INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT

FINAL EXAMINATION

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SET A

CLASS XII

Marking Scheme – SUBJECT [THEORY]

Q.NO.	Answers	Marks
		(with
		split up)
1.	a) d) 1:2:1 OR c) by mutation of gene coding for Phenyl alanine	1
	hydroxylase	
2.	a) O ₂	1
3.	c) Genetic Engineering Approval Committee	1
	OR	
	d) used to treat emphysema	
4.		
5.	c) The physical position and functional role of a species within the community	
6.	Parent genotypes: I ^A i and I ^B i	1
	Working	1
7.	Stop codon- does not code for any amino acids/ terminates the synthesis of pp	1/2
	chain.	1/2
	Unambiguous codon- codes for one amino acid only.	1/2
	Degenerate codon- codes for some amino acids by more than one codon.	1/2
	Universal codon- genetic code same for all organisms	
8.	Louis Pasteur explained that in pre sterilised flask, life did not come from killed	1
	yeast. Another flask open to air, living organisms arose from killed yeast.	1
9.	Pneumonia – infection site- alveoli (lungs) / common cold nasal and respiratory	1/2 + 1/2
	tract,	
	Pneumonia- bacterial / common cold- Rhino viruses	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
10.	Eco RI	1/2
	Slightly away from the middle of the palindrome site, between two same bases	1/2
	on the opposite strands	
	Leave the sticky ends, which forms hydrogen bonds with opposite	1
1.1	complementary cut counterpart.	1
11.	RNA interfering/silencing method/ nematode specific genes in the host plant	1
	will produce ds RNA / this dsRNA will silence the specific RNA of the	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
10	nematode.	4 V 1/
12.	- To detect HIV in suspected patients	4 X ½
	- To detect mutated genes in cancer patient	
	- For DNA amplification	

	- To detect any other genetic disorders	
13.	Accidental leakage and safe disposal	2
	High level- lethal	1/2
	Low level- causing mutation- genetic disorders	1/2
	OR	
	i) Inflammation of cornea. Due to UV-B radiation	1+1
	ii) As they produce greenhouse effect	1/2
14.	a) Earthworm- breaks down detritus into smaller particles / called	1
	fragmentation. Bacteria and Fungi- their enzymes degrade detritus into	1
	simple inorganic substances/ called catabolism.	
	b) Producers of terrestrial ecosystem- herbaceous and woody plants;	1/2
	Aquatic ecosystem- phytoplanktons/algae/ higher plants (any one)	1/2
15.	It is important as a mean of energy transfer from producer to organisms at high	1
	trophic level. One example.	
	- To control prey population / to avoid ecosystem instability- ex. prickly	1
	pear and moth	
	- To maintain species diversity – <i>Pisaster</i> removal costs non existence of	1
	10 invertebrates.	
16.	Z gene in a plasmid will produce beta-galactosidase. /A bacterial colony with z	4 x ½
	gene (non- recombinant) will produce this enzyme which will produce blue	
	colour, interaction with chromogenic substrate. / A bacterial colony lack of z	
	gene(recombinant) will not produce this enzyme and the colony will remain	
	white / helps in elimination of recombinants from non-recombinants in a colony.	
	Chitinase- to break down fungus cell wall. Lysozyme- to breakdown bacterial	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
	cell wall.	
17.	Due to deletion of ADA gene/ immune system/	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
	marrow cells	1
	lymphocytes are cultured in vitro/ ADA gene cDNA is introduced into	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
	lymphocytes by retrovirus/	
18.	Vitamin A enriched carrots, spinach, pumpkin;	1 m
		each
	Vitamin C enriched bitter gourd, bathua, mustard, tomato;	
	Iron and coloium anniched enineah and bethue	
	Iron and calcium enriched spinach and bathua;	
	Protein enriched beans – broad, lablab, French and garden peas. (For any three)	
	1 Total emercial scales stoud, fastas, 1 tenen and garden peas. (1 of any times)	
	OR	
		1
	Poultry is the class of domesticated fowl (birds) used for food or for their eggs.	1
		4 x ½
	selection of disease free and suitable breeds/ proper and safe farm conditions/	4 X 72
	proper feed and water/ hygiene and health care.	
10		1/ 1/
19.	(a) activates their immune system and helps in destroying the tumor.	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
20	(b) (i) Salivary gland- Mosquito (ii) blood- human	½ each
20.	Definition No. 11 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	2
	Wings of butterfly and birds/ tubers of sweet potato and potato	1

