

**2024**  
**M.Sc.**  
**Second Semester**  
 CORE – 07  
**ZOOLOGY**  
*Course Code: MZOC 2.31*  
 (Technique in Biology)

Total Mark: 70

Pass Mark: 28

Time: 3 hours

Answer five questions, taking one from each unit.

**UNIT-I**

1. Write the theory of transmission electron microscope. Explain its structure and functions of the component. 7+7=14
2. (a) What is tissue culture? Explain the key steps involved in maintaining tissue culture. 2+5=7  
 (b) How does autoradiography work and what are its applications in biological research? 2+5=7

**UNIT-II**

3. Explain the key steps involved in a polymerase chain reaction (PCR), and how does it amplify DNA fragments. Write a note on the application of polymerase chain reaction. 10+4=14
4. Write notes on the following: 7×2 = 14  
 (a) Ion exchange chromatography  
 (b) Sequencing of nucleic acids

**UNIT-III**

5. Write the concept on variables in biostatistics. Explain the various types of variables in detail. 4+10=14
6. Find out the mean and standard deviation from the following data:  
 15, 17, 19, 25, 30, 35, 48. 7+7=14

## UNIT-IV

7. Calculate Karl Pearson's correlation between  $X$  and  $Y$ -series from data given below: 14

$X$ -series	12	9	8	10	11	13	7
$Y$ -series	14	8	6	9	11	12	3

8. Write short notes on the following:  $7 \times 2 = 14$
- (a) Properties of Poisson distribution with example
  - (b) Properties of t-test

## UNIT-V

9. Perform the following sequence alignment by using Needleman-Wunsch algorithm.

Sequence 1-CCGTTCG

Sequence 2-CCGCG

Add a note on the introduction to bioinformatics.  $10 + 4 = 14$

10. Write short notes on the following:  $7 \times 2 = 14$
- (a) BLAST
  - (b) Pairwise alignment
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