Quiz - Transgenic Animals

Part A: True/False Questions

- 1. Plasma membrane of animal cells is hydrophilic in nature.
- 2. Phosphate group in plasma membrane is organic.
- 3. Plasma membrane of animal cells is composed of phospholipid bilayer.
- 4. DNA and plasma membrane repulse each other.
- 5. Liposome is negatively charged.
- 6. DNA is attracted to liposome by electrostatic interactions.
- 7. Lipoplex will fuss with Golgi apparatus to deliver the genetic materials.
- 8. In transfection, no virus carrier is involved.
- 9. Transfection cannot be readily applied to plant cells.
- 10. Transduction requires sophisticated equipment and can be applied to broad spectrum of cells.

Part B: Multiple Choice Questions

- 1. What is transfection?
 - A. Delivers nucleic acids into eukaryotic cells
 - B. Separates two cells
 - C. Provides energy for cell growth
 - D. None of the above
- 2. What is the charge of phosphate group in phospholipid bilayer of plasma membrane?
 - A. Positively charged
 - B. Neutral
 - C. Negatively charged
 - D. None of the above
- 3. What is the nature of the DNA which is intended to be introduced into a eukaryotic cell?
 - A. Hydrophilic
 - B. Hydrophobic
 - C. Positively charged
 - D. Negatively charged
- 4. How could DNA pass through the incompatible membrane?
 - A. Employment of phagosome
 - B. Employment of liposome
 - C. Release of hydrophilic vesicles
 - D. All of the above
- 5. What is liposome?
 - A. A small ball with synthetic cationic lipid which is positively charged
 - B. A small ball with synthetic anionic lipid which is positively charged
 - C. A small ball with synthetic cationic lipid which is negatively charged
 - D. A small ball with synthetic anionic lipid which is negatively charged

- 6. What is lipoplex formed?
 - A. Formed by encapsulation of RNA by liposomeformed
 - B. By encapsulation of DNA by liposome
 - C. Formed by encapsulation of mRNA by liposome
 - D. Formed by encapsulation of t-DNA by liposome
- 7. How will the cell take up the lipoplex?
 - A. Endocytosis
 - B. Exocytosis
 - C. Cell division
 - D. None of the above
- 8. Which of the following is one of the unintended effects of transfection?
 - A. Cytotoxicity
 - B. Cell death
 - C. Both A and B
 - D. None of the above
- 9. What are the characteristics of transfection?
 - A. Low toxicity
 - B. Can be applied to broad spectrum of cells
 - C. No sophisticated equipment is needed
 - D. All of the above
- 10. Which of the following is not a characteristics of transduction?
 - A. Can be applied to broad spectrum of cells
 - B. Low toxicity
 - C. Both A and B
 - D. None of the above