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December, 2017

RLSE-113 : INSECT PEST MANAGEMENT

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Explain as to why insect pests are successful. 20
- Describe any two stored grain pests and one 2. forest pest and discuss the damage caused by each one of them. 10+10=20
- 3. Discuss the quantitative basis of pest management with reference to population estimates.
- With the help of suitable examples, explain 4. the concept of bio-pesticides in pest management. 2+18=20

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- 5. Discuss the various methods of genetic control in pest management. 20
- 6. Describe the social, environmental and economic constraints of integrated pest management tactics.
- **7.** Write short notes on the following : $2 \times 10 = 20$
 - (a) Remote Sensing in Pest Management
 - (b) Insect Growth Regulators (IGRs)
 - (c) Legislation to Prevent the Introduction of Foreign Pests
 - (d) Strategies of IPM

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