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Choice Based Credit System IV Semester B.Sc. Degree **Examination, September 2022** (2021-22 Batch Onwards) MICROBIOLOGY Molecular Biology and Recombinant DNA Technology

Time: 3 Hours

Instructions : 1) Answer both Part – **A** and Part – **B**. 2) Draw neat labeled diagrams wherever necessary.

PART - A

- 1. Answer **any ten** of the following questions :
 - a) Eco R I
 - b) Reverse Transcription
 - c) Oncogene
 - d) Ligase
 - e) R, value
 - f) Carcinogenesis
 - g) Malignancy
 - h) Codon
 - i) Nanotechnology
 - i) Cosmid
 - k) Column Chromatography
 - I) Repressor.

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Max. Marks: 80

(2×10=20)

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PART – B

Answer any four questions choosing one full question from each Unit.

UNIT – I

- 2. a) Write a note on Central Dogma of molecular biology.
 - b) Explain the mechanism of protein synthesis in prokaryotes with neat diagrams. (5+10=15)

OR

- 3. a) Give an account on the inhibitors of protein synthesis.
 - b) Explain in detail the lac operon concept. (5+10=15)

UNIT – II

- 4. a) Write a note on carcinogens.
 - b) Define Cancer. Explain the mechanism of transformation of cells. (5+10=15) OR
- 5. a) Write a note on Viral oncogenes.
 - b) Explain oncogene proteins. Add a note on Tumor Repressor Genes. (5+10=15)

UNIT – III

- 6. a) Give an account on hazards of genetic engineering.
 - b) Define gene cloning vectors. Explain plasmids with 2 suitable examples.

(5+10=15)

OR

- 7. a) Define gene therapy. Explain any one briefly.
 - b) Explain the process of Insulin production. Add a note on the applications of genetic engineering. (5+10=15)

- 8. a) Discuss PCR and its applications.
 - b) Define Electrophoresis. Explain the principle and procedure of PAGE. (5+10=15) OR
- 9. a) Give an account of Western Blotting technique.
 - b) Explain the principle, procedure and applications of TLC. (5+10=15)