

ADMISSION NUMBER

School of Biological and Life sciences Master of Science in Biochemistry

Mid Term Examination - May 2024

Duration: 90 Minutes Max Marks: 50

Sem II - P1PP204B - Genetics

General Instructions Answer to the specific question asked Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator

| 1) | If an individual carries one dominant allele and one recessive allele for a trait, what will be their phenotype? | K2 (2) |
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| 2) | State Mendel's Law of Independent Assortment | K1 (3) |
| 3) | If you have a plant with purple flowers (dominant) of unknown genotype, how would you determine whether it is homozygous or heterozygous for flower color? | K2 (4) |
| 4) | What is a linkage map, and how is it constructed? | K2 (6) |
| 5) | Discuss epigenetic modifications. | K3 (6) |
| 6) | Discuss the relationship between epigenetic alterations and various diseases, such as cancer and neurodevelopmental disorders. | K3 (9) |
| 7) | Describe the differences between non-crossover and crossover chromatids. | K4 (8) |
| 8) | Explain the clinical features and symptoms of Prader-Willi syndrome, including its cognitive and behavioral aspects. | K4 (12) |
| | OR | |
| | Describe the clinical characteristics of Angelman syndrome, including its neurological and developmental features. | K4 (12) |