

2009

ZOOLOGY

PAPER—Z-201

Full Marks : 40

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

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

GROUP—A

(Entomology)

1. Answer *two* questions from the following: 2×2

(a) Mention with a labelled diagram the different sutures present in the insect's head.

(b) What is vector? Name two insect borne diseases.

(Turn Over)

(c) What is seed cocoon ?

(d) Draw the relationship between 'Economic Threshold Level' and 'Economic Injury Level'.

2. Answer *two* questions from the following: 4×2

(a) What are the strategies adopted for overcoming the problems of mulberry sericulture propagation in South West Bengal ?

(b) Write a brief note on the evolutionary significance of modification of wings in insects.

(c) Mention the difference between Neurohumour and Neurohormones in insects.

(d) Write a note on IPM.

3. Answer any *one* from the following: 8×1

(a) (i) Enumerate the problems associated with sericulture practice with special reference to Southern West Bengal.

(ii) Comment on the adaptations for osmoregulatory mechanism of freshwater aquatic insects. 4 + 4

(b) Highlight the structural and functional specialities of insect midgut. Briefly describe the filter-chamber and peritrophic membrane in insects. 4 + (2 + 2)

GROUP—B

(*Ethology*)

4. Distinguish between (any two): 2 × 2

(a) Motivational and Terminating stimuli.

(b) Habituation and Extinction.

(c) Loafing cover and Roosting cover.

(d) Arrhentoky and Thelytoky.

5. Answer any *two* of the following: 4 × 2

(a) Hierarchy of drive

(b) Anting

(c) Conflict in mind

(d) Primary and secondary defence mechanism.

6. Answer *one* of the following: 8 × 1

(a) Discuss with the help of suitable examples the basis of habitat selection. 8

(b) Define evolutionarily stable strategy? Explain the phenomenon with the help of a suitable example. 2 + 6