BACHELOR OF SCIENCE in ZOOLOGY (HONS) SEMESTER – VI

Paper Code: ZOO-610P

ZOO-610P: Practical on Animal physiology, Endocrinology, Immunology, Developmental biology, Histology and Biological chemistry

100 marks

ANIMAL PHYSIOLOGY 30 Marks

Effects of isotonic, Hypotonic and Hypertonic solutions on erythrocytes. Counting of RBC and WBC using Haemocytometer. Estimation of haemoglobin percentage of a blood sample, amphibian or mammal. Preparation of haemin crystals. Coagulation of blood; Recording of frog's heart beat; Demonstration of the effect of acetylcholine, atropine and epinephrine on the heartbeat.

ENDOCRINOLOGY: 10 Marks

Dissection of endocrine gland in rat; Study of permanent slides; Sections of pituitary, Thyroid, Adrenal, Pancreas, Testis and Ovary.

IMMUNOLOGY: 10 Marks

Determination of ABO and Rh factor of blood DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGY 6 Marks Study of developmental stages of frog (permanent slides, WM): cleavage, gastrula and neurula. Study of developmental stages of chick (permanent slides, WM): 18,24,36,48 and 72 hours of incubation. Study of permanent slides of sections of blastula and gastrula of chick and neurula and external gills of frog.

HISTOLOGY 16 Marks

Microtomy- fixation, embedding, block making, sectioning, staining and mounting of tissues. Study of permanent slides-sections of oesophagus, stomach, duodenum, ileum, pancrease, lung, kidney and skin of mammal and amphibian.

BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY 10 Marks

General test for identification of carbohydrate, lipid and protein. Seperation of amino acid using paper chromatography. Colorimetric estimation of protein from a calibration curve (provided). Lipid: Oxidation of fatty acids, fate of glycerol, Ketone body formation and utilization. Interaction of carbohydrates and lipids. Proteins: Metabolism of amino acids. Oxidative deamination, transaminations, decarboxylation, enzymology of urea cycle. Fate of glucogenic and ketogenic amino acids. Interrelationship of metabolic pathways.

Practical record 8 marks
Slide submission 5 marks
Viva-Voce 10 marks
