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S.Y.B.Sc. (Semester III)

Paper Code and Title	Unit	Portion
RUSZOO301 Genetics, Heredity and Nucleic acids	I	Mendelian Genetics <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mendelian Genetics: Monohybrid cross, Dihybrid cross, test cross, back cross, Mendel's laws of Inheritance, Mendelian traits in man.• Exceptions to Mendelian Inheritance: Incomplete dominance, Codominance, Lethal alleles, Epistasis - Recessive, Double recessive, dominant and double dominant.• Chromosome theory of inheritance.• Pedigree analysis-Autosomal dominant and autosomal recessive, X-linked dominant, and X-linked recessive
	II	Chromosomes <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction to morphology of chromosome, Chromosome structure- Heterochromatin, Euchromatin• Classification based on the position of centromere• Types of Chromosomes- Autosomes and Sex chromosomes• Endomitosis, Giant chromosomes- Polytene and Lamp brush chromosomes and significance of Balbiani rings
	III	Griffith's transformation experiments, Avery-Macleod and McCarty, Hershey and Chase experiment of Bacteriophage infection. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chemical composition and structure of nucleic acids.• Double helix nature of DNA, Solenoid model of DNA.• Types of DNA – A, B, Z & H forms.• DNA in Prokaryotes -chromosomal and plasmid and Extra nuclear DNA –mitochondria and chloroplast.

<p>RUSZOO302 Life process</p>	<p>I</p>	<p>Comparative study of Nutritional Apparatus with reference to feeding adaptations -Structure and functions: • Invertebrates- eg: Amoeba- Pseudopodia, Hydra Tentacles, Earthworm-Suction, Cockroach-biting and chewing. • Vertebrates-Fish, Reptiles- Calotes • Digestive system and physiology of digestion with respect to Man</p>
	<p>II</p>	<p>Circulation • Comparative study of circulation: Open and closed - single and double • Types of circulating fluids - Water, coelomic fluid, haemolymph, lymph and Blood • Comparative study of Hearts (Structure and function) with reference to Earthworm, Cockroach, Shark, Frog, • Physiology of Human Heart</p>
	<p>III</p>	<p>Control and coordination • Irritability –Paramecium, Nerve net in Hydra, Nerve ring and nerve cord in earthworm Types of neurons on the basis of structure and function • Conduction of nerve impulse: Resting potential, action potential and refractory period • Synaptic transmission – Chemical and Electrical • Neurotransmitter (Addiction to psychotic substances) • Endocrine regulation: Hormones as chemical messengers and feedback mechanisms, hormones as therapeutic agents</p>
<p>RUSZOO303 Ethology and Economic Zoology</p>	<p>I</p>	<p>Introduction to Ethology • Definition, History and Scope of Ethology • Animal behaviour - Innate and Learned behavior • Types of learning -Habituation, Imprinting and types of imprinting (filial and Sexual), Classical conditioning, Instrumental learning and insight learning Communication in Bees and Ants</p>
	<p>II</p>	<p>Morphology, life cycle, pathogenicity, control measures and treatment • Head louse (<i>Pediculus humanuscapitis</i>) • Mite (<i>Sarcoptes scabiei</i>) Bed bug (<i>Cimex lectularis</i>) Parasitological significance • Zoonosis - Bird flu • Anthrax • Rabies • Toxoplasmosis</p>
	<p>III</p>	<p>Apiculture</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Methods of bee keeping and management – An introduction to different species of honey bees used in apiculture. • Selection of flora and bees for apiculture • Advantages and disadvantages of traditional and modern methods of Apiculture • Pests and Bee enemies- Wax moth, wasp, black ants, bee-eaters, king crow and disease control • Bee keeping industry- Present status and recent efforts to improve and boost the industry • Economic importance– Honey: Production, Chemical composition and economic importance • Bees wax- Economic importance • Role of honey bees in pollination
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T.Y.B.Sc. (Semester V)

Paper Code	Unit	Portion
RUSZOO501 Study of animal types – Non chordates	I	Phylum- Annelid e.g. Earthworm Systematic position, habit and habitat Structure and histology of body wall Locomotion Type of nutrition
	II	Phylum- Arthropoda e.g. Cockroach Systematic position, Habit and habitat External characters Morphology and Physiology of Digestive system Physiology of Blood vascular system
	III	Phylum-Mollusca e.g. Sepia Systematic position, Habit and habitat External characters Morphology and Physiology of Digestive system
	IV	Phylum- Echinodermata e.g. Starfish Systematic position, Habit and habitat External characters, Endoskeleton, coelom
RUSZOO502 Haematology and Immunology	I	Basic Haematology Composition of blood - Plasma & formed elements Blood volume - Total quantity and regulation, Haemorrhage Plasma proteins - Inorganic constituents, respiratory gases, organic constituents other than proteins (include internal secretions, antibodies and enzymes)
	II	Diagnostic techniques used in haematology • Microscopic examination of blood: For detection of blood cancers (Lymphoma, Myeloma); infectious diseases (Malaria, Filariasis,

