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M. Sc. (Biochemistry) (Sem. II) (CBCS) Examination

April / May - 2017

CBC-4 : Cell Biology & Genetics

(New Course)

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

[Total Marks : 70

1 Answer briefly any seven of the following : **14**

- (1) Write the important functions of Golgi complex in plant and animal cells.
- (2) Justify plasma membrane as selectively permeable membrane.
- (3) What are induced pluripotent stem cells?
- (4) Define gastrulation.
- (5) What would be the effect of insulin binding to its plasma membrane receptor on glucose uptake by the cell in presence of tyrosine kinase inhibitor? Justify your answer.
- (6) Name the two secondary messengers that can be produced from the phospholipid: phosphatidyl inositol present in the plasma membrane?
- (7) What is the importance of G_0 phase of cell cycle?
- (8) Define and write importance of tumor suppressor genes.
- (9) What are dominant and recessive alleles?
- (10) Describe importance of chromosomal crossing over.

2 Answer any two of the following questions in detail : **14**

- (a) Discuss FRAP experiment and explain how it could be used to study lateral movement of proteins in the plasma membrane.
- (b) Write a detailed note on endosymbiosis hypothesis regarding origin of mitochondria and chloroplasts in eukaryotes and give supporting evidence for this hypothesis.
- (c) Discuss components and organization of microtubules.

- 3 (a) Write short note on G protein coupled receptor mediated signal transduction. 7
- (b) Discuss the role of maternal genes in anterior posterior region formation. 7

OR

- 3 (a) Justify : why receptors for hormones those are protein in nature are mostly present on the plasma membrane surface? Discuss the molecular mechanism of action of insulin. 7
- (b) Write short note on segmentation genes and homeotic genes. 7

4 Answer Any Two of the following questions in detail : 14

- (a) Write short note on cell cycle checkpoints.
- (b) Discuss extrinsic pathway of apoptosis.
- (c) Describe using suitable diagrams the process of mitotic type of cell division and write the physiological importance of mitosis in humans.

5 Answer Any Two of the following questions in detail : 14

- (a) Explain the Law of independent assortment with suitable example.
- (b) Write a note on Holliday Junction model for Homologous Recombination,
- (c) What are multiple alleles? Explain any two examples in detail.
- (d) Explain in detail mechanism of Epistasis.