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V Semester B.Sc. Degree (CBCSS – OBE – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, November 2023
(2020 – 2021 Admissions)

CORE COURSE IN LIFE SCIENCES (ZOOLOGY) AND

COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY
5B08 ZCB : Developmental Biology

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

PART - A

Write on each of the following in 2 or 3 sentences. Each question carries 1 mark.

(6×1=6)

- 1. Hox genes.
- 2. Invitro fertilization.
- 3. Emboly.
- 4. Parturition.
- 5. Theory of preformation.
- 6. Stain used in fate marking.

PART - B

Explain about any six of the following. Each question carries 2 marks. (6x2=12)

- 7. What is the importance of morphogenetic movement?
- 8. Comment on the scope of germ cells.
- 9. What are somites derived from?

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- 10. What are determinate eggs?
- 11. How is gene expression controlled?
- 12. What is carbon particle marking technique?
 - 13. What makes sea urchin a good model in studying development?
 - 14. What is the lineage of the cell?

PART - C

Write short essay on any four of the following. Each question carries 3 marks. (4×3=12)

- 15. What is amphibian organizer?
- 16. Describe the different types of egg with examples on the basis of distribution of yolk.
- 17. Write a brief note on cryopreservation of embryo.
- 18. What is epigenesis? Give an example.
- 19. What is a teratogen? Explain using any two examples.
- 20. Differentiate ZIFT and GIFT.

PART - D

Write an essay on any two of the following. Each question carries 5 marks. (2×5=10)

- 21. With the help of a diagram explain the structure of a frog egg.
- 22. Write an account on the different types of cleavage.
- 23. Explain in detail the fate map of a frog.
- 24. Give an account on the step-by-step process of a test tube baby.