

# IV Semester B.Sc. Examination, May/June 2018 (CBCS – 2015 – 16 and Onwards /2012-13 and Onwards) (Fresh + Repeaters) Biotechnology – IV MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 78

Instruction: Draw neat labelled diagrams wherever necessary.

## SECTION - A

I. Write short notes on the following.

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$ 

- 1) Hfr cells
- 2) Catabolite repression
- 3) tRNA
- 4) SSB
- 5) Polycistronic mRNA.

#### SECTION - B

II. Answer any four of the following.

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$ 

- 6) Describe mismatch repair mechanism.
- 7) Explain the structure of prokaryotic gene.
- 8) Write a note on transposable elements in Drosophila.
- 9) Describe the events at the replication fork.
- 10) Write a note on genome organization in chloroplast.

### SECTION - C

III. Answer any three of the following.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$ 

- 11) Describe the process of gene regulation in eukaryotes.
- 12) Write notes on:
  - a) Transformation
  - b) Generalized transduction



- 13) Give a comparative account of different forms of DNA.
- 14) Describe the process of translation in prokaryotes.
- 15) Give an account of transcription in eukaryotes.

# SECTION - D

IV. Answer the following in one word or a sentence each.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$ 

- 16) Name the organism which has RNA as a genetic material.
- 17) What is the significance of 5/cap in eukaryotic mRNA.
- 18) Name the enzyme involved in excision repair.
- 19) Who identified transforming principle in bacteria?
- 20) Name the scientists who proved semiconservative mode of DNA replication.
- 21) UGA code stands for which aminoacid in mitochondria?
- 22) What is primer?
- 23) Give an example for inducible operon.
- 24) Write the complimentary sequence for the template strand 5'TTACCGA3'.
- 25) What is shine-Dalgarno sequence?