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The Land Crab Review Classwork

Section A. Multiple Choice.

Instructions: Answer the following questions by either circling or shading the letter next to the correct answer.

1. What is the scientific name for the land crab?
 - (a) strombus gigas
 - (b) cardisoma guanhumi
 - (c) epenephilus striatus
 - (d) striatus bombas

2. How do we determine the gender of the land crab?
 - (a) by the shape of the apron
 - (b) by the size of the carapace
 - (c) by the mouthparts
 - (d) by the length of their claw

3. The hard outer shell of the crab is known as the:
 - (a) carapace
 - (b) abdomen
 - (c) eyestalk
 - (d) setae

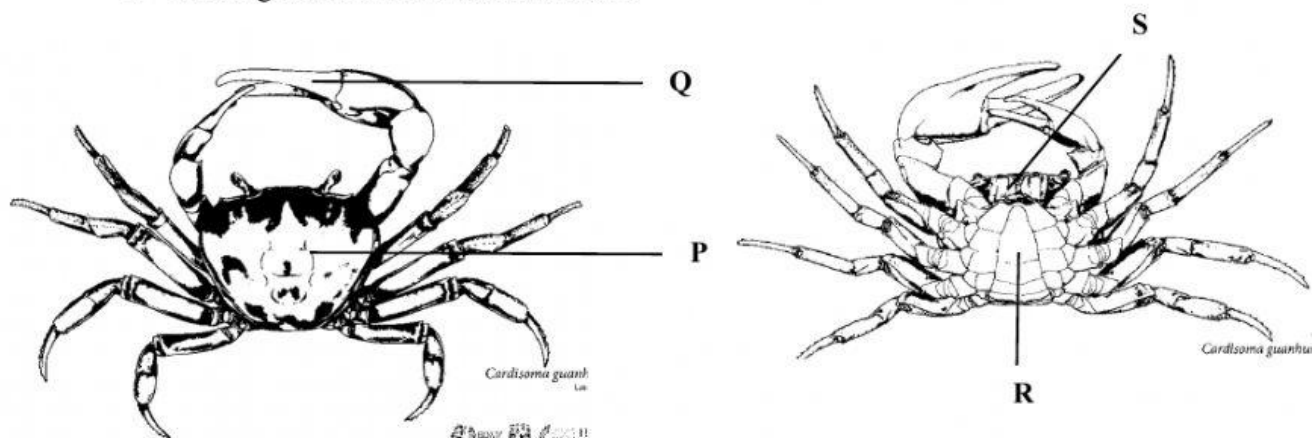
4. Which group of arthropods does the crab belong to?
 - (a) insects
 - (b) crustaceans
 - (c) myriapods
 - (d) arachnids

5. Which months do the land crabs spawn?
 - (a) June - July
 - (b) June – November
 - (c) January – December
 - (d) December - January

Section B. Short Answer

Instructions: Answer all questions below.

1. The diagram below shows the land crab



a) Name the structures labelled:

- P _____
- Q _____
- R _____
- S _____

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b) Give two other names for the land crab

- I. _____
- II. _____

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c) Give one reason why the land crab is important to the Bahamas

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