		<p>Leishmaniasis); hemoglobinopathies (Sickle-cell, Thalassemia)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coagulopathies: Diagnostic methods (haemophilia and purpura) • Microbiological examination: Blood culture: Method and application in Diagnosis of infectious diseases (Typhoid and TB)
	III	<p>Components of immune system:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innate immunity – Definition, Factors affecting innate immunity, Mechanisms of innate immunity – physical barriers, chemical barriers and cellular barriers • Adaptive or Acquired immunity – Active Acquired immunity – Natural and Artificial; Passive Acquired immunity – Natural and Artificial
	IV	<p>Antigen-Antibody interaction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General features of antigen-antibody interaction; Precipitation reaction: Definition, characteristics and mechanism, precipitation in gels (slide test) - Radial immunodiffusion (Mancini method), Double immunodiffusion (Ouchterlony method) • Agglutination reaction: definition, characteristics and mechanism • Haemagglutination (slide and micro-tray agglutination), passive agglutination, Coomb's test and ELISA
RUSZOO503 Molecular Biology and Biotechnology	I	<p>Types of mutation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Point mutations – substitution, deletion and insertion mutations • Substitution mutations – silent (same-sense), missense and nonsense mutations, • Transition and transversion, Deletion and Insertion mutations – frameshift mutations • Trinucleotide repeat expansions – fragile X syndrome, Huntington disease • Spontaneous mutation – tautomeric shifts, spontaneous lesion
	II	<p>Techniques in Genetic Engineering</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PCR techniques: Principles, working and applications of thermocycler and introduction to RTPCR. <p>Separation and detection techniques: Blotting techniques: Southern blotting, Northern blotting and Western blotting Applications of blotting technique.</p>
	III	<p>Inborn Errors of Metabolism: Phenylketonuria, G-6- PD deficiency, Alkaptonuria, Albinism, Niemann Pick syndrome</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single gene mutation: Cystic fibrosis, Muscular dystrophy
	IV	<p>Physicochemical properties – pH, CO₂ and bicarbonate, buffering, O₂, osmolality, temperature, viscosity, surface tension and foaming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of media – Natural and Artificial media • Serum – protein, growth factors, hormones, nutrients and metabolites, lipids, minerals and inhibitors • Balanced Salt Solutions
RUSZOO504 Endocrinology, Osteology and Embryology.	I	<p>Endocrine glands and regulation General organization of mammalian endocrine system</p> <p>Hormones: Classification, properties, mechanism of hormone action, hormone secretion and transport</p>
	II	<p>Introduction: Cartilage and Bone</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chemical composition, Structure and Function of Cartilage. • Chemical composition, Structure and Functions of Bone.
	III	<p>Introduction to experimental embryology Germplasm theory, Mosaic theory, Regulative theory, Gradient theory, Spemann's theory of organizers</p> <p>Basic concept and principles of experimental embryology - fate maps</p>
	IV	<p>Basic structure of integument: Epidermis and dermis; classification of keratinized and nonkeratinized derivatives</p>

T.Y.B.Sc. (Applied Component: Marine Science) [Semester V]

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RUSZOO501 Marine Science I	I	Zonation of the Sea –Vertical and Horizontal Inter-tidal organisms (rocky, muddy & sandy shores)
	II	Physical parameters of the sea • Density • Illumination • Temperature • Pressure
	III	Fishery acts and monitoring bodies Remote sensing and forecasting Geographical Information System (GIS): • Concept • Applications of GIS in aquatic Resource identification Digital Image Processing (DIP): Different Methods and Approaches
	IV	NIO, CMFRI, CIFE, FSI, CIBA, MPEDA NIO Endangered, Threatened and Vulnerable marine species

