M.Sc.

2nd Semester Examination - 2019

ZOOLOGY

Paper - ZOO 204 (CBCS)

Full Marks: 40 Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Group - A

(Wild Life and Eco-Management)

- 1. Answer any two questions of the following: 2×2=4
 - (a) Differentiate wild life from the Domesticated one.
 - (b) Briefly point out the significance of traditional knowledge in wild life conservation.
 - (c) Enlist different threats on wild life of South West Bengal.

- (d) How many hot-spots are there in Indian Subcontinent? Mention their names. 1+1=2
- 2. Answer any two questions of the following:

2×4=8

- (a) Differentiate the Sanctuary from National Parks.
- (b) Explain different conservation strategies under ex-situ conservation.
- (c) Mention the roles of sacred grooves in biodiversity conservation.
- (d) What are the different steps in environmental management.
- 3. Answer *one* question of the following: $1 \times 8 = 8$
 - (a) Define E. I. A. What are the different steps in
 E. I. A? Highlight the criteria for the selection of plants in Green Belt development. 2+3+3
 - (b) Differentiate pollutants from the contaminants.

 What are the ecological consequences of eutrophication? Briefly highlight the causes of global warming.

 2+4+2

Group - B

(Aqua Informatics)

- 4. Answer any two questions of the following: 2×2=4
 - (a) What is climate change?
 - (b) Give two examples of endemic finfishes with scientific names.
 - (c) Where NBFGR situated and mentioned its full form.
 - (d) Mention the full name of FARTC.
- 5. Answer any two questions:

 $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) Classify the finfishes dependent on their habitat with suitable examples.
- (b) Write a note on the effect of climate change of marine life.
- (c) Explain the strategies for aquatic resource conservation.
- (d) State the causes of climate change.

6. Answer any one of the following:

 $8 \times 1 = 8$

- (a) Explain how web based applied systems are effective in conservation of aquatic flora and fauna.
- (b) Elaborate the new techniques in aquaculture, which help to increase the production efficiency quality and environmental management.