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FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2007

General Biotechnology

GBT 101—CELL BIOLOGY

Maximum: 80 Marks

Time: Three Hours

Section A

Answer any two questions.

How do cellular metabolism occurs in mitochondria ? Explain. Schematically represent 'Somatic cell division' and explain. Ad a

Draw and explain the structural organisation of a Prokaryotic cell. 3.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ marks})$

Section B

Answer any ten questions.

- List the post transcriptional changes that occur.
- What is the role of an **ER** in a cell? 5.

- What are the various steps that are taking place in a chloroplast during light reaction? 6.
- How do the nuclear material is present in an Eukaryotic cell
- Write short notes on membrane transport. 8.
- How ATP molecules are synthesized and transported? 9.
- Schematically represent 3D structure of microtubule.
- 10. What do you mean by Phosphocreatinine? Explain. 11.
- List the various types of pigments present in a plant.
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- List the various types of pigments present in a plant. How do a Prokaryotic cell differ from an Eukaryotic cell?

 What are cell cycle check points?

 One gene one enzyme hypothesis. How good this statement goes with the present day science (10 x 5 = 50 marks) 14. 15.

Section C

Answer all questions.

- How do TEM differs from SEM?
- What are exons and nitrons?
- Name the power house and suicidal body of a cell. 18.
- What do you mean by denaturation of protein? 19.
- What are pili, fimbriae and flagella? What is its role?

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$