B. Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION OCTOBER 2018 SEMESTER 3: ZOOLOGY (CORE COURSE)

COURSE: 15U3CRZOO3, ANIMAL DIVERSITY - CHORDATA

(For Regular - 2017 Admission and Supplementary / Improvement 2016, 2015 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

PART – A

Difine / Explain **all** the following . Each question carries 1 Mark.

- 1. Doliolum.
- 2. Diapsida.
- 3. Paedogenesis.
- 4. Sphenodon.
- 5. Struthio.
- 6. Echidna.
- 7. Amblystoma.
- 8. Acipencer.

(1 x 8 = 8)

Max Marks: 60

PART – B

Answer any six questions. Each question carries 2 Marks

- 9. Explain different modes of respiration in Frog.
- 10. What is retrogressive metamorphosis? Explain.
- 11. Describe salient features of class Cyclostomata.
- 12. What are the different types of scales found in fishes?
- 13. Name two lung fishes.
- 14. Explain the characters of sub Class Neornithes.
- 15. Write down the characters of *Chameleon*.
- 16. What are the accessory respiratory organs found in fishes? (2 x 6 = 12)

PART – C

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 4 Marks

- 17. Write down the characters to identify Poisonous and Non-poisonous snakes.
- 18. Differentiate between Agnatha and Gnathostomata.
- 19. Classify class Amphibia upto Order with examples.

- 20. Explain briefly the different types of migration seen in birds.
- 21. Briefly explain the Parental care in fishes.
- 22. Classify superclass Pisces citing an example each.

PART – D

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 12 Marks

- 23. Describe the flight muscles and the physiological mechanism in bird's flight.
- 24. Describe the common culturable fishes in Kerala.
- 25. Write an essay on Aquatic mammals.
- 26. Describe the venous system of Frog with suitable example. (12 x 2 = 24)
