DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

QUESTION BANK

SEM – V PAPER – 5

Essay type Questions (10 Marks)

- 1. Define cell. Describe the ultra structure of a typical plant cell.
- 2. Write an essay on plant cell wall.
- 3. Describe the structure and functions of Plasma membrane.
- 4. Describe the structure and functions of Nucleus.
- 5. What is Nucleosome? Give an account of solenoid model of Chromosomes.
- 6. Describe the structure and chemistry of Chromosomes.
- 7. Explain the structure and functions of Watson and Crick model of DNA.
- 8. Explain the process of DNA replication.
- 9. Write an essay on different types of RNA.
- 10. Discuss Mendel's Laws of inheritance.
- 11. Describe the monohybrid and dihybrid experiments that were conducted by Mendel on *Pisum sativum*.
- 12. Describe the process of Linkage and mention its significance.
- 13. Define Linkage. Describe different types of linkage.
- 14. Give a brief account of the procedure used in preparing a chromosome map with the help of three point test cross.
- 15. Describe the mechanism of Crossing over and its significance.
- 16. What is Plant breeding? Write an account of its Objectives and Activities.
- 17. Write in detail about plant Introduction.
- 18. Write about the selection method which helps in Crop-Improvement.
- 19. What is Hybridization? Describe the procedure advantages and limitations of Hybridization.
- 20. Write an essay on the role of Mutations in Crop-Improvement.
- 21. Write an essay on somaclonal variations and their role in Crop-Improvement.
- 22. What is Molecular Breeding? Write in detail about Molecular breeding.
- 23. Write in detail about molecular markers and their uses in Plant Breeding.

Short Answer Questions (5 Marks)

- Cell wall.
- 2. Endoplasmic Reticulum.
- Golgi complex.
- 4. Mitochondria
- 5. Plastids.
- Ribosomes.
- 7. Nucleus.
- 8. Nucleolus
- 9. Chromatin
- 10. Euchromatin and Heterochromatin.
- 11. Hammerling's experiment.

- 12. Chemical composition of Cell Wall.
- 13. Fluid mosaic model of plasma membrane.
- 14. Unit membrane model of plasma membrane.
- 15. Functions of plasma membrane.
- 16. Centromere.
- 17. Karyotype.
- 18. Chromosome banding.
- 19. SAT chromosomes.
- 20. Giant chromosomes.
- 21. Polytene chromosomes.
- 22. Lamp brush chromosomes.
- 23. B-chromosomes.
- 24. Nucleotides.
- 25. Nitrogen Bases.
- 26. Replicon.
- 27. DNA polymerase.
- 28. m-RNA.
- 29. Soluble RNA or t-RNA.
- 30. Ribosomal RNA or Insoluble RNA.
- 31. Test cross.
- 32. Back cross.
- 33. Coupling and Repulsion.
- 34. Two-point test cross.
- 35. Three-point test cross.
- 36. Crossing over.
- 37. Copy-Choice hypothesis.
- 38. Mass selection.
- 39. Pure line selection.
- 40. Clonal selection.
- 41. Heterosis.
- 42. Emasculation.
- 43. Bagging.
- 44. SSD method.
- 45. Mutagens.
- 46. Somaclone.
- 47. Molecular Markers.
- 48. SSR
- 49. RAPD
- 50. RFLP
- 51. MAS
- 52. MAB
- 53. MABC