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B. Sc DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH 2025 SEMESTER 6 : BOTANY

COURSE: 19U6CRBOT11: BIOTECHNOLOGY AND BIOINFORMATICS

(For Regular 2022 Admission and Supplementary 2021/2020/2019 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours Max. Marks: 60

PART A

Answer All (1 mark each)

- 1. Give an example for a vector used in rDNA technology.
- 2. What are CRY proteins?
- 3. What is proteome?
- 4. What is BAC?
- 5. Define embryo rescue.
- 6. What is callus?
- 7. What are GIs?
- 8. Polymerase chain reaction is carried out in which machine.

 $(1 \times 8 = 8)$

PART B

Answer any 6 (2 marks each)

- 9. Differentiate between genome and proteome.
- 10. State two advantages of biopharming.
- 11. Give an account on any two factors affecting androgenesis.
- 12. write an account on species 2000.
- 13. How can the automation of protein sequencing be done?
- 14. Explain electroporation.
- 15. Why are cryoprotectants added? Name any one cryoprotectant.
- 16. Give the applications of RasMol.
- 17. Role of selectable markers in rDNA technology.
- 18. What is tissue engineering? State one of its application.

 $(2 \times 6 = 12)$

PART C

Answer any 4 (5 marks each)

- 19. State the role of restriction enzymes in rDNA technology.
- 20. Explain steps involved in protein visualization using RasMol.
- 21. Write an account on protein structure prediction.
- 22. Give a brief account on the scope and relevance of bioinformatics.
- 23. Describe the process by which flavr savr tomato was developed.
- 24. How will you develop haploid plants using tissue culture techniques?

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$

PART D

Answer any 2 (10 marks each)

25. Explain the process of rDNA technology. Give an account on various steps involved.

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- 26. Describe the method and discuss the importance and implication of pollen culture.
- 27. Explain the applications of genome sequencing with special reference to various genome sequencing projects.
- 28. What are databases? Give an account of different databases you have studied.

(10 x 2 = 20)

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