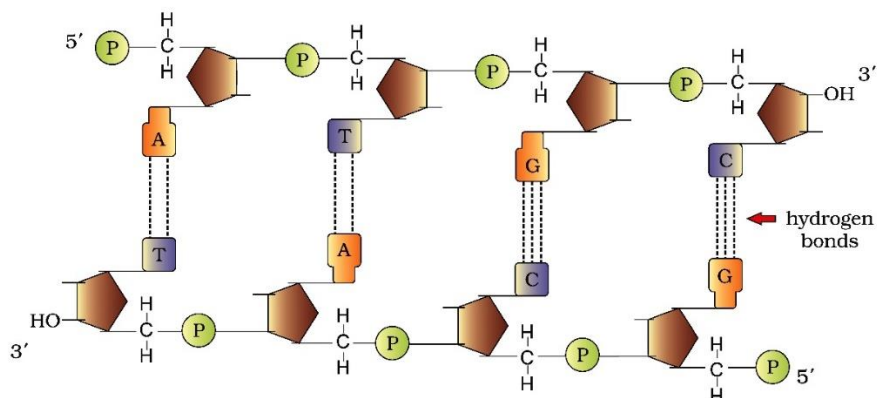
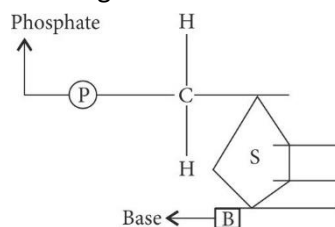


## 6. Double Stranded Polynucleotide chain



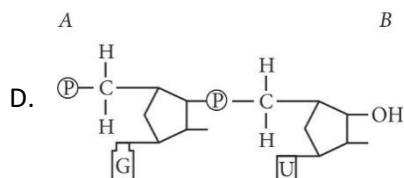
Important questions based on it:

- A. Mention the carbon positions to which the nitrogenous base and the phosphate molecule are respectively linked in the nucleotide given below:

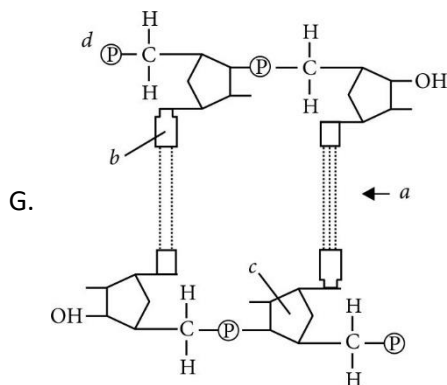


(AI 2008)

- B. Draw a schematic diagram of a part of double stranded dinucleotide DNA chain having all the four nitrogenous bases and showing the correct polarity. (Delhi 2012)
- C. Answer the following based on the dinucleotide shown below.

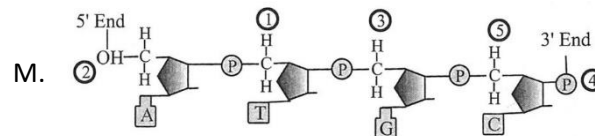


- (a) Name the type of sugar guanine base is attached to.
- (b) Name the linkage connecting the two nucleotides.
- E. Identify the 3' end of the dinucleotide. Give a reason for your answer. (Delhi 2010C)
- F. Study the given portion of double stranded polynucleotide chain carefully. Identify a, b, c and the 5' end of the chain.



(AI 2009)

- H. Draw a double-stranded dinucleotide chain with all the four nitrogen bases. Label the polarity and the components of the dinucleotide. (AI 2011C)
- I. Draw a diagrammatic sketch of a portion of DNA segment to support your answer. (Delhi 2015)
- J. Draw a diagrammatic sketch of a portion of DNA segment to support your answer. (Delhi 2015)
- K. Draw a diagrammatic sketch of a portion of DNA segment to support your answer. (Delhi 2015)
- L. Structure of a polynucleotide chain of DNA is given below. Identify the locations (numbered 1 to 5) that show errors in the structure.



- (a) 1 and 3  
 (b) 1 and 4  
 (c) 3 and 5  
 (d) 2 and 4  
 (e) 4 and 5

(Kerala PMT)