

# Model Answer of AV-9014

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R.T.-104: Diversity of Fauna-I

## Section - A

Q.1. Objective Type Questions:

- (i) All (ii) Lamarck (iii) Polyps (iv) Myonemes  
(v) Flame cells (vi) Monogenetic (vii) Annelids  
(viii) 19 pairs (ix) Giardia (x) Starfish

## Section - B

Q.2. Describe Modern system of Classification:

There are six kingdoms which includes all living species present in the Biosphere. Living beings are classified on the basis of following kingdom systems given by various scientists:

Kingdoms:

- Animalia → Study of animals
- Plantae → Study of plants
- Protista → Study of unicellular organisms
- Monera → Study of bacteria
- Fungi → Study of colourless & saprophytic organisms
- Archaeobacteria → Study of primitive bacteria
- Eubacteria → Study of true bacteria.

① Two kingdom system of Classification:

This system of classification was given by Linnaeus.

- ① Animalia
- ② Plantae

② Three kingdom system of classification:

It was given by Haeckel (1866).

- ① Animalia
- ② Plantae
- ③ Protista

③ Four kingdom system of classification:

This system of classification was given by Copeland (1956)

- ① Animalia
- ② Plantae
- ③ Protista
- ④ Monera

④ Five kingdom system of classification:

It was given by Whittaker (1961).

- ① Animalia
- ② Plantae
- ③ Protista
- ④ Monera
- ⑤ Fungi

⑤ Six kingdom system of classification:

This is latest classification which is given by Woese et al (1990). They divided the kingdom Monera into two kingdoms (i) Archaeobacteria (ii) Eubacteria

- ① Animalia
- ② Plantae
- ③ Protista
- ④ Fungi
- ⑤ Archaeobacteria
- ⑥ Eubacteria

Q. 3

## Structure of Amoeba

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Systematic Position - Phylum - Protozoa.

Class - Rhizopoda, Genus - Amoeba

Habits and Habitat - Widely distributed, found in fresh water on bottom mud and aquatic vegetation, found in abundance in water containing bacteria & organic matters

Amoeba has great power of regeneration

Culture of Amoeba - by "Hay infusion method"

Structure -

① Shape and size - Unicellular, microscopic, 250 to 600  $\mu$  in diameter, irregular, colourless & translucent, anterior end has pseudopodia while post. end Uroid (disappearing pseudopodia)

② Pseudopodia - Polypodial species, formed by liquefaction and flowing forward of the cytoplasm, they perform locomotion and food ingestion.

③ Plasma membrane - Thin, delicate, selectively permeable.

④ Cytoplasm - fluid, bounded by plasma membrane, contains several organelles, differentiated into two:

① Ectoplasm - peripheral, <sup>(less amount)</sup> thin, clear, transparent, forms hyaline cap at tip of pseudopodium

② Endoplasm - surrounded by ectoplasm, granular fluid, semitransparent, forms bulk of the animal.

- Outer endoplasm is gel (thick) and inner is sol

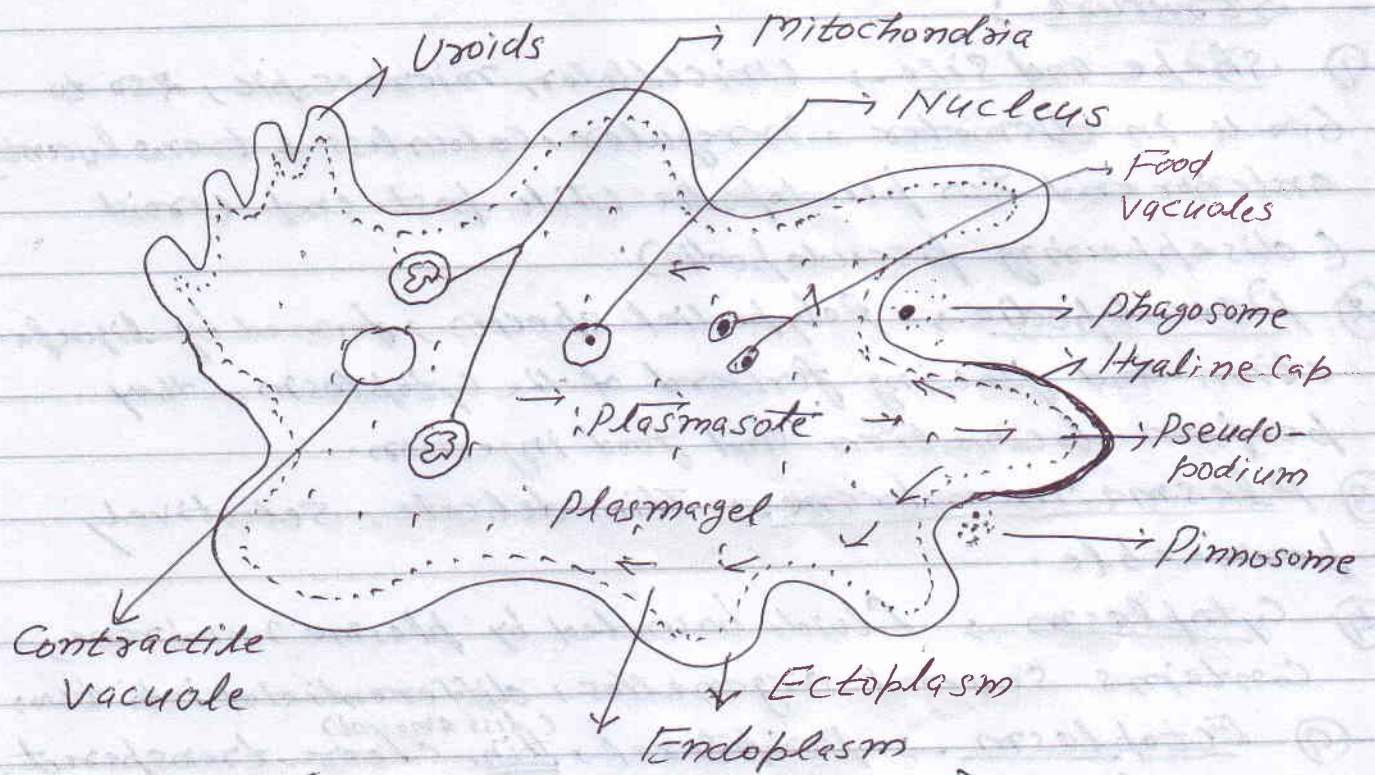
⑤ Cytoplasmic organelles - present in endoplasm <sup>(thin)</sup>