21.	(a) VNTR - Vari	able Numbe	r of Tandem	Repeat(s)			1/2
	- used as a probe	(because of	its high deg	ree of polymo			1/2
	(b) Forensic science / criminal investigation (any point related to forensic science) / determine population and genetic diversities / paternity testing /						
	· ·		_		-	esting /	1+1
22	maternity testing / study of evolutionary biology (Any two)					6 V 1/	
22.	(i) Allelic frequencies in the gene pool of a population remains unchanged for				6 X ½		
	generations; (ii) Hardy-Weinb	nero equilib	า่าเm				
	(iii) Any two fac			election : gene	e flow/genet	ic drift/	
	migration	1015 11101001	3171 (00001001 50	are the same	110 117 801101	10 01110	
	(iv) Mutation : cl	hanges allel	es/ Natural se	election : brin	gs about gra	nter	
	reproduction of c		-				
	flow. migration g		: alleles mov	e out of gene	pool		
23.	(a) Fermente		_	/**			1
				pureus/ blood		_	1
				iting the enzy	me respons	ible for	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
24.		of cholester		e will also in	crease but o	nly to certain	1
∠4.	extent.	a mercases,	no. or specie	es will also ill	crease but o	my to certain	1
	(b) Alexande	r Humbolt					1
	(c) 1.15						
25.		m II llow		Tall	green		
	(a) Parents :	Tall, yellow (TtYy)	×		Γtyy)		1/2
	(TV)			Tv), (ty)		1/
	Gametes : (TY), (Ty), (tY), (t TY	Ty	t Y	ty		1/2
	Progeny :		·	TtYy			
	Ту	TTYy Tall, yellow	TTyy Tall, green	Tall, yellow	Ttyy Tall, green		1
		iali, yellow	lan, green		Tan, green		
	ty	TtYy	Ttyy	ttYy	ttyy		
		Tall, yellow	Tall, green	Dwarf, yellow	Dwarf, green		
	(i) Tall and	2/0] yeno			1/2
	(i) Tall and green (ii) Dwarf and gre						1/2
	- (w) Dwall and give	een 1/8.					
	(b) (i) A male gra	asshonner n	roduces two	types of game	tes with ref	erence to sex	
	chromosomes, i.e						1/2
	no X-chromosom						
	(ii) A male Drose	ophila produ	ices 50% of g	gametes with	one X-chron	mosome and	
	50% of them with						
	Since they produ	• •	_	with reference	e to sex chr	omosomes,	1/2
	they are called m	_	<u>-</u>	1 '1'			1/
	(d) Human: (-			1/2
	Drosophi	ia: Eye-colo	our/ Body col	our.			1/2
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			01	· -			Correct

	Continuous Synthesis Discontinuous Synthesis Synthesis Other hand reads the mRNA codon of the aminoacid bound to it through its anticodon, it is called an "adapter".	labelling 1 ½ Polarity ½ 1
	Met TRNA U A C —Anticodon 5' A U G 3' MRNA	
26.	(a) correct diagramsi) a- exponential growth curve b- logistic growth curve.	2 1
	ii) Logistic growth curve(b) is considered more realistic, because the resources are finite and become limiting sooner or later.	1
	iii) K stands for carrying capacity, the maximum number of individuals of a population, that the given environment can sustain.	1/2
	iv) N- symbolizes population density, the number of individuals in a given population per unit area.	1/2
	OR	2
	(a) For any two activities	
	(b) Any two differences	2
	(c) Constituent of biomembranes/ components of nucleic acids/ needed for	For any two 1

	making bones/ teeth/ shell etc.,/ constituent of cellular energy currency.	
27.	Bio wastes are collected and a slurry of dungs is fed/ a floating cover having gas outlet is placed over slurry which keeps on rising as the gas is produced in the tank/the spent slurry is removed through another outlet/ and may be used as fertilizer./	4 x ½
	a. Sludge loaderb. gas holderc. dung and water.d. digester	4 x ½
	mixture of gases- methane, hydrogen sulphide and carbon di oxide. OR	1 6 x ½
	a) Effluent sent to aeration tank/ aerobes(flocs) digest organic wastes/ decrease in BOD/ sent to settling tanks/ deposits flocs(activated sludge)/ then sent to anaerobic digester/ anaerobes digest bacteria and fungi/ release into river	
	b) Microbes which will enrich the soil with nutrients/ Rhizobium/ cyanobacterium/ mycorrhiza	1+1

SET B

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7.	(a) to diagrnose typhoid disease	1 1
,.	(b) Hepatitis-B	1
8.	carries cry gene producing Cry protein/ activates protein under alkaline pH in	4 x ½
	insect gut/ crystal proteins bind to midgut epithelial cells causing swelling and	
	lysis//caused the death of the insect	
10.	Fitness- reproductive fitness;/ those who are better fit in an environment,	1
	leave more progeny than others / These, therefore, will survive more and	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
	hence are selected by nature	
11.	Test cross	1
	To determine the unknown genotype of a character	1
15.	(i) Migration – migratory birds from Siberial come to Bhartatpur Sanctuary.	1
	(ii) Suspension	
	- When the organisms are not able to migrate, they reduce their metabolic	1/2
	activity and avoid stress by escaping in time.	1/2
	- E,g., (a) Snails undergo aestivation during summer	1/2
	- (b) Frogs undergo hibernation during winter	1/2
	- (c) Zooplanktons enter diapause.	

