LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION - ADVANCED ZOOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY

THIRD SEMESTER - APRIL 2022

UAZ 3503 - DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGY

| Date: 23-06-2022 | Dept. No. | Max.: 100 Marks |
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Time: 01:00 PM - 04:00 PM

PART A

Answer all the questions

 $(10\times2=20 \text{ Marks})$

- 1. Differentiate between autonomous and conditional cell specification.
- 2. Explain any two types of cellular morphogenetic movements seen in developing embryos.
- 3. Describe the formation of eye lens in vertebrates.
- 4. Enlist the different types of stem cells.
- 5. What is superovulation? How is it induced in humans?
- 6. Define organizers and inducers.
- 7. Differentiate between equal and unequal holoblastic cleavage.
- 8. What are the bendings and curvatures seen in vertebrate brain development?
- 9. What is a regeneration blastema?
- 10. Explain the developmental abnormality arising due to Zika virus infection.

PART B

Answer any FOUR questions

(4×10=40 Marks)

- 11. Describe the process of gastrulation in frog.
- 12. Explain the developmental abnormalities arising due to various environmental agents.
- 13. Write notes on the development of heart in vertebrates.
- 14. Discuss the process of formation of yolk sac and amnion in chick embryo.
- 15. Give an account of cell specification during embryonic development.
- 16. Explain the role of stem cells in regenerative medicine giving suitable examples.

PART C

Answer any TWO questions

 $(2\times20=20 \text{ Marks})$

- 17. Write a detailed note on the process of gametogenesis.
- 18. Describe in detail the procedure for *in vitro* fertilization in humans.
- 19. Define the different types of regeneration with examples and give a detailed explanation of the process of limb regeneration in salamander.
- 20. Discuss in detail the process of fertilization of sea urchin eggs.

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