① Nucleus - single, large, flat and discoidal, granular and refractive to light, bounded by nuclear memb., nucleoplasm contains chromatin granules & nucleoli.

② Contractile vacuole - At post. end, pulsatile, filled with watery fluid, surrounded by feeder vacuoles and mitochondria, helps in osmoregulation & excretion.

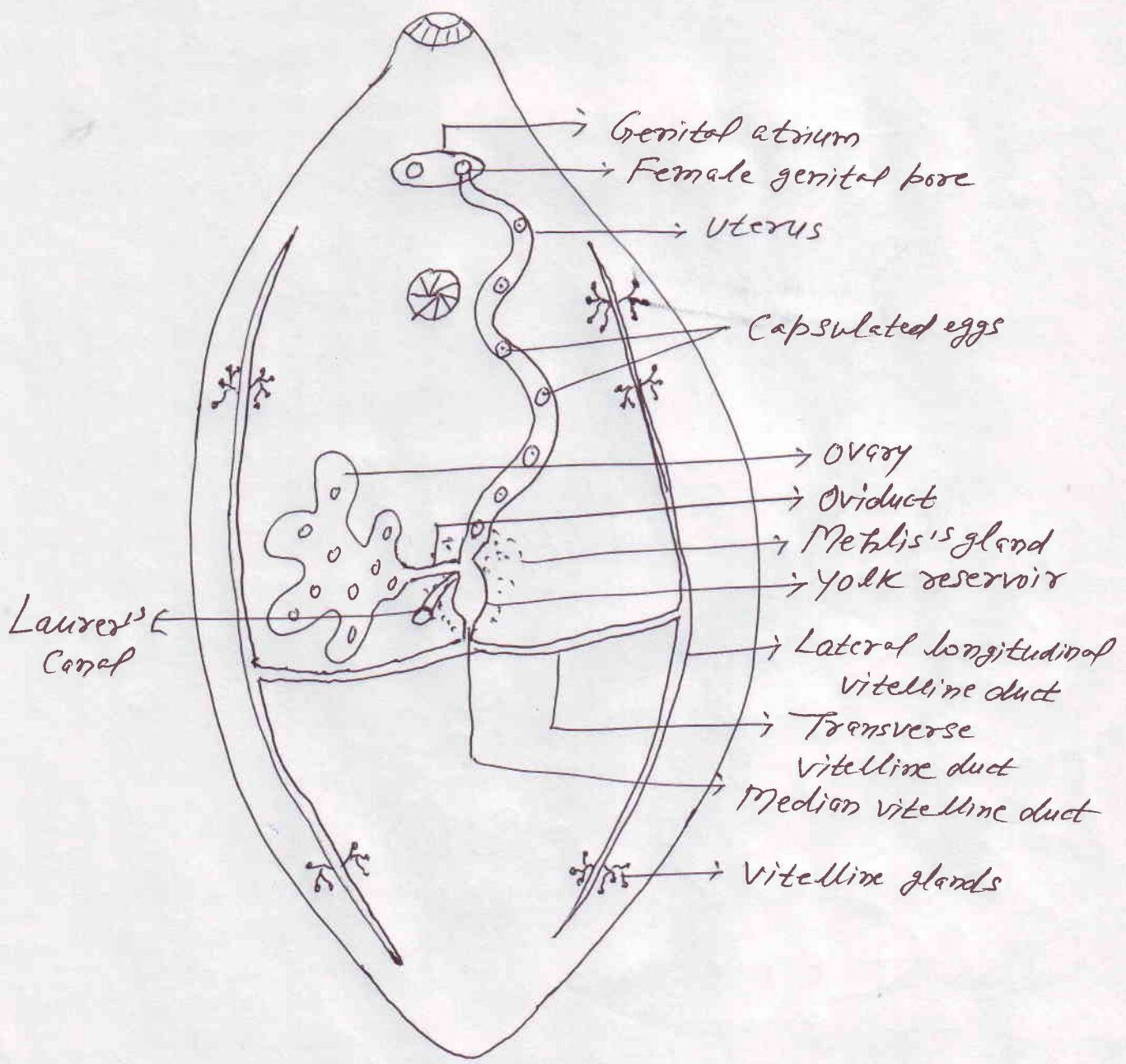
③ Food vacuoles - spherical, contain food materials where digestion takes place, ejected out with undigested food.

