B.Sc. Biotech Part II Examination, 2016

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(Biochemistry II)

Time: 3 Hours **Maximum Marks: 50** Note: Question 1 is compulsory, Attempt five questions in all, selecting at least one question from each section. Q1. Answer the following in one word or one two lines: (i) What is end product of glycolytic pathway? (ii) What is the site of oxidation of fatty acid? (iii) The atoms of pyrimidine ring are derived from which three components? (iv) What is urea cycle disorder? (v) What is Transamination? (vi) What do you understand by gluconeogenesis? (vii) Where does glycolysis take place in a cell? (viii) Define Metabolism? (ix) Which sugar is present in DNA? (x) where is glycogen found in body? Section A Q2. Write short note on: a) catabolism & Anabolism b) Basics of Fermentation Q3. Write a detailed account on Pentose phosphate pathway?

Section B

- Q4. Describe the oxidation of saturated fatty acids?
- Q5. Presence of cholesterol in blood is an "essential evil". Describe the structure and different stages of biosynthesis process of cholesterol?

Section C

- Q6. Write a short note on:
- a). Photosystems
- b). Different types of chlorophyll pigment
- Q7. What is nitrogen excretion? Write a detailed account on urea cycle?

Section D

- Q8. What is difference between denovo and salvage pathway? Describe the biosynthesis of purine nucleotide in detail?
- Q9. Write a short note on:
- a). phosphorus Cycle
- b). Importance of nucleic acid

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- Q1. Answer the following in two lines:
 - i) Write difference between glycolysis and Gluconeogenesis?
 - ii) What is the site of biosynthesis of membrane phospholipids?
 - iii) Why the photorespiration term as C3 cycle?
 - iv) What is nitrogen excretion?
 - v) Define the salvage pathway?

Section A

- Q2. Write short notes on:
 - I) Redox potential
 - II) Exothermic and endothermic reaction
- Q3. What is carbohydrate metabolism? Describe the citric acid cycle in detail?

Section B

- Q4. Define the role of lipid metabolism in human body? Explain biosynthesis of triacylglycerols in detail?
- Q5. Write short notes on:
 - I) Membrane phospholipids
 - II) Biosynthesis of steroids

Section C

- Q6. Describe the anatomy of C3, C4 and Cam plants? Describe the Calvin Benson cycle in detail?
- Q7. Write short notes on:
 - i) Metabolic Fate of amino group
 - ii) Decarboxylation & oxidative degradation of amino acid

Section D

Q. 8 Define different pyrimidines in DNA with their structure and also explain their biosynthesis by de novo pathway?

Q9. Write an essay on phosphorus and sulphur regulation?