

Sixth Semester B. Sc Examination

BIOCHEMISTRY

Paper – I

(Metabolism – II)

Time : Three Hours]

[Max. Marks : 50]

N. B. : All questions are compulsory and carry equal marks.

1. Describe in detail, the activation, entry and β -oxidation of palmitic acid in mitochondria. 10

OR

(a) Name the products of oxidative phase of HMP pathway and how are they formed. 5
 (b) Describe the β -oxidation of odd carbon fatty acid. 5

2. Write notes on :—

(a) Fatty acid synthase complex. 5
 (b) Biosynthesis of Triglycerides. 5

OR

(c) Transport of AcetylCoA from mitochondria into the cytoplasm. 5
 (d) Mitochondrial fatty acid chain elongation. 5

3. Describe in detail Urea Cycle. 10

OR

Write notes on :—

(a) Transamination. 5
 (b) Decarboxylation. 5

4. Describe the De novo pathway of Biosynthesis of pyrimidine nucleotides. 10

OR

Write notes on :—

(a) Conversion of ribonucleotide to deoxyribonucleotide. 5
 (b) Salvage pathway of pyrimidine nucleotides. 5

5. Answer any Ten :—

(i) How many ATPs will be formed when stearic acid is completely oxidized ? 1
 (ii) Name the enzymes catalyzing the reactions of non-oxidative phase of HMP shunt. 1
 (iii) How many ATPs will be formed on oxidation of linoleic acid ? 1
 (iv) Name one enzyme required for synthesis of unsaturated fatty acid. 1
 (v) Name two ketone bodies. 1
 (vi) Write the structure of phosphatidyl ethanolamine. 1
 (vii) Name two glycogenic amino acids. 1
 (viii) Name two disorders of Urea cycle. 1
 (ix) Name the compound which is common to Urea cycle and TCA cycle. 1
 (x) Name the product of purine nucleotide catabolism. 1
 (xi) What is the main difference between de Novo biosynthesis of purine nucleotides and pyrimidine nucleotides ? 1
 (xii) Name one cyclic nucleotide other than cAMP. 1