

M.Sc. 1st Semester Examination, 2023

ANTHROPOLOGY

PAPER—ANT-102

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

GROUP — A

Answer **four** questions from the following : 2×4

1. Write the name of the discoverer and place of discovery of Proconsul.
2. Name two old world and two new world monkeys.

3. Why comparative anatomy is important in anthropology ? Write two reasons.
4. Write two anatomical similarities between human and their nearest living relative.
5. Why linea aspera is important in human evolution ?
6. Write two differences between old and new world monkeys.

GROUP – B

Answer **four** questions from the following : 4 × 4

7. Write the characteristic features of *Aegyptopithecus*.
8. Briefly write the social behaviour of any one of the non-human primates.
9. Write the characteristic features of chimpanzee.

10. Write a short note on bio-cultural evolution.
11. Discuss briefly the multiregional hypothesis of human origin.
12. Describe the geographic distribution of great apes.

GROUP – C

Answer two questions from the following : 8×2

13. Write the anatomical differences between human and gorilla skulls.
14. Briefly discuss the mechanisms of micro-evolution.
15. Discuss the Out of Africa hypothesis of human origin.

16. Briefly discuss the trends of anatomical modifications in human evolution.

[Internal Assessment — 10 Marks]
