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THIRD SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2015

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Zoology

Z03 CT 07—CELL AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 36 Weightage

I. Answer all fourteen questions:

- 1 What are Okazaki fragments?
- 2 Explain a frame shift mutation.
- 3 What is a TATA box?
- 4 Explain genetic code.
- 5 What is immunotherapy?
- 6 Explain sexduction.
- 7 Outline pseudo genes.
- 8 What are p-elements?
- 9 Write on selfish DNA.
- 10 What are temperate phages?
- 11 What are siRNA and miRNA?
- 12 Explain oncogenes.
- 13 What are interrupted genes?
- 14 Write the role of topoisomerases.

 $(14 \times 1 = 14 \text{ weightage})$

II. Answer any seven questions:

- 15 Write on tumor suppressor genes.
- 16 Explain Holliday model of DNA recombination.
- 17 Write on fidelity of DNA replication.
- 18 Provide an account on transcription factors.
- 19 Describe transformation in bacteria.
- 20 Explain the experiments of Barbara Mc. Clintock on transposons.

- 21 Write on globin genes.
- 22 Discuss the organization of human genome.
- 23 Explain suppressor mutation and suppressor genes.
- 24 Describe biogenesis in Xenopus laevis.

 $(7 \times 2 = 14 \text{ weightage})$

III. Answer any two questions:

(14 x 1 = 14 weightage)

- 25 Provide an account on major kinds of DNA damage and its repair.
- 26 Discuss extra nuclear genes and its inheritance pattern.
- 27 Explain gene regulation in eukaryotes.
- 28 Describe rolling circle and looped rolling circle models of DNA replication.

 $(2 \times 4 = 8 \text{ weightage})$

Answer any seven duestions: