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MICROBIOLOGY-IV

Molecular Biology and Recombinant DNA Technology

Instruction: 1. Answer all questions.

2. Draw diagram wherever necessary.

SECTION - A

I. Answer the following:

5x2=10

Max. Marks: 70

- 1. Splicing
- 2. Lac operon
- 3. λ phage
- 4. Attenuation
- 5. RFLP

SECTION - B

II. Answer any four of the following:

4x5 = 20

- 6. Describe the structure of a gene.
- 7. Explain catabolite repression.
- 8. Write a note on pBR322.
- 9. Briefly explain DNA ligating molecules.
- 10. Explain the steps involved in nif gene cloning.



SECTION - C

III. Answer any three of the following:

3x10=30

- 11. Explain the mechanism of transcription in prokaryotes.
- 12. Write a note on types of RNA and their role in protein synthesis.
- 13. Discuss DNA manipulative enzymes used in rDNA technology.
- 14. Explain animal and plant vectors.
- 15. What is blotting? Explain western blotting in detail.

SECTION - D

IV. Answer in one sentence :

10x1=10

- 16. Inducer
- 17. Liposome fusion
- 18. Shine dalgarno sequence
- 19. Agarose
- 20. Sigma factor
- 21. Vector
- **22.** Exon
- 23. Multiple cloning sites
- 24. Cohesive end
- 25. Gene therapy