

Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) Semester—III (C.B.S.) Examination

BIOTECHNOLOGY (Metabolism)

Paper—I

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 50

Note :— (1) **ALL** questions are compulsory and carry equal marks.

(2) Draw structures and diagrams wherever necessary.

1. Describe glycolysis in detail. 10

OR

Write notes on :

- (a) Regulation of glycolysis 5
(b) Gluconeogenesis. 5
2. Describe electron transport chain in detail. 10

OR

- (a) Describe the structure of mitochondria. 5
(b) Explain the regulation of TCA cycle. 5
3. Describe in detail the β -oxidation of a saturated fatty acid. 10

OR

- (a) Describe the synthesis of unsaturated fatty acids. 5
(b) Describe Ketoacidosis. 5
4. Describe in detail the pathways of pyrimidine biosynthesis. 10

OR

Write notes on :

- (a) Transmethylation 2½
(b) Deamination 2½
(c) Disorders of urea cycle 2½
(d) Decarboxylation. 2½

5. Solve any **ten** of the following :

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| (i) What is the difference between hexokinase and glucokinase ? | 1 |
| (ii) Name one high energy compound other than ATP. | 1 |
| (iii) What is meant by redox potential ? | 1 |
| (iv) Why TCA cycle is amphibolic in nature ? | 1 |
| (v) What is meant by oxidative phosphorylation ? | 1 |
| (vi) What are cytochromes ? | 1 |
| (vii) Name two ketone bodies. | 1 |
| (viii) What is meant by omega oxidation ? | 1 |
| (ix) Name the components of fatty acid synthetase complex. | 1 |
| (x) Name any one disorder of urea cycle. | 1 |
| (xi) Give the linkage point of urea cycle and TCA cycle. | 1 |
| (xii) What is meant by salvage pathway ? | 1 |