

SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
M.Sc. (Integrated) Biotechnology,
Fifth Semester Examination
 Monday, 03rd December 2012
 Time: 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

PS05CIGB03

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Total Marks: 70

Q-1 Multiple choice questions: (08)

- (1) _____ an enzyme necessary for the biosynthesis of aromatic amino acids in the chloroplast.
 (a) ALS (b) EPSP
 (c) Atrazine (d) Glyphosate
- (2) _____ is an irreversible inhibitor for glutamine synthetase in plants and bacteria.
 (a) Bromoxynil (b) Sulphonylarea
 (c) Phosphinothricin (d) None of these
- (3) _____ is commonly used as an osmoticum to prevent subcellular organelles from swelling.
 (a) Sucrose (b) Galactose
 (c) Glucose (d) Fructose
- (4) Which of the following is not employed for plant genomic DNA isolation?
 (a) Activated charcoal (b) Liquid nitrogen
 (c) Glass beads (d) Inactivated sand
- (5) Which of the following enzyme is targeted to improve photosynthesis efficiency of plants?
 (a) Rubisco (b) PEPCO
 (c) Cellulase (d) Pectinase
- (6) Which of the following is preferable choice for explants?
 (a) Shoot tip (b) Root tip
 (c) Matured leaf (d) Bark
- (7) If the amount of nucleic acid is very small or heavily contaminated with impurities, then _____ method can be used for estimation of nucleic acid.
 (a) Spectrophotometric method (b) Mini gel method.
 (c) Fluorescent dye-based method (d) None of these
- (8) _____ is tissue transferred between genetically identical individuals.
 (a) Autograft (b) Allograft
 (c) Isograft (d) Xenograft

Q-2 Answer the following : (attempt any seven) (14)

- (1) What is biotechnology? List out its scope.
- (2) Briefly discuss the role of EDTA and Phenol in isolation of DNA.
- (3) Enlist any four component of protein extraction buffer.
- (4) Enlist the application of micro chip technology.
- (5) Define single cell protein.
- (6) List out the enzymes responsible for improving the shelf life of fruits.
- (7) Define "bio-filters".
- (8) Define composting and land-fill.
- (9) Write in brief about recombinant vaccines.

- Q-3
- (a) Discuss about the cell fractionation techniques in detail. (06)
- (b) Write a note on YAC. (06)
- OR**
- (b) What is HGP? Explain its goal and advantages of HGP. (06)
- Q-4
- (a) Explain various steps of chemical synthesis of DNA. (06)
- (b) Write a descriptive note on "Mammalian cell culture". (06)
- OR**
- (b) Explain method of quantification of DNA using Spectrophotometric of DNA. How do confirm the purity or contamination of extracted DNA? (06)
- Q-5
- (a) Define Xenotransplantation and explain any one organ transplantation in detail. (06)
- (b) Enlist and explain various industrial applications of transgenic microbes. (06)
- OR**
- (b) Explain the concept of "gene therapy" and discuss its various applications. (06)
- Q-6
- (a) What is Bioremediation? Explain the production of biodiesel and ethanol from biomass. (06)
- (b) Discuss about transgenic sheep and transgenic mice in detail. (06)
- OR**
- (b) What is transgenic plant? Give a detail account on insect resistance plant. (06)
