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## V Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, March - 2021 ZOOLOGY-V

# Environmental Biology and Ethology (CBCS 2020-21 Onwards Scheme)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

### Instructions to Candidates:

- 1) Answer should be completely in English.
- 2) Draw neat labelled diagrams wherever necessary.

#### PART-A

I. Answer the following questions in one word or **One** sentence each.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$ 

- 1. What is the natural residence of an organism called?
- 2. Define autecology.
- 3. What is primary productivity?
- 4. Name the gases which causes acid rain.
- 5. Define rodenticide with an example.
- 6. Expand IPM.
- 7. List any two applications of remote sensing.
- 8. Define habituation.
- 9. Name the daily cycle of activity that occurs over a 24 hours period of time.
- 10. What is altruism?

#### PART-B

II. Answer any Five of the following.

 $(5 \times 3 = 15)$ 

- 11. State the laws of thermodynamics.
- 12. Write a note on polyclimax theory.
- 13. Comment on biological magnification.
- 14. Give any three demerits of wind energy.

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- 15. Incineration is one of the methods of solid waste management. Justify.
- 16. Write a note on round dance in honey bees.
- 17. Write a note on courtship behaviour.

#### PART-C

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#### **III.** Answer any **Five** of the following.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$ 

- 18. Define ecological niche explain spatial and trophic niche with examples.
- 19. Write notes on:
  - a) Antibiosis
  - b) Commensalism
- 20. List the advantages and disadvantages of nuclear reactors.
- 21. Write short notes on:
  - a) Seed banks
  - b) Zoological gardens
- 22. Explain kinesis with a suitable example
- 23. "Termites are social insects". Justify.
- 24 Citing any two examples explain parental care in amphibians.

#### PART-D

#### IV. Answer any Two of the following.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$ 

- 25. Temperature is an abiotic factor. Discuss.
- 26. Write a note on:
  - a) Global Warming
  - b) Consequences of Ozone layer depletion
- 27. Discuss in-situ conservation of wild life
- 28. What are pheromones? Explain its role in insects.