- ① Water globules → several, small, filled with watery & colourless fluid.
- ② Other organelles → Endoplasmic reticulum, ribosomes, Golgi bodies, mitochondria, lysosomes, microtubules, etc.



(Structure of Amoeba)

Q.4. Draw a labelled diagram of female reproductive system of Fasciola.



① Malaria →

- Causative agent → It is caused by Plasmodium which is a sporozoan. Most common species are P. vivax, P. falciparum, P. ovale and P. malariae.
- It causes malaria in humans and other animals
- Host → Primary host is man and secondary host is female anophelis mosquito. (Digenetic in nature).
- Mode of infection → When female anophelis bites the man then it releases sporozoites of Plasmodium into the blood which cause malaria.
- Symptoms → ① High fever and shivering  
② Headache ③ Pain in joints ④ Vomiting ⑤ Anaemia

- Prevention, Control and Treatment →

- ① Destruction of mosquitoes by using pesticides
- ② Destruction of breeding places
- ③ Use of mosquito net ④ Use of repellants
- ⑤ Use of anti-malaria drugs like Quinine.
- ⑥ Biological Control by Gambusia fish, etc.
- In India "National Malaria Control Programme" started in 1962.

② Amoebic dysentery →

- Causative agent → It is caused by Entamoeba histolytica which is a rhizopod. It is an endoparasite of large intestine of man. Children and youngs are very susceptible to it.
- Host → It is monogenetic. The host of it is man.
- Mode of infection → It is transmitted to man by contaminated food and water. Cystic form of Entamoeba is ingested which cause infection.
- Symptoms → ① Ulcers in intestinal wall  
② Blood and mucus in stool ③ Stomach & Enteritis  
④ Abscess in liver, brain, lungs, etc.

- Prevention, Control and Treatment → ① Proper sanitation  
 ② Purification of water ③ Washing of fruits & vegetable with potassium permanganate before use. ④ Use of drugs like Emetine, Metronidazole, Terramycin, Erythromycin, etc.

③ African Sleeping Sickness →

- Causative agent → It is caused by Trypanosoma gambiense which is a flagellate. It lives in blood & lymph glands.

- Host → It is digenetic. Primary host is man and secondary host is Tse-Tse fly (Glossina)

- Mode of infection → It is transmitted to the man by the bite of Tse-Tse fly. Saliva contains metacyclic form which is injected into the blood.

Symptoms → ① It causes local irritation

② Irregular recurrent fever ③ Loss of weight

④ Anaemia ⑤ Severe headache ⑥ Sleeplessness and then death following coma.

- Prevention, Control and treatment →

① Eradication of bushes ② Spray of insecticides

③ Injection of Suramin (may be controlled in initial stage).

④ Personal defense from Tse-Tse fly.

④ Leishmaniasis →

- Causative agent → It is caused by Leishmania donovani which is a flagellate. It is intracellular parasite of WBCs, liver and spleen.

- Host → It is digenetic. Primary host is man and secondary host is sand fly (Phlebotomus).

- Mode of infection → It is transmitted to the man by the bite of sand fly.

- Symptoms → ① High fever ② Anaemia ③ Darkening of skin

④ Swelling ⑤ Enlargement of spleen and liver

- Prevention, Control and Treatment →

① Eradication of bushes ② Periodic spray of insecticides

③ Killing of reservoir hosts (dogs) ④ Personal defense

⑤ Use of drugs like Sodium-antimony tartrate, Urea stibamine, Pentamidine isethionate, etc.

⑤ Diarrhoea →

- Causative agent → It is caused by Giardia intestinalis which is a flagellate parasite. It lives in small intestine

- Host → It is a monogenetic. The host is man.

- Mode of infection → It is transmitted to man through contaminated food and water containing cysts. Its infection is more in children.

