



SE – 192

IV Semester B.Sc. Examination, September 2020
(CBCS – 2015-16 and Onwards)
(Fresh + Repeaters)
BIOTECHNOLOGY – IV
Molecular Biology

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instruction : Draw neat labelled diagrams wherever necessary.

SECTION – A

I. Write short notes on the following :

(5×2=10)

- 1) DNA polymerase.
- 2) F-plasmid.
- 3) Catabolite repression.
- 4) Shine dalgarno sequence.
- 5) Transposons.

SECTION – B

II. Answer any four of the following :

(4×5=20)

- 6) Describe conjugation process in bacteria.
- 7) Give the characteristics of genetic code.
- 8) Explain photoreactivation DNA repair mechanism.
- 9) Explain Griffith experiment to prove that DNA as the genetic material.
- 10) Describe the transposable elements in maize.

SECTION – C

III. Answer any three of the following :

(3×10=30)

- 11) Describe operon concept of gene regulation in prokaryotes.
- 12) Explain the major steps involved in translation process.

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- 13) Write an account on the types of RNA. Discuss their functions.
- 14) Discuss the post-transcriptional modification process.
- 15) Write notes on :
 - a) Theta model of DNA replication
 - b) Chloroplast DNA.

SECTION – D

IV. Answer the following in one or a sentence each : (10×1=10)

- 16) Components of nucleotide.
- 17) Terminator codon.
- 18) Peptidyl transferase.
- 19) λ Phage.
- 20) Thymine dimer.
- 21) SSBP.
- 22) Write the complimentary sequence for the template strand, 5'AACGTTAC3'.
- 23) Name the inducer of lac operon.
- 24) Promoter.
- 25) Name the scientist who discovered jumping genes.

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