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Name of the Paper : Genetics

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Attempt five questions in all.

Question No. 1 is compulsory.

I. (a) Define the following (any five) : $5 \times 1 = 5$

(i) Pseudoallele

(ii) Plaque

(iii) Alkylating Agents

(iv) Hemizygous

(v) Polygenic Inheritance

(vi) Test Cross.

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(b) Expand the following (any *four*) : $4 \times 1 = 4$

(i) NCO

(ii) SCA

(iii) MMS

(iv) F_1

(v) QTL

(c) State any *one* important contribution of the following scientists (any *five*) : $5 \times 1 = 5$

(i) H. G. Muller

(ii) C. Stern

(iii) Reginald Punnet

(iv) Lucien Cuenot

(v) Carl Correns

(vi) Sutton and Boveri.

(d) Answer the following (any *five*) : $5 \times 1 = 5$

(i) Write down the term used for depicting the degree of expression in an organism having a particular genotype.

(ii) What does an arrow signify in a pedigree analysis ?

(iii) What would be the phenotypic ratio when two non-allelic genes controlling a single trait interact in an additive manner ?

(iv) What is the chemical nature of H substance ?

(v) What is the probability of obtaining a child with blood group O+ from parents with blood group O+ and AB+ ?

(vi) Write down the chromosomal formula for a double monosomic individual.

2. (a) Differentiate between (any *three*) : $3 \times 4 = 12$

(i) Dominance and Epistasis

(ii) Euploidy and Aneuploidy

(iii) Multiple Alleles and Polygenes

(iv) Allopatric and sympatric speciation.

(b) Write down the chromosomal formulae for : $2 \times 1 = 2$

(i) Turner's Syndrome

(ii) Edward's Syndrome.

3. (a) Write short notes on any *two* : 2×5=10
- (i) Hardy Weinberg's Law
- (ii) rII locus in bacteriophage T4
- (iii) Genetic mechanism of leaf variegation in Four o'clock plant.
- (b) An allele W, for white wool is dominant over allele w for black wool. In a sample of 900 sheep, 891 are white and 9 are black. Calculate allelic frequencies within this population, assuming, the given population is in Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium. 4
4. (a) Elaborate CIB method for detecting mutations. 7
- (b) Using a forked line method list the genotypes for the following dihybrid crosses : 7
- DdGg × DdGg
- D/d Plant height (Tall and Dwarf)
- G/g Seed color (Yellow and Green)
5. (a) How has polyploidy contributed towards evolution of agriculture crops ? Elaborate with any *two* suitable examples. 10

- (b) Describe criss-cross inheritance giving a suitable example. 4
6. (a) Explain the experiment that provided cytological proof of crossing over. 8
- (b) Discuss base excision repair mechanism of DNA damage repair. 6
7. Ebony body colour (*e*), rough eyes (*ro*), brevis bristles (*bv*) are three recessive mutations in fruit flies. A wild type fly (*e+ ro+ bv+*), was crossed with triple mutant fly (*e ro bv*). F₁ progeny were heterozygous and they were crossed with mutant homozygous recessive males. The results of the test cross are as follows :
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| Wild type | <i>e+ ro+ bv+</i> | 625 |
| Ebony, rough eyes, brevis bristles | <i>e ro bv</i> | 634 |
| Ebony | <i>e ro+ bv+</i> | 165 |
| Rough eyes, brevis bristles | <i>e+ ro bv</i> | 158 |
| Brevis bristles | <i>e+ ro+ bv</i> | 93 |
| Ebony, rough eyes | <i>e ro bv+</i> | 91 |
| Rough eyes | <i>e+ ro bv+</i> | 5 |
| Ebony, brevis bristles | <i>e ro+ bv</i> | 4 |

- (a) Are the above genes linked ? Give reasons for your answer. 2
- (b) Diagram the crosses giving the genotype of parents and F_1 . 3
- (c) What is the order of the genes ? 2
- (d) Calculate the map distance between the genes and construct the linkage map. 3
- (e) Calculate the coefficient of coincidence. 2
- (f) Calculate the interference and comment on its significance. 2