- Symptoms → ① Loss of appetite ② Headache ③ Enteritis ④ Loose motions

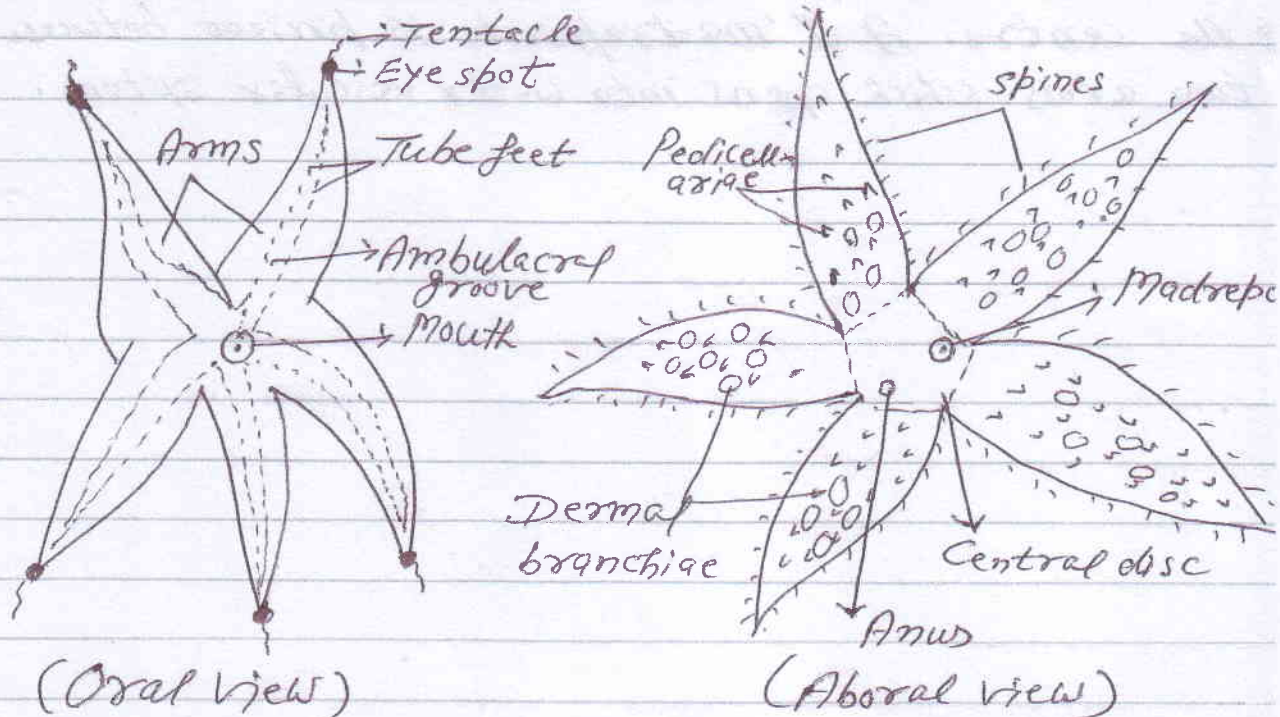
- Prevention, Control and Treatment →

- ① Proper sanitation
- ② Use of washed fruits & vegetables
- ③ Use of purified water
- ④ Use of drugs like Atebrin, Chloroquin, Caroquin, etc.



Classification → Phylum → Echinodermata

Class → Asterozoidea, Genus → Asterias



(Oral view)

(Aboral view)

- Habits and Habitat: - These are exclusively marine.
- These freely move on bottom by arms/Tube feet.
- These are carnivorous in nature.

- They show autotomy & have power of regeneration.
- They have pentamerous radial symmetry.

- Shape and Size, <sup>and Colour</sup>: It is star shaped and yellow, pink, orange, brown or purple in colour.

- Body Surface: Body is flat and has distinct oral and aboral surfaces.

① Oral surface → It is directed to the substrate. Central disc bears mouth. From each angle of the central disc an ambulacral groove arises which contains spines and tube feet which perform locomotion, respiratory and capturing of food.

- Tip of each arm bears a tentacle which is touch and smell receptor.

- At the base of tentacle, there is a bright red photosensitive receptor eye spot.

② Aboral surface → It is slightly convex dorsal surface. It contains spines, pedicellariae (for

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cleaning or protecting the body surface) and derma  
branchiae (for respiration). Anus is situated close  
to the centre. A madreporite is present between  
two arms which opens into water vascular system.

Q.7.

## Structure of Balanoglossus

- Classification: Phylum → Hemichordata

Class → Enteropneusta, Genus → Balanoglossus

(Acorn or Tongue worm)

- Habits and Habitat → It is marine and lives in 'U'  
shaped burrow in shallow water. It is moved by cilia.  
It feeds on sand or mud containing organic matter and  
micro-organisms. These are unisexual and live in separate  
tube. Regeneration is present.

- Structure → It consists of following organs:

① Shape and size → Body is worm like. It is 10-15 cm  
long. Body is without exoskeleton and appendages.

② Colouration → Body colour is bright redish or orange

③ Division of the body → Body is unsegmented but can be  
divisible into three segments:

① Proboscis → It is anterior most, short and conical. It  
bears buccal diverticulum. It is attached to the collar by  
proboscis stalk or neck.

② Collar → It is middle, short and cylindrical. Anterior  
end covers proboscis stalk

