

SS - 414

III Semester B.Sc. Examination, Nov./Dec. 2018 (F + R/CBCS) BIOTECHNOLOGY – III Biochemistry and Biophysics



Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

Instructions: 1) Part – I and Part – II must be answered in separate booklets.

2) Draw the structures and neat labelled diagrams wherever necessary.

PART - I

(Biochemistry)

SECTION - A

I. Write short notes on the following:

 $(4\times2=8)$

- 1) Disulphide bond
- 2) Michaelis Menten equation
- 3) Iodine number
- 4) Reducing sugar.

SECTION - B

II. Answer any two of the following:

 $(2 \times 6 = 12)$

- 5) Discuss the mechanism of steroid hormone action.
- 6) Describe the biological functions and deficiency symptoms of Ascorbic acid.
- 7) Define protein. Discuss secondary structure of protein.

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SECTION - C

III. Answer any two of the following:

 $(2\times10=20)$

- 8) Explain the term carbohydrate. Give their classification and importance in Biology.
- 9) What is enzyme inhibition? Explain the various types of enzyme inhibition with an example.
- 10) Write short notes on:
 - a) Phospholipids
 - b) Ninhydrin and FDNB reactions with amino acid.

SECTION - D

IV. Answer the following:

 $(5 \times 1 = 5)$

- 11) Name any two aromatic amino acids.
- 12) Expand TPP.
- 13) Zwitter ion.
- 14) K_m and V_{max} .
- 15) Write the structure of Fructose.

PART - II

(Biophysics)

SECTION - A

I. Answer any two of the following:

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

- 1) What is covalent bond? List out its characteristics.
- 2) Explain the importance of pH and buffer in biological system.
- 3) Explain principle involved in TLC. Add a note on its applications.



SECTION - B

II. Answer any one of the following:

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$

- 4) Discuss:
 - a) The principle and applications of calorimeter.
 - b) Scope of Biophysics.
- 5) Write notes on:
 - a) Density gradient centrifugation
 - b) Scintillation counters.

SECTION - C

III. Answer the following:

 $(5 \times 1 = 5)$

- 6) Half life period.
- 7) λ_{max}
- 8) Henderson-Hasselbalch equation.
- 9) Gibb's free energy.
- 10) Expand NMR.