

**B.Sc. MICROBIOLOGY**  
**SIXTH SEMESTER**  
**RECOMBINANT DNA TECHNOLOGY**  
**BMB-602**  
[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

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Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 mins.

Marks: 20

**(Objective)**

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1 × 20 = 20

- Which of the following enzymes acts as security for the success of rDNA technology?
  - DNA ligases
  - Restriction Endonucleases
  - Alkaline Phosphatase
  - All of these
- Which are the Restriction Endonucleases?
  - NotI*
  - DNA polymerase*
  - EcoRIE*
  - None of these
- Which of the following enzyme is used to remove nucleotides from 3'-end of DNA?
  - Exonuclease III
  - Exonuclease I
  - Exonuclease II
  - All of these
- pBR vectors is discovered by:
  - Bolivar and Rodriguez
  - Bolivar and Rodriguaz
  - Boliver and Rodriguez
  - All of these
- Bacteriophage  $\lambda$  is:
  - Pro Virus
  - Virus
  - Lentivirus
  - Actinomycetale
- Who invented gene gun method?
  - Johnson
  - Kary Muller
  - Stanford
  - None of these
- Which chemical is used for coating the DNA in biolistic method?
  - Acidosiloxane
  - Amylosiloxane
  - Acetoselaxane
  - Aminosiloxane
- Which of the following is the most largest capacity vector?
  - HACs
  - BACs
  - YACs
  - None of these
- What is the denaturation temperature of DNA in PCR?
  - 93°C
  - 97°C
  - 95°C
  - 96°C
- Genes are present in:
  - DNA
  - Nucleus
  - Chromosome
  - All of these

11. Which are the most important enzymes in the rDNA technology?
  - a. DNA ligases
  - b. Alkaline Phosphatase
  - c. Restriction Endonucleases
  - d. DNA polymerase
12. Genetically modified microbes are used for the production of:
  - a. Human insulin
  - b. hGH
  - c. Human hormones
  - d. Testosterons
13. Which DNA is restricted to making a genomic library?
  - a. Plasmid
  - b. Chromosomal DNA
  - c. Phage
  - d. Plant
14. Which of the following properties is improved by site directed mutagenesis?
  - a. Physical property
  - b. Kinetic property
  - c. Integrity
  - d. None
15. *Taq* DNA polymerase is isolated from:
  - a. *Thermus aquaticus*
  - b. *Thymus aquaticus*
  - c. *Theomargarita*
  - d. All of these
16. Normally a genomic library is made by:
  - a. Phage T4
  - b. T3 Phage
  - c. Phage  $\lambda$
  - d. Phage T6
17. The controversy regarding the use of transgenic plants is that it:
  - a. Can contaminate groundwater and environment
  - b. Is a potential allergen to humans
  - c. Is potentially harmful to ecosystem
  - d. Both a and c
18. A piece of DNA or RNA used to detect specific nucleic acid sequence by hybridization is called:
  - a. Plasmid
  - b. Endonucleases
  - c. Vector
  - d. Probe
19. Bacteria protect themselves from viruses by fragmenting viral DNA with:
  - a. Endonuclease
  - b. Restriction Exonuclease
  - c. Ligase
  - d. Gyrase
20. Insect tolerant gene from *Bacillus thuringiensis* is introduced using plasmid of:
  - a. *Agrobacterium tumefaciens*
  - b. *Arabidopsis thaliana*
  - c. *Escherichia coli*
  - d. *Haemophilus influenza*



**( Descriptive )**

Time : 2 hr. 30 mins.

Marks : 50

[ Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest ]

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| 1. Structurally elaborate on the particle bombardment gene transfer methods. Add on the factors as well as advantages and disadvantages.                         | 6+2+2=10 |
| 2. Write notes on:<br>a) Plasmid<br>b) Alkaline phosphatase  | 5+5=10   |
| 3. Write notes on:<br>a) Linkers and Adapters<br>b) Western hybridization  | 5+5=10   |
| 4. What is DNA Library? What are main types of DNA library? Give a brief account on preparation and uses of various types of DNA library.                        | 10       |
| 5. Write notes mentioning salient points on following: ( <i>any two</i> )<br>a) Recombinant vaccines<br>b) Transgenics<br>c) Gene therapy                        | 5+5=10   |
| 6. What is Bacteriophage? Give detail accounts on the life cycle and emphasize of the most productive life cycle. How it is considered for being used as vector? | 1+6+3=10 |
| 7. DNA sequencing by Sanger's method: Describe its principle, procedure and utilities.   | 3+5+2=10 |
| 8. Write about recombinant DNA technology product of human therapeutic interest.   | 10       |

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