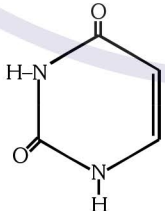


## EXERCISE

1. Double helix model of DNA which was proposed by Watson and Crick was of-  
(1) C-DNA (2) B-DNA  
(3) D-DNA (4) Z-DNA
2. If there are 10,000 nitrogenous base pairs in a DNA then how many nucleotides are there-  
(1) 500 (2) 10,000  
(3) 20,000 (4) 40,000
3. Double helix model of DNA is proposed by-  
(1) Watson and Crick  
(2) Schleiden Schwann  
(3) Singer and Nicholson  
(4) Kornberg and Khurana
4. Back bone in structure of DNA molecule is made up of -  
(1) Pentose Sugar and phosphate  
(2) Hexose sugar and phosphate  
(3) Purine and pyrimidine  
(4) Sugar and phosphate
5. Nucleotide is -  
(1) N<sub>2</sub> - base, pentose sugar and phosphoric acid  
(2) Nitrogen, Hexose sugar and phosphoric acid  
(3) Nitrogen base, pentose sugar  
(4) Nitrogen base, trioses and phosphoric acid
6. Unit of nucleic acids are-  
(1) Phosphoric acid  
(2) Nitrogenous bases  
(3) Pentose Sugar  
(4) Nucleotides
7. Which element is not found in nitrogenous base :-  
(1) Nitrogen (2) Hydrogen  
(3) Carbon (4) Phosphorus
8. DNA was first discovered by-  
(1) Meischer (2) Robert Brown  
(3) Flemming (4) Watson & Crick
9. A N<sub>2</sub>- base together with pentose sugar and phosphate forms (or) building - block unit of nucleic acid is :-  
(1) Nucleoside (2) Polypeptide  
(3) Nucleotide (4) Aminoacid
10. Which of the following is not a pyrimidine N<sub>2</sub> base -  
(1) Thymine (2) Cytosine  
(3) Guanine (4) Uracil
11. The purine & pyrimidine pairs of complementary strands of DNA are held together by -  
(1) H - bonds (2) O - bonds  
(3) C - bonds (4) N - bonds
12. Number of H - bonds between guanine and cytosine are -  
(1) One (2) Two  
(3) Three (4) Four
13. What is the nature of the 2 strands of a DNA duplex :-  
(1) Identical & Complimentary  
(2) Antiparallel & complimentary  
(3) Dissimilar & non complimentary  
(4) Antiparallel & non complimentary
14. On an average, how many purine N<sub>2</sub> bases are present in single coil of DNA  
(1) Four (2) Five  
(3) Ten (4) Uncertain
15. Distance between two nucleotide pairs of DNA is -  
(1) 0.34 nm (2) 34 Å<sup>0</sup>  
(3) 3.4 μ (4) 34 nm
16. In a double strand DNA amount of Guanine is 35% then what will be the amount of cytosine?  
(1) 70% (2) 15%  
(3) 30% (4) 35%
17. Chargaff's rule is given as -  
(1) Purines ≠ Pyrimidines  
(2) A + G = T + C  
(3) A + U = G + C  
(4) A + T / G + C = Const.
18. Short DNA segment has 80 thymine and 90 guanine bases. The total number of nucleotides are  
(1) 160 (2) 40 (3) 80 (4) 340

