

YOGI VEMANA UNIVERSITY :KADAPA  
ZOOLOGY CBCS SYLLABUS COURSE STRUCTURE

YEAR	SEMESTER	PAPER	TITLE	HRS.	CREDITS	IA	ES	TOTAL	
I	I	I	Biology of Non-chordates	4	3	25	75	100	
			Practical - I	2	2	50	0	50	
	II	II	Biology of Chordates	4	3	25	75	100	
			Practical - II	2	2	0	50	50	
II	III	III	Cell biology, Genetics and Evolution	4	3	25	75	100	
			Practical - III	2	2	50	0	50	
	IV	IV	Embryology, Physiology and Ecology	4	3	25	75	100	
			Practical - IV	2	2	0	50	50	
III	V	V	Animal Biotechnology	4	3	25	75	100	
			Practical - V	2	2	50	0	50	
		VI	Animal Husbandry	4	3	25	75	100	
			Practical - VI	2	2	50	0	50	
	VI	VII	Immunology	4	3	25	75	100	
			Practical - VII	2	2	0	50	50	
		Cluster VIII-A	Cluster Electives –VIII-A :						
			Aquaculture						
			1. Principles of Aquaculture	4	3	25	75	100	
			2. Aquaculture Management	4	3	25	75	100	
3. Post Harvest Technology	4	3	25	75	100				
Practical – VIII: 1	2	2	0	50	50				
Practical – VIII: 2	2	2	0	50	50				
Project Work-	2	2	0	50	50				

# ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR I SEMESTER

## ZOOLOGY - PAPER - I

### ANIMAL DIVERSITY - NONCHORDATES

Periods:60

Max. Marks:100

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#### Brief history, Significance of Diversity of Non Chordates

##### Protozoa

General characters

Classification of Protozoa up to classes with examples

Elphidium (type study)

##### Porifera

General characters

Classification of Porifera up to classes with examples

Sycon – External Characters, Types of cells,

Skelton in Sponges

Canal system in sponges

#### Unit - II

##### Coelenterata

General characters

Classification of Coelenterata up to classes with examples

Obelia - External Characters, Structure of Polyp and Medusa

Polymorphism in coelenterates

Corals and coral reef formation

##### Platyhelminthes

General characters

Classification of Platyhelminthes upto classes with examples

Fasciola hepatica, Reproductive System, Life History and pathogenicity

#### Unit - III

##### Nemathelminthes

General characters

Classification of Nemathelminthes up to classes with examples

##### Annelida

General characters

Classification of Annelida up to classes with examples

Hirudinaria granulosa, Digestive System, Reproductive System

Coelomoducts

Vermiculture - Scope, significance, earthworm species, processing, Vermicompost, economic importance of vermicompost

#### Unit - IV

## Arthropoda

General characters

Classification of Arthropoda up to classes with examples

Prawn, Appendages, Respiratory system

Peripatus - Structure and affinities

## Mollusca

General characters

Classification of Mollusca up to classes with examples

Pearl formation in Pelecypoda

Torsion in gastropods

## Unit - V

## Echinodermata

General characters

Classification of Echinodermata up to classes with examples

Water vascular system in star fish

## Hemichordata

General characters

Classification of Hemichordata up to classes with examples

Balanoglossus - Structure and affinities

## Non-Chordata larval forms

Amphiblastula

Nauplius

Bipinnaria

Tornaria

ZOOLOGY MODEL QUESTION PAPER FOR I SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - I

ANIMAL DIVERSITY - NONCHORDATES

Time : 3 hrs

Max. Marks : 75

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## ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR I SEMESTER

### ZOOLOGY - PAPER - I ANIMAL DIVERSITY - NONCHORDATES

Periods: 24

Max. Marks: 50

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Observation of the following slides / spotters / models

- Protozoa : Elphidium, Paramecium - Binary fission and conjugation
- Porifera : Spoonbill, Euspongia, Sycon, Sycon - T.S and L.S
- Coelenterata : Obelia - colony and medusa, Physalia, Velella, Corallium, Gorgonia, Pennatula
- Platyhelminthes : Planaria, Fasciola hepatica, Fasciola larval forms - Miracidium, Redia, Cercaria, Echinococcus granulosus
- Nemathelminthes : Ascaris - Male and female, Ancylostoma duodenale
- Annelida : Neries, Heteroneries, Aphrodite, Hirudo, Trochophore larva
- Arthropoda : Mouth parts of male and female Anopheles and Culex, Mouth parts of housefly, Mouth parts of Scorpion, Nauplius, Mysis, Zoea larvae, crab, prawn, Scolopendra, Sacculina, Limulus, Peripatus
- Mollusca : Chiton, Murex, Sepia, Loligo, Octopus, Nautilus, Glochidium larva
- Echinodermata : Ophiothrix, Echinus, Clypeaster, Cucumaria, Antedon, Asterias, Bipinnaria larva
- Hemichordata : Balanoglossus, Tornaria larva

