

Faculty of Science

B.Sc (Microbiology) III-Year, CBCS -V Semester

Backlog Examinations -June/July, 2022

PAPER: Molecular Biology and Microbial Genetics

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 80

Section-A

- I. Answer any *eight* of the following questions (8x4=32 Marks)
1. Law of segregation
 2. Plasmid
 3. Linkage
 4. Mutation
 5. UV photo-dimers
 6. DNA repair
 7. Cistron
 8. Constitutive genes
 9. Lac-operon
 10. Ligases
 11. Gene cloning
 12. C-DNA library

Section-B

- II. Answer the following questions (4x12=48 Marks)
- 13.(a) Explain the Structure of DNA- Watson & Crick model.
(OR)
(b) What is DNA replication? Explain the mechanism of semi-conservative mode Of DNA replication.
- 14.(a) Write an essay on spontaneous and induced mutations.
(OR)
(b) Give an account on Bacterial gene transfer methods with neat diagrams.
- 15.(a) What are the different types of RNA and mention their functions?
(OR)
(b) What is Genetic Code write its features.
- 16.(a) Explain the basic principles of Genetic Engineering.
(OR)
(b) Give the applications of Genetic Engineering in different fields of science.

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- I. Answer any *eight* of the following questions (8x4=32 Marks)
1. Alleles
 2. Transposons
 3. RNA as genetic material
 4. Frameshift Mutations
 5. Alkylating agents
 6. Generalized Transduction
 7. Cistron
 8. One gene – one polypeptide - hypothesis
 9. Wobble Hypothesis
 10. DNA Ligases
 11. Gene Cloning
 12. c-DNA library

Section-B

- II. Answer the following questions (4x12=48 Marks)
- 13.(a) Discuss in brief Mendelian Laws with suitable examples.
(OR)
(b) What are plasmids? Write a brief note on their types and applications.
- 14.(a) Write a detailed note on Physical Mutagens.
(OR)
(b) Explain gene transfer through Conjugation.
- 15.(a) Write a brief note on types of RNA and their functions.
(OR)
(b) Explain in brief, gene regulation using Lac Operon as a model.
- 16.(a) Write on Polymerases and their functions.
(OR)
(b) Discuss various applications of genetic engineering in Industry and Medicine.

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Section-A

- I. Answer any EIGHT of the following questions (8x4=32 Marks)
1. Alleles
 2. DNA structure
 3. Replication fork
 4. Tandem duplication
 5. Chemical mutagen - EMS
 6. Transformation
 7. Types of RNA
 8. RNA Polymerase
 9. Regulatory genes
 10. Restriction endonucleases
 11. Vectors
 12. Bt- cotton

Section-B

- II. Answer the following questions (4x12=48 Marks)
- 13.(a) Write on the significance of crossing over & linkage in finding the order & distance of genes.
- (OR)
- (b) Describe extra chromosomal genetic elements – Plasmids & Transposons.
- 14.(a) Explain about different DNA damages & repair mechanisms.
- (OR)
- (b) Write an essay on Structural & Numerical changes of chromosomes with examples.
- 15.(a) Explain the mechanism of RNA transcription in Prokaryotes.
- (OR)
- (b) What is Operon concept? Explain the Lac Operon concept explaining the regulation of gene expression in bacteria.
- 16.(a) Enumerate the different enzymes and their role in Genetic Engineering.
- (OR)
- (b) Describe C-DNA libraries construction and their significance.
