

2012
B.Sc. (Hons.) Biotechnology
Third Semester
BIOT-301-T: Biochemistry

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 67

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. Answer the following:-

- a) Define Gluconeogenesis. (2)
- b) List names of activated energy carriers. (2)
- c) What are the precursors of Cholesterol biosynthesis? (2)
- d) What are Salvage reactions? Give examples. (3)
- e) What are the end products of Urea cycle? (3)
- f) What are Ketone bodies? Explain Physiological Role. (3)

UNIT - I

- II. a) What are coupled Kinetic reactions? Explain with specific examples.
b) Comment on Structural basis of High energy phosphoryl Transfer Potential of ATP. (7,6)
- III. Write notes on:-
 - a) Sources of Cellular energy
 - b) Substrate Level Phosphorylation (2x6½)

UNIT - II

- IV. Discuss steps involved in Krebs cycle. How is it regulated? (13)
- V. a) What are feeder pathways of Glycolysis?
b) List enzymes involved in Glycogen Biosynthesis and breakdown. (7,6)

UNIT - III

- VI. Discuss Steps involved in β -Oxidation of Fatty acids. How is the pathway regulated? (13)

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(2)

VII. Write notes on:-

a) Multifunctional Enzyme complex in FA metabolism.

b) Key regulatory steps in Cholesterol Biosynthesis.

(2x6½)

UNIT - IV

VIII. a) Discuss how amino acids act as precursors of biogenic amines.

b) What are salvage reactions in nucleotide biosynthesis?

(7,6)

IX. Discuss pathway for biosynthesis of Pyrimidines.

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