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BIOCHEMISTRY- PