2/EH–63 (ii) (Syllabus–2015)

2016 OH

(April)

ZOOLOGY

(Elective/Honours)

SECOND PAPER

(Cell Biology and Genetics)

Marks: 56

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer Question No. 1 and any four from the rest

- 1. Answer any three of the following: 4×3=12
 - (a) Microfilaments and microtubules are composed of specialized proteins.
 - Elaborate.
 - (b) In eukaryotes, nucleolus is the site of ribosome formation. Explain.
 - (c) Explain sickle-cell anemia.

- (d) Define codominant and complementary genes. (e) The diploid (2n) number of an animal is 10. How many chromosomes would be expected in monosomic, nullisomic and trisomic? 2. (a) With the help of labelled diagram, give a brief account of the ultrastructure of mitochondria. (b) Write a note on Na-K-pump. 5 3. (a) Distinguish between euchromatin and heterochromatin. 5 (b) Write a note on the structure and significance of polytene chromosome. 6 4. (a) Give a brief account of meiotic prophase I. au 6 (b) Distinguish between active and passive immunity. Which is more advantageous? 4+1=5 5. (a) Deduce Mendel's principle independent assortment with the help of suitable cross. 6 (b) Explain multiple alleles with reference to ABO blood group in man.
- 6. (a) What is linkage? Explain complete and incomplete linkage. Linkage is exception to Mendel's which law? 1+4+1=6
 - (b) What is inversion? Discuss pericentric and paracentric inversions. 1+4=5
- 7. Write short notes on any two of the following: 51/2×2=11
 - (a) Golgi complex
 - (b) Cell cycle
 - (c) Synaptonemal complex
 - (d) Chromosomal basis of sex determination
- 8. Discuss mitosis with suitable illustrations. Write a note on its significance. 5+3+3=11

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