Demonstration of dissection / dissected / virtual dissection :

1. Leech / Prawn / Scorpion / Crab - Digestive system
2. Prawn - Appendages
3. Prawn / Scorpion / Crab - Nervous system
4. Pila / Unio - Digestive system
5. Mounting of Statocyst
6. Mounting of Radula

b Laboratory record work shall be submitted at the time of practical examination

b Compulsory one species to be adopted for demonstration only by the faculty

b Computer aided techniques should be adopted as per UGC guide lines

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ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR II SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - II

ANIMAL DIVERSITY - CHORDATES

Periods:60

Max. Marks: 100

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Unit - I

General characters of Chordata

Prochordata

Salient features of Cephalochordata

Affinities of Cephalochordata

Salient features of Urochordata

Structure and life history of Herdmania

Significance of Retrogressive metamorphosis

Unit - II

Cyclostomata

General characters of Cyclostomata

Comparison of the Petromyzon and Myxine

Pisces

General characters of Fishes

Classification of fishes up to sub - class level with examples

Scoliodon, Digestive system, Heart, Brain

Migration in Fishes

Types of Scales

Dipnoi

Unit - III

3.1 Amphibia

General characters of Amphibian

Classification of Amphibia upto orders with examples.

Rana hexadactyla, Digestive system, Respiratory system, Heart

Reptilia

General characters of Reptilia

Classification of Reptilia upto orders with examples

Identification of Poisonous snakes and Skull in reptiles

Unit - IV

Aves

General characters of Aves

Classification of Aves upto subclasses with examples.

Columba livia, Digestive system, Respiratory system, Heart.

Migration in Birds

Flight adaptation in birds

Unit - V

## Mammalia

General characters of Mammalia

Classification of Mammalia upto sub - classes with examples

Comparision of Prototherians, Metatherians and Eutherians

Dentition in mammals



ZOOLOGY MODEL QUESTION PAPER FOR II SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - II

ANIMAL DIVERSITY - CHORDATES

Time: 3 hrs

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1. Amphioxus
2. Placoid scale
3. Quill feather
4. Prototheria
5. Anadromous migration
6. Draco
7. Emu
8. Apoda

II. Answer any FIVE of the following:

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9. Explain the life history of Herdmania

OR

Explain the origin and general characters of chordates

10. Compare the characters of Petromyzon and Myxine

OR

Describe the structure of heart of Scoliodon

11. Describe the brain of Rana hexadactyla

OR

Explain the external features of Calotes

12. Write an essay on flight adaptations in birds

OR

Explain the respiratory system of Columba livia

13. Compare the characters of Metatheria and Eutheria

OR

Write an essay on dentition in mammals

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## ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR II SEMESTER

### ZOOLOGY - PAPER - II

#### ANIMAL DIVERSITY - CHORDATES

Periods: 24

Max. Marks: 50

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Observation of the following slides / spotters / models

Protochordata	: Herdmania, Amphioxus, Amphioxus T.S. through pharynx
Cyclostomata	: Petromyzon, Myxine
Pisces	: Pristis, Torpedo, Channapleuronectes, Hippocampus, Exocoetus, Ehenis, Labeo, Catla, Clarius, Auguilla, Protopterus Placoid scale, Cycloid scale, Ctenoid scale
Amphibia	: Ichthyophis, Amblystoma, Siren, Hyla, Rachopous Axolotl larva
Reptilia	: Draco, Chamaeleon, Uromastix, Vipera russeli, Naja, Bungarus, Enhydrina, Testudo, Trionyx, Crocodilus
Aves	: Passer, Psittacula, Bubo, Alcedo, Columba, Corvus, Pavo, Study of different types of feathers : Quill, Contour, Filoplume down
Mammalia	: Ornithorhynchus, Tachyglossus, Pteropus, Funambulus, Manis, Loris, Hedgehog
Osteology	: Appendicular skeletons of Varanus, Pigeon Rabbit - Skull, fore limbs, hind limbs and girdles

Demonstration of dissection / dissected / virtual dissection:

1. V, VII, IX, X cranial nerves of shark / locally available fishes
2. Arterial system, venous system of Shark / Calotes / Fowl / Rat
3. Digestive system of fish

b Laboratory record work shall be submitted at the time of practical examination

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ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR III SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - III

CYTOLOGY, GENETICS AND EVOLUTION

Periods:60

Max. Marks:100

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Unit - I

1. Cytology - I

Definition, history, prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells, virus

Electron microscopic structure of eukaryotic cell.