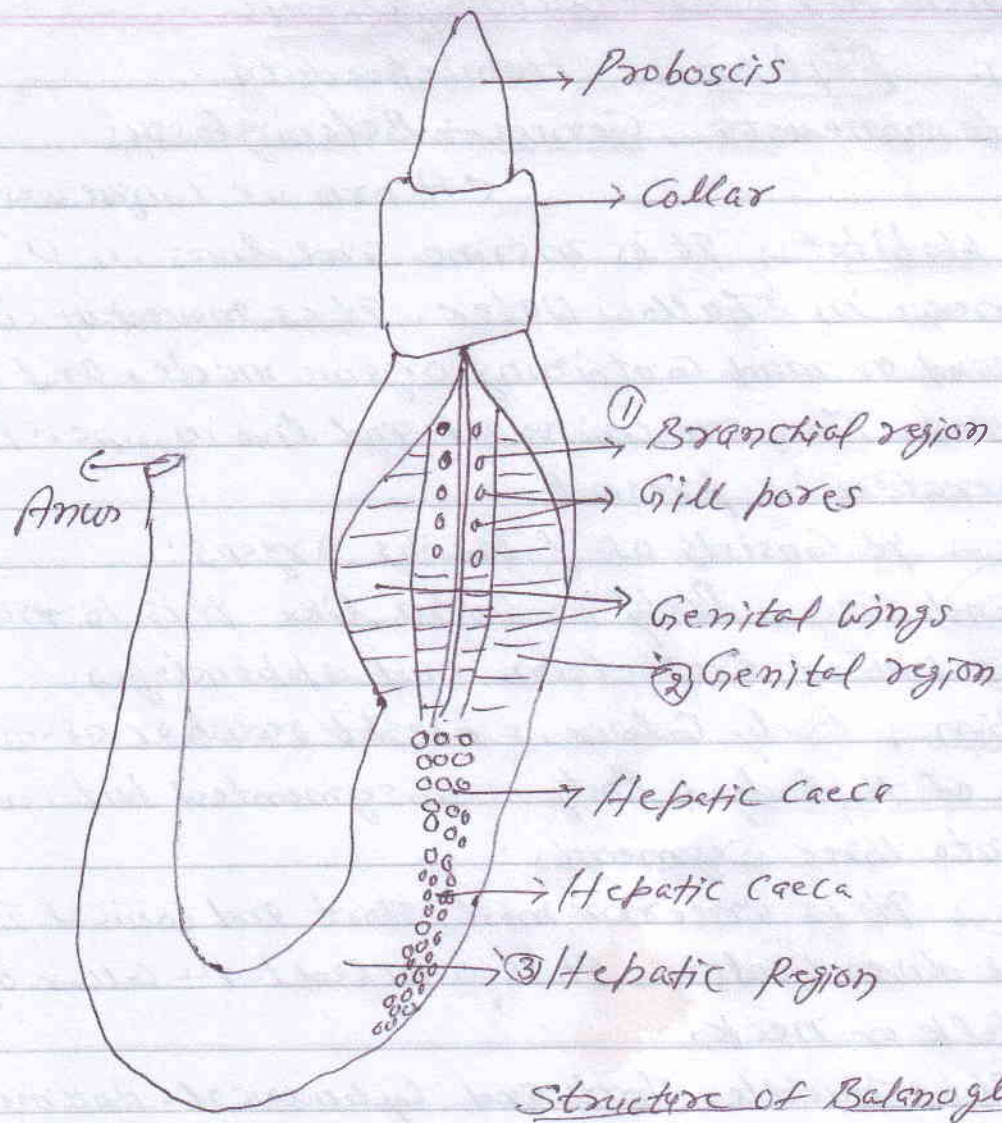
③ Trunk → It is largest posterior part. It is annulated.  
It is differentiated into three regions.

i) Branchial region → It bears two longitudinal rows of  
gill pores for respiration.

ii) Genital region → It is characterised by genital wings  
containing gonads which produce gametes.

- Both regions combinedly known as Branchio-genital region

iii) Hepatic region → It bears hepatic caeca. Posterior  
part of hepatic region or caudal region bears terminal  
region.



Structure of Balanoglossus

## Section - C

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### Long Answer type Questions:

Q. 8. Describe Corals and Coral reefs and also write their economic importance.

- Coral animals are marine, mostly colonial & polypoid Coelenterates which secrete calcareous skeleton known as Corals. Skeleton of solitary coral is known as Corallite which fused together to form corallum.

- Coral animals mainly belong to class Anthozoa and a few to the class Hydrozoa.

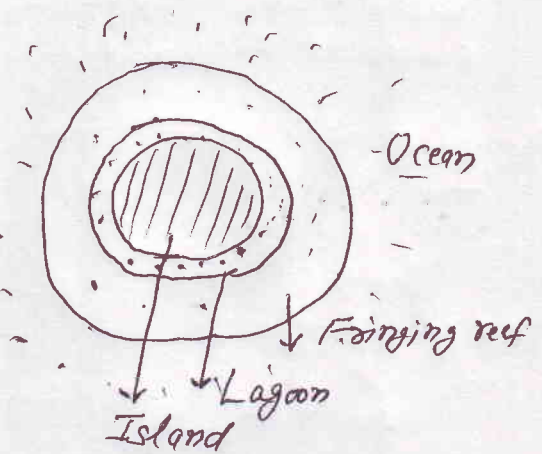
- Coral reefs: Coral colonies grow continuously and often form extensive masses known as coral reef.

Kinds of Coral reefs: These are three types based on

① Fringing Reef → Coral reef is

lying close to the volcanic island.

