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**M. Pharm (Pharmacology) Semester Examinations  
CELLULAR & MOLECULAR PHARMACOLOGY**

**Course Code: MPL104T**

**Full Marks – 75**

**Time –3 hours**

*The figure in the margin indicates full marks for the questions.*

1. Explain the following terms:(*word limit: 100 words*) (6X2 = 12)
  - a. Apoptosis
  - b. SDS page
  - c. siRNA and microRNA
  - d. Genomics
  - e. Biosimilars
  - f. Gene mapping
2. Answer the following questions:(*word limit: 100 words*) (4X2 = 8)
  - a. What do you mean by gene therapy?
  - b. Define the subculture of cells.
  - c. Write the importance of recombinant DNA technology.
  - d. G-protein coupled receptor.
3. Short answers (Answer any seven) (*word limit: 500 words*) (7 X 5 = 35)
  - a. Explain the principle and applications of MTT assay.
  - b. Write a note on the DNA gel electrophoresis. Mention the various applications.
  - c. Discuss the role of metabolomics and proteomics in research.
  - d. Define gene therapy. Write a note on various types of gene transfer techniques.
  - e. Explain the role of immunotherapeutics in clinical pharmacology.
  - f. Explain the cell signalling mediated through the AMPK and JAK/STAT pathways.
  - g. Write a note on cell cycles and their regulation.
  - h. Describe in detail the procedure and purpose of cryopreservation of cells.

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i. Write a note on genetic variation in G protein-coupled receptors.

4. Long answers (Answer any two)(*word limit: 1000 words*)

(2 X 10 = 20)

a. Define the term cell cultures. Classify with examples. Discuss in detail the basic types of equipment used in the cell culture lab. (1+2+7)

b. Explain the principle and significance of ELISA and western blotting technique. (5+5)

c. Describe the structure and functions of the cell and its organelles with a neat labelled diagram. (10)