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CORE - BY010302 - BIOTECHNOLOGY, BIOINFORMATICS AND BIONANOTECHNOLOGY

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Time: 3 Hours Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. Name any 2 antibiotics produced by bacteria
- 2. What is the importance of suspension culture?
- 3. Define auxin-cytokinin ratio
- 4. Why T4 DNA ligase is preferred over other ligases?
- 5. What is the role of vir C in agrobacterium mediated gene transfer?
- 6. What is FISH?
- 7. Briefly explain Transcriptomics.
- 8. What is a substitution matrix?
- 9. Discuss the significance of Molecular phylogeny
- 10. Discuss about the translocation and accumulation of Nanoparticles in plant tissues and organs



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(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

- 11. Explain fed batch fermentation. How can we convert a batch fermentation into fed batch fermentation
- 12. How will you sterilise the explants used in tissue culture
- 13. Explain different methods of DNA isolation from cells
- 14. Explain methods of gene knock out in mice
- 15. Explain cDNA synthesis.
- 16. Write a critical note on patenting living organisms and genes.
- 17. Comment on PubMed and its use in literature survey
- 18. Discuss the methods of biological synthesis of Zinc Nanoparticles using plant extract

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. Explain various types of bioreactors used in industrial fermentation
- 20. Explain various physical methods of gene transfer
- Describe different methods of genome editing.
- 22. Elaborate on protein structure prediction by citing suitable modelling methods

(2×5=10 weightage)