19.	Ringworm is caused by <i>Microsporum</i> , <i>Trichophyton</i> and <i>Epidermophyton</i> - Skin, nails and scalp are affected. - Symptoms- Dry,scaly lesions on both body parts like skin, scalp and nails - The lesions are accompanied by intense itching Transmission- contact with infected persons articles/ from soil, by direct contact	1/ ₂ 1/ ₂ 1/ ₂ 1/ ₂ 1/ ₂ 1/ ₂
21.	Expressing Sequence Tags (ESTs)- sequencing only expressive genes. Sequence Annotation- both introns and exons are sequenced and then allot	1/ ₂ 1/ ₂
	function of each gene. Steps: isolation and fragmentation of DNA/cloning with suitable vector for amplification/ sequence the fragments with automated sequencer which work based on Sanger principle/ generate overlapping sequences and align it and sequencing it using computers.	4X ½
25.	(a) • Infection - Radioactive phosphorus / phosphorus labelled bacteriophages were allowed to infect E.coli - growing in a culture medium, simultaneously	
	radioactive sulphur / Sulphur labelled bacteriophage was allowed to infect E.coli growing in another culture medium	1+1
	• Blending- As infection proceeds- the viral coats are removed from the bacteria by agitating in a blender	1/2
	• Centrifugation - virus particles were seperated from bacteria by spinning them in a centrifuge	1/2
	(b) Conclusion - DNA is the genetic material = 1	1
	Interpretation - sulphur labelled viral protein did not enter the bacteria during infection , whereas phosphorus labelled viral DNA entered into the bacteria to cause infection OR	1/2 + 1/2
	Skin colour is controlled by three genes; A,B,C dominant genes and a,b,c the recessive genes;	6 X ½
	the effect of each type of allele is addictive; more the dominant allele, darker	
	the skin colour; more the recessive allele lighter the skin colour; when three dominant alleles and three recessive alleles	
	are present in an individual the skin colour is intermediate	1
	- Polygenic inheritance - Human Height /or any other correct example	1

SET -C

Q.NO.	Answers	Marks (with split up)
1	c) Removed during maturation of pro-insulin to insulin	1
6	Lysozyme added to remove the cell wall, Ribonuclease added to remove	½×4
	RNAs, Proteases added to remove proteins, chilled ethanol added to	
	precipitate DNA	
8	When a stop codon UAG / UGA / UAA, presents itself on the mRNA, it has no	½ X 4
	corresponding tRNA / does not code for any amino acid , release factor binds to	
	the stop codon and translation ends.	
	OR	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
	Codes for Methionine, and is an initiation codon	
	The sequence of bases from which it is transcribed is T AC	1/2
	Its anticodon is UAC	1/2
14.	Definition	2
	Factors	
	- No. of species inhabiting in place	
	- Environmental factors	1
	- Availability of nutrients (for any two)	
16.	Gel Electrophoresis	1/2
	DNA fragments on the agarose gel are negatively charged molecules and they	
	move towards the anode (The fragments separate according to their size)	1/2
	The separated DNA fragments can be visualised after staining with ethidium	
	bromide	1/2
	followed by exposure to UV radiation	1/2 1/2
	Separated fragments are extracted from the gel	1/2
	by elution	
26	(a) Lichens on a bare rock, acids to dissolve rock, soil formation - bryophyte to	½ × 5 =
	hold the soil, retention of water - grass, scrubs and trees	21/2
	(b) Effluents from the industry, minerals stimulate algal growth, depletion of	½× 5 =
	oxygen content, death of other aquatic life, lake is spoilt fully / dead lake /	21/2

	Eutrophication	
27.	(a) definition and any two symptoms	1+1
	(b) smoking effect/ chewing effect	1+1
	(c) sense of euphoria/increased energy	1/2 + 1/2
	OR	
	(i)wheat – hairy leaves- resistence to cereal leaf beetle.	3
	(ii) Maize- Hight aspartic acid and low nitrogen and sugar contents	
	(iii) Wheat- Solid stem- resistance to stem borer	
	(iv) cotton- smooth leaves and nectarless condition- resistance of bollworm	
	(v) cotton- Hairly leaves- Resistance to saw fly. (any three)	
	Disadvantage	
	-use only those genes that are present in such species that can be hybridized.	
	-changes occur in all those traits for which the parents used for hybridization	2
	differ from each other.	