MSc Part II

<p>RPSZOO301</p> <p>Basics of Industrial and Environmental Biotechnology – I</p>	<p>Unit- 1</p>	<p><u>The implications of recombinant DNA technology of commercial products and microbial synthesis</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General account on applications of biotechnology • Commercialization of biotechnology & biotech companies • Prospects of novel food technology
	<p>Unit- 2</p>	<p><u>Large scale culture & production from recombinant microorganisms & genetically engineered animal cells</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Batch fermentation • Fed batch fermentation • Continuous fermentation
	<p>Unit- 3</p>	<p><u>Medical Biotechnology</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sub-unit Vaccine production against viruses- Herpes simplex, Bovine foot & mouth disease virus • DNA vaccine • Attenuated vaccine – cholera and salmonella • Multitalented subunit vaccine • Anti idio type vaccine
	<p>Unit- 4</p>	<p><u>Environmental Biotechnology I</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Microorganisms in lignocellulose degradation • Isolation of prokaryotic & eukaryotic cellulase gene • Manipulation of cellulase gene
<p>RPSZOO302</p> <p>Genetic Engineering Techniques and Its Applications</p>	<p>Unit- 1</p>	<p><u>Genome management and analysis</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chemical Synthesis of DNA-Oligonucleotide synthesis by Phosphoramidite method, Synthesis of genes • DNA Sequencing -- Maxam-Gilbert method, Sanger's dideoxynucleotide method, By using bacteriophage M13, By Primer walking, Next generation sequencing
	<p>Unit- 3</p>	<p><u>Bioinformatics</u></p> <p>Uses and application of computers in biological sciences</p> <p>DNA profiling: cDNA and EST's (expressed sequence tags)</p>

	Unit- 4	<p><u>Animal biotechnology and Human therapies</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mice as model system for human disease Recombinant DNA technology to prevent animal disease • Knockout mice
RPSZOP303 Comprehensive Physiology-I	Unit-1	<p><u>Levels of response and Nutritional Physiology</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Molecular, Membrane, Organ and Organism. A brief idea of physiological response at molecular level • Functional consequences of molecular composition and arrangement. • Diffusion, active transport, pump; uniports, symports and antiport, co-transport by symporters and antiporters.
	Unit- 2	<p><u>Dynamics of physiological fluids-circulation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Circulating fluids-Cytoplasm, Hydrolymph, hemolymph, lymph and Blood b) Circulatory mechanisms and Fluid compartments, movement of body fluids by somatic muscles. Hemolymph and open system • Pressure and flow in vertebrate circulatory system.
	Unit- 3	<p><u>Physiology of motility</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Axoplasmic movement, Chromosome involvement • Actomyosin complex • Sliding filament theory
	Unit- 4	<p><u>Neurotransmission Physiology</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Membranes potential Ions as current carriers - Protons, calcium, potassium, structure of cation-permeable channels and chloride channels
RPSZOP304 Environmental and Applied Physiology -I	Unit- 1	<p><u>Stress, Water as an environmental factor</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plastic and elastic strain • Stress resistance

	Unit- 2	<p><u>Oxygen as environmental factor</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oxygen dependencies in living organisms • Adaptation of vertebrates in prolonged diving
	Unit- 3	<p><u>Environmental Radiation.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Radiation as an environmental parameter. • Biomolecules involved in perception and trapping of solar radiations: Chlorophyll, Bacteriorhodospin, Rhodospin and Vitamin A. Adaptations of animals to absence of solar radiations.
	Unit- 4	<p><u>Enzymes and Body Fluids as Clinical Diagnostic Tools.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plasma specific and non-plasma specific enzymes • Diagnostic importance of LDH • Enzyme in diagnosis of myocardial infarction • Enzymes in Liver diseases and toxicity
RPSZOG303 General, Physical, Chemical and Biological Oceanography	Unit-1	<p><u>General oceanography</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continental shelf, continental slope, submarine canyons, submarine mountain ranges, Guyots and trenches with special reference to the Indian Ocean and adjacent seas.
	Unit-2	<p><u>Physical oceanography</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vertical circulation: wind induced circulation, Thermohaline circulation and upwelling of water. • Waves: Characteristics of waves, deep water and shallow water waves, transitional waves, wind generated waves, internal waves and Tsunami
	Unit-3	<p><u>Chemical oceanography</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Composition of sea water
	Unit-4	<p><u>Biological oceanography</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marine biotic diversity: Plankton, Nekton, Benthos- brief account • Intertidal organisms and their zonation.

<p>RPSZOG304 Planktology, fish, fishery science, immunology of fish and aquaculture</p>	<p>Unit-1</p>	<p><u>Planktology</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adaptation to planktonic life. • Factors influencing the distribution and abundance, plankton bloom, patchiness, vertical distribution and red tide.
	<p>Unit-2</p>	<p><u>Fish and fisheries science</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teleosts: Sciaenoids, Indian salmon, Seer fish, Mackerel, Sardine, Carangids, Tuna, Sole fish, Harpodon, Ribbon fish fisheries.
	<p>Unit-3</p>	<p><u>Immunology of fish</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence system: Specific and non-specific • Response to pathogens • Fish vaccinations
	<p>Unit-4</p>	<p><u>Aquaculture</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Different systems of aquaculture such as Pond Culture, Cage Culture, Pen Culture, Running Water Aquaculture, Raft Culture, Aqua ranching

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