2022

B.F.Sc. 1st Semester Examination

Fundamentals of Biochemistry

. PAPER — BFSC-105

Full Marks: 50

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

- **1.** Answer any **ten** from the following questions: $2 \times 10 = 20$
 - (a) What is promoter? Mention its function.
 - (b) What do you mean by gluconeogenesis? Name a non-reducing disaccharide.
 - (c) What is Wobble hypothesis?
 - (d) Write down the Michaelis-Menten equation. Define $K_{\rm m}$.

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- (e) What is peptide bond? What is Zwitter ion?
- (f) What do you mean by MUFA? Give an example.
- (g) What are the functions of primase and gyrase?
- (h) What are essential fatty acids? Give an example.
- (i) What is mutarotation? What is glycosidic bond?
- (f) What is isoelectric pH? What is saponification number?
- (k) "DNA replication is semiconservative"—explain.
- (1) What is Shine-Dalgarno sequence?
- (m) Differentiate fats from oils.
- (n) What are zero-order and first-order reactions?
- (o) What are allosteric enzymes?
- **2.** Answer *any* **six** from the following questions: .5×6=30
- a) What do you mean by charging of tRNA?
- b) Classify enzymes with examples

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- Briefly describe the process of glycolysis.
- (d) Briefly explain different types of post-transcriptional modifications.
- (e) Write a short note on reversible enzyme inhibitions.
- f) Briefly describe the initiation of translation.
- (g) Briefly describe the factors that are affecting enzyme activities.
- (h) Write a short note on protein structures
- (i) Briefly describe the chemical structure of DNA.
- (j) Write a note on beta oxidation of fatty acid.



