



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.Sc. Honours 4th Semester Examination, 2023

ZOOACOR09T-ZOOLOGY (CC9)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

1. Answer any **eight** questions from the following: 2×8 = 16
- (a) Why is carbon monoxide said to be a respiratory poison?
 - (b) Give examples of ammonotelic, ureotelic and uricotelic animals.
 - (c) What is macula densa?
 - (d) What does the QRS Complex of ECG denote?
 - (e) State the functions of SA node and bundle of His.
 - (f) Write down the names of a vitamin and an inorganic ion necessary for blood clot formation.
 - (g) What is dead space in respiration?
 - (h) What is regional heterothermy? Give examples.
 - (i) Mention one extrarenal osmoregulatory organ in vertebrates and state its function.
 - (j) Where are crypts of Lieberkühn found? State their function.
 - (k) What is chloride shift?
 - (l) What is the purpose of panting?
2. Answer any **three** questions from the following: 3×3 = 9
- (a) Define vital capacity, tidal volume and total lung capacity.
 - (b) Describe the mechanism of osmoregulation in sharks.
 - (c) Write down the composition and functions of bile. Name two bile salts.

- (d) State the mechanisms by which an endotherm survive in cold environment.
- (e) Describe the intrinsic mechanism of blood clotting.
- (f) State major functions of kidney. What are the factors that may cause increased H^+ secretion by kidney?

3. Answer any **three** questions from the following: 5×3 = 15
- (a) What is GFR? What are the factors that control GFR? Name two hormones and mention their respective roles in urine formation. 1+2+2
 - (b) Describe the methods of osmoregulation in migratory fishes. What will happen if a marine teleost is kept in a freshwater pond? 4+1
 - (c) Define cardiac output. Describe the events of cardiac cycle. 1+4
 - (d) Discuss the process of digestion and absorption of butter consumed during breakfast.
 - (e) Which muscles are responsible for inspiration and expiration? State the roles of diaphragm in respiration. What is your normal breathing rate? 2+2+1
 - (f) Write short notes on: 2½+2½
 - (i) Bohr Effect
 - (ii) Haldane Effect.

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