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M.Sc. (Biotechnology)

First Semester

MBIO-101: Cell Biology

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. 1 which is compulsory and selecting one question from each Unit.

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Q1. Short answers:

- i. What are coacervates?
- ii. What are endosomes and lysosomes?
- iii. Difference between pinocytosis, endocytosis and exocytosis?
- iv. What are COP I and COP II vesicles?
- v. What is birefringence in microscopy?
- vi. Role of Securin protein in cell cycle?
- vii. What are aquaporins?
- viii. Which are the major enzymes involved in Krebs's cycle? (8×2)

UNIT-I

- Q2. a. Cells are highly diverse in eukaryotic and prokaryotic organisms. Discuss with example and diagrams? 8
- b. Describe the principle and working of the microscope used for viewing living unstained cells? 8
- Q3. a. Give an account of morphological diversity of eukaryotic cells? 8
- b. Discuss the various method of sample preparation for electron microscopy and their importance? 8

UNIT-II

- Q4. a. Describe the high throughput method for separating cells on the basis of fluorescence and charge? 8
- b. Discuss the structure and function of endoplasmic reticulum? 8
- Q5.a. What are P-Class pumps? Describe the Na^+/K^+ pump and its significance in humans? 8
- b. Discuss the electron transport chain and production of proton motive force in mitochondria? 8

UNIT-III

- Q6. a. Describe with diagram the molecular events involved in regulation of the cell cycle in *Sacharomyces cerevisiae*? 8
- b. Describe the TGF β signalling pathway and its significance in the cell signal transduction? 8
- Q7. a. Describe the various check points in cell cycle and how do they regulate the cell cycle? 8
- b. Describe the molecular method involved in sliding mechanism of tubulin in flagellar movement? Discuss the various types of cilliary movements 8

UNIT-IV

- Q8. a. Explain the vesicle mediated anterograde protein trafficking within the cells? 8
- b. Discuss the initiation, extension and termination steps in eukaryotic protein synthesis? 8
- Q9. A. Explain oogenesis and mention the proteins involved in it? 6
- b. Discuss the mechanism involved in budding and fusion events of vesicles during protein trafficking? 10

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