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B.Sc., Sem.-V

BIC-301 : Biochemistry (Metabolism)

Biochemistry Theory

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 70

1. (A) (i) Describe the fate of pyruvate in detail. 7
(ii) Describe the non-oxidative phase of PPP and its significance. 7

OR

- (B) (i) Describe glycogen degradation in detail. Explain its regulation. 7
(ii) Give an overall design on how galactose enters in glycolytic pathway. 7

2. (A) Explain γ -glutamyl cycle and its significance. 14

OR

- (B) (i) Explain the role of amino acid oxidases, GDH, glutaminase and decarboxylase with examples. 7
(ii) Explain and give significance of glucose alanine shuttle. 7

3. (A) Describe the breakdown of Palmitic acid. Write the stoichiometry. 14

OR

- (B) (i) Describe the role of Acetyl CoA Carboxylase in detail. 7
(ii) Explain elongation and desaturation of fatty acids. 7

4. (A) (i) Explain the role of vitamins in TCA cycle. 7
(ii) Draw and explain the binding change hypothesis. 7

OR

- (B) (i) Describe glyoxalate cycle. 7
(ii) Explain Malate-Aspartate shuttle. What is its significance in energy metabolism ? 7

5. Each question carries 1 mark :

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State true or false. If false explain why.

- (i) Glycerol phosphate shuttle generates FADH_2 .
- (ii) Carnitine is synthesized from Arginine and Cystine.
- (iii) Vitamin B_{12} is required for the oxidation of odd chain fatty acids.

Fill in the blanks :

- (iv) Define Intermediary metabolism.
 - (v) Give the structure of ceramide.
 - (vi) Glycogen storage disease-I is caused due to deficiency of which enzyme ?
 - (vii) List two symptoms of lactose intolerance.
 - (viii) Draw an outline to explain how uric acid is formed in birds.
 - (ix) Albinism is caused due to deficiency of which enzyme ?
 - (x) Give any one anapleurotic reaction.
 - (xi) What is P/O ratio ?
 - (xii) Name an uncoupler of Complex IV.
 - (xiii) Glucose-1-P is not an energy rich compound. Why ?
 - (xiv) Give the structure of Acetoacetyl CoA.
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