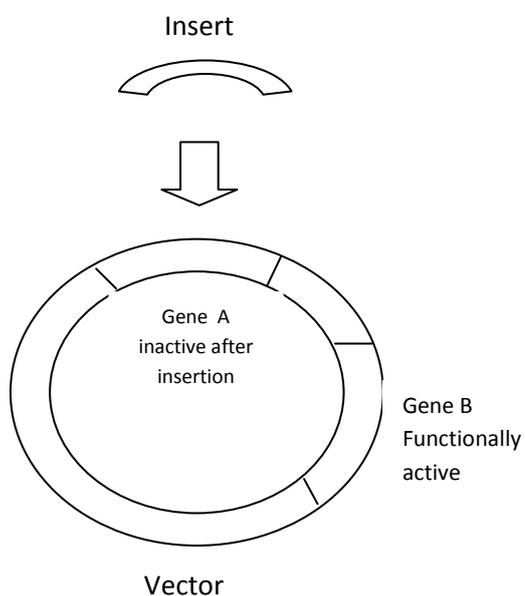


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### Marking Scheme

1. Grow in solution, no adherence to vessel; e.g. blood cells. 1/2 + 1/2
2. *Taxus* species; anti carcinogenic. 1/2 + 1/2
3. Used as antifoaming agent to prevent denaturation 1/2 + 1/2
4. A stationary phase culture has stopped growing. 1
5.  $T_d = 0.693/\mu$  1
6. Matrix assisted laser desorption and Ionisation. Proteins are volatalised and ionised for analysis of their molecular masses (m/z ratio). 1/2 + 1<sup>1/2</sup>
7. Algorithm based on known training sets, inaccurate. Reason: overlapping genes/splice variants. Pg 61 2
8. Any one from book (Pg 122-130)  
Bt Cotton- pest resistance/ canola, soyabean, corn, cotton- herbicide tolerant/ papaya etc.- virus resistant. 2
9. cDNA for expressed genes; gDNA for all genome sequences. 1 + 1
10. To store novel strains/species for repository. 1  
MTCC Chandigarh, NBAIM (Mau, UP) 1
11. Any two components from pg 110 such as -  
Sucrose as Carbon source, ammonium salts as nitrogen source, vitamins, hormones as growth regulators etc. 2
12. Mortality of finite cultures; lack of adherence of continuous cultures etc. pg 137-138 (any two). 2
13. Protein engineering/ site directed mutagenesis. 1  
Application: subtilisin/ epitope micromanipulation (page 53) 1
14. Vector selection is based on size of fragments, a 22 kb fragment can be suitably cloned in phage based vector 1  
Host: Bacterium 1
15. Generation of various parts of plants: roots, shoots. 2
16. Any 3:  
High production capacity/ ease of source material collection/ low operational cost/ ease of production. 3
17. To solve medico-legal cases. 1

- Principle: DNA from subject is isolated and restricted, followed by comparison of RFLPs to assess variations. Pg 7 + 8 2
18. Pg 91 for graph (fig. 6) and other details 3
19. pH- stability of protein 1  
less time- to prevent denaturation 1  
agitation- causes instability in protein 1
20. Vector in which foreign DNA is inserted has genes A & B for different antibiotic resistance. Cloning into A causes insertional inactivation and hence, causes sensitivity to antibiotic A. Since gene B is functionally active hence resistance to B results.



OR

As on page 17

Principle based on insertional inactivation of lac Z gene on the vector (PUC 19) used.

No insertional inactivation,  $\beta$ - galactosidase expressed.

---- X-gal converted to blue product- therefore, blue colonies

Insertional inactivation,  $\beta$ - galactosidase not expressed ----- white colony.

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|  | 3                |
| 21. 100mg/ 500ml; therefore 500X1000mg in 25X10 <sup>5</sup> ml or 2500L.  | 1 <sup>1/2</sup> |
| For 50LX2 fermentors/week= 2500/ 100X4 = 6 months/25 wks.  | 1 <sup>1/2</sup> |
| 22. Fusion of protoplasts results in intergenetic somatic hybrids.   |                  |
| Benefits: to obtain hybrids with useful agronomic traits not normally found through sexual fertilisation. e.g. potatoes, tomatoes. | 3                |
| 23. Animal cells require O <sub>2</sub> for energy (ATP production).   | 1 <sup>1/2</sup> |
| Addition of microcarrier beads/ roller culture bottles.  | 1 <sup>1/2</sup> |
| 24. For better compression of data. B, H   | 1 + 2            |
| 25. Antigen epitope specific; e.g. OKT 3/ Herceptin etc  | 1 + 2            |
| 26. pg 45 for MS   |                  |
| OR   |                  |
| pg 36-38 for protein finger printing   |                  |
| interpretation of results with respect to Sickle cell anaemia  | 4 +1             |
| 27. Pg 67-69   |                  |
| Principle  | 2                |
| Diagram  | 2                |
| Interpretation   | 1                |
| 28. Sanger's dideoxy method pg 23-25 (fig 15)  | 3 +2             |
| OR   |                  |
| Description of Southern Hybridization; (Fig 10), Page 20   |                  |