

Time: 3 hours

Full Marks: 300

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates should attempt Q. No. 1 from Section – A and Q. No. 5 from Section – B which are compulsory and any **three** of the remaining questions, selecting at least **one** from each Section.

SECTION - A

- Write a brief account on any three of the following in about 200 words each:
 20×3 = 60
 - (a) State the characteristic features of the Phylum Mollusca. Classify Phylum Mollusca with salient features upto the orders. Give examples.
 - (b) Describe the canal system of sponges with neat diagram. State its significance.

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(d) Parental care in amphibia. Describe the life history of Ascaris sp. Comment on its parasitic adaptations. 60 State the water vascular system Echinodermata. Mention its importance. 60 Give a comparative account of heart in Vertebrates. 60 SECTION - B Write a brief account on any three of the following in about 200 words each: $20 \times 3 = 60$ (a) Concept of Population (b) Ex-situ and In-situ conservations (c) Social behaviour in insects (d) Sericulture in India What is zoonoses. Classify it. Discuss Malaria in the light of Zoonotic potential.

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(c) Write a note on flight modification in birds.

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7.	(a)	Role of pheromones in regulation of animal	
•		behaviour.	30
	(b)	Wild life and its management.	30
8.	(a)	(a) Basic principles and application of Scanning	
		Electron Microscopy (SEM).	30
	(b)	Methods of Chromatography.	30