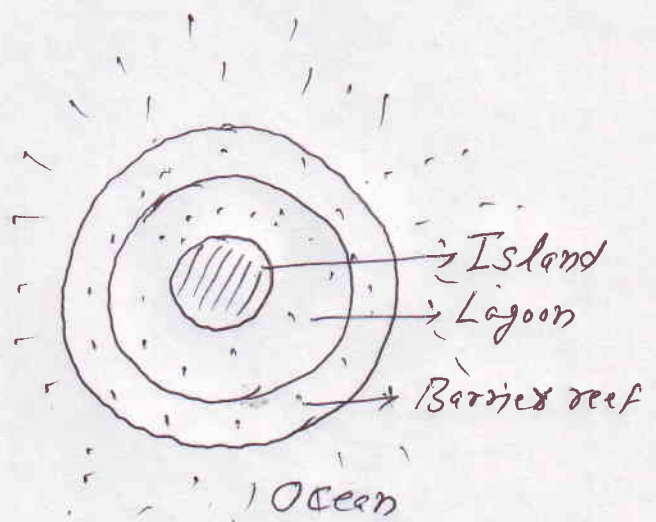
It may lie about a quarter mile away from the shore. Width of lagoon is about 50-100m. It is composed of coral sand, mud, dead and living coral colonies and other animals.



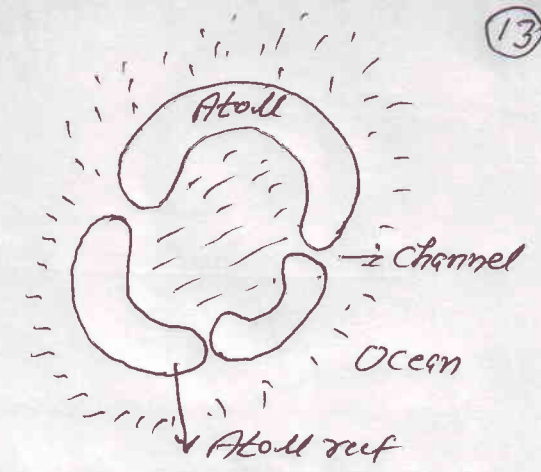
② Barrier Reef: It is like

fringing reef but is located some distance away from the shore. The width of lagoon may be half a mile to 10 miles.

The longest barrier reef is situated in Australia which is about 2500km long.



③ Atoll → It is ring like or horse-shoe shaped reef which encircles a lagoon but not an island. The lagoon varies from a few to about 90 km. across.



It is generally broken by a number of channels.  
 eg. Atoll of Bikine. It is famous for atomic and hydrogen bomb tests site.

- Economic importance of Coral reefs:

- ① These are favourable sites for the accumulation of petroleum deposits hence important for oil industry.
- ② Corals are used in curio trades.
- ③ These serve as habitats for many plants & animals.
- ④ Some are highly prized for their decorative value.
- ⑤ Corallium rubrum is a precious stone and treated as auspicious in China & India.
- ⑥ Few are used in some indigenous medicines in S. India.
- ⑦ These are used as building material.
- ⑧ These are used in the preparation of lime & cement.
- ⑨ These are used as natural barriers against sea erosion & cyclonic storms.
- ⑩ Reef fish varieties are more colourful than others.

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Q. 9. Write general characters of phylum Platyhelminthes and classify it.

General characters: - These are generally free living & Parasitic forms.

- Triploblastic - Organ level body organisation
- Unsegmented except cestoda & dorso-ventrally flattened
- Acoelomates - Hooks, spines & suckers are present
- Alimentary Canal is incomplete - Respiratory & Circulatory systems are absent - Excretion by lateral canals & flame cells - Nervous system is primitive - Sense organs are simple - These are hermaphrodite - fertilisation is internal and generally cross - Development is generally indirect - In life cycle, many larvae and hosts are present.
- Classification: It is divided into 03 classes:

Class-I Turbellaria: - Usually non-parasitic & free living.  
- Commonly called as planarians. - Body unsegmented and flattened - Epidermis contains Rhabdites - Suckers absent  
- Hermaphrodite - Asexual & sexual reproduction present  
- Development usually direct eg. Dugesia, Bipalium.

Class-II Trematoda: These are parasitic forms - Commonly known as flukes - Body is leaf like - Suckers and hooks are present - Alimentary Canal is incomplete - Generally hermaphrodite - Development indirect with many larvae and hosts. eg. Fasciola, Schistosoma

Class-III Cestoda: - These are endoparasites - Commonly known as tapeworms - Body is segmented & ribbon like  
- Scolex with suckers - Alimentary Canal & sense organs absent  
- Mature proglottids are monoecious - Life cycle with one or more intermediate hosts.

eg. Taenia, Echinococcus

# Structure of Pila

Q. 10.

Classification → Phylum → Mollusca

Class → Gastropoda, Genus → Pila

- Habits and Habitat → It is fresh water Apple snail
- It is herbivorous and amphibious in nature (Pulm. respiration by pulmonary sac and aquatic respiration by gill/ctenidium).