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- 19.** Prokaryotic DNA is :-  
(1) double stranded circular  
(2) single stranded circular  
(3) double stranded linear  
(4) double stranded RNA as nucleic acid
- 20.** Nucleoside is :-  
(1) Polymer of nucleic acid  
(2) Phosphoric acid + base  
(3) Phosphoric acid + sugar + base  
(4) Sugar + base
- 21.** If one strand of double stranded DNA, consists of the sequence 3'-ATTTCGTAC-5', then the complementary sequence must be -  
(1) 5'-UAAGCAUG-3'  
(2) 3'-TAAGCATG-5'  
(3) 5'-TAAGCATG-3'  
(4) 5'-TAAGCATG-3' in the reverse direction
- 22.** Which of the following is a false statements ?  
(1) DNA is chemically less reactive, as compared to RNA  
(2) RNA mutate at a faster rate, as compared to DNA  
(3) Guanyl transferase enzyme helps in capping process during splicing of hn-RNA  
(4) r RNA is less abundant RNA in an animal cell
- 23.** DNA molecule has uniform diameter due to ?  
(1) Double stranded  
(2) Presence of phosphate  
(3) Specific base pairing between purine and pyrimidine  
(4) Specific base pairing between purine and purine
- 24.** Following structure is related to which compound?  
(1) Adenine  
(2) Guanine  
(3) Uracil  
(4) Thymine
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- 25.** If the sequence of bases in one strand of DNA is known then the sequence in other strand can be predicted on the basis of-  
(1) Antiparallel (2) Complementary  
(3) Polarity (4) Coiling
- 26.** The unequivocal proof that DNA is the genetic material came from the experiments of -  
(1) Hershey and chaese (1952)  
(2) Frederic Griffith (1928)  
(3) Watson and Crick  
(4) Meselson and Stal (1958)
- 27.** A bacterium with completely radioactive DNA was allowed to replicate in a non- radioactive medium for two generation what % of the bacteria should contain radioactive DNA :-  
(1) 100 % (2) 50 % (3) 25 % (4) 12.5 %
- 28.** In the base sequence of one strand of DNA is GAT, TAG ,CAT , GAC what shall be the sequence of its complementary strand-  
(1) CAT, CTG, ATC, GTA  
(2) GTA, ATC, CTG, GTA  
(3) ATC, GTA, CTG, GTA  
(4) CTA, ATC, GTA, CTG
- 29.** The direction of D.N.A. replication is :  
(1) From 5' end towards 3' end  
(2) From 3' end towards 5' end  
(3) Amino terminus to carboxy terminus  
(4) Carboxy terminus to amino terminus
- 30.** Semiconservation replication of DNA was given by  
(1) Watson and Crick  
(2) Bateson and Punnett  
(3) Messelson and Stahl  
(4) Avery, McCarty and Mactleod
- 31.** Which of the following enzyme is used in DNA multiplication :-  
(1) RNA polymerase  
(2) DNA endonuclease  
(3) Exonuclease  
(4) DNA Polymerase
- 32.** Mode of DNA replication in E. coli is :-  
(1) Conservative and unidirectional  
(2) Semi conservative and unidirectional  
(3) conservative and bidirectional  
(4) Semi conservative and bidirectional
- 33.** Which of the following enzyme is used to join DNA fragments :-  
(1) Terminase (2) Endonuclease  
(3) Ligase (4) DNA polymerase

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- 34.** Okazaki fragments are synthesised on :-  
(1) Leading strands of DNA only  
(2) Lagging strands of DNA only  
(3) Both leading and lagging strands of DNA  
(4) Complementary DNA
- 35.** In DNA replication, the primer is :-  
(1) A small deoxyribonucleotide polymer  
(2) A small ribonucleotide polymer  
(3) Helix destabilizing protein  
(4) Enzyme taking part in joining nucleotides of new strand
- 36.** Replication fork is –  
(1) Large opening of the DNA helix  
(2) Small opening of the DNA helix  
(3) Tightly coiled part of DNA helix  
(4) Loosely coiled part of DNA helix
- 37.** Code in RNA corresponding to AGCT in DNA-  
(1) TACA (2) UCGA  
(3) TCGA (4) AGUC
- 38.** Which of the following is called adaptor molecule-  
(1) DNA (2) m-RNA  
(3) t-RNA (4) RNA
- 39.** Which may be attached with Adenine base in RNA  
(1) Guanine (2) Cytosine  
(3) Uracil (4) Thymine
- 40.** In the base sequence of one strand of DNA is CAT, TAG, CAT, CAT, GAC what would be the base sequence of its complementary m-RNA-  
(1) GUA, GUA, CUG, AUC, CUG  
(2) AUG, CUG, CUC, GUA, CUG  
(3) GUA, AUC, GUA, GUA, CUG  
(4) GUC, CUG, CUG, CUA, CUU
- 41.** The process by which DNA of the nucleus passes genetic information to m-RNA is called-  
(1) Transcription (2) Translocation  
(3) Translation (4) Transportation
- 42.** A sequence of three consecutive bases in a t- RNA molecule which specifically binds to a complementary codon sequence in m RNA is known as -  
(1) Triplet (2) Non - sense codon  
(3) Anti codon (4) Termination codon
- 43.** t - RNA attach to larger subunit of ribosomes with the help of which loop -  
(1) DHU - loop (2) T $\Psi$  C loop  
(3) Anticodon loop (4) Minor loop
- 44.** In bacteria the codon AUG stands for -  
(1) Glycine (2) Methionine  
(3) N- formyl methionine (4) Alanine
- 45.** In three dimensional view the molecule of t-RNA is  
(1) L-shaped (2) S-shaped  
(3) Y- shaped (4) E-shaped
- 46.** During transcription, the DNA site at which RNA polymerase binds is called :-  
(1) Promoter (2) Regulator  
(3) Receptor (4) Enhancer
- 47.** Which form of RNA has a structure resembling clover leaf ?  
(1) rRNA (2) hnRNA  
(3) mRNA (4) tRNA
- 48.** Which one of the following makes use of RNA as a template to synthesize DNA –  
(1) DNA dependant RNA polymerase  
(2) DNA polymerase  
(3) Reverse transcriptase  
(4) RNA polymerase
- 49.** cDNA probes are copied from the messenger RNA molecules with the help of :  
(1) Restriction enzymes  
(2) Reverse transcriptase  
(3) DNA polymerase  
(4) Adenosine deaminase
- 50.** If the base sequence in DNA is 5' AAAA 3' then the bases sequence in m-RNA is :-  
(1) 5' UUUU 3' (2) 3' UUUU 5'  
(3) 5' AAAA 3' (4) 3' TTTT 5'
- 51.** Method by which information reaches from DNA to RNA is :-  
(1) Transcription (2) Translation  
(3) Transformation (4) Transduction

