

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.

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OR

Write notes on :

(a) Regulation of glycolysis

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(b) Gluconeogenesis.

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2. Describe electron transport chain in detail.

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OR

(a) Describe the structure of mitochondria.

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(b) Explain the regulation of TCA cycle.

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3. Describe in detail the β -oxidation of a saturated fatty acid.

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OR

(a) Describe the synthesis of unsaturated fatty acids.

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(b) Describe Ketoacidosis.

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4. Describe in detail the pathways of pyrimidine biosynthesis.

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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 :

- (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