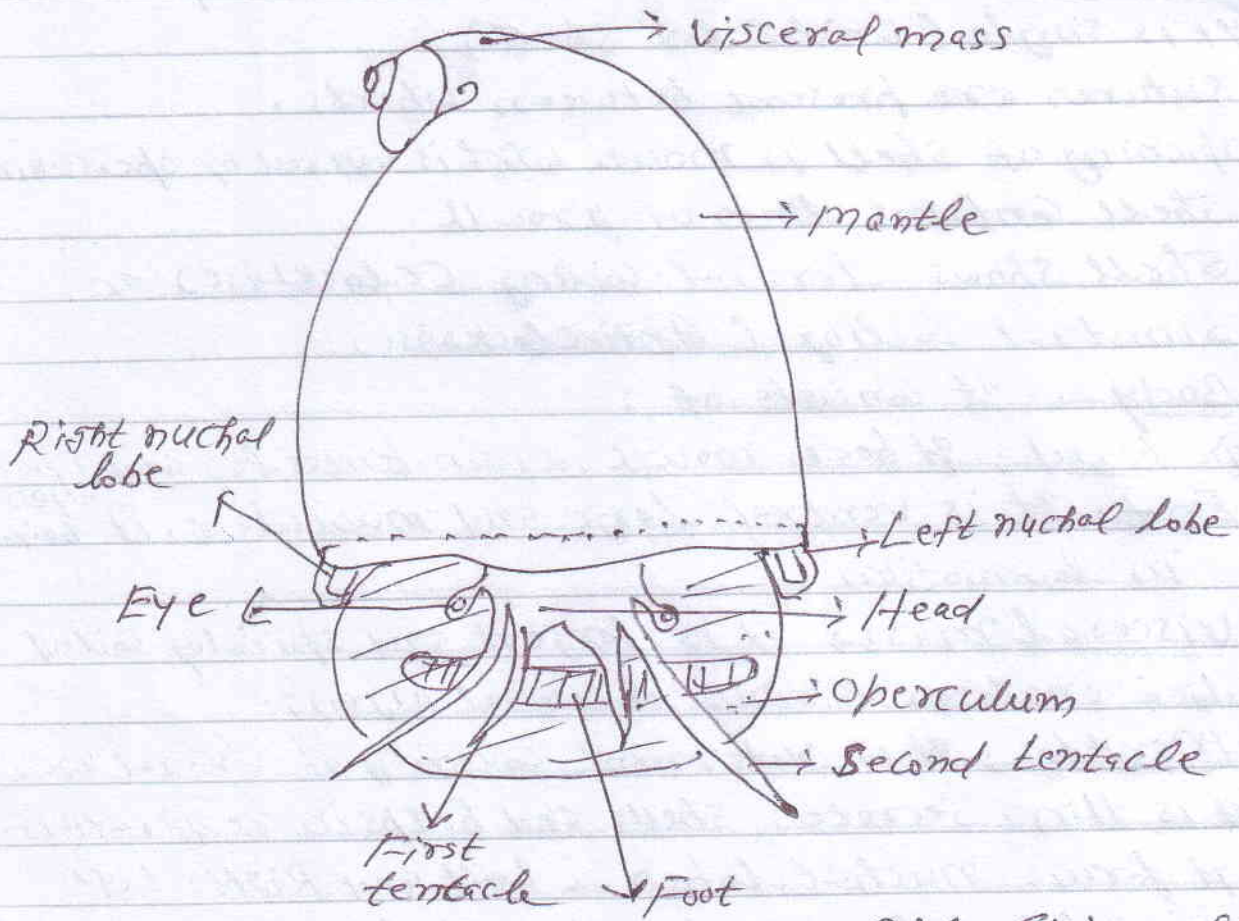
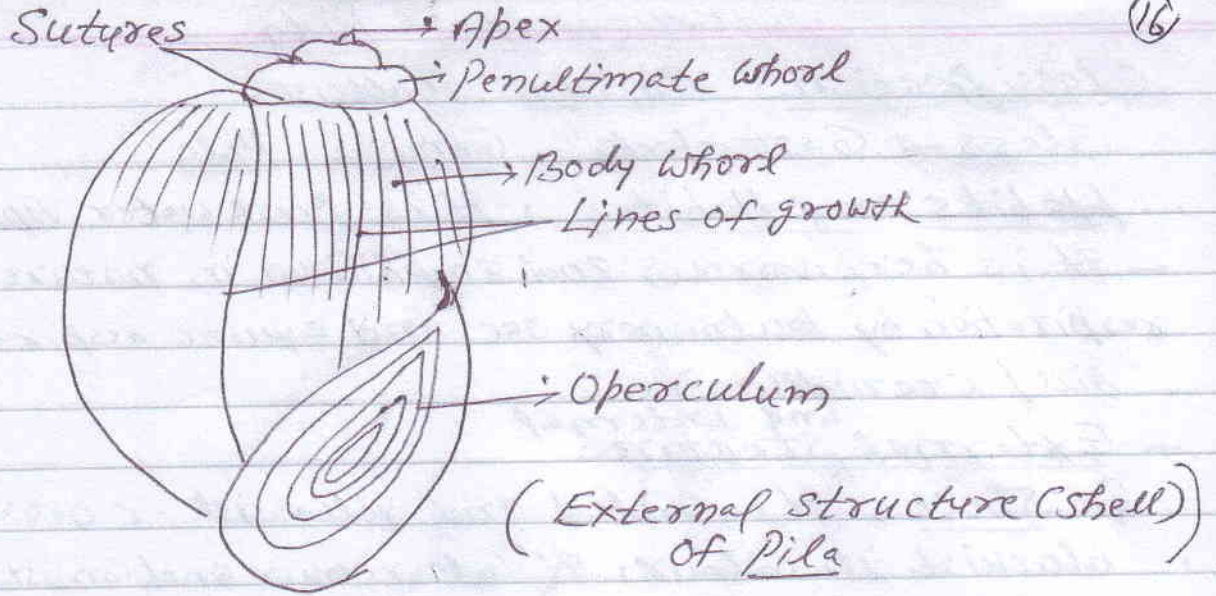
- External <sup>and Internal</sup> Structure →

① Shell → It is coiled and yellowish or brownish blackish in colour. It's calcareous and consists of whorls.

