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Name of the Paper : Principles of Genetics (DSE)

Name of the Course : Microbiology

Semester : VI, (Part-III)

Duration : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

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Attempt any five questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Write the contributions of the following scientists in the field of genetics
(any four) : 4×1=4

- (i) T.H. Morgan
- (ii) Mary B. Mitchell
- (iii) Tracy Sonneborn
- (iv) Barbara Mc Clintock
- (v) Hugo de Vries

- (b) Define the following terms (any four) : 4×2=8

- (i) Heritability, (ii) Non-dijunction, (iii) Pseudodominance, (iv) Linkage,
- (v) Synteney

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2. (a) What is incomplete dominance ? Explain with an example. 3
(b) Explain Polygenic inheritance with a suitable example. 5
(c) Explain maternal inheritance with reference to *Limnaea peregra*. 4
3. Differentiate between the following pairs : 3×4=12
(i) Backcross and Testcross
(ii) Polygenic inheritance and monogenic inheritance
(iii) Monohybrid and dihybrid cross
(iv) Incomplete Penetrance and Variable Expressivity.
4. (a) Define Hardy Weinberg principle. How is it used to calculate allele and genotype frequencies in population ? 5
(b) Explain dominant epistasis with an example. 4
(c) What are multiple alleles ? Explain with *one* example. 3
5. (a) Explain X-Linked inheritance with a suitable example. 4
(b) Explain the mechanism of extranuclear inheritance in *Mirabilis jalapa*. 4
(c) Which test is done to determine whether the two independently isolated mutations are in the same gene or in separate genes ? 4
6. (a) Define Epigenetics and explain any *one* mechanism of epigenetic changes. 2
(b) Define kappa particles and its role in infectious heredity with suitable diagrams. 4

- (c) Consider Apricot eyes (a), Ebony body color (e) and mini bristles (m) as three recessive mutations in fruit flies. A fly with apricot eyes, ebony body, and mini bristles is crossed with a fly homozygous for the wild-type traits. The resulting F1 females are then test-crossed with males having apricot eyes, abony body, and mini bristles. The following progenies are produced :

$a^+ e^+ m^+$	625
$a e m$	625
$a e^+ m$	167
$a^+ e m^+$	167
$a^+ e^+ m$	95
$a e m^+$	95
$a e^+ m^+$	13
$a^+ e m$	13
Total	1800

- (i) Determine the gene order for the three genes.
- (ii) Construct a genetic map showing the distances between these genes in map units
- (iii) Calculate the coefficient of coincidence (COC) and interference (I).

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