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FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024

(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. Comment on nucleic acids.
- 2. What is a disaccharide? Give two examples.
- 3. Give a short account on Gibbs free energy of activation.
- 4. What is the significance of TCA cycle?
- 5. Describe the four major steps in beta-oxidation
- 6. Write a short note on the properties of colloids.
- 7. What is audible sound frequency? Explain the pitch perception theory.

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

Part-B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Write a short note on oxidation of sugars.
- 9. Mention Gnaven system of fatty acids.
- 10. Explain the salient feature of tRNA.
- 11. Distinguish between competitive and non competitive inhibition.
- 12. Explain Glycogenesis and its regulation
- 13. Explain the biosynthesis of Pyrimidines and the allosteric regulation.
- 14. What is sodium potassium pump? Explain the mechanism of sodium potassium pump.

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

Part-C

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

15. Explain the classification of amino acids with suitable examples.

- 16. What are general biosynthesis and degradation pathways of amino acids? Give the importance of these reactions.
- 17. Describe the biosynthesis of cholesterol. Indicate the rate limiting step.
- 18. What are the biological effects of ionizing radiations?

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