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B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2022

Fifth Semester

Core Course—CELL MOLECULAR BIOLOGY AND EVOLUTION

(Common for B.Sc. Botany Model I, Model II Programmes)

[2013 to 2016 Admissions]

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Part A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

1. What is cell signalling ?
2. What is aneuploidy ?
3. What are chromoplasts ?
4. What is a karyotype ?
5. What are dictyosomes ?
6. What is blastulation ?
7. What is an epoch ?
8. What is convergent evolution ?

(8 × 1 = 8)

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

9. Differentiate between Deletion and Duplication.
10. Explain the structure of golgibodies.
11. Write down any four functions of lysosomes.
12. List any four salient features of a salivary gland chromosome.
13. Mention any four examples for chemical mutagens.
14. Differentiate between transition and transversion.
15. What is oogenesis ?
16. Differentiate between Induction and Competence.
17. What is genetic drift ?
18. What is a geological time scale ? Mention its significance.

(6 × 2 = 12)

Turn over

Part C

*Answer any four questions.
Each question carries 4 marks.*

19. What is a nucleosome model ? Explain.
20. Explain the structure and function of endoplasmic reticulum.
21. Explain the applications of stem cells.
22. Explain seed formation and development of seedling.
23. Comment on Neodarwinism.
24. Explain Oparin-Haldane theory.

(4 × 4 = 16)

Part D

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 12 marks.*

25. Explain in detail microsporogenesis.
26. Write down the steps and control of cell cycle.
27. With an illustration explain meiotic behaviour of inversion and translocation.
28. Give a brief account of mutation theory in evolution.

(2 × 12 = 24)