## B.Sc. 5<sup>th</sup> Semester (Hons.) Examination, 2020 (CBCS)

## Subject: Zoology

Paper: DSE-1

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(DSE-T1: Animal Biotechnology)

Full Marks: 40 Time: 2 Hrs

Candidates are required to give the answers in their own words as far as practicable.

## Answer any eight questions of the following:

 $5 \times 8 = 40$ 

- Define genome and characterize it in a eukaryote you have studied.
- Define vector and state the characteristic features of an expression vector.
- Discuss the process of construction of c-DNA, and state its difference from genomic DNA.
- State the principle, procedure and two applications of PCR.
- 5. Briefly discuss Southern blotting technique and its applications. How does it differ from Northern blotting?
- Describe the steps of nuclear transplantation method for the production of transgenic animal.
- What is Knock-out mouse? State its method of construction and a documented application in the field of gene therapy.
- 8. Write short notes on:
  - a) Palindromic sequence of DNA
  - b) BAC and YAC
- 9. Describe briefly the chain-termination method. Why is it called so?
- Discuss the molecular diagnosis of genetic disease with special reference to Sickle cell anaemia.