

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

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

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I. Answer briefly

- a) UPGMA
- b) Maximum parsimony
- c) Bootstrapping
- d) Motif
- e) InterPro
- f) PRATT
- g) Protein Family
- h) SMART

(8x1½)

UNIT - I

- II. a) What are Domains? Discuss their different types.
b) Define sequence profiles and discuss the regular expression profiles. (2x6)
- III. a) Discuss the constructions of PSSM.
b) Explain any domain database (2x6)
- IV. a) Write a note on PRATT.
b) Discuss the applications of PSI-BLAST. (2x6)

UNIT - II

- V. Write a note on the tree terminologies and topologies in phylogenetic analysis. (12)
- VI. a) Discuss any character based method for phylogenetic tree construction.
b) Explain the Phylip package for phylogenetic analysis. (2x6)
- VII. a) Discuss the process of Jackknifing.
b) Write a note on the Neighbor joining method for tree construction. (2x6)

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