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Zoology

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(CBCS)

(M.Sc. Third Semester End Examination-2022)
PAPER-302

Full Marks:40

Time: 02 Hrs

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as

far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

[Use separate answer script for each group]

Group-A

[Molecular Evolution]

1. Answer any two questions of the following:

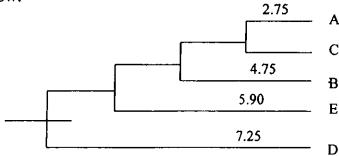
2x2 = 4

- a) How fitness is calculated? Give example.
- b) The ability to taste PTC is due to a single dominant allele 'T' you sampled 215 individuals in biology, and determined that 150 could detect the bitter taste of PTC Calculate all the potential frequencies.
- c) In which why effective population size (Ne) can be reduced?
- d) What is ortholog? Give example.

2. Answer any Two questions of the following:

4x2 = 8

- a) At a particular locus, there are two alleles, B and b. The mutation rate of B to b is 3.5x 10.-4 were as the mutation rate of b to B is 6x10.-8. What is the equlibrium frequency of the b allele, assuming no others factor in operating in this population?
- b) In a population, the frequency of + allele was 0.26 in a migrant population and 0.45 in the conglomerate population. If the migration rate was 0.1. Calculate the frequency of + in the original native population.
- c) Let us suppose that the starting allele frequencies of a population are A=0.5 and a=0.5 and fitness values of three genotypes AA,Aa and aa are 1.0, 0.8 and 0.2 respectively. What will be the allele frequencies of A and a after 1 generation
- d) What is UPGMA distance matrix for the gene tree shown below:



3. Answer any one question of the following:

1x8 = 8

a) A population of 80 squirrels resides on RNLKWC (A) campus and the pregnancy of G6PD allele among them in 0.70. Another

population of squirrels is found in nearby forest and there the frequency of G6PD allele is 0.50. During rainy season, 20 squirrels from the forest migrate to campus for food and shelter, What will be the allele frequencyat G6PD allele in the campus population after migration?

b) In fruit fly two alleles are present in a locus that encodes ADH^F which encodes a form of enzyme that migrate tast on electrophoretic gel (ADH^F) and other form migrate show on gele electrophoresis (ADH^F). Female fruit fly with different ADH genotype produces the following number of off springs When alcohol is present

Genotype	Mean no to offsprings		
Adh ^F / ADh ^F	120		
Adh ^F / Adh ^S	60		
Adh ^S / Adh ^S	30		

Calculate the relative fitness of formals having these genotype.

Group-B

[Microbiology]

4. Answer any two questions of the following:

2x2 = 4

- a) Differentiate between pili and fimbriae.
- b) Write a note on glycocalyx.
- c) What is mycorriza?
- d) What is the difference between Haplontic and Diplontic life cycle?

5. A	Inswer	any	Two	questions	of the	following:
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- 4x2 = 8
- a) What is the general process of fermentation? Name the intracellular components contributed by microbes.
- b) If a bacterial culture contained 10⁵ cells per ml at t⁰ time and 10¹⁰ cells per ml after 4 hrs, calculates its specific growth rate and doubling time.
- c) What are the difference between capsid and envelop?
- d) Discuss briefly on the outer membrane of Gram negative bacteria.

6. Answer any one question of the following:

- 1x8 = 8
- a) Describe the lysogemic lifecycle of virus. Why lysogemic cyclpe is more beneficial to a virus than lytic cycle under certain circumstances?

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- b) i) Describe the various methods of measuring bacterial growth.
 - ii) Briefly write down the mechanism of chemotaxis in Bacteria.