

**PGIIS-N 1560 B - 15**  
**M.Sc. IIIrd Semester (CBCS) Degree Examination**  
**Biochemistry**  
**(Clinical Biochemistry & Nutrition)**  
**Paper - HCT 3.1**  
**(New)**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

**Instructions to Candidates**Answer Question No. 1 and any **four** of the remaining.

1. Answer the following: (10×2=20)
- a) What are platelets? Give their functions.
  - b) How is the erythrocyte sedimentation rate determined? Give its significance.
  - c) What is the difference between standard and maximum urea clearance? What is its Significance?
  - d) What is diabetic ketoacidosis?
  - e) Distinguish between hypo and hyper acidity. How it can be managed?
  - f) What is meant by proximate analysis? Give its significance.
  - g) What is malnutrition?
  - h) How are dietary proteins classified?
  - i) What are anti-vitamins? Give examples.
  - j) What is Lesch-Nyhan syndrome?
2. a) Enumerate the liver function tests and discuss their significance. (5+5+5+=15)
- b) Discuss human hereditary disorders of coagulation.
  - c) Discuss the composition of CSF in normal healthy and diseased individual.

3. a) Explain clinical manifestation of jaundice. (5+5+5+=15)
- b) Discuss different inborn errors of amino acid metabolism.
- c) What is atherosclerosis? Explain causes and prevention of atherosclerosis.
4. a) Discuss the clinical significance of the following enzymes. (6+4+5+=15)
1. SGOT & SGPT      2. LDH & CPK
- b) What is gastric ulcer? Explain its causes and treatment.
- c) What is Gout? Discuss its causes and clinical symptoms.
5. a) Discuss the factors influencing water balance. Give the importance of increased fluid intake. (5+5+5+=15)
- b) What are essential fatty acids? Give their health benefits.
- c) What is kwashiorkor? Discuss its causes and prevention.
6. a) Explain the following in health promotion and disease prevention. (9+6=15)
1. Iron and Iodine    2. Vitamin C and E
- b) Give the importance of inclusion of minerals in food formulation.
7. Write short notes on any **three** of the following : (3×5=15)
- a) Plasma proteins
- b) Dialysis
- c) Glycogen storage diseases
- d) ORS
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Biochemistry

(Immunology)

Paper - HCT : 3.2

(New)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

**Instructions to Candidates :**Answer Question No. 1 and any **four** of the remaining.

1. Answer the following: (10×2=20)
- a) What is affinity maturation?
  - b) Write the principle of RIA.
  - c) Differentiate between TCR and B-cell receptor.
  - d) What are adjuvants? Give examples.
  - e) Differentiate between allotypic and idiotypic variations.
  - f) Give the Gell and Coombs classification of hypersensitive reactions.
  - g) How innate immunity differs from adaptive immunity?
  - h) What are incomplete antibodies?
  - i) Compare and contrast active and passive Immunization.
  - j) What is Autoimmunity? Give examples.
2. a) Describe the structural organization and functions of spleen. (7+8=15)
- b) What is compliment system? Discuss its activation by any two methods.

3. a) What is antigen processing? Explain the processing and presentation of endogenous antigens. (7+8=15)
- b) Give the principle and applications of oiotin avidin assay.
4. a) Give the general structure of antibody emphasizing the hypervariable region.(7+8=15)
- b) What is MHC? Explain the structure and functions of class II MHC.
5. a) Discuss the role of Macrophages, NK, and dendritic cells in innate immunity.(7+8=15)
- b) Describe the organization of Ig genes.
6. a) How are monoclonal antibodies produced? Give their applications. (7+8=15)
- b) Discuss the molecular events associated with the maturation of B-cells.
7. Write notes on any **three** of the following : (3×5=15)
- a) Vaccines.
- b) Blood group antigens.
- c) Cytokines.
- d) Organ transplantation.
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**PGIIS-O 1561-A B-15**  
**M.Sc. IIIrd Semester (Non-CBCS) Degree Examination**  
**Biochemistry**  
**(Metabolism-II)**  
**Paper - 3.2**  
**(Old)**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

**Instructions to Candidates:**Answer question No.1 and any **Four** of the remaining.

Answer the following:

**(10×2=20)**

1.
  - a) What are ketogenic and glycogenic amino acids?
  - b) What are non-essential amino acids? Give an example.
  - c) What are C4 family amino acids? Give an example.
  - d) What is enzyme multiplicity?
  - e) List the disorders of Urea cycle.
  - f) Every metabolic pathway has a final committed step, why?
  - g) Give the role of Xanthine-oxidase enzyme.
  - h) Give the structure and function of Indole-3-acetic acid
  - i) What is Lesch-Nyhan syndrome?
  - j) What is Gout? Give its symptoms.
2.
  - a) Explain the role of glutathione in the absorption of amino acids. **(6+6+3=15)**
  - b) Discuss the role of PLP in transamination reaction.
  - c) How does deamination differ from transamination?
3.
  - a) What are C3 family of amino acids? Give their structure and roles. **(6+9=15)**
  - b) Discuss the degradation of methionine and associated disorder.

4. a) Discuss the reactions of urea cycle and its regulation. (9+6=15)  
b) How are these transformations brought about?  
i) Proline to alpha-ketoglutarate  
ii) Prephenate to phenylalanine
5. a) Give an account on heme biosynthesis and degradation. (9+6=15)  
b) Write the biosynthesis of epinephrine and nor epinephrine.
6. a) write the de-novo synthesis of pyrimidine nucleotides. (3×5=15)  
b) Discuss the regulation of biosynthesis of purines.  
c) Give an account on the regulation of deoxyribonucleotide biosynthesis.
7. Write a note on any **Three** of following. (3×5=15)  
a) Antifolic drugs.  
b) Polyamine biosynthesis.  
c) Inborn errors of amino acid metabolism.  
d) creatine and creatinine metabolism.
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**M.Sc. IIIrd Semester (Non-CBCS) Degree Examination**  
**Biochemistry**  
**(Clinical Biochemistry & Hormones)**  
**Paper - 3.3**  
**(Old)**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

**Instructions to Candidates:**

Answer question No.1, Any Four of the remaining.

