



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.Sc. Honours 4th Semester Examination, 2022

ZOOACOR10T-ZOOLOGY (CC10)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.

1. Answer any *eight* questions from the following:

 $2 \times 8 = 16$

- (a) Differentiate between T-dependent and T-independent antigens.
- (b) Name two enzymes used in ELISA test.
- (c) Mention two uses of HLA typing.
- (d) What is MAC?
- (e) What is adjuvant? Give example.
- (f) State the factors which influence immunogenicity of a potential antigen.
- (g) Define hypersensitivity.
- (h) State the function of Natural Killer (NK) cells.
- (i) Differentiate between primary and secondary lymphoid organ.
- (j) What do you mean by "memory" of immune cells?
- (k) What is hybridoma?
- (1) What are affinity and avidity during Antigen-Antibody reaction?
- 2. Answer any *three* questions from the following:

 $3 \times 3 = 9$

- (a) Differentiate between active and passive immunity.
- (b) State the principle and application of Sandwich ELISA technique.
- (c) Distinguish between T cell and B cell.
- (d) "All immunogens are antigens, but not all antigens are immunogen" Explain.
- (e) Which region of an Immunoglobulin molecule determines its class? What is meant by the term 'immunoglobulin class switching'?
- 3. Answer any *three* questions from the following:

 $5 \times 3 = 15$

(a) Draw a schematic diagram of a typical IgG molecule and label each of the following parts: H chain, L chain, interchain disulphide bonds, intrachain disulphide bonds, hinge, Fab, Fc and all the domains. Indicate, which domains are involved in antigen binding.

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(b) List the three types of purified macromolecules that are currently used as vaccines. What are the advantages and disadvantages of using attenuated organisms as vaccines?



(c) Briefly describe the stages in T-cell development in the thymus. Describe the mechanism that lead to self-tolerance.

(d) How Dengue viruses trick immune system to infect host cells in human body? What effect would removal of bursa of Fabricius (bursectomy) have on chicken?

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(e) Describe the activation and control of the alternative pathway of complement activation. What does the term 'immunologic memory' mean?

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N.B.: Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.



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