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FOURTH SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025

(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

ZOOLOGY: Complementary Course for Botany GZOL4C04T: GENETICS AND IMMUNOLOGY

Time: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 60

SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries *two* marks. (Ceiling 20 marks)

- 1. Differentiate between Eugenics and Euthenics.
- 2. What is meant by cross reactivity in immunology?
- 3. What is Barr body? How is it significant?
- 4. Comment on pseudogenes.
- 5. What are cytokines?
- 6. Briefly describe the Central dogma of molecular biology.
- 7. What are the hazards of genetic engineering?
- 8. What is Phenylketonuria?
- 9. Differentiate between sarcoma and carcinoma.
- 10. What are transposons?
- 11. Discuss the principle of RIA.
- 12. What is Grave's disease?

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks. (Ceiling 30 marks)

- 13. What is meant by sex mosaicism? Explain gynandromorphism as a form of sex mosaicism.
- 14. What is meant by genetic code? Discuss its major features.
- 15. Discuss the Denver scheme for grouping of human chromosomes.
- 16. Explain precipitation and agglutination reactions in immunology.
- 17. What are cloning vectors? Explain any two types.
- 18. Differentiate between primary and secondary immunodeficiency diseases. Discuss briefly with an example for each type.
- 19. What are the characteristics of cancer cells?

SECTION C: Answer any one question. The question carries two marks.

- 20. Describe the steps of rDNA technology.
- 21. Discuss in detail the various organs of the immune system.