LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034

M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION - ZOOLOGY

FIRST SEMESTER - NOVEMBER 2014

ZO 1823 - HISTOCHEMISTRY & MICROTECHNIQUE

Date: 10/11/2014	Dept. No.	Max. : 100 Marks
Time: 01:00-04:00	l	

PART - A

Answer ALL questions. Each question carries two marks.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ Marks})$

- 1. Comment on freeze drying.
- 2. What is keratin?
- 3. Comment on vital staining.
- 4. What is biopsy?
- 5. What is preservative?
- 6. Expand: STEM and ICMR
- 7. Comment on photomicrography.
- 8. What do you mean by metachromasia?
- 9. What is mordant?
- 10. Comment on Diethylene Oxide.

PART - B

Answer any FOUR questions. Each question carries ten marks.

 $(4 \times 10 = 40 \text{ Marks})$

- 11. Classify lipids and describe Sudan Black B method.
- 12. Give an account on cold knife method and its applications.
- 13. Describe the working principle of SEM
- 14. Give an account on haematoxylin eosin staining in paraffin microtomy.
- 15. Classify proteins and describe Ninhydrin Schiff method.
- 16. Describe the procedure involved in whole mount of soil microarthropods.

PART - C

Answer any TWO questions. Each question carries twenty marks.

 $(2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ Marks})$

- 17. Describe radio active labeling and its uses.
- 18. Give an account on Fluorescent microscopy and its applications.
- 19. Explain the procedure involved in the dry mount of insects.
- 20. Describe the different steps involved in Ultra microtomy.
