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FIRST SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019

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Biotechnology

BTY 1B 01—CELL BIOLOGY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

Section A

Answer any two out of four questions in about 1,500 words.

Each question carries 10 marks.

- 1. Explain cell cycle mechanism and regulation.
- 2. Write a note on structure and function of plasma membrane.
- 3. Write a note on protein synthesis.
- 4. How can you differentiate a prokaryotic cell from a eukaryotic cell?

 $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ marks})$

Section B

Answer any **seven** out of fourteen questions in about 750 words. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 5. Write a note on microfilaments and microtubules.
- 6. Explain the difference between an embryonic stem cell and an adult stem cell?
- 7. Explain the structure of chloroplast.
- 8. What is Apoptosis?
- 9. What is the role of Golgi complex in process of cell secretion?
- 10. Which organelle is called as power house of the cell. Explain, why?
- 11. Explain phenomenon of osmosis, how it differ from diffusion?
- 12. Explain human Y chromosome.
- 13. Comment on different membrane models.
- 14. Comment on organization of Chromatin.

- 15. Explain Na-K pump.
- 16. Distinguish between centromere and kinetochore.
- 17. Explain the role of Mitogens in stimulating the cell division.
- 18. Explain the functions of extracellular matrix proteins.

 $(7 \times 5 = 35 \text{ marks})$

Section C

Answer all questions in about 300 words.

Each question carries 3 marks.

- 19. Where is ATPase found?
- 20. Explain karyotyping.
- 21. Write functions of lysosome.
- 22. What is peroxisomes?
- 23. What are oncogenes?

 $(5 \times 3 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Section D

Answer all questions in about 200 words. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 24. Describe pachytene phase.
- 25. Photolysis of water.
- 26. Explain the Exocytosis.
- 27. Cancer stem cells.
- 28. Define Mitotic spindles.

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$