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(CUCSS)

Biotechnology

GB 3C 4—IMMUNOLOGY

(2010 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 36 Weightage

Section A

Answer all questions.

- 1. Differentiate between isotype and allotype.
- 2. What do you mean by superantigens ?
- 3. What is Hapten ?
- 4. What are interleukins?
- 5. How attinity is different from avidity ?
- 6. What is memory cell?
- 7. Where can you see variable domain and what is its significance ?
- 8. What do you mean by natural killer cells ?
- 9. What is Antigen presentation ?
- 10. What is Monoclonal Antibody ?

(10 x 1 = 10 weightage)

Section **B**

Answer any seven questions.

- 11. Briefly explain the technique of RIA.
- 12. Describe the principle of HAT selection.
- 13. What is the role of lymphatic system in defense ?
- 14. Describe the mechanisms by which tumor antigens escape from immune response ?
- 15. Which are the important classes of immunoglobulins? Add a note on their functions?
- 16. Give a brief description on Type I and Type II Hypersensitivity reactions.
- ⁷. Explain the structure of T-cell receptor.
- 18. Give a list of important secondary lymphoid organs and their functions.
- 19, How innate immunity is helpful in defense mechanisms ?
- 20. Explain ouchterlony Double Diffusion.

 $(7 \ge 2 = 14 \text{ weightage})$

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Section C

Answer any two questions.

- 21. Briefly explain the differentiation of B-cells and T-cells.
- 22. Describe the structure and organization of MHC .
- 23. Which are the pathways involved in the action of complements ? Explain with details.

 $(2 \ge 6 = 12 \text{ weight},$