

**B. Sc. Biotechnology (Repeat)**  
**SECOND SEMESTER**  
**BIostatistics & Bioinstrumentation**  
**BBT -204**

Duration: 3 Hrs.

Marks: 70

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{PART : A (OBJECTIVE) = 20} \\ \text{PART : B (DESCRIPTIVE) = 50} \end{array} \right\}$$

[ PART-B : Descriptive ]

Duration: 2 Hrs. 40 Mins.

Marks: 50

[ Answer question no. One (1) & any four (4) from the rest ]

1. Calculate Mean and Median from the following data. 5+5=10

Marks	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50
No of Students	10	20	25	30	15

2. (a) Give classical definition of probability. 2+8=10

(b) If A and B are events with  $P(A) = \frac{1}{3}$ ,  $P(B) = \frac{1}{4}$  and  $P(A \cup B) = \frac{1}{2}$

find

- (i)  $P(A/B)$  ,  
(ii)  $P(B/A)$  ,  
(iii)  $P(A \cap B)$  ,  
(iv)  $P(A/B)$
3. (a) Distinguish between positive, negative and zero correlation. 4+6=10

(b) Following table depicts the results that were worked out from scores in statistics and mathematics in a certain examination.

	Scores in statistics(X)	Scores in mathematics(Y)
Mean	39.5	47.5
SD	10.8	17.8

Karl Pearson's correlation coefficient between X and Y is 0.42.  
Find the regression lines X on Y and Y on X.

4. (A) Prove that  $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$  5+5=10  
(B) A number is selected at random from the numbers 1 to 30. What is the probability that it is divisible by either 3 or 7.

5. Write short notes on the following: 2×5=10
- i. Instruments,
  - ii. Lens of microscope,
  - iii. Isotope,
  - iv. Autoclave,
  - v. Colorimeter.
6. What is microscope? Give a brief historical background on the discovery of microscope and its role in the biological studies. 3+7=10
7. What is gel electrophoresis technology? Explain the principle on which this technology is established, along with its instrumentation. 4+6=10
8. Define autoradiography. Give a brief account of autoradiography with its theoretical basis. 3+7=10

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[ PART-A : Objective ]

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1X20=20

1. Algebraic sum of deviations of a set of values taken from their mean is always

- a) zero
- b) one
- c) average
- d) median

2. Different methods give different average which are known as the

- a) Measures of central tendency
- b) Statistics
- c) Measures of dispersion
- d) None of the above

3. Calculated  ${}^nC_r$  if  $n=10$  and  $r=2$

- a) 45
- b) 46
- c) 40
- d) 42

4. If A and B are two mutually exclusive event then  $P(A \cap B)$  is

- a) 1
- b)  $\phi$
- c) 0
- d) -1

5. Which of the following is non-probability sampling?

- a) Purposive sampling
- b) Random sampling
- c) Cluster sampling
- d) Stratified sampling

6. Coefficient of quartile deviation is calculated by the formula

- a)  $\frac{(Q_3 + Q_1)}{4}$
- b)  $\frac{(Q_3 + Q_1)}{2}$
- c)  $\frac{(Q_3 - Q_1)}{(Q_3 + Q_1)}$
- d) None of the above

7. Which of the following term best describes data what were originally collected at an earlier time by a different person for a different purpose?

- a) primary
- b) Secondary
- c) Experimental
- d) Field notes

8. What is the chance that a leap year selected at random will contain 53 Sundays?

- a. 1/7
- b. 2/7
- c. 3/7
- d. 4/7

9. When one regression coefficient is negative then the other would be

- a. Negative
- b. Positive
- c. Zero
- d. None of the above

10. If the values of the variables are arranged in ascending order of magnitude the middle term is

- a. Mean
- b. Median
- c. Mode
- d. Quartile

11. The pore size of HEPA filter used in the Laminar Air Flow is 2.22  $\mu$ .

- a. True
- b. False

12. A pH meter is an instrument measuring the electrochemical characteristics of a solution, i.e.  $H^+$  ion or  $OH^-$  ion concentration of the solution.

- a. True
- b. False

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**Question Paper CUM Answer Sheet**

**PART (A) : OBJECTIVE]**

Serial no. of the main Answer sheet

13. In Fixed-angle Rotors, the tubes are placed in the holes on a fixed angle may be between 14° - 40° to the rotational axis.

- a. True  
 b. False

14. PCR is an instrument, which is used for DNA amplification.

- a. True  
 b. False

15. The electron and neutron constitute the nucleus of a radioisotope.

- a. True  
 b. False

16. Glass lenses are being used in electron microscope successfully.

- a. True  
 b. False

17. Visible light spectrum ranges from 400 - 1200 millimicron (mμ).

- a. True  
 b. False

18. The source of solar energy is the Radioactive Helium decay and emission of alpha (α) radiation.

- a. True  
 b. False

19. Centrifugation technology is based on the behavior of particles of different densities under application of centrifugal field.

- a. True  
 b. False

20. Autoclaves are used for sterilization of the explant materials in aseptic tissue culture studies.

- a. True  
 b. False

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**Instructions / Guidelines**

- The paper contains twenty (20) / ten (10) questions.
- The student shall write the answer in the box where it is provided.
- The student shall not overwrite / erase any answer and no mark shall be given for such act.
- Hand over the question paper cum answer sheet (Objective) within the allotted time (20 minutes / 10 minutes) to the invigilator.

Full Marks	Marks Obtained	Remarks
20		

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Invigilator's Signature