Answer the following :

(10×2=20)

1.
  - a) What is ESR?
  - b) Define Pheromones and give examples.
  - c) What is ketosis? Give its clinical significance.
  - d) Distinguish between Total and differential count.
  - e) What are gall stones?
  - f) What is hyper cholesterolemia?
  - g) What is nephritis?
  - h) Define hormones.
  - i) What is diabetes?
  - j) Give the functions of parathyroid hormones.
2.
  - a) Explain the liver function tests and their significance in diagnosis. (3×5=15)
  - b) Describe the blood grouping system and Rh factors.
  - c) List out the normal and abnormal constituents of urine and their clinical significance.

3. a) Mention the composition of blood and explain their functional importance. (3×5=15)  
b) Describe the Glucose tolerance tests.  
c) Describe the mechanism of electrolyte and acid base balance. .
4. a) Discuss the major plasma protein and its functions. (3×5=15)  
b) Discuss the role of insulin & glucagon in regulation of blood glucose level.  
c) Describe hereditary fructosuria and lactose intolerance.
5. a) What is renal clearance tests? How is it performed? (3×5=15)  
b) Explain the molecular mechanism of GOUT. How it can be treated?  
c) Describe the mechanism of blood clotting.
6. a) How is the detoxification efficiency of liver determined? (3×5=15)  
b) Describe the biological role of vasopressin and oxytocin.  
c) What is hypo and hyperacidity? What are its causes and clinical significance?
7. Write a note on any **Three** of following. (3×5=15)  
a) Clinical significance of SGPT.  
b) Classification of hormones.  
c) Malabsorption syndrome.  
d) Kidney stones.
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M.Sc. IIIrd Semester (Non - CBCS) Degree Examination

Biochemistry

(Metabolism - I)

Paper - 3.1

(Old)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

*Instructions to Candidates :*

Answer Question No. 1 and any four of the remaining.

1. Answer the following: (10×2=20)

- a) Define the terms autotrophs and heterotrophs.
- b) How does a cell extract energy and reducing power from its environment?
- c) What are high energy compounds? Give two examples.
- d) What are acyl carrier proteins? Mention their importance.
- e) Why TCA cycle is called amphibolic pathway?
- f) What is  $\beta$ -oxidation?
- g) Define free energy of a reaction?
- h) Give the stoichiometry of glycolysis.
- i) What is galactosemia?
- j) Define gluconeogenesis?

2. a) Discuss the event of glycolysis and its regulation. (7+8=15)

- b) Discuss the catabolism of different hexoses and disaccharides.

3. a) Discuss the breakdown of glycogen and starch. (8+7=15)  
b) Describe the pentose phosphate pathway and mention its significance.
4. a) Outline the reactions of glyoxylate pathway. Give its importance. (8+7=15)  
b) Give an account of Cori Cycle.
5. a) Discuss substrate level phosphorylation. Mention their importance. (7+8=15)  
b) Discuss the biosynthesis of palmitic acid.
6. a) Elaborate the hormonal regulation of carbohydrate metabolism. (7+8=15)  
b) Discuss cyclic and non-cyclic photophosphorylation reactions.
7. Write a note on any **three** of the following : (3×5=15)  
a) Glycogen storage diseases.  
b) Prostaglandins.  
c) PDH complex.  
d) Electron transport chain.
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M.Sc. IIIrd Semester (CBCS) Degree Examination  
Biochemistry  
(Fundamentals of Enzymology)  
Paper - OET 3.1

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

**Instructions to Candidates:**Answer question No.1 and any **Four** of the remaining.

Answer the following:

(10×2=20)

1.
  - a) Differentiate between isolation and purification of enzyme?
  - b) What are general characteristics of enzyme?
  - c) Mention the cozymic function of biotin
  - d) What are the advantages of multi enzyme complexes?
  - e) Mention any two applications of plant proteases
  - f) What is acid catalysis?
  - g) What is the effect of pH on the enzyme catalyzed reactions?
  - h) How is enzyme activity controlled by reversible modification?
  - i) What are metalloenzymes? Give examples
  - j) What are multifunctional enzymes? Give examples.
2.
  - a) What are  $K_m$  and  $V_{max}$ ? What is the effect of competitive and non-competitive? Inhibitors on them? (6+6+3=15)
  - b) Give an account of criteria of purity of enzymes.
  - c) How are enzymes classified? Give example for each class.

3. a) Discuss with suitable example the covalent catalysis involved in enzyme catalysis. (7+8=15)
- b) What is meant by an active site of an enzyme? Explain any two methods used for the identification
4. a) Discuss the mechanism of action of ribonuclease. (7+8=15)
- b) Derive the Michaelis Menten equation for single substrate enzyme catalyzed reaction.
5. a) Discuss the regulation of enzyme activity by reversible covalent modification. With suitable example. (8+7=15)
- b) Give an account of assay of enzyme activity by spectrophotometry.
6. a) Discuss different enzyme immobilization methods. (7+8=15)
- b) Explain the action and regulation of activity of pyruvate dehydrogenase complex.
7. Write a note on any **Three** of following. (3×5=15)
- a) LDH
- b) Application of enzymes.
- c) Purification of enzymes.
- d) ATCase.
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