Plasma membrane –Different models of plasma membrane.

Unit – II

2. Cell organelles

Structure and functions of Endoplasmic Reticulum

Structure and functions of Golgi apparatus

Structure and functions of Lysosomes

Structure and functions of Ribosomes

Structure and functions of Mitochondria

2.7. Chromatin, Chromosomes - Structure, types, functions

Unit - III

Genetics - I

Mendel's work on transmission on traits

Principles of inheritance

Incomplete dominance and codominance

Lethal alleles, Epistasis, Pleiotropy

Unit - IV

Genetics - II

Sex determination

Sex linked inheritance

Linkage and crossing over

Extra chromosomal inheritance

Human karyotyping

Unit - V

Evolution

Lamarckism, Darwinism, Hardy-Weinberg Equilibrium.

Variations, isolating mechanisms, natural selection

Speciation (Allopatric and Sympatric)

Macro evolutionary principles (Example: Darwin's finches)

ZOOLOGY MODEL QUESTION PAPER FOR III SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - III

CYTOLOGY, GENETICS AND EVOLUTION

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ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR III SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - III

CYTOLOGY, GENETICS AND EVOLUTION

Periods: 24

Max. Marks: 50

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I. Cytology

1. Preparation of temporary slides of Mitotic divisions with onion root tips
2. Observation of various stages of Mitosis and Meiosis with prepared slides
3. Mounting of salivary gland chromosomes of Chironomous

II. Genetics

1. Study of Mendelian inheritance using suitable examples
2. Study of linkage recombination, gene mapping using the data
3. Study of human karyotypes

III. Evolution

1. Study of fossil evidences
2. Study of homology and analogy from suitable specimens and pictures
3. Phylogeny of horse with pictures
4. Darwin's finches (pictures)
5. Visit to natural history museum and submission of report

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ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR IV SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - IV

EMBRYOLOGY, PHYSIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY

Periods:60

Max. Marks: 100

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Unit - I

Developmental Biology and Embryology

Gametogenesis

Types of eggs

Formation and functions of Foetal membrane in chick embryo

Development, types and functions of Placenta in mammals

Unit - II

Physiology - I

Elementary study of process of digestion

Absorption of digested food

Respiration - Pulmonary ventilation, transport of oxygen and carbondioxide

Circulation - Structure and functioning of heart, Cardiac cycle

Excretion - Structure of nephron, urine formation, counter current mechanism

Unit - III

Physiology - II

Nerve impulse transmission, origin and propagation of action potentials

Muscle contraction - Ultra structure of muscle fibre, molecular and chemical basis of muscle contraction

Endocrine glands - Structure, secretions and the functions (of hormones) of pituitary, thyroid, parathyroid, adrenal glands and pancreas

Hormonal control of reproduction in a mammal

Unit - IV

Ecology - I

Meaning and scope of Ecology

Nutrient cycles - Nitrogen, carbon and phosphorus

Components of Ecosystem (Example:lake), food chains and food web, energy flow in ecosystem

Unit - V

Ecology - II

Habitat and ecological niche

Community interactions - Mutualism, commensalism, parasitism, competition, predation

Ecological succession  
Zoogeography  
Zoogeographical regions  
Study of physical and faunal peculiarities of Oriental, Australian and Ethiopian regions

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ZOOLOGY MODEL PAPER FOR IV SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - IV

EMBRYOLOGY, PHYSIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY

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Max. Marks: 75

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## ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR IV SEMESTER

### ZOOLOGY - PAPER - IV

#### EMBRYOLOGY, PHYSIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY

Periods: 24

Max. Marks: 50

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#### I. Embryology

1. Study of T.S. of testis, ovary of a mammal
2. Study of different stages of cleavages (2, 4, 8 cell stages)
3. Study of chick embryos of 18 hours, 24 hours, 33 hours and 48 hours of incubation

