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V Semester B.Sc. Examination, November/December 2017
(NS – 2013 – 14 & Onwards)
(Repeaters – Prior to 2016 – 2017)
ZOOLOGY (Paper – VI)
Developmental Biology and Organic Evolution

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

- Instructions :** 1) Draw diagrams *wherever* necessary.
2) Answer **completely** either in **Kannada** or **English**.

PART – A

BMSCW

- I. Answer **any five** of the following. (5×3=15)
- 1) Write a note on preformation theory.
 - 2) Give the significance of egg membranes.
 - 3) What is ovoviviparity ? Give an example.
 - 4) Briefly explain the influence of yolk in cleavage.
 - 5) List the differences between deciduate and non-deciduate placenta.
 - 6) What are moulds and casts ?
 - 7) Define allopatric and sympatric speciation.

PART – B

- II. Answer **any five** of the following. (5×5=25)
- 1) Draw a neat labelled diagram of cleidoic egg.
 - 2) Describe the hormonal control of menstrual cycle.
 - 3) Explain slow block mechanism to polyspermy.
 - 4) Compare the blastula of amphioxus and frog.

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- 5) Write a note on regeneration in amphibians.
- 6) What is natural selection? Write a note on disruptive selection.
- 7) Give an account of analogous organs.

PART - C

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

(2x10=20)

- 1) Compare the fate maps of frog and chick.
- 2) Explain the process of gastrulation in chick.
- 3) With reference to following, explain :
 - a) Morphological changes in metamorphosis of frog.
 - b) Transplantation experiments of Spemann and Mangold.
- 4) What is reproductive isolation? Explain with reference to pre-zygotic isolation.

PART - D

IV. Answer **any one** of the following.

(1x10=10)

Explain the foetal membranes of chick, their formation, structure and function.

OR

List the salient features of

- a) Rama pithecus
- b) Rhodesian man.