Final Year B.Sc., Degree Examination August/September 2010

(Distance Education)

(Freshers)

ZOOLOGY

Paper III: Cell Biology, Genetics, Evolution, Apiculture and Sericulture

Time: 3 hrs]

[Max.Marks: 85

Instructions to Candidates:

- 1. All questions are compulsory.
- 2. Answer one mark questions in the first two pages of the main answer book.
- 3. Draw diagrams wherever necessary.

I. Simple Questions.

Answer in a word, phrase or in a sentence:

 $12 \times 1 = 12 \text{ Marks}$

- 1. Define limit of resolution.
- 2. What is metastasis?
- 3. Define humoral immunity.
- 4. What is spermateleosis?
- 5. What is theletoky?
- 6. Define norm of reaction.
- 7. What is the sex index in an intersex Drosophila?
- **8.** Define a cistron.
- 9. What are frame shift mutations?
- 10. What is prodigality of nature?
- 11. Define evolutionary divergence.
- 12. How is pebrine caused?

II. Short Answer Questions.

Answer any SIX of the following:

 $6 \times 3 = 18 \text{ Marks}$

- **13.** Briefly explain autoradiography.
- **14.** Write a short note on carcinogens.
- 15. Explain arrhenotoky with an example.

- **16.** What is Klinefelter syndrome? Mention its symptoms.
- 17. Briefly explain substitution mutation.
- 18. Distinguish sympatric speciation from allopatric speciation.
- 19. Draw a labelled diagram of mouth parts of honey bee.

III. Medium Answer Questions.

Answer any SEVEN of the following:

7 X 5 = 35 Marks

- 20. Explain the principle and applications of electron microscopy.
- **21.** Distinguish T-lymphocytes from B-lymphocytes.
- 22. Discuss the operon concept of gene action.
- 23. Explain multiple allelism with reference to coat colour in rabbit.
- 24. Describe CIB technique of detection of mutation.
- 25. Explain embryological evidence in favour of organic evolution.
- 26. Outline the major steps involved in modern bee keeping practice.
- 27. Give n account on bacterial diseases of Silkworm.

IV. Long Answer Questions.

Answer any TWO of the following:

 $2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks}$

- 28. Give a detailed account on modern silk worm rearing methods.
- 29. Discuss the modern concept of organic evolution.
- 30. Describe the genic balance theory of sex determination in Drosphila.
- 31. Explain the mechanism of fertilization. Add a note on its significance.

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