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ZOOLOGY

(Theory Paper)

Paper Code: ZOO 204 (Old&New)

(Bioinformatics and Biostatistics)

Full Marks – 80

Time - Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

- 1. Answer the following objective type questions (all compulsory): 1×6=6
 - (i) The International Nucleotied Sequence Database Collaboration (INSDC) is a longstanding foundational initiative that operates between
 - (a) GenBank, EBI and EMBL
 - (b) GenBank, PIR and PDB
 - (c) GenBank, EBI and DDBJ
 - (d) GenBank, PIR and EBI

- (ii) Choose the correct chronological order of protein modeling
 - (i) Alignment of query and template sequence
 - (ii) Template selection
 - (iii) Refining
 - (iv) Model Evaluations
 - (v) Model building
 Options
 - (a) $i \rightarrow ii \rightarrow iii \rightarrow iv \rightarrow v$
 - (b) $ii \rightarrow i \rightarrow v \rightarrow iv \rightarrow iii$
 - (c) $i \rightarrow ii \rightarrow v \rightarrow iv \rightarrow iii$
 - (d) $ii \rightarrow i \rightarrow v \rightarrow iii \rightarrow iv$
- (iii) Which of the following can be used for Phylogenetic tree building?
 - (a) GenBank
 - (b) Clustal-W
 - (c) BLAST
 - (d) Protein Data Bank
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- (iv) All of the followings are important for primer designing, except
 - (a) Primer length
 - (b) Primer GC-content
 - (c) Modified nucleotied sequence
 - (d) Melting temperature
- (v) Suppose in a large aquarium there are 35 individuals of *Channa punctatus*. You have collected 13 fishes and measured the body length, summed up the toal lengths and divided by 13. What will you get after the calculation?
 - (a) Average body length of fish
 - (b) Variance of the length of the body
 - (c) Mean of the length of the body
 - (d) Standard deviation of the length of the body
- (vi) In a positively skewed distribution the position of Mean, Median and Mode is
 - (a) Mean = Median = Mode
 - (b) Mean > Median > Mode
 - (c) Mean < Median > Mode
 - (d) Mode > Median > Mean.
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- 2. Answer the following questions (all compulsory): 2×5=10
 - (a) What is a biological database? Give one example of protein and nucleic acid sequence database.
 - (b) What do you mean by protein homology modeling?
 - (c) Write two properties of Pearson Correlation Coefficient, r.
 - (d) Differentiate between Standard deviation and Standard error.
 - (e) Differentiate between One-way and Two-way Analysis of Variance.
- 3. Answer any six of the following questions:

5×6=30

- (a) Write short note on GenBank.
- (b) Describe briefly about the sequence alignment and its importance.
- (c) Describe the different approaches of finding a core nucleotied sequences.
- (d) How do you derive correlation between sequence and biological functions?
- (e) Write short note on Ligplot analysis.
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- (f) What is kurtosis? Explain different kurtosis with suitable illustrations. 1+4=5
- (g) Differentiate between parametric and nonparametric tests with examples.
- (h) Write regression equations of 'x' on 'y' and 'y' on 'x'. State basic differences between correlation and regression analysis. 2+3=5
- (i) What is the exceptional rule in comparing the calculated 'U' value with the critical U value for the significant result in case of Mann-Whitney U test? State the restrictions of applying this test.

 2+3=5
- 4. Answer any two of the following questions: $10 \times 2 = 20$
 - (a) What do you mean by protein structure validation? How do you validate the correct conformation of a protein structure?

 4+6=10
 - (b) Describe the structural organization, mission and research activities of NCBI. 3+3+4=10
 - (c) What is normal distribution curve? Explain its properties with suitable diagrams.

2+8=10

- 5. Answer any *one* of the following questions: $14 \times 1 = 14$
 - (a) What is computer assisted drug designing?

 Describe how do you design a drug using bioinformatic tools?

 2+12=14
 - (b) (i) What is correlation? Explain different types of correlations with suitable examples and illustrations. 2+6=8
 - (ii) What are the measures of central tendency? Explain each of these with suitable examples. 1+5=6