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MASTER IN ANTHROPOLOGY (MAAN)

Term-End Examination

June, 2023

MANE-001: HUMAN GENETICS

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Answer any five questions. Choose at least

two questions from each Section. All

questions carry equal marks. The word

limit for 20 marks question is 500 words

and for 10 marks is 250 words.

Section-A

- Define Human Genetics. Briefly comment on various branches of Human Genetics.
- What is inbreeding? Elucidate different typesof inbreeding in human populations.

- 3. What is Chromosomal Aberration? Elucidate different Chromosomal Aberrations in man with suitable examples.
- 4. Write an essay on techniques of human molecular genetics.
- 5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following:
 - (a) Alkaptonuria
 - (b) Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR)
 - (c) Abnormal Haemoglobin
 - (d) G6PD deficiency

Section—B

- 6. What is Genetic Epidemiology? Discuss its importance in physical anthropological research.
- 7. Critically discuss various applications of Human Genome Project. 20

- 8. What is autosomal dominant and X-linked dominant modes of inheritance. Discuss with suitable examples.
- Define genetic polymorphism. Briefly discuss on balanced polymorphism.
- 10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following:

10 + 10

- (a) Human Evolution as studied by mitochondrial DNA (mtDNA)
- (b) Prenatal diagnosis
- (c) Colourblindness
- (d) Ethical issues in human genetic research