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- 52.** Which is soluble RNA :-  
(1) hnRNA (2) rRNA  
(3) mRNA (4) tRNA
- 53.** Portion of gene which is transcribed but not translated is :-  
(1) exon (2) intron  
(3) cistron (4) codon
- 54.** The most abundant RNA of cell is :-  
(1) r-RNA (2) t-RNA  
(3) m-RNA (4) None of these
- 55.** One strand of DNA (non template) has base sequence CAG, TCG, GAT. What will be the sequence of bases in m-RNA :-  
(1) AGC, CTA, CTA  
(2) GTC, AGC, CTC  
(3) CAG, UCG, GAU  
(4) GAC, TAG, CTA
- 56.** Inverse transcription was discovered by :-  
(1) Watson and Crick (2) Khorana  
(3) Temin and Baltimore (4) Meischer
- 57.** Mature eucaryotic m-RNA is recognised by  
(1) Shine dalgarno sequence at 5' end  
(2) 7-methyl guanosine at 5' end and polyadenine bases at 3' end  
(3) Anti shine dalgarno sequence at 5' end  
(4) Presence of coding and noncoding sequence
- 58.** Main enzyme of transcription—  
(1) DNA dependent DNA polymerase  
(2) DNA dependent RNA polymerase  
(3) RNA dependent RNA polymerase  
(4) RNA dependent DNA polymerase
- 59.** Removal of introns and joining of exons is called  
(1) Capping (2) Tailing  
(3) Splicing (4) All
- 60.** A codon in m-RNA has :-  
(1) 3-bases  
(2) 2-bases  
(3) 1-base  
(4) Number of bases vary
- 61.** Genetic code was deciphered by chemically synthesizing the trinucleotides by-  
(1) Watson & Crick  
(2) Beadle & Tatum  
(3) Briggs & King  
(4) M.W. Nirenberg
- 62.** 64 Codons constitute genetic code because-  
(1) There was 64 types of amino acid  
(2) 64 types of t-RNA  
(3) Genetic code is triplet  
(4) There are 64 enzymes
- 63.** Which codon gives signal for the start of polypeptide (protein) chain synthesis-  
(1) AUG (2) UGA  
(3) GUA (4) UAG
- 64.** The function of non-sense codons is-  
(1) To release polypeptide chain from t-RNA  
(2) To form an unspecified amino acid  
(3) To terminate the message of a gene controlled protein synthesis-  
(4) To convert a sense DNA into non sense DNA
- 65.** Termination of chain growth in protein synthesis is brought about by-  
(1) UUG, UGC, UCA  
(2) UCG, GCG, ACC  
(3) UAA, UAG, UGA  
(4) UUG, UAG, UCG
- 66.** Sometimes the starting codon is GUG in place of AUG, GUG normally stands for:-  
(1) Valine (2) Glycine  
(3) Methionine (4) Tyrosine
- 67.** Which one of the following triplet codes, is correctly matched with its specificity for an amino acid in protein synthesis or as 'start' or 'stop' codon :-  
(1) UCG – Start (2) UUU – Stop  
(3) UGU – Leusine (4) UAC – Tyrosine
- 68.** Degeneration of a genetic code is attributed to the :-  
(1) First member of a codon  
(2) Second member of a codon  
(3) Entire codon  
(4) Third member of a codon

