



K20P 1135

Reg. No. :

Name :

III Semester M.Sc. Degree (CBSS – Reg./Suppl./Imp.)

Examination, October 2020

(2014 Admission Onwards)

ZOOLOGY

ZOO3C11 : Developmental Biology and Endocrinology

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

PART – A

(Developmental Biology)

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- 3) Describe the biochemistry of fertilization.
- 4) Present an account of mesodermal induction.
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- 6) Discuss the effects of foreign and nucleus in early development. (2×8=16)

III. Answer **any two** of the following :

- 7) Egg-sperm interaction.
- 8) Homeotic genes.
- 9) Egg polarity. (2×5=10)

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PART – B
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IV. Answer **any one** of the following :

- 10) Describe the hormonal control of growth and reproduction in vertebrates.
- 11) Give an account of neuro-endocrine system in invertebrate groups. (1×12=12)

V. Answer **any two** of the following :

- 12) Explain the role of hormones as messengers.
- 13) Write notes on co-translational and post-translational modification of hormone structure.
- 14) Comment on the synthesis of prohormones. (2×5=10)

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