3/EH-63 (iii) (Syllabus-2015)

2022

(November)

ZOOLOGY

(Elective/Honours)

(Animal Physiology, Endocrinology and Biochemistry)

Marks: 56

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer Question No. 1 and any four from the rest

- 1. Write in brief on any three of the following: $4\times3=12$
 - (a) Structure of a neuron
 - (b) Reflex action
 - (c) Mechanism of breathing in vertebrates
 - (d) Essential amino acids
 - (e) Hormones of adrenal glands
- 2. Describe the structure of a nephron with a suitable diagram. Explain the mechanism of urine formation in vertebrates.

 4+7=11

- 3. Describe the physiology of digestion and absorption of proteins. 6+5=11
- 4. Describe the structure of a pituitary gland.

 Mention the hormones secreted by the pituitary gland and mention their functions.

 3+5+3=11
- 5. Write a note on the properties of enzymes.

 Describe the mechanism of enzyme action with a suitable example. What are the various factors which can affect the enzyme activity?

 3+4+4=11
- 6. Explain the double helical structure of DNA with the help of a suitable diagram. What are the structural differences between DNA and RNA?

 8+3=11
- 7. What is a TCA cycle? Describe the cycle in detail mentioning the enzymes and coenzymes involved in each step. 2+9=11
- 8. Write short notes on any two of the following: 5½×2=11
 - (a) Water-soluble vitamins
 - (b) Synaptic transmission
 - (c) Cofactors and coenzymes