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- 69.** What would happen if in a gene encoding a polypeptide of 50 amino acids, 25<sup>th</sup> codon (UAU) is mutated to UAA :-  
(1) A polypeptide of 24 amino acids will be formed  
(2) Two polypeptides of 24 and 25 amino acids will be formed  
(3) A polypeptide of 49 amino acids will be formed  
(4) A polypeptide of 25 amino acids will be formed
- 70.** Translation is the process in which :-  
(1) D.N.A. is formed on D.N.A template  
(2) R.N.A. is formed on D.N.A. template  
(3) D.N.A. is formed on R.N.A. template  
(4) Protein is formed from R.N.A. message
- 71.** In a polypeptide chain of 125 amino acids, if the 25<sup>th</sup> amino acid is mutated to UAA, then :-  
(1) A polypeptide of 124 amino acid is formed  
(2) A polypeptide of 25 amino acid is formed  
(3) A polypeptide of 24 amino acid is formed  
(4) Any of the above can be possible
- 72.** The first codon discovered by Nirenberg and Mathii was :-  
(1) CCC (2) GGG  
(3) UUU (4) AAA
- 73.** Out of 64 codons only 61 codes for the 20 different amino acids.. This character of genetic code is called  
(1) Degeneracy  
(2) Non ambiguous nature  
(3) Redundancy  
(4) Overlapping
- 74.** One-gene-one enzyme hypothesis was proposed by :-  
(1) Beadle and Tatum (2) Jacob and Monod  
(3) Lederberg (4) Watson and Crick
- 75.** How many ATP and GTP molecules are required respectively for incorporation of 25 amino acids in peptide chain ?  
(1) 20 ATP, 20 GTP (2) 25 ATP, 25 GTP  
(3) 50 ATP, 50 GTP (4) 25 ATP 50 GTP
- 76.** Khorana & his collegeous synthesized an RNA molecule with repeating sequences of U G N<sub>2</sub>-bases. The RNA with "UGU GUG UGU GUG" produced a tetra peptide with alternating sequences of cystein & valine. This prove that codon for cystein & valine is  
(1) UGG, GUU (2) UUG, GGU  
(3) UGU & GUG (4) GUG & UGU
- 77.** Gene which is responsible for the synthesis of a polypeptide chain is called :-  
(1) Promotor gene (2) Structural gene  
(3) Regulator gene (4) Operator gene
- 78.** Which is true for repressible operon :-  
(1) Off  $\xrightarrow{\text{Inducer}}$  on  
(2) Inactive repressor + Co-repressor = active repressor  
(3) Active repressor + Inducer = inactive repressor  
(4) On  $\xrightarrow{\text{Inducer}}$  off
- 79.** Which of the following is not produced by E.Coli in the lactose operon -  
(1)  $\beta$  galactosidase  
(2) Thiogalactoside transacetylase  
(3) Lactose dehydrogenase  
(4) Lactose permease
- 80.** A functional complex comprising a cluster of genes including structural gene, a promoter gene, an operator gene and a regulator gene was discovered by :-  
(1) Beadle and Tatum (1958)  
(2) Watson and crick (1953)  
(3) Jacob and Monad (1961)  
(4) Britten and Davidson (1961)
- 81.** The accessibility of promoter regions of prokaryotic DNA by RNA polymerase is in many cases regulated by the interaction of some protein with sequences termed as -  
(1) Promoter (2) Operator  
(3) Regulator (4) Cistron
- 82.** Regulation of lac operon by repressor is referred to as-  
(1) Positive regulation  
(2) Nagative regulation  
(3) Both (1) and (2)  
(4) None
- 83.** Which is incorrect  
(1) i-gene codes for the repressor of lac operon  
(2) z-gene codes for the beta-galactosidase  
(3) y-gene codes for transacetylase  
(4) three gene products are required for metabolism of lactose

