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M.Sc. (Applied Chemistry/Pharmaceutical) Second Semester
Paper-202: Bioorganic Chemistry

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting one question from each Unit.

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I. Attempt the following:-

- What are lectins?
- State criteria of protein purification.
- Differentiate native B-DNA and Z-DNA.
- What are uncouplers of oxidative phosphorylation & how do they act?
- Define zymogens, isozymes and co-enzymes.
- State function of any three co-enzymes.
- State characteristics of genetic code.
- What are vectors? Name one to insert about 300-kb of DNA. (8x1½)

UNIT - I

- II. a) Write notes on mucopolysaccharides and blood group substances.
- b) Draw structural formulae and name one compound from each of the following lipids:
phosphoglyceride, plasmalogen, cerebroside, ganglioside, triacylglycerol and sphingomyelin. (6,6)
- III. a) Write a note on lipoproteins and glycoproteins.
- b) What are porphyrins? State their biological significance. (8,4)

UNIT - II

- IV. a) Write structure of B-DNA. Show effect of temperature on it.
- b) State significance of glyoxylate and HMP pathways.
- c) Write only redox reactions of Krebs's cycle. (4,4,4)
- V. a) Differentiate fatty acid biosynthesis and beta-oxidation.
- b) Write transamination and oxidative deamination of amino acids.
- c) Draw in sequence components of electron transport chain. (4,4,4)

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UNIT - III

- VI. a) Classify enzymes with examples.
 b) Discuss structure and function of NAD, FAD & thiamine pyrophosphate. (6,6)
- VII. Derive Michaelis-Menten equation. How are K_m and V_{max} determined? What are various types of inhibitors? Also define allosteric enzymes with one example. (12)

UNIT - IV

- VIII. Write DNA replication and polymerase chain reaction. (12)
- IX. Describe mechanisms of transport across cell membranes. (12)

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