

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.Sc. Honours 3rd Semester Examination, 2021

GE2-P1-ZOOLOGY

Time Allotted: 2 Hours Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

The question paper contains PAPER-1A, PAPER-1B, PAPER-1C. Candidates are required to answer any *one* from the *three* PAPERs and they should mention it clearly on the Answer Book.

PAPER-1A ANIMAL DIVERSITY

GROUP-A

1. Answer any *five* questions from the following:

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) What is choanocyte?
- (b) What is the definitive host of *Plasmodium vivax*?
- (c) Name the excretory organ of earthworm.
- (d) What is pseudocoelom? Give an example where it is found.
- (e) Give two internal characteristic feature of class Mammalia.
- (f) Define metamerism.
- (g) What is catadromous fish?
- (h) Give the scientific name of Himalayan salamander.

GROUP-B

2. Answer any *three* questions from the following:

 $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) Write the five unique characters of phylum Annelida.
- (b) State the general characters of Class Reptilia.
- (c) Write a note on the Canal system in Sycon sp.
- (d) Write a short note on integumentary glands in mammals.
- (e) Explain the mechanism of pearl formation.

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GROUP-C

3. $10 \times 2 = 20$ Answer any *two* questions from the following: (a) What is polymorphism? Describe polymorphism in phylum Cnidaria with 2+8examples. (b) What is 'Signet ring' stage? Describe the life cycle of *Plasmodium vivax* with 2+8suitable diagrams. (c) Describe the poison apparatus in snakes. Distinguish between poisonous and non-6+4poisonous snakes. (d) Describe the different types of migration in fishes with suitable examples. PAPER-1B INSECT VECTORS AND DISEASES **GROUP-A** Answer any *five* questions from the following: $1 \times 5 = 5$ 1. (a) Name the causative agent of Plague. (b) What are merozoits? (c) Define vector with example. (d) Give one example of flea-borne disease. (e) What is zoonosis? (f) Where are sporozoites formed? (g) Sand fly acts as a vector of _____ disease. (h) What is head capsule? **GROUP-B** 2. Answer any *three* questions from the following: $5 \times 3 = 15$ (a) Describe the symptoms of Chikungunya. (b) Explain in brief the host-vector relationship. (c) Differentiate between carrier, vectors and reservoirs. (d) Briefly describe the pathogenicity of phlebotomus fever. (e) Mention the periodicity and epidemiology of microfilaria. $2\frac{1}{2} + 2\frac{1}{2}$ **GROUP-C** Answer any *two* questions from the following: $10 \times 2 = 20$ 3. (a) Discuss major symptoms, epidemiology and treatment of Leishmaniasis.

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(b) Give an account of adaptive radiation among the hemipteran vectors.

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- (c) Write the name of the vector for Typhus fever. Explain its symptoms and control measures.
- (d) Discuss the causative agent, major symptoms, epidemiology and treatment measures of Dengue hemorrhagic fever.

PAPER-1C AQUATIC BIOLOGY

GROUP-A

1. Answer any *five* questions from the following:

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) What is the full form of BOD?
- (b) What is Eutrophication?
- (c) What are osmoregulators?
- (d) What is coral bleaching?
- (e) Name one instrument used to measure turbidity.
- (f) What is continental shift?
- (g) Define nutrient cycle.
- (h) What is limnology?

GROUP-B

2. Answer any *three* questions from the following:

 $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) Point out the conservation and management steps taken to protect the wet land.
- (b) Physico-Chemical environment of aquatic ecosystem influence the distribution of aquatic organisms Explain with suitable example.
- (c) What are the important adaptations of deep sea animals?
- (d) What are the causes and effects of thermal pollution?
- (e) Write a short note on aquatic biomass.

GROUP-C

3. Answer any *two* questions from the following:

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- (a) Point out the salient ecological features of different intertidal zones.
- (b) Explain in brief the theories of coral reef formation.
- (c) Explain the mechanism of Eutrophication. Add a note on its prevention and reversal. 5+5
- (d) Write an account on morphological and physiological adaptations of hill stream fishes.

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