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FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

(CBCSS - PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19P ZOL1 C01 - BIOCHEMISTRY AND BIOPHYSICS

(Zoology)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 Hours Maximum: 30 Weightage

Part-A

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 1. Biological role of lactose.
- 2. What are steroids? Give two examples of steroid hormone.
- 3. Comment on enthalphy.
- 4. What is the significance of TCA cycle?
- 5. Give the structure of Cholesterol. Describe the synthesis of mevalonate from acetate
- 6. Explain the mechanism of sodium potassium pump.
- 7. Write a short note on the biological effects of ionizing radiations.

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ Weightage})$

Part-B

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Write a short note on ozazone.
- 9. Explain the classification of amino acids with suitable examples.
- 10. Describe the characteristic features of A-DNA and Z-DNA.
- 11. Explain allosteric enzymes and write a note on positive and negative regulations.
- 12. Explain Glycogenesis and its regulation.
- 13. Explain Biosynthesis of cholesterol.
- 14. What is audible sound frequency? Write a short note on echolocation? Explain with suitable examples.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ Weightage})$

Part-C

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Explain the biological importance of carbohydrates.
- 16. Explain Shikimate pathway. Elaborate the biosynthetic pathway of Tryptophan starting from Chorismate.
- 17. Explain the biosynthesis and degradation of different Pyrimidine nucleotides.
- 18. What are the properties of colloids? Explain the biological importance of colloids.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ Weightage})$
