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# M.Sc. (I<sup>st</sup> Semester) Examination, 2020 **BOTANY**

(Genetics and Cytogenetics)

Time Allowed: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

#### **SECTION - A**

**Note:** Attempt any ten questions. Each question carries

1 mark. **10** 

# Q. 1. Objective Type:

- (i) The transfer of naked DNA from one cell to another is referred to as \_\_\_\_\_.
- (ii) A gene that has a potential to cause cancer is named as \_\_\_\_\_.

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(iii) Eukaryotes DNA methylation is done by

(iv) Mutations at promoter block initiation of

(v) In tobacco, if the diploid number of chromosomes is 48, how many chromosomes will be found in a pollen grain .

(vi) In the F1 generation of a monohybrid cross,the phenotypic ratio would be :

- (a) 3:1
- (b) 1:2:1
- (c) 2:1:1
- (d) 1:1:2

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- (vii) Which blood type would not be possible for children of a type AB mother and a type A father?
  - (a) O
  - (b) A
  - (c) B
  - (d) AB
- (viii) A strand of DNA with the sequence AACTTG
  will have a complimentary strand with the
  following sequence:
  - (a) CCAGGT
  - (b) AACTTG
  - (c) TTCAAG
  - (d) TTGAAC

- (ix) When one or more base pair are deleted or added in sequence, shifts reading frame on ribosome, called :
  - a) Substitution mutation
  - (b) Missense mutation
  - (c) Nonsense mutation
  - (d) Frame shift mutation
- (x) The set of DNAs generated by using random primers in a PCR reaction is called :
  - a) RAPD
  - (b) RFLP
  - (c) AFLP
  - (d) In situ hybridization
- (xi) In RNA splicing introns are removed and :
  - (a) Exons remain
  - (b) Exons are also removed

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- (c) Gene amplifies
- (d) Gene cloning takes place
- (xii) Repeating subunit of chromatin is called:
  - (a) Nucleus
  - (b) Nucleotide
  - (c) Nucleosome
  - (d) DNA network

#### **SECTION - B**

Note: Attempt any five questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- Q. 2. Very short answer type (25-30 words):
  - (i) Define gene.
  - (ii) Write full name of RAPD.
  - (iii) What is chromosomal duplication?
  - (iv) Define gene interaction.
  - (v) What are oncogenes?

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- (vi) Explain allele theory.
- (vii) Why is karyotyping important?

### **SECTION - C**

Note: Attempt any five questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- **Q. 3.** Short answer type (250 words):
  - (i) Why is crossing over? Write its two importances.
  - (ii) Explain bacterial transduction.
  - (iii) Explain method of RFLP analysis.
  - (iv) Explain Mendel's law of segregation with suitable example.
  - (v) What is chromosomal theory of inheritance?
  - (vi) What is importance of QTL study in crop improvement ?
  - (vii) What is BAC? Draw neat structure of it.

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## **SECTION - D**

Note: Attempt any three questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- Q. 4. Essay type (more than 500 words):
  - (i) What is gene tagging? Explain its application in crop improvement.
  - (ii) Explain Prokaryotic gene regulation in detail.
  - (iii) Write a note on types, causes and effects of mutation.
  - (iv) Explain FISH and GISH cytogenetic analysis techniques in detail.

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