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Name of the Paper : Recombinant DNA Technology and Proteomics

Name of the Course : B.Sc. (H) Botany / B.Sc. Life Science

Semester : VI

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Maximum Marks : 60

Instructions for Candidates

1. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
2. Attempt **Four** questions in all. Question 1 is compulsory.
3. **All** parts of the questions should be answered together.
4. **All** questions carry equal marks.
5. Draw well-labeled diagrams wherever necessary.

1. (a) Match the following : (1×5=5)

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| (i) Selectable marker | (a) Electroporation |
| (ii) Direct gene transfer | (b) Proteome |
| (iii) Complete set of proteins | (c) hptII |
| (iv) Multiple hosts | (d) M13 |
| (v) Phagemid | (e) Shuttle Vector |

(b) Fill in the blanks (attempt any **Five**) : (1×5=5)

- (i) _____ are enzymes that transfer phosphate groups to other molecules, through a process called phosphorylation.
- (ii) GFP is isolated from jellyfish _____.
- (iii) _____ gene was silenced in Flavr Savr Tomato.
- (iv) 2D Gel electrophoresis helps in separation of complex mixtures of proteins based on two distinct properties: _____ and _____.
- (v) Artificial vesicles called used to deliver genetic material (like DNA or RNA) into cells are called _____.
- (vi) _____ is DNA molecule created by combining DNA segments from two or more sources, often from different organisms.
- (vii) _____ is an enzyme that converts RNA to cDNA.

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- (c) Expand the following terms (attempt any **Five**) : (1×5=5)
- (i) Ti plasmid
 - (ii) YEp
 - (iii) ELISA
 - (iv) YAC
 - (v) X-Gal
 - (vi) GUS
 - (vii) IPTG
2. Write short notes on the following (any **three**) : (3×5=15)
- (a) PCR
 - (b) Mass Spectrometry
 - (c) Chromatography based methods of protein purification and identification
 - (d) Delta endotoxin
 - (e) Applications of SDS-PAGE
3. Differentiate between the following (any **three**) : (3×5=15)
- (a) ELISA and Western blotting
 - (b) cDNA library construction and genomic DNA library construction
 - (c) Native PAGE and SDS-PAGE
 - (d) Insertion Vectors and Replacement Vectors
 - (e) Cosmids and Phagemids
4. (a) Discuss the applications of recombinant DNA technology and proteomics in the fields of medicine and agriculture. (7)
- (b) Explain *Agrobacterium* mediated gene transfer? Give its limitations and applications. (8)
5. (a) Discuss in detail the types and significance of restriction endonucleases in recombinant DNA technology. (7)
- (b) Explain the strategies used for the selection and identification of transformants in recombinant DNA experiments. (8)