



**AAG-003-001611**

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**B. Sc. (Sem. VI) (CBCS) Examination**

**April/May – 2016**

**Botany : Paper - 601 (B)**

*(Genetics, Mole. Bio., Biotech., Bioinfo. & Anatomy) (New Course)*

**Faculty Code : 003**

**Subject Code : 001611**

Time :  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :**
- (1) Write answers of all questions in main answer book.
  - (2) Draw neat and labelled diagrams wherever necessary.
  - (3) Figures to the right hand side indicate full marks for the questions.

**1 Choose correct answer : 20**

- (1) An organism is found to contain four naploid genomes derived from two separate species this organism is called

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| (A) Auto tetraploid  | (B) Allo tetraploid |
| (C) Amphi tetraploid | (D) Tetraploid      |

- (2) Picking up plants with superior phenotype for further propagation is called

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| (A) Pure line selection | (B) Mass selection |
| (C) Hybrid vigour       | (D) Introduction   |

- (3) Cytoplasmic inheritance is also called maternal inheritance because it is
- (A) Without sexual reproduction
  - (B) Only female parent takes part in multiplication
  - (C) Most of the cytoplasm of the zygote is provided by ovum
  - (D) All the above
- (4) The term 'gene' refers to
- (A) Sequence of amino acids in protein
  - (B) A linkage group
  - (C) A part of RNA
  - (D) A portion of DNA
- (5) Restriction enzymes are to
- (A) Cut DNA at certain places
  - (B) Synthesise DNA
  - (C) Synthesise RNA
  - (D) Synthesise ATP
- (6) Plasmids are used in genetic engineering because they are
- (A) Easily available
  - (B) Able to replicate
  - (C) Able to integrate with host chromosome
  - (D) Inert

- (7) Fragments of DNA formed after treatment with endonucleases are separated by the technique
- (A) Polymerase chain reaction
  - (B) Southern blotting
  - (C) Colony hybridisation
  - (D) Electrophoresis
- (8) Inducer molecule induces the gene expression by binding with
- (A) Repressor
  - (B) Promoter
  - (C) Operator
  - (D) Regulatory gene
- (9) Modern biotechnology is based on
- (A) Protoplast fusion
  - (B) Tissue culture
  - (C) Recombinant proteins
  - (D) Genetic engineering
- (10) Transgenic plants are the ones
- (A) Grown on artificial medium after hybridisation in the field
  - (B) Produced after protoplast fusion in artificial medium
  - (C) Produced by somatic embryo on artificial medium.
  - (D) Generated by introducing foreign DNA into a cell and regenerating plant from the cell

- (11) Which of the following controls pH change in M.S. media?
- (A) Hydrochloric acid                      (B) Sodium hydroxide  
(C) Both (A) and (B)                      (D) None of the above
- (12) Which enzyme is used in manufacture of detergents for removing proteinaceous stains from the cloth ?
- (A) Alcalage                                      (B) Liapase  
(C) Invertase                                      (D) Lactase
- (13) Which option allows us to get an entries in one data base ?
- (A) Together                                      (B) Link  
(C) Joint    (D) Separate
- (14) The sequences used in bio informatics is
- (A) DNA sequences                              (B) RNA sequences  
(C) Protein sequences                              (D) All the above
- (15) The most common molecular visualization tool is
- (A) RASMOL                                      (B) SCOP  
(C) CATH    (D) GSDB
- (16) The most common from end system to all the data bases maintained by NCBI is
- (A) BLAST    (B) FASTA  
(C) ENTREZ    (D) DDBJ

- (17) Which of the following plant cells lack nuclei at maturity ?
- (A) Root hairs (B) Xylem parenchyma  
(C) Sieve tube (D) Collenchyma
- (18) A vascular bundle in which phloem is embedded in xylem is
- (A) Collateral (B) Bi-collateral  
(C) Amphicribal (D) Amphivasal
- (19) Intra fascicular cambium is situated
- (A) in between the V.B. (B) inside the V.B.  
(C) Outside the V.B. (D) in pith
- (20) What is used to take sections in ultra microtome ?
- (A) Steel blade  
(B) Razor  
(C) Glass knife or diamond knife  
(D) None of these

**2** (a) Answer in short : (any three)

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- (1) Explain : Procedure for mass selection.
- (2) Describe : pBR322 as a vector.
- (3) Write note on : FASTA.
- (4) Explain : Block preparation.
- (5) Write note on : Cytoplasmic inheritance in yeast.
- (6) Discuss : Companion cells.

(b) Answer in brief : (Any three) 9

- (1) Explain the case of cytoplasmic inheritance in *mirabilis jalapa*.
- (2) Explain sticky end ligation method for the joining of foreign DNA fragment to a cloning vector.
- (3) Write note on : Insect resistant transgenic plants.
- (4) Discuss the role of bio informatics in Gene therapy.
- (5) Explain formation of cambial ring in dicot root.
- (6) Describe application of Tissue culture in crop improvement.

(c) Answer in detail : (Any two) 10

- (1) Explain the essential features of modern concept of genes.
- (2) Write essay on : Restriction endonuclease.
- (3) Describe any two biological database.
- (4) How extraction of enzyme is done ? Explain.
- (5) Explain with neat and labelled diagram :  
The anomalous secondary growth in *Dracaena* stem.

3 (a) Answer in short : (Any three) 6

- (1) Give the disadvantages of mass selection.
- (2) Explain : Characteristic features of an ideal plasmid vector.
- (3) Write use of enzymes in food industry.
- (4) What is bio informatics ?
- (5) Explain with diagram : Parenchyma.
- (6) Describe : Freezing microtome.

(b) Answer in brief : (Any three) 9

- (1) Write note on : Autopolyploids.
- (2) Explain : DNA Cleavage style.
- (3) Describe : Advantages of Transgenic plants.
- (4) Write notes on : Gene scan.
- (5) Explain : Interxylary phloem.
- (6) Write note on : Staining.

(c) Answer in detail : (Any two) 10

- (1) Discuss : Allopolyploidy in detail with example.
  - (2) Explain the mechanism of the regulation of gene expression in lac-operon in E.coli.
  - (3) Describe the preparation of M.S. medium in tissue culture.
  - (4) Explain : Protein functional analysis tools.
  - (5) Enumerate the process of secondary growth in sun-flower stem.
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