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### The Land Crab quiz

#### Section A. Multiple Choice.

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

1. What is the scientific name for the Land crab?
  - a) Callinectes sapidus
  - b) Cardisoma gunahumi
  - c) Strombus gigas
2. Which group of arthropods does the crab belong to?
  - a) Insects
  - b) Crustaceans
  - c) Myriapods
3. How many legs does the crab have?
  - a) 10
  - b) 12
  - c) 8
4. What is the outer shell of the crab called?
  - a) Cephalothorax
  - b) Cheliped
  - c) Carapace
5. At what stage in the life cycle of the crab does it begin to develop legs, big eyes, and a long abdomen?
  - a) Megalopa
  - b) Zoea
  - c) Juvenile

#### Section B. Short Answer

Instructions: Answer all questions below.

1. Give two other names for the land crab

- I. \_\_\_\_\_
- II. \_\_\_\_\_ [2]
2. What is the purpose of the exoskeleton?
- \_\_\_\_\_ [1]
3. Name two predators of the crab
- I. \_\_\_\_\_
- II. \_\_\_\_\_ [2]

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