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III Semester B.Sc. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – Regular) Examination, November 2021 (2020 Admission) CORE COURSE IN LIFE SCIENCES (ZOOLOGY) AND COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY 3B03 ZCB – Molecular Biology

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

PART – A (Short Answer)

Answer all questions:

 $(6 \times 1 = 6)$

- 1. Central dogma
- 2. RNAi
- 3. CRISPR
- 4. Neurospora
- 5. PCR
- 6. Structure of RNA polymerase.

PART – B (Short Essay)

Answer any 6 questions:

 $(6 \times 2 = 12)$

- 7. Experiment of DNA as the genetic material.
- 8. Notes on condensins and cohesins.
- 9. Structure of RNA and types.
- 10. What are the factors involved in regulation of transcription in eukaryotes?

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- 11. Types of eukaryotic RNA polymerases and functions.
- 12. One gene-one polypeptide hypothesis.
- 13. Structure of promoters in prokaryotes.
- 14. Semi-conservative model of replication.

PART – C (Essay)

Answer any 4 questions:

 $(4 \times 3 = 12)$

- 15. Explain the mitochondrial gene in phylogeny of an organism.
- 16. Notes on Watson and Crick model of DNA.
- 17. Write the properties of genetic code.
- 18. Describe different forms of DNA.
- 19. Types of transcription termination in prokaryotes.
- 20. What are the different enzymes involved in rDNA technology?

PART – D (Long Essay)

Answer any 2 questions:

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

- 21. Give a detailed account composition, structure of nucleosome and packaging of DNA.
- 22. Write a detailed essay on DNA repair mechanisms with suitable examples.
- 23. Explain the mechanism of prokaryotic transcription and translation.
- 24. Explain the operon concept and mechanism of Lac operon.