- Apex → smallest and oldest
- Penultimate whorl → Just after apex
- Body whorl → It is largest and encloses body.
- It is single (Unilocular shell)
- Sutures are present between whorls.
- Opening of shell is mouth which is covered by operculum
- Shell contains lines of growth
- Shell shows dextral coiling (clockwise) or sinistral coiling (Anti-clockwise)

② Body → It consists of :

- ① Head → It bears mouth, 2 pairs tentacles and 1 pair eyes.
- ② Foot → It is ventral, large and muscular. It helps in locomotion.
- ③ Visceral mass → It is largest and spirally coiled which encloses various internal organs.
- ④ Mantle → It is outermost covering of visceral mass. It is thin, secretes shells and helps in respiration.
  - It forms nuchal lobes → Left and Right. Left nuchal lobe forms respiratory siphon for aerial respiration when Pila is inside water.
- ⑤ Mantle cavity → It is enclosed by mantle. Epitaenia divides mantle cavity into right branchial chamber containing gill and left pulmonary chamber containing pulmonary sac & osphradium. Osphradium checks the water quality (chemoreceptor).



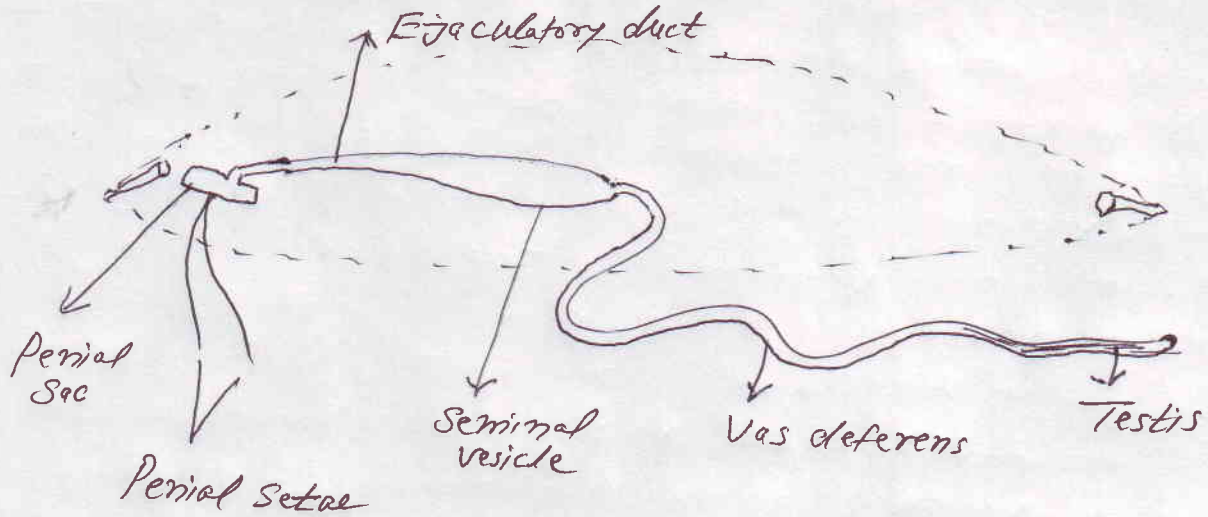
Internal structure of Pila (visceral mass) + mantle



Q. 11. Describe reproductive system of Ascaris.

- Ascaris is unisexual and sexual dimorphism is present.

① Male Reproductive system:



- It is confined to posterior end, having following organs:

- ① Testis → It is single (monorchic), long, thread like and highly twisted. It produces sperms by the process of spermatogenesis. Sperms are amoeboid.
- ② Vas deferens → It is short, thick and twisted tube like structure which conducts the sperms to seminal vesicle.
- ③ Seminal vesicle → It is much thicker and wider sac like structure. It is highly muscular. It stores the sperms. Seminal fluid provide the nutrition to the sperms and also activated them.
- ④ Ejaculatory duct: It is also tube like structure which conducts the sperms to Penial sac. It also contains a number of prostatic glands whose secretion helps in copulation.
- ⑤ Penial sac: There are one pair and store sperms.
- ⑥ Penial setae: There are two in number, each arises from a separate penial sac. These help in the transfer of sperms into vagina of female.

(B) Female Reproductive system:

- It is didelphic in nature (paired) and lie in the posterior region.

① Ovaries → There are one pair, long & thread like. These are highly twisted & blind. These produce ova by the process of oogenesis.

② Oviducts: These are thick, wide and twisted, which conduct the ova.

③ Uteri → These are much wider and thicker which store fertilized eggs.

④ Vagina & Gonopore: Two uteri unite to form a muscular vagina which opens outside through female gonopore.

