









**Q2) Attempt the following (Each question carries 8 Marks)**

- a) State law of segregation and explain it with suitable example.
- b) State law of independent assortment and explain with suitable example.
- c) Explain supplementary gene interaction with suitable example.
- d) Explain complementary gene interaction with suitable example.
- e) What is linkage? Explain various types of linkages.
- f) What is crossing over? Elaborate mechanism of crossing over.
- g) Define mutagen. Explain various types of mutagens.
- h) What is mutation? Describe types of mutation based on its origin.
- i) State the 'Hardy Weinberg's Law'. Explain the conditions under which a population follows Hardy Weinberg's equilibrium.
- j) What is maternal inheritance? Explain plastid inheritance in *Mirabilis jalappa*.
- k) Describe in brief any two types of changes in chromosomal structure
- l) What is aneuploidy? Describe types and significance of aneuploidy.
- m) Describe structure of chromosome. Add a note on types of chromosomes based on position of centromere.
- n) Define plant breeding. Explain aims and scope of plant breeding.
- o) What is selection? Describe mass selection. Add a note on its advantages.
- p) What is hybridization? Explain steps involved in hybridization.
- q) Describe methods of improvement in self-pollinated crops.
- r) Describe any two methods of crop improvement.

**Q3) write short notes on (Each question carries 4 Marks)**

- 1) Mendel's Laws
- 2) Significance of Mendel's laws
- 3) Law of dominance
- 4) Law of segregation
- 5) Law of independent assortment
- 6) Complementary gene interaction
- 7) Supplementary gene interaction
- 8) Linkage
- 9) Crossing over
- 10) Significance of crossing over
- 11) Physical mutagens
- 12) Mutagens
- 13) Significance of mutation
- 14) Multiple allelism
- 15) Polygenic inheritance
- 16) Hardy Weinberg's Law
- 17) Cytoplasmic inheritance
- 18) Plastid inheritance
- 19) Translocation
- 20) Polyploidy
- 21) Trisomy
- 22) Scope of plant breeding
- 23) Introduction and acclimatization
- 24) Mass selection
- 25) Clonal selection
- 26) Pure line selection

- 27) Emasculation
- 28) Backcross
- 29) Gamma garden
- 30) Male sterility