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INSTRUCTIONS

- (i) Answers must be written in English.
- (ii) The number of marks carried by each question is indicated at the end of the question.
- (iii) The answer to each question or part thereof should begin on a fresh page.
- (iv) Your answer should be precise and coherent.
- (v) The part/parts of the same question must be answered together and should not be interposed between answers to other questions.
- (vi) Candidates should attempt questions 1 and 5 which are compulsory and any three more out of the remaining questions selecting at least one from each Section.
- (vii) If you encounter any typographical error, please read it as it appears in the text-book.
- (viii) Candidates are in their own interest advised to go through the General Instructions on the back side of the title page of the Answer Script for strict adherence.
- (ix) No continuation sheets shall be provided to any candidate under any circumstances.

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- (x) Candidates shall put a cross (x) on blank pages of Answer Script.
- (xi) No blank page be left in between answer to various questions.
- (xii) No programmable Calculator is allowed.
- (xiii) No stencil (with different markings) is allowed.

SECTION-A

- 1. Write notes on any three of the following:
 - (a) Polymorphism
 - (b) Affinities of Urodels
 - (c) Migrations of Birds
 - (d) Parasitism in Crustaceans.

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- Give an account of different types of larvae of Echinodermates.
 Add a brief note on their evolutionary significance.
- Give an account of the life cycle of Malarial parasite in human and its pathogenecity. Discuss its characteristic features for differentiating various species.
- 4. Differentiate between poisonous and non-poisonous snakes with suitable diagrams. Add a note on poisonous apparatus of snakes.

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SECTION-B

- 5. Write notes on any **three** of the following:
 - (a) Ecological succession
 - (b) Seasonal rhythm
 - (c) Hazards of water pollutants
 - (d) Pollinators.

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6. Describe hormones and their different types. Discuss their role in animal behaviour.

- 7. (a) Describe the life history of *Dysdercus koengii* and the damage caused by it alongwith control measures.
 - (b) Write an essay on biological control agents of insect pests of crops. 50
- 8. (a) What are threatened species? Describe the objectives, strategies and methods of their conservation.
 - (b) Describe the problems in wildlife conservation and management. 50

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