

## **RGUHS, BENGALRU- CURRICULUM DESIGN**

## II B. PHARM (RS4)

# **APPLIED BIOCHEMISTRY QUESTION BANK**

#### Long Essay: 10 Marks

- 1. Define enzymes. Write the IUB classification of enzymes in detail with examples.
- 2. Discuss the factors affecting enzyme activity.
- 3. Define enzyme inhibition and discuss different types of enzyme inhibitions.
- 4. Define glycolysis and explain the various reactions involved in it with energetics.
- 5. Explain TCA cycle and give its significance with energetics.
- 6. Define gluconeogenesis and explain the reactions involved in it with its significance.
- 7. Explain glycogenesis and glycogenolysis.
- 8. Explain the process of  $\beta$ -oxidation of fatty acids with energetic considering palmitic acid as example.
- 9. Describe the biosynthesis of cholesterol in the body and write its biological significance.
- 10. Explain the de novo biosynthesis of fatty acids.
- 11. Explain the general reactions involved in the metabolism of amino acids.
- 12. Explain urea cycle and give the deficiency symptoms of urea cycle enzymes.
- 13. Name the aromatic amino acids. Explain the catabolism of any one aromatic amino acid.
- 14. Describe the biosynthesis of purine nucleotides.
- 15. Describe the biosynthesis of pyrimidine nucleotides.
- 16. Explain the biosynthesis of proteins in the body.

### Short essays: 5 Marks

- 1. Define coenzymes. Give the structure and biological role coenzyme NAD and FAD.
- 2. Define coenzymes. Discuss the different types of coenzymes.
- 3. Define vitamins. Give the daily requirement, biochemical functions and deficiency disorders of vitamin A.
- 4. Define vitamins. Give the daily requirement, biochemical functions and deficiency disorders of vitamin D.
- 5. Discuss the daily requirement, biochemical functions and deficiency disorders of vitamin B1 and B2.
- 6. Discuss the daily requirement, biochemical functions and deficiency disorders of vitamin B6 and B12.
- 7. Explain the reactions of HMP pathway with its significance.
- 8. Describe uronic acid pathway.
- 9. Explain Glucose tolerance test (GTT) and its significance.
- 10. Discuss the hormonal regulation of blood glucose level in the body.
- 11. Discuss the various types of glycogen storage disorders.



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- 13. Write the formation of ketone bodies in the body.
- 14. Describe the steps involved in the oxidation of linolenic acid.
- 15. Explain the biologically important compounds obtained from cholesterol degradation.
- 16. Explain the important functions of phospholipids.
- 17. Give the chemical classification of amino acids.
- 18. Describe the metabolism of sulphur containing amino acids.
- 19. What are porphyrins. Explain the degradation of heme.
- 20. Explain the synthesis and significance of creatine.
- 21. Explain the synthesis and significance of adrenaline.
- 22. Write the catabolism of purine nucleotides.
- 23. Describe the double helical structure of DNA.
- 24. Explain the different types of RNA.
- 25. Define mutation and discuss the different types of mutations.
- 26. Explain the semi-conservative mode of replication of DNA.
- 27. Define genetic code and give its salient features.
- 28. Explain electron transport chain.
- 29. What is substrate level phosphorylation and oxidative phosphorylation.
- 30. Explain any one kidney function test and its significance.
- 31. Explain any one liver function test and its significance.
- 32. Enumerate gastric function tests and their significance.
- 33. Discuss the lipid profile test.
- 34. Explain the chemiosmotic theory of oxidative phosphorylation.
- 35. Define vitamins. Give the daily requirement, biochemical functions and deficiency disorders of vitamin E and K.
- 36. Give the structure, daily requirement, biochemical functions and deficiency disorders of vitamin C.
- 37. Explain the oxidation of odd number fatty acids.
- 38. Describe the blood glucose regulation in the body.
- 39. Explain the posttranscriptional modification of RNA.
- 40. Explain competitive inhibition with examples.

### Short answers: 2 Marks

- 1. Give the properties of enzymes.
- 2. What are isoenzymes? Give examples.
- 3. Give the diagnostic importance of enzymes.
- 4. Give the therapeutic importance of enzymes.
- 5. Write the significance of Line-Weaver Burk plot.
- 6. Define enzyme induction.
- 7. Define enzyme repression.

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- 9. Write the types of diabetes mellitus.
- 10. Write the amphibolic nature of Krebs cycle.
- 11. What is galactosuria, name the enzymes involved in it?
- 12. Give the enzymes and coenzymes present in pyruvate dehydrogenase complex.

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- 13. Give the biological significance of carbohydrates.
- 14. Name the essential fatty acids.
- 15. What is the role of carnitine in fatty acid metabolism?
- 16. What is alpha oxidation of fatty acids?
- 17. Name the bile salts and give their significance.
- 18. What is ketogenesis?

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- 19. Name the essential amino acids.
- 20. Give the physiological functions of serotonin.
- 21. What is phenylketonuria?
- 22. What is alkaptonuria?
- 23. What is hyperbilirubinemia?
- 24. Name the bile pigments.
- 25. Name the different types of jaundice.
- 26. Name the different types of porphyrias.
- 27. Define nucleosides and nucleotides.
- 28. What is translation and transcription?
- 29. What are okazaki fragments?
- 30. Name the chain terminating codons?
- 31. What are the functions of tRNA?
- 32. Name the end products of pyrimidine metabolism.
- 33. Name the end products of purine metabolism.
- 34. What is gout?
- 35. Write the inhibitors of ETC.
- 36. Write the uncouplers of oxidative phosphorylation.
- 37. What is isoelectric point?
- 38. Write the properties of proteins.
- 39. Write the biological significance of proteins.
- 40. What is denaturation and renaturation of proteins?
- 41. Write any two biochemical functions of biotin.
- 42. What is atherosclerosis?
- 43. What is fatty liver?
- 44. What are lipotropic factors? Name them.
- 45. What is glycerol-phosphate shuttle?
- 46. Name the glucogenic amino acids.
- 47. Name the ketogenic amino acids.



- 48. What is ketosis?
- 49. Write four differences between DNA and RNA.
- 50. Define  $V_{max}$  and write its significance.
- 51. Define K<sub>m</sub> and write its significance
- 52. Write the composition of lecithin and cephalin.
- 53. Write two biochemical functions of folic acid.
- 54. Name energy rich compounds.
- 55. Define free energy and redox potential.
- 56. Write the structure and biochemical functions of cyclic AMP.
- 57. What are cofactors? Give examples.
- 58. What are holoenzymes? Give examples.
- 59. Give the coenzymic form of vitamin B6 and its significance.
- 60. Name the enzyme which converts phenylalanine to tyrosine.
- 61. What is optimum temperature and optimum pH
- 62. What is the importance of SGPT and SGOT

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