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ZOOLOGY – HONOURS

Seventh Paper

(Unit – I)

Full Marks – 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Answer **Question No. 1** and **any four** questions from the rest

1. Answer **any five** questions : 2×5

- (a) State the difference between breeding hapa and hatching hapa.
- (b) What is 'chandraki' ?
- (c) What is the difference between LC50 and LD50 ?
- (d) State the characteristic features of penaeid and non-penaeid prawns.
- (e) State the composition of honey.
- (f) What do you mean by Alternative hypothesis ?
- (g) Name four common breeds of cow in India.
- (h) What is 'mother of pearl' ?
- (i) Explain the term 'level of significance'.

2. (a) Give an account of life cycle and control of brinjal fruit borer studied by you. 3+2

(b) Define probability. What do you mean by standard error ? What is the probability of getting tail in a throw of a coin ? 2+2+1

3. (a) State the principles of composite fish culture. Mention one disadvantage of such culture. What do you mean by hypophysation ? Name one synthetic hormone used in this process. 2+1+1+1

(b) Body length of fishes of a species was measured from two ponds. Their measurements are as follows (in cm.) :

Pond A	20	24	20	28	22	20	24	32	24	26
Pond B	12	10	8	10	6	4	14	20	10	6

Calculate whether the mean difference in total body length between the fishes of the two ponds is significant or not.

(It is given that $t_{0.05} = 2.10$ for df 18).

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4. (a) Give a brief account of fish byproducts. Name one fish disease and its causative agent. 4+1

(b) Two curly-winged flies when mated, produced 61 curly- and 35 straight-winged progeny. Use a chi-square test to determine whether these numbers fit a 3:1 ratio.

(Use 5% level of significance and assume that for 1 degree of freedom $\chi_{0.05}^2 = 3.84$) 5

5. (a) Name different strains of lac insect. Discuss the precautions to be taken during artificial inoculation of lac. 2+3

(b) What do you mean by mode of a frequency distribution ? Compute the median and mode of the following distribution of tracheal ventilation scores (ml. per minute) of a sample of beetle.

Range	61 – 65	66 – 70	71 – 75	76 – 80	81 – 85
Frequencies	12	25	45	30	8

2+3

6. (a) Discuss the basic requirements to design a deep litter for poultry birds in intensive system of management. Give an account of the pathogenicity and control of coccidiosis among poultry birds. 3+2

(b) What are the properties of 't'-distribution ? Differentiate between unpaired and paired 't'-test. 2+3

7. (a) State the characteristic features of an ideal rearing room of silkworm. Name two-species of Indian pearl oyster with their distribution. 3+2

(b) What are the important characteristics of chi-square ? Calculate Karl Pearson's co-efficient between marks in Zoology and Botany obtained by 5 students of a college : 2+3

Marks in Zoology	35	30	15	45	20
Marks in Botany	25	25	20	35	15

8. Write notes on **any four** of the following : 2½x4

- Ecology of *Bandicota bengalensis*.
- Intensive fish farming — merits and demerits.
- Standard Langstroth box used in bee keeping.
- Criteria for applying 't' test.
- Standard deviation and variance.
- Damage caused by *Sitophilus* sp. and its control measure.
- Semi-intensive prawn farming.