

# Faculty of Agriculture

## End Semester Examination May 2025

### AG3CO47 Management of Beneficial Insects

<b>Programme</b>	:	B. Sc. (Hons.)	<b>Branch/Specialisation</b>	:	AG
<b>Duration</b>	:	3 hours	<b>Maximum Marks</b>	:	50

**Note:** All questions are compulsory. Internal choices, if any, are indicated. Assume suitable data if necessary.  
 Notations and symbols have their usual meaning.

#### Section 1 (Answer all question(s))

**Q1.** The part of mouth of worker bee which is useful to lick the nectar-

**Marks CO BL**  
1    1    1

<b>Rubric</b>	<b>Marks</b>
Glossa	1

- Galea       Lacinia  
 Glossa       Paraglossa

**Q2.** Central Bee Research & Training Institute located at \_\_\_\_\_.

1    1    2

<b>Rubric</b>	<b>Marks</b>
Pune	1

- Pune       Mumbai  
 Delhi       Kolkata

**Q3.** Silk glands are \_\_\_\_\_ in origin.

1    2    1

<b>Rubric</b>	<b>Marks</b>
Ectodermal	1

- Endodermal       Ectodermal  
 Mesodermal       Epidermal

**Q4.** Danier is usually referred to weight of single filament of \_\_\_\_\_.

1    2    1

<b>Rubric</b>	<b>Marks</b>
9000m	1

- 9000m       7000m  
 8000m       6000m

**Q5.** Mother moth examination is done for silkworms to examine the disease-

1    3    1

<b>Rubric</b>	<b>Marks</b>
Pebrine	1

- Flacherie       Pebrine  
 Septicemia       Grasserie

**Q6.** The number of generations or crops that are produced in one year by the silk worms is called as \_\_\_\_\_.

1 3 1

Rubric	Marks
Voltinism	1

- Attacus
- Voltinism
- Stifling
- Mounting

**Q7.** The crops of Rangeeni Strains are Baisakhi & Katki which are inoculated in the month of \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ respectively.

1 4 1

Rubric	Marks
Octo. -Nov. & June-July	1

- Octo.-Nov. & June-July
- June-July & Octo.-Nov.
- Jan-Feb & June-July
- June-July & Jan-Feb

**Q8.** The process of emergence of nymphs of lac insect is called as \_\_\_\_\_.

1 4 1

Rubric	Marks
Swarming	1

- Molemma
- Swarming
- Kiri
- Passewa

**Q9.** \_\_\_\_\_ referred as father of biocontrol.

1 5 1

Rubric	Marks
H. S. Smith	1

- H. S. Smith
- C.V. Riley
- Paul Debac
- Albert Koeble

**Q10.** Detailed account of lac insect was given by \_\_\_\_\_.

1 5 1

Rubric	Marks
J. Kerr	1

- Boxburgh
- J. Kerr
- TJ Watson
- D. Lohot

### Section 2 (Answer all question(s))

**Marks CO BL**

**Q11.** Explain bee pasturage and bee foraging.

2 1 1

Rubric	Marks
Briefly describe bee pasturage and bee foraging.	2

**Q12.** Write short note on Swarming and Bee language & communication.

2 1 1

Rubric	Marks
Write short note on the Swarming.	1
Write short note on the Bee Language and Communication.	1

**Q13. (a)** Describe the classification of bee species and its characters.

4 1 1

Rubric	Marks
Classify the bee species with their characters.	4

(OR)

**(b)** Describe the seasonal management of Apiculture .

Rubric	Marks
Explain the seasonal management in commercial beekeeping.	4

### Section 3 (Answer all question(s))

Marks CO BL

2 2 1

**Q14.** Enlist the mulberry verities with their scientific classification.

Rubric	Marks
Classify the mulberry verities with Scientific classification.	2

**Q15.** Summarize the biology of silkworm with suitable diagram.

2 2 2

Rubric	Marks
Describe the life cycle of silkworm with suitable diagram.	2

**Q16. (a)** How will you manage pests and diseases in beekeeping?

4 2 3

Rubric	Marks
Insect pest management in apiculture.	2
Disease management in apiculture.	2

(OR)

**(b)** Classify the silkworm species with its characters.

Rubric	Marks
Classification of Silkworm species.	2
Characters of silkworm species.	2

### Section 4 (Answer any 2 question(s))

Marks CO BL

4 3 2

**Q17.** Write short note on mounting, voltine, stifling and reeling.

Rubric	Marks
Write short note on the Mounting.	1
Write short note on the Voltine.	1
Write short note on the Stifling.	1
Write short note on the Reeling.	1

**Q18.** How will you manage the Insect pest and diseases in Sericulture.

4 3 3

Rubric	Marks
Management of Insect pest in Sericulture. 2 marks	4
Management of disease in Sericulture. 2 marks	

**Q19.** Describe the mulberry silkworm rearing equipment. Explain the disinfection methods in silk production.

4 3 1

Rubric	Marks
Describe the mulberry silkworm rearing equipment. 2 marks Explain the disinfection methods in silk production. 2 marks	4

**Section 5 (Answer all question(s))**

**Marks CO BL**

**Q20.** Classify the lac species with scientific classification.

2 4 1

Rubric	Marks
Scientific classification of lac species.	2

**Q21.** How will you identify the types of lac?

2 4 3

Rubric	Marks
Types of lac.	2

**Q22. (a)** Summarize the life cycle of lac.

4 4 1

Rubric	Marks
Life cycle/biology of lac with suitable diagram.	4

**(OR)**

**(b)** What do you understand by lac production? Explain in detail.

Rubric	Marks
Lac production, explain in detail.	4

**Section 6 (Answer any 2 question(s))**

**Marks CO BL**

**Q23.** Identify the Important species of pollinator, weed killers and scavengers with their importance.

4 5 1

Rubric	Marks
Important species of pollinators.	1
Important species of weed killers.	1
Important species of scavengers.	1
Major importance of pollinators, weed killers and scavengers.	1

**Q24.** Classify of major parasitoid and predators commonly being used in biological control.

4 5 1

Rubric	Marks
Classify of major parasitoid commonly being used in biological control.	2
Classify of major predators commonly being used in biological control.	2

Rubric	Marks
Production of Predators by Mass Multiplication Techniques in biological control.	2
Production of Parasitoid by Mass Multiplication Techniques in biological control	2

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