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84. Find out the correct sequence of structural gene in lac operon  
 (1) y, a, z (2) a, z, y  
 (3) z, y, a (4) z, a, y
85. Mutation is :-  
 (1) An abrupt or discontinuous change which is inherited  
 (2) A factor for plant growth  
 (3) A change which affects parents only and is never inherited  
 (4) A change which affects the offspring of  $F_2$  generation
86. The change of chromosomal parts between non homologous pairs of chromosome :-  
 (1) Crossing over/Transduction  
 (2) Translocation  
 (3) Inversion  
 (4) Transition
87. In the octaploid wheat, the haploid (n) and basic numbers (x) of chromosomes are :-  
 (1)  $n=21, x=7$  (2)  $n=28, x=7$   
 (3)  $n=7, x=28$  (4)  $n=7, x=21$
88. Non-ionizing radiations commonly used for inducing mutations in organisms are :-  
 (1) UV-rays (2) Beta-rays  
 (3) X-rays (4) Gamma-rays
89. Type of gene mutation which involves replacement of purine with pyrimidine or vice versa (OR) The substitution of one type of base with another type of base is :-  
 (1) Transduction (2) Transversion  
 (3) Translocation (4) Transcription
90. Sickle cell anaemia is an example of :-  
 (1) Frame shift mutation (2) Point mutation  
 (3) Segmental mutation (4) Gibberish mutation
91. Given below is the representation of a kind of chromosomal mutation :  
 What is the kind of mutation represented
- 
- (1) deletion (2) duplication  
 (3) inversion (4) reciprocal translocation
92. The "cri-du-chat" syndrome is caused by change in chromosome structure involving:-  
 (1) Deletion (2) Duplication  
 (3) Inversion (4) Translocation
93. A class of mutation induced by addition or deletion of a nucleotide is called :-  
 (1) Missense  
 (2) Non-sense  
 (3) Substitution  
 (4) frame shift
94. Chromosomes with genes **abcdefg** becoming **abedcfg** is :  
 (1) duplication (2) deletion  
 (3) translocation (4) inversion
95. Chromosome number  $2n-1$  is an example of  
 (1) trisomy (2) euploidy  
 (3) polyploidy (4) monosomy
96. DNA finger printing was invented by :-  
 (1) Kary Mullis (2) Alec Jeffery  
 (3) Dr. Paul Berg (4) Francis Collins
97. Which step does not involve in DNA finger printing  
 (1) Southern blotting  
 (2) Gel electrophoresis  
 (3) Restriction enzyme digestion  
 (4) Northern blotting
98. The technique of transferring DNA fragment separated on agarose gel to a synthetic membrane such as nitrocellulose is known as  
 (1) Northern blotting (2) Southern blotting  
 (3) Western blotting (4) Dot blotting
99. Which of the following techniques are used in analyzing restriction fragment length polymorphism (RFLP) :-  
 (a) Electrophoresis  
 (b) Electroporation  
 (c) Methylation  
 (d) Restriction digestion  
 (1) 'a' and 'c' (2) 'c' and 'd'  
 (3) 'a' and 'd' (4) 'b' and 'd'

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**100.** The transfer of protein from electrophoretic gel to nitrocellulose membrane is known as :-

- (1) transferase
- (2) northern blotting
- (3) western blotting
- (4) southern blotting

**101.** In density gradient centrifugation , the bulk DNA forms\_\_\_\_\_ while satellite DNA forms\_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) Major peak; Minor peak
- (2) Minor peak; Major peak
- (3) Major peak; Major peak
- (4) Minor peak; Minor peak

**102.** Which step is not correct in DNA finger printing-

- (1) Isolation of DNA
- (2) Digestion of DNA by DNA ligase enzyme
- (3) Separation of DNA by electrophoresis
- (4) Hybridisation using labelled VNTR probe

**103.** DNA fingerprinting method is very useful for -

- (1) DNA tests for identity & relation ships
- (2) Forensic studies
- (3) Polymorphism
- (4) All of the above

## ANSWER KEY

<b>Que.</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
<b>Ans.</b>	2	3	1	1	1	4	4	1	3	3	1	3	2	3	1
<b>Que.</b>	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
<b>Ans.</b>	4	2	4	1	4	3	4	3	3	2	1	2	4	1	1
<b>Que.</b>	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45
<b>Ans.</b>	4	4	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	1	3	2	3	1
<b>Que.</b>	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
<b>Ans.</b>	1	4	3	2	3	1	4	2	1	3	3	2	2	3	1
<b>Que.</b>	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75
<b>Ans.</b>	4	3	1	3	3	1	4	4	1	4	3	3	1	1	4
<b>Que.</b>	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
<b>Ans.</b>	3	2	2	3	3	2	2	3	3	1	2	2	1	2	2
<b>Que.</b>	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103		
<b>Ans.</b>	3	1	4	4	4	2	4	2	3	3	1	2	4		