin of ABA, 2, 4-D and GA. 4
 - (c) Give structure of Ethelene and its one function. 4

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Vocational Biotechnology (Genetics)**

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- I. (A) In summer squash, white fruit is dominant over yellow fruit colour and disk shaped fruit is dominant over sphere shaped fruit. If a squash plant true breeding for white, disk-shaped fruit is crossed with a plant true – breeding for yellow, sphere – shaped fruit, what will the phenotypic and genotypic ratios be for the F1 generation and the F2 generation? Explain which of Mendel's law does it obey. 7
- (B) What is epistasis ? Giving an example each, explain what dominant and recessive epistasis. 7

OR

- (A) Write in detail on patterns of inheritance.
- (B) Explain the phenomena of Incomplete dominance, multiple alleles and gene lethality giving examples.
- II. A cross is made between homozygous wild – type female *Drosophila* ($a^+ a^+ b^+ b^+ c^+ c^+$) and triple mutant males ($aa bb cc$). The F1 ($a^+a b^+b c^+c$) females are test crossed back to the triple – mutant males and the F2 phenotypes are as follows :

$a^+ b c$	18
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$a^+ b^+ c$	66
$a b c^+$	59
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Total	1000

Determine the order of the genes. Find the map distance from this three point cross, the coefficient of coincidence and interference.

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OR

- (A) Write in detail on the composition of chromosomes, its packaging and significance of banding pattern. 7
- (B) Write in detail on structural and numerical aberrations of chromosomes. 7
- III. (A) Write in detail on conjugation and explain why it enables horizontal gene transfer. 7
- (B) Explain one gene one enzyme hypothesis and its implications on analysis of elucidating biochemical pathways. 7

OR

- (A) Explain how specialized transduction is different from generalized transduction.
- (B) Write in short on :
- (i) Use of replica plating in isolating auxotrophs.
- (ii) Induced mutations to develop economically important strains of plants, animals and microbes.
- IV. (A) Calculate the genotype frequencies and allele frequencies for a population of frogs with genotypes GG (100), Gg (160) and gg (140). Compare the observed genotype frequencies with expected frequencies. 7
- (B) Write a note on evolutionary genetics. 7

OR

- (A) What is Hardy-Weinberg Theory ? What are the various assumptions that are considered to explain Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium ?
- (B) Write a short note on extra-chromosomal inheritance.
- V. Answer the following : 14
- (1) What is test cross and its significance ?
- (2) What will be the blood group of the first born to parents who both have blood group B ?
- (3) A woman with one gene for hemophilia and one gene for colour-blindness on one of the X chromosomes marries a normal man. How will the progeny be ?
- (4) On a pedigree tracing the inheritance of PKU, a horizontal line joins a black square and a half – black circle. What fraction of this couple's children would you expect to suffer from PKU ?

- (5) Duchenne muscular dystrophy is caused by a sex – linked recessive allele. Its victims are almost invariably boys, who usually die before the age of 20. Why is this disorder almost never seen in girls ?
 - (6) What theory supports that chloroplasts were originally bacteria ?
 - (7) What do you understand by Epigenetics ?
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- (B) Explain why Mendel used the pea plant for his experiments and how was he able to explain the phenomenon of dominance. **7**

OR

- (A) Explain how Mendel's Dihybrid Cross led to the Law of Independent Assortment.

- (B) What is a test cross and its significance ? What is the phenotypic ratio obtained after a test cross if the F1 progeny is (a) AaBb, and (b) AABB ?

- II. (A) What are multiple alleles ? Explain giving the example of ABO blood group system. Explain ABO incompatibility. **7**

- (B) Explain complement gene action and duplicate gene action giving an insight into epistasis. **7**

OR

- (A) Explain Incomplete Dominance, Co-dominance and Over dominance giving examples.

- (B) Explain dominant epistasis and recessive epistasis giving examples.

- III. (A) Write in detail on patterns of inheritance. **7**

- (B) Explain Bridge's experiment showing non-disjunction as proof of chromosomal theory of inheritance. **7**

OR

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- (A) What is sex linkage ? Explain whether this phenomenon explains chromosomal theory of inheritance.
- (B) Write in detail on special banding patterns of chromosomes and give the significance.

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Determine the order of the genes. Find the map distance from this three point cross, the coefficient of coincidence and interference. 14

OR

Write a detailed note on structural and numerical aberrations.

V. Answer the following : 14

- (1) Explain the phenotypic ratio associated with Gene lethality.
- (2) What is the probability that the only child born to parents of AO and BO is O ?
- (3) What do you understand by constitutive heterochromatin ? Give example.
- (4) What is pleiotropy ?
- (5) What is the cause of *Erythroblastosis foetalis* ?
- (6) What is the possibility of a child being hemophilic when mother is hemophilic and father is normal ?
- (7) What is a giant chromosome ?

