

3. INHERITANCE AND VARIATION

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS (1 MARK EACH)

- 1 The three principles of Mendelism are
A. Dominance, segregation and independent assortment
B. Linkage, segregation and independent assortment
C. Linkage, dominance and segregation
D. Linkage, dominance and Independent assortment.
- 2 Which one of the following is back cross?
A. $F_1 \times F_1$
B. $F_1 \times$ Recessive parent
C. $F_1 \times$ Dominant parent
D. $F_1 \times$ Any parent
- 3 RR (Red) Antirrhinum is crossed with white (WW) one. Offspring (RW) are pink. This is an example of
A. Dominant -recessive
B. Incomplete dominance
C. Hybrid
D. Supplementary genes
- 4 The word chromosome was coined by
A. Benda
B. Waldeyer
C. Robert Hooke
D. T.H.Morgan
- 5 Nullisomy is represented by.....
A. $(2n-1)$
B. $(2n-2)$
C. $(2n+1)$
D. $(2n+2)$
- 6 Identify the odd one:-
A. Monoploidy
B. Diploidy
C. Polyploidy
D. Hyperploidy
- 7 In humans, the sex chromosome complement is
A. XX-XY
B. XX-XO
C. ZZ-ZO
D. ZW-ZZ
- 8 A family has five daughters and expecting sixth child. The chance of its being a son is
A. zero
B. 25%
C. 50%
D. 100%
- 9 In human beings 45 chromosomes/single X/XO abnormality causes
A. Down's syndrome
B. Klinefelter's syndrome
C. Turner's syndrome
D. Edward's syndrome
- 10 Webbed neck is characteristic of ... syndrome.
A. XXX B. YY
C. XXY D. XO

VERY SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS (1 MARK EACH)

- 1 Define inheritance.
- 2 What is allelomorph?
- 3 What is test cross?
- 4 Define euploidy.
- 5 Give an example of complete linkage.
- 6 How many linkage groups are present in *Drosophila melanogaster*?
- 7 Which genes show straight inheritance?
- 8 How drones are produced in honey bees?
- 9 What is the reason for 21st trisomy?
- 10 Give the example of X- monosomy you have studied.

SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS (SA-I) (2 MARKS EACH)

- 1 Discuss any two points due to which Mendel got success in his experiment?
- 2 Give any two points of difference between homozygous and heterozygous.
- 3 Explain test cross with suitable example and state its ratios.
- 4 Give an account of incomplete dominance with suitable example.
- 5 Explain codominance in colour coat in cattle with checker board method.
- 6 Write an account of chromosomal theory of inheritance.
- 7 Write a note on sex linkage.
- 8 Differentiate between complete and incomplete linkage.
- 9 Explain mechanism of sex determination in birds.
- 10 Give a detailed account of thalassemia.

SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS (SA-II) (3 MARKS EACH)

- 1 Enlist dominant and recessive characters in pea plant with respect to position of flower, colour of seed and colour of pod in tabulated form.
- 2 Give an account of pleiotropy with suitable example.
- 3 Describe the structure of sex chromosomes with the help of labelled diagram.
- 4 What is autosomal inheritance? Explain different disorders due to autosomal inheritance.
- 5 Explain the inheritance pattern of colour blindness with suitable chart.
- 6 Write a note on bleeder's disease and its inheritance with a suitable chart.
- 7 Explain the mechanism of sex determination in humans with suitable chart.
- 8 Write a note on Down's syndrome.
- 9 What are the different characters that develop due to Klinefelter's syndrome?
- 10 Give reasons for development of Turner's syndrome and also mention its symptoms.

LONG ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS (LA) (4 MARKS EACH)

- 1 Define inheritance. Give statements for various laws of inheritance.
- 2 Explain intragenic and intergenic interaction with the help of example.
- 3 Explain structure of chromosomes with labelled diagram.
- 4 Give a detailed account of sex linked inheritance.
- 5 Give an account of one Mendelian and one chromosomal disorder you have studied.