#### II. Physiology

1. Qualitative tests for identification of carbohydrates, proteins and fats
2. Qualitative tests for identification of ammonia, urea and uric acid
3. Study of activity of salivary amylase under optimum conditions
4. Study of prepared slides of T.S. of duodenum, liver, lung, kidney, spinal cord, bone and cartilage

#### III. Ecology

1. Determination of pH of given sample
2. Estimation of dissolved oxygen of given sample
3. Estimation of total alkalinity of given sample
4. Estimation of salinity of given sample

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ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR V SEMESTER  
ZOOLOGY - PAPER - V  
ANIMAL BIOTECHNOLOGY

Periods:60

Max. Marks:100

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Unit 1: Tools of Recombinant DNA technology - Enzymes and Vectors

Restriction modification systems: Types I, II and III. Mode of action, nomenclature, applications of Type II restriction enzymes in genetic engineering

Cloning Vectors: Plasmid vectors:pBR and pUC series, Bacteriophage, Cosmids.

Unit 2 Techniques of Recombinant DNA technology

Cloning: Use of linkers and adaptors

PCR: Basics of PCR.

Hybridization techniques: Southern, Northern and Western blotting,

Genomic and cDNA libraries: Preparation and uses

UNIT 3 Animal Cell Technology

Cell cultures: primary culture, secondary culture, Organ culture; Cryopreservation of cultures.

Hybridoma Technology: Production of Monoclonal antibodies (mAb), Applications of mAb

Stem cells: Types of stem cells, applications of stem cell technology in cell based therapy.

Unit 4 Reproductive Technologies & Transgenic Animals

Manipulation of reproduction in animals: Artificial Insemination, In vitro fertilization , super ovulation, Embryo transfer

Transgenic Animals: Transgenic - sheep, - fish; applications

Unit 5 Applied Biotechnology

Industry: Fermentation: Different types of Fermentation: Short notes on - Submerged & Solid state; batch, Fed batch & Continuous;

Agriculture: fisheries – monoculture in fishes, polyploidy in fishes; DNA fingerprinting

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ZOOLOGY MODEL PAPER FOR V SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - V

ANIMAL BIOTECHNOLOGY

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 75

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ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR V SEMESTER  
ZOOLOGY - PAPER - V  
ANIMAL BIOTECHNOLOGY

Periods: 24

Max. Marks: 50

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Any SIX of the following:

1. Maintenance and storage of E.coli DH5 alpha cells.
2. Isolation of Plasmid DNA from E.coli
3. Preparation of genomic DNA from E. coli/animals/ human.
  4. DNA quantification using agarose gel electrophoresis (by using lambda DNA as standard).
  5. Restriction digestion of lambda ( $\lambda$ ) DNA using EcoR1 and Hind III.
  6. Preparation for insertion and vector for ligation.
  7. Performance of ligation reaction using T4 DNA ligase.
  8. Preparation of competent cells
  9. Transformation of E. coli with plasmid DNA using CaCl<sub>2</sub>,
10. Selection of transformants on X-gal and IPTG
11. Techniques: Western Blot, Southern Hybridization, DNA Fingerprinting
12. Interpretation of sequencing gel electropherograms
13. Amplification of DNA by PCR
14. Packing and sterilization of glass and plastic wares for cell culture.
15. Preparation of culture media.

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ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR V SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - VI

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Periods:60

Max. Marks: 100

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UNIT – I : 10 Hours

General introduction to poultry farming. Principles of poultry housing. Poultry houses. Systems of poultry farming. Management of chicks, growers and layers. Management of Broilers.

UNIT – II: 10 Hours

Poultry feed management – Principles of feeding. Methods of feeding. Poultry diseases – viral, bacterial, fungal and parasitic (two each); symptoms, control and management.

UNIT – III: 10 Hours

Selection, care and handling of hatching eggs. Egg testing. Methods of hatching. Brooding and rearing. Sexing of chicks.

UNIT- IV: 20 Hours

Breeds of Dairy Cattle and Buffaloes – Definition of breed; Classification of Indian Cattle breeds, exotic breeds and Indian buffalo breeds. (Three each category). Housing of dairy animals – Selection of site for dairy farm; systems of housing – loose, housing system. Conventional dairy barn. Cleaning and sanitation of dairy farm. Weaning of calf. Castration and dehorning. Deworming.

UNIT - V: 10 Hours

Care and management of dairy animals - Care and management of calf, heifer, milk animal, dry and pregnant animal, bulls and bullocks.

