Or

What do you mean by International Code of Zoological Nomenclature? Write briefly the rules of nomenclature. 2+8=10

**5.** Why is classification important in Biological Science? Write about cladistic Classification.

4+6=10

Or

Discuss briefly the Biological Species Concept. Write its demerits. 6+4=10

**6.** Write about the cytological techniques applied in modern taxonomy.

Or

Describe the methods of collection and preservation of insects. 5+5=10

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(Major)

Paper: 1·1

Full Marks: 60

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

- 1. Choose and write the correct answer:  $1 \times 7 = 7$ 
  - (a) Taxonomy deals with
    - (i) classification and nomenclature
    - (ii) systematics and evolution
    - (iii) collection and preservation
    - (iv) classification and evolution
  - (b) Which one of the following is not involved in biochemical approach of modern taxonomy?
    - (i) Chromatography
    - (ii) Electrophoresis
    - (iii) Infrared spectrophotometry
    - (iv) Scanning electron microscope

- (c) Biological species concept was introduced by
  - (i) Grant
  - (ii) Mayer
  - (iii) Paterson
  - (iv) Cuvier
- (d) The term 'phenon' is applied for
  - (i) a taxonomic group of any rank
  - (ii) phenotypically similar samples
  - (iii) genetically similar samples
  - (iv) reproductively isolated samples
- (e) Alpha taxonomy is concerned with
  - (i) arrangement of species
  - (ii) evolutionary study of species
  - (iii) characterization and naming of species
  - (iv) None of the above
- (f) A. P. Candolle is known
  - (i) for coining the term Taxonomy
  - (ii) as Father of Genetics
  - (iii) as author of 'Systema Naturae'
  - (iv) as author of 'Origin of Species'

- (g) Family is a taxonomic division between
  - (i) Genus and Species
  - (ii) Phylum and Order
  - (iii) Class and Order
  - (iv) Order and Genus
- **2.** Distinguish between the following:  $2 \times 4 = 8$ 
  - (a) Sympatric species and Allopatric species
  - (b) Homology and Analogy
  - (c) Synonymy and Homonymy
  - (d) Holotype and Lectotype
- 3. Write short notes on any *three* of the following:  $5\times3=15$ 
  - (a) Taxonomist as a curator
  - (b) Sibling species
  - (c) Indented key
  - (d) Trinomial nomenclature
  - (e) Subspecies
- Discuss the importance of taxonomy in the field of Applied Biology.