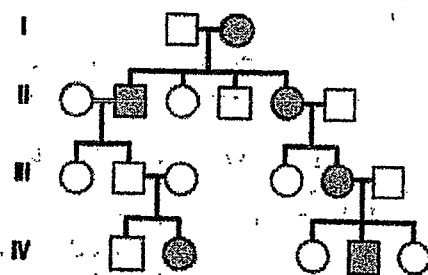


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Total 1800

- (i) Determine the linear order of the genes on the chromosome. 5
- (ii) Calculate the recombinant distances between the three loci. 5
- (iii) Determine the coefficient of coincidence and the interference for these three loci. 5
- (b) The following pedigree shows the inheritance of ataxia, a rare neurological disorder characterized by uncoordinated movements. Is ataxia caused by a dominant or a recessive allele? Explain. 3



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Instructions for Candidates :

- Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
 - Attempt **five** questions in **all**.
 - Question No. **1** is compulsory.
 - Subparts of the questions should be attempted together.
 - Use of non-programmable calculator is allowed.
- 1. (a)** Mention the contribution of any **four** scientists given below : 4×1=4
- Rosalind Franklin
 - Alfred Sturtevant
 - Joe Hin Tjio and Albert Levan
 - Bateson and Punnet
 - Hermann Muller

(b) State whether the following statements are **true** or **false** and Justify (Any **four**) : $4 \times 2 = 8$

- (i) Genetic variation arises only due to mutations in DNA sequence.
- (ii) Recombination frequency can be used to determine gene order on chromosomes.
- (iii) Polytene chromosomes are commonly found in *Drosophila* salivary glands.
- (iv) Sex determination in *Drosophila* depends on the ratio of X chromosomes to autosomes.
- (v) Crossing over always results in recombination between genes.

(c) Answer the following in one word (Any **four**) : $4 \times 1 = 4$

- (i) Property of DNA that allows accurate copying of information
- (ii) Interaction where one gene masks another
- (iii) DNA packaging unit consisting of histones and DNA
- (iv) Genetic system where sex depends on X:A ratio in *Drosophila melanogaster*.
- (v) Mutation with no change in amino acid sequence

(d) DNA called the blueprint of life. Explain briefly. 2

2. Differentiate between the following (Any **four**) :

$4:5 \times 4 = 18$

- (i) Conservative and semi-conservative replication
- (ii) Nuclear inheritance and Extra-nuclear inheritance
- (iii) Autosomal and Sex-linked inheritance
- (iv) Sex limited and sex influenced traits.
- (v) Constitutive and facultative heterochromatin

3. Write a short note on the following (Any **four**) :

$4.5 \times 4 = 18$

- (i) Frameshift mutations
- (ii) G-banding and Q-banding
- (iii) Maternal effect in snail shell coiling
- (iv) Mendel's laws of inheritance
- (v) Loss-of-function and Gain-of-function mutations

4. (a) Differentiate between insertion elements and transposons. Briefly describe different types of mobile genetic elements found in different organisms with examples of each. 6

(b) What do you understand by maternal effect. Does it follow Mendel's laws of inheritance. Explain with a suitable example. 6

(c) Explain the concept of Barr body. Why is one X chromosome inactivated in human females. Explain Lyon's hypothesis with the aid of an example. 6

5. (a) Explain cytoplasmic inheritance with aid of suitable examples. 6

(b) Explain the interallelic gene interactions that deviate from Mendel's dihybrid ratio with aid of one example each. 12

6. (a) In *D. melanogaster*, cherub wings (ch), black body (b), and cinnabar eyes (cn) result from recessive alleles that are all located on chromosome 2. A homozygous wild-type fly was mated with a cherub, black and cinnabar fly, and the resulting F_1 females were test-crossed with cherub, black and cinnabar males. The following progenies were produced from the testcross: