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Question Paper Code:R3B05

B.E./B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024

First Semester

Biomedical Engineering

R21UBM105– FUNDAMENTALS OF BIOCHEMISTRY

(Regulations R2021)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer All Questions

PART A - (10x 2 = 20 Marks)

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| 1. Define Enzymes. | CO1- U |
| 2. Quote the zeroth law of Thermodynamics? | CO1- U |
| 3. Explain monosaccharides with example. | CO1- U |
| 4. Define the term solubility. | CO1- U |
| 5. Draw the structure of RNA. | CO1- U |
| 6. Comparative analysis of secondary and quaternary structure of protein. | CO1- U |
| 7. Explain oxidoreductase reaction with example. | CO1- U |
| 8. List the structural classification of enzymes. | CO1- U |
| 9. What is Biological Nitrogen fixation(BNF)? | CO1- U |
| 10. Write the application of gel electrophoresis in protein studies. | CO1- U |

PART – B (5 x 16= 80 Marks)

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| 11. (a) Give a brief reference to bioorganic molecules. Examine five important biomolecules | CO1 -U | (16) |
| OR | | |
| (b) Review the laws of thermodynamics and examine their application with some examples. | CO1 -U | (16) |
| 12. (a) Analyze the branching and unbranching of glycogen pathways in various glycogen metabolisms, including glycogenesis and glycogenolysis, and their hormonal regulation with a neat diagram. | CO3- An | (16) |

OR

- (b) Analyse the different pathways of carbohydrate metabolism and the role of transporters for glucose entry into the cell and examine glycolysis and its outcomes in healthy cells. CO3-An (16)

13. (a) Summarize different types of proteins based on their structure. Investigate the transamination and deamination of amino acids with an example. CO1 -U (16)

OR

- (b) Why DNA or RNA function as genetic material. How do you analyze the structure of DNA using the Watson and Crick model with a neat diagram? CO1 -U (16)

14. (a) Illustrate Enzyme, classification and investigate its factors affecting enzyme activity. CO1 -U (16)

OR

- (b) Elaborate in brief about factors affecting enzyme activity and its applications. CO1- U (16)

15. (a) Summarize the mechanism of carbon fixing in plant from carbon dioxide and apply nitrogen cycle and nucleotides cycle to fix nitrogen in the environment. CO2-Ap (16)

OR

- (b) Review the working principles of various types of electrophoresis and apply gel electrophoresis concepts and their mechanism to study protein. CO2-Ap (16)