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Name of the Paper : Genetics and Genomics—I (GGHT-501)

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Attempt five questions in all,

including Question No. 1 which is compulsory.

1. (a) Define any five :

5×1=5

(i) Robertsonian translocation

(ii) Test cross

(iii) Transgressive variation

(iv) Synteny

(v) Allopolyploid

(vi) Missense mutation

(vii) Karyotype.

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(b) Expand the following :

1×3=3

(i) PAR

(ii) cM

(iii) mt DNA.

(c) Give important contributions of the following scientists in the field of genetics : 1×4=4

(i) C.B. Bridges

(ii) H. Nilsson-Ehle

(iii) J.H. Tijo and A. Levan

(iv) H.J. Muller.

(d) Answer the following :

(i) Tortoise shell cats are always females. Explain.

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(ii) Write the number and types of gametes that will be formed in an individual with the genotype AABbccDdEe.

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(iii) Determine the phenotypes (shell coiling pattern) of the parents and the genotypes and phenotypes of the F_1 in the following crosses in *Limnaea perègra* :

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(1) Dd (female) × dd (male)

(2) Dd (male) × dd (female).

(iv) A mother has blood group A and father has blood group O. What can be the possible blood group of their children ?

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2. (a) Differentiate between the following terms : 2×5=10
- (i) Co-dominance and Incomplete dominance
 - (ii) Maternal influence and Maternal inheritance
 - (iii) Multiple alleles and Polygenes
 - (iv) Transition and transversion
 - (v) Homogametic and heterogametic sex.
- (b) Explain the attached X method for detection of X linked recessive lethal mutation in *Drosophila*. 4
3. (a) Describe the sex determination mechanism in humans and explain the role of the Y chromosome. 7
- (b) Describe the experimental evidence for cytological basis of crossing over. 7
4. (a) What are chemical mutagens ? Give *one* example of each category. Explain the molecular basis of mutation caused by any *one* of them. 8
- (b) How is organelle heredity different from nuclear inheritance ? Explain the inheritance of leaf variegation in *Mirabilis jalapa*. 6

5. In *Drosophila*, a cross was made between a female expressing the three X-linked recessive traits, scute (*sc*) bristles, sable body (*s*) and vermilion eyes (*v*), and a wild type male. In the F_1 , all females were wild type, while all males expressed all three mutant traits. The cross was carried out to the F_2 generation, with the results shown here.

Phenotype			Offspring
<i>sc</i>	<i>s</i>	<i>v</i>	314
+	+	+	280
+	<i>s</i>	<i>v</i>	150
<i>sc</i>	+	+	156
<i>sc</i>	+	<i>v</i>	46
+	<i>s</i>	+	30
<i>sc</i>	<i>s</i>	+	10
+	+	<i>v</i>	14

- (a) Are the above genes linked? Give reasons for your answers. 2
- (b) Diagram the crosses giving the genotypes of parents and F_1 . 3
- (c) What is the order of the genes? 2
- (d) Calculate the map distance between the genes and construct the linkage map. 3
- (e) Calculate the coefficient of coincidence. 2
- (f) Calculate the interference and comment on its significance. 2

6. (a) Describe the different chromosomal aberrations involving change in chromosome numbers. 7

(b) In a dihybrid cross, two corn plants with green seedlings were crossed and the following progeny were obtained :

181 green seedlings, 45 virescent-white seedlings, and 14 yellow seedlings.

Find out the probable segregation ratio. Write the genotypes of parents, F_1 and genotypes and phenotypes of F_2 plants. Explain the genetic basis of inheritance. 7

7. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : $3\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 14$

- (i) Quantitative traits
- (ii) Position effect
- (iii) Environmental factors in sex determination
- (iv) Somatic cell hybridization
- (v) Pleiotropy.