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## B.Sc. 5th Semester (Honours) Examination, 2019-20 ZOOLOGY

Course Title: Molecular Biology

Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes Full Marks: 25

The figures in the right hand side margin indicate marks.

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

**1.** Answer *any five* of the following:

 $1 \times 5 = 5$ 

- (a) Write down the chemical names of adenine and cytosine.
- (b) What is major groove?
- (c) State the function of sigma factor.
- (d) What is alternative splicing?
- (e) State the function of photolyase.
- (f) Differentiate between activators and repressors.
- (g) What is Shine-Dalgarno sequence?
- (h) What is DNA Probe?
- **2.** Answer *any two* of the following:

 $5 \times 2 = 10$ 

- (a) Briefly describe the process of NER. State the function of Mut S and Mut L.
- 4+1=5
- (b) Describe the process of rho independent termination of transcription in prokaryotes.
  - 1+4=5
- (c) What is Post-transcriptional modification? How it is achieved in eukaryotes?
- (d) Define insulator and mediator. State the function of guide RNA with suitable illustration. 1+1+3=5

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**3.** Answer *any one* of the following:

- $10 \times 1 = 10$
- (a) What is replication fork? What do you mean by bi-directional replication? Briefly describe the structure and function of DNA polymerase-III. 2+2+6=10
- (b) What is negative repressible operon? How attenuation is achieved E. coli? What is the positive control of Lac Operon? What is gratuitous inducer? 2+4+2+2=10

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