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M.Sc. (Applied Chemistry/Pharmaceutical) Second Semester
Paper – 202: Bio-Organic Chemistry

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. 1 which is compulsory and selecting one question from each Unit.

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1. (a) Explain plasmalogens.
- (b) Distinguish between gangosides and cerebroside.
- (c) What is the effect of UV radiations on DNA?
- (d) Describe oxidative-phosphorylation.
- (e) Define zymogens.
- (f) Depict the function of tetrahydrofolic acid conjugates.
- (g) What do you understand by plasmids?
- (h) Explain polymerase chain reaction.

(8 × 1.5)

UNIT-I

2. (a) Write a short note on bacterial polysaccharides, cardiolipids and metalloproteins.
- (b) Discuss the structure of porphyrins and their importance in biological systems. (6, 6)
3. (a) Depict the forces maintaining secondary and tertiary structure of proteins.
- (b) Illustrate the structure and functions of lectins. (6, 6)

UNIT-II

4. (a) Diagrammatically represent the tricarboxylic acid cycle (Krebs cycle) with specific enzyme-coenzyme combinations.
- (b) Discuss the uncouplers of oxidative phosphorylation. (8, 4)
5. (a) Give a brief account of B-DNA and Z-DNA structure.
- (b) Elaborate the mechanism of ATP synthesis.
- (c) Explain glyconeogenesis. (5, 5, 2)

UNIT-III

6. (a) Elaborate the structure and function of following coenzymes:
 - (i) NAD & NADP
 - (ii) Thiamine pyrophosphate
- (b) With suitable examples, discuss the enzyme based biosensors. (6, 6)
7. Explain the followings:
 - (i) Significance of K_m & V_{max} of enzymes
 - (ii) Competitive and non-competitive enzyme inhibition
 - (iii) Characteristics of immobilized enzymes (4, 4, 4)

(2)

UNIT-IV

8. Describe the followings:

- (i) Recombinant DNA technology and genetic engineering
- (ii) Operon concept and membranes channels

(6, 6)

9. (a) Explain ionophores and give their applications.

- (b) Discuss protein synthesis and role of various types of RNA.

(4, 8)

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