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(2nd Semester)

ZOOLOGY

Paper : ZL-II

**(Biology of Chordates and
Comparative Anatomy)**

Full Marks : 55

Time : 2½ hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 35)

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

- 1. Write the salient features of protochordates.
Give an account of their affinities. 2+5=7**

Or

**Give an outline classification of Agnatha
up to orders. Give suitable examples to
each order. 5+2=7**

2. Write an account of the locomotion in Pisces. 7

Or

Define the terms 'neoteny' and 'paedogenesis'.
Write an account of neoteny in Amphibia.

2+5=7

3. There is a general belief that birds have originated from reptilian stalk. Support the statement by citing *Archaeopteryx* as example. 7

Or

Write the important characteristic features of mammals.

4. Give a comparative account of the urinogenital system of chordates. 7

Or

Write a note on the receptor organs of chordates.

5. Write an account of the dentition in mammals. 7

Or

Describe the structure of pectoral or pelvic girdle of vertebrate with suitable illustration.

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(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 20)

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SECTION—A

(Marks : 5)

- 1. Put a Tick (✓) mark against the correct answer in the brackets provided : 1×5=5**

(a) Development that begins after the emergence of the embryo from the egg is called

- (i) embryonic development ()**
- (ii) pre-embryonic development ()**
- (iii) post-embryonic development ()**
- (iv) larval development ()**

(b) Turtle and tortoise belong to subclass

(i) Anapsida ()

(ii) Diapsida ()

(iii) Synapsida ()

(iv) Parapsida ()

(c) Birds are — animals.

(i) viviparous ()

(ii) oviparous ()

(iii) ovoviviparous ()

(iv) uniparous ()

(d) Four-chambered heart was found in

(i) varanus ()

(ii) snakes ()

(iii) turtles ()

(iv) crocodiles ()

(e) The number of cervical, thoracic and lumbar vertebrae of man is

(i) $C^7T^{12}L^5$ ()

(ii) $C^7T^{11}L^5$ ()

(iii) $C^7T^{12}L^4$ ()

(iv) $C^6T^{12}L^5$ ()

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SECTION—B

(Marks : 15)

2. Write on the following :

3×5=15

(a) Basic characters of chordates

(b) Diadromy

(c) Reason of birds' migration

(d) Heart of mammals

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(e) Ligaments

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