

ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR V SEMESTER
ZOOLOGY - PAPER - V
ANIMAL BIOTECHNOLOGY

Periods:60

Max. Marks:100

Unit 1: Tools of Recombinant DNA technology - Enzymes and Vectors

Restriction modification systems: Types I, II and III. Mode of action, nomenclature, applications of Type II restriction enzymes in genetic engineering

DNA modifying enzymes and their applications: DNA polymerases. Terminal deoxynucleotidyl transferase, kinases and phosphatases, and DNA ligases

Cloning Vectors: Plasmid vectors:pBR and pUC series, Bacteriophage lambda and M13 based vectors, Cosmids, BACs, YACs,

Unit 2 Techniques of Recombinant DNA technology

Cloning: Use of linkers and adaptors

Gene delivery: Microinjection, electroporation, biolistic method (gene gun), liposome and viral-mediated delivery

PCR: Basics of PCR.

DNA Sequencing: Sanger's method of DNA sequencing- traditional and automated sequencing

Hybridization techniques: Southern, Northern and Western blotting,

Genomic and cDNA libraries: Preparation and uses

UNIT 3 Animal Cell Technology

Cell culture media: Natural and Synthetic

Cell cultures: primary culture, secondary culture, continuous cell lines; Protocols for Primary Cell Culture; Established Cell lines (common examples such as MRC, HeLa, CHO, BHK, Vero); Organ culture; Cryopreservation of cultures.

Hybridoma Technology: Cell fusion, Production of Monoclonal antibodies (mAb), Applications of mAb

Stem cells: Types of stem cells, applications

Unit 4 Reproductive Technologies & Transgenic Animals

Manipulation of reproduction in animals: Artificial Insemination, *In vitro* fertilization , super ovulation, Embryo transfer, Embryo cloning

Transgenic Animals: Strategies of Gene transfer; Transgenic - sheep, - fish; applications

Unit 5 Applied Biotechnology

Industry: Fermentation: Different types of Fermentation: Short notes on - Submerged & Solid state; batch, Fed batch & Continuous; Stirred tank, Air Lift, Fixed Bed and Fluidized; Downstream processing - Filtration, centrifugation, extraction, chromatography, spray drying and lyophilization

Agriculture: fisheries – monoculture in fishes, polyploidy in fishes; DNA fingerprinting

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Periods: 24

Max. Marks: 50

Any SIX of the following:

1. Maintenance and storage of *E. coli* DH5 alpha cells.
2. Isolation of Plasmid DNA from *E. coli*
3. Preparation of genomic DNA from *E. coli*/animals/ human.
4. DNA quantification using agarose gel electrophoresis (by using lambda DNA as standard).
5. Restriction digestion of lambda (λ) DNA using EcoR1 and Hind III.
6. Preparation for insertion and vector for ligation.
7. Performance of ligation reaction using T4 DNA ligase.
8. Preparation of competent cells
9. Transformation of *E. coli* with plasmid DNA using CaCl₂,
10. Selection of transformants on X-gal and IPTG
11. Techniques: Western Blot, Southern Hybridization, DNA Fingerprinting
12. Interpretation of sequencing gel electropherograms
13. Amplification of DNA by PCR
14. Packing and sterilization of glass and plastic wares for cell culture.
15. Preparation of culture media.

SUGGESTED READING

1. Brown TA. (2010). Gene Cloning and DNA Analysis. 6th edition. Blackwell Publishing, Oxford, U.K.
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8. Animal Cells Culture and Media, D.C. Darling and S.J. Morgan, 1994. BIOS Scientific Publishers Limited.
9. Methods in Cell Biology, Volume 57, Jennie P. Mathur and David Barnes, 1998. Animal Cell Culture Methods Academic Press.
10. P.K. Gupta: Biotechnology and Genomics, Rastogi publishers (2003).
11. B.D. Singh: Biotechnology, Kalyani publishers, 1998 (Reprint 2001)

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ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR V SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - VI

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Periods:60

Max. Marks: 100

UNIT – I

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10 Hours

General introduction to poultry farming. Principles of poultry housing. Poultry houses. Systems of poultry farming. Management of chicks, growers and layers. Management of Broilers.

UNIT – II:

10 Hours

Poultry feed management – Principles of feeding. Nutrient requirements for different stages of layers and broilers. Methods of feeding. Poultry diseases – viral, bacterial, fungal and parasitic (two each); symptoms, control and management.

UNIT – III:

10 Hours

Selection, care and handling of hatching eggs. Egg testing. Methods of hatching. Brooding and rearing. Sexing of chicks.

UNIT- IV:

20 Hours

Breeds of Dairy Cattle and Buffaloes – Definition of breed; Classification of Indian Cattle breeds, exotic breeds and Indian buffalo breeds. Systems of inbreeding and crossbreeding. Housing of dairy animals – Selection of site for dairy farm; systems of housing – loose, housing system. Conventional dairy barn. Cleaning and sanitation of dairy farm. Weaning of calf. Castration and dehorning. Deworming and Vaccination programme. Records to be maintained in a dairy farm.

UNIT - V:

10 Hours

Care and management of dairy animals - Care and management of calf, heifer, milk animal, dry and pregnant animal, bulls and bullocks.

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ZOOLOGY –PRACTICAL - VI

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Periods:24

Max. Marks: 50

1. Study of various breeds of layers and broilers (photographs)
2. Identification of disease causing organisms in poultry birds (as per theory)
3. Study of the anatomy of a poultry bird by way of dissecting a bird. (Demonstration)
4. Study of various activities in a poultry farm (layers and broilers) and submission of a report.
5. Study of various breeds of cattle (photographs/microfilms)
6. Study of various activities carried out in a dairy farm and submission of a report.