ZOOLOGY MODEL PAPER FOR V SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - VI

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 75

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ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR V SEMESTER  
ZOOLOGY –PRACTICAL - VI

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Periods:24

Max. Marks: 50

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1. Study of various breeds of layers and broilers (photographs)
  2. Identification of disease causing organisms in poultry birds (as per theory)
  3. Study of the anatomy of a poultry bird by way of dissecting a bird. (Demonstration)
  4. Study of various activities in a poultry farm (layers and broilers) and submission of a report.
  5. Study of various breeds of cattle (photographs/microfilms)
  6. Study of various activities carried out in a dairy farm and submission of a report.

ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR VI SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY –ELECTIVE PAPER: VII

IMMUNOLOGY

Periods:60

Max. Marks:100

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Unit - I

Overview of Immune system

Introduction to basic concepts in Immunology

Innate and adaptive immunity

Cells and organs of Immune system

Cells of immune system

Organs of immune system

Unit - II

Antigens

Basic properties of antigens

B and T cell epitopes, haptens

Factors influencing immunogenicity

Unit - III

Antibodies

Structure of antibody

Classes and functions of antibodies

3.1.3 Monoclonal antibodies

Unit - IV

Working of Immune system

Structure and functions of major histocompatibility complexes

Exogenous and Endogenous pathways of antigen presentation and processing

Basic properties and functions of cytokines

Unit - V

Immune system in health and disease

Classification and brief description of various types of hyper sensitivities

Introduction to concepts of autoimmunity and immunodeficiency

Vaccines

General introduction to vaccines

Types of vaccines

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ZOOLOGY MODEL PAPER FOR VI SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - ELECTIVE PAPER – VII

IMMUNOLOGY

Time: 3 hrs

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Max. Marks: 75

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ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR VI SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - ELECTIVE PAPER – VII

IMMUNOLOGY

Periods: 24

Max. Marks: 50

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1. Demonstration of lymphoid organs (as per UGC guidelines)
2. Histological study of spleen, thymus and lymph nodes (through prepared slides)
3. Blood group determination
4. Demonstration of
  - a. ELISA
  - b. Immunoelectrophoresis

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VI SEMESTER  
ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR CLUSTER ELECTIVE –VIII-A:  
AQUACULTURE

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Cluster Elective Paper: VIII-A-1

PRINCIPLES OF AQUACULTURE

Periods:60

Max.Marks:100

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Unit – I

Introduction / Basics of Aquaculture

Definition, Significance and History of Aquaculture

Major cultivable species for aquaculture: freshwater, brackish water and marine.

Criteria for the selection of species for culture

Unit – II

Types of Aquaculture

Freshwater, Brackishwater and Marine

Concept of Monoculture, Polyculture, Composite culture, Monosex culture and Integrated fish farming

Culture practices

Traditional, extensive, modified extensive, semi-intensive and intensive cultures of fish.

Unit – III

Design and construction of aquafarms

Criteria for the selection of site for freshwater and brackish water pond farms

Design and construction of fish and shrimp farms

Nutrition and feeds

Natural food and Artificial feeds and their importance in fish and shrimp culture

Unit – IV

Management of carp culture ponds

4.1.1 Culture of Indian major carps: Pre-stocking management – Dewatering, drying, ploughing/desilting; Predators, weeds and algal blooms and their control, Liming and fertilization; Stocking management – Stocking density and stocking; Post-stocking management – Feeding, water quality, growth and health care; and Harvesting of ponds

## Unit – V

Culture of shrimp (*Penaeus monodon* or *Litopenaeus vannamei*)  
Culture of pearl oysters  
Culture of ornamental fishes – Setting up and maintenance of aquarium.

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ZOOLOGY MODEL PAPER FOR VI SEMESTER

Cluster Elective Paper: VIII-A-1

PRINCIPLES OF AQUACULTURE

Time : 3 hrs

Max. Marks : 75

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Cluster Elective Paper: VIII-A-2  
AQUACULTURE MANAGEMENT

Periods : 60

Max.Marks : 100

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Unit – I

Breeding and Hatchery Management

Bundh Breeding and Induced breeding of carp by Hypophysation;  
and use of synthetic hormones

Types of fish hatcheries; Hatchery management of Indian major carps

Breeding and Hatchery management of *Penaeus monodon*

Unit – II

Water quality Management

Water quality and soil characteristics suitable for fish and shrimp culture

Identification of oxygen depletion problems and control mechanisms in culture ponds

Liming materials, Organic manures and Inorganic fertilizers commonly used and their implications in fish ponds

Unit – III

Feed Management

Live Foods and their role in shrimp larval nutrition.

Supplementary feeds: Principal foods in artificial diets; Types of feeds; Feed additives and Preservatives; role of probiotics.

Feed formulation and manufacturing; Feed storage

Unit – IV

Disease Management

Principles of disease diagnosis and health management;

Prophylaxis, Hygiene and Therapy of fish diseases

Etiology, Symptoms, prophylaxis and therapy of common fish diseases in fish ponds

Unit – V

Economics and Marketing

5.1.1 Principles of aquaculture economics – Capital costs, variable costs, cost-benefit analysis

5.1.2 Fish marketing methods in India; Basic concepts in demand and price analysis

Fish Genetics

Genetic improvement of fish stocks – Hybridization of fish.

Cryopreservation of gametes, Production of monosex and sterile fishes and their significance in aquaculture.

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### ZOOLOGY - PAPER - VIII

#### Cluster Elective Paper: VIII-A-2

#### AQUACULTURE MANAGEMENT

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Cluster Elective Paper: VIII-A-3

POST HARVEST TECHNOLOGY

Periods : 60

Max.Marks : 100

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Unit – I

Handling and Principles of fish Preservation

Handling of fresh fish, storage and transport of fresh fish, post mortem changes (rigor mortis and spoilage).

Principles of preservation– cleaning, lowering of temperature, rising of temperature, denudation, use of salt, use of fish preservatives, exposure to lowradiation of gamma rays.

Unit – II

Methods of fish Preservation

Traditional methods - sun drying, salt curing, pickling and smoking.

Advanced methods – chilling or icing, refrigerated sea water, freezing, canning, Irradiation and Accelerated Freeze drying (AFD).

Unit – III

Processing and preservation of fish and fish by-products

Fish products – fish minced meat, fish meal, fish oil, fish liquid (ensilage), fish protein concentrate, fish chowder, fish cake, fish sauce, fish salads, fish powder, pet food from trash fish, fish manure.

Fish by-products – fish glue, ising glass, chitosan, pearl essence, shark fins, fish leather and fish maws.

Unit – IV

Sanitation and Quality control

Sanitation in processing plants - Environmental hygiene and Personal hygiene in processing plants.

Quality Control of fish and fishery products – pre-processing control, control during processing and control after processing.

Unit – V

Quality Assurance, Management and Certification

Seafood Quality Assurance and Systems: Good Manufacturing Practices (GMPs); Good Laboratory Practices (GLPs); Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs); Concept of Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points (HACCP) in seafood safety.

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: POST HARVEST TECHNOLOGY

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ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS CLUSTER ELECTIVE PAPER: VIII-A

VI SEMESTER

AQUACULTURE

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PRACTICAL: I

Periods : 24

Max.Marks : 50

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Cultivable fishes

1. Identification and study of important cultivable and edible fishes - Any Five
2. Identification and study of important cultivable and edible crustaceans - Any Three
3. Identification and study of common aquarium fishes – Any five
4. General description and recording biometric data of a given fish.

Diseases

1. Identification and study of fish and shrimp diseases - Using specimens / pictures
2. External examination of the diseased fish – diagnostic features and procedure.
3. Autopsy of fish – Examination of the internal organs.

Pond Management

1. Water Quality -Determination of temperature, pH, salinity in the pond water sample; Estimation of dissolved oxygen, free carbondioxide, total alkalinity
2. Soil analysis – Determination of soil texture, pH
3. Identification and study of common zooplankton, aquatic insects and aquatic weeds – Total 5

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PRACTICAL - II

Periods :24

Max.Marks : 50

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Nutrition

1. Identification and study of Live food organisms – Any five
2. Formulation and preparation of a balanced fish feed
3. Estimation of Proximate composition of aquaculture feeds – Proteins, carbohydrates

Post harvest Technology

1. Preparation of dried, cured and fermented fish products, examination of salt, protein, moisture in dried / cured products, examination of spoilage of dried / cured fish products, marinades, pickles, sauce.
2. Preparation of isinglass, collagen and chitosan from shrimp and crab shell. ?
3. Analysis worksheet, plan form and corrective action procedures in processing of fish.

### PRACTICAL - III

#### Project Work

Visit to a fish breeding centre / fish farms and submit a project report

or

Visit to a feed manufacturing unit and submit a project report

or

Visit to a shrimp hatchery / shrimp farms and submit a project report

or

Visit to a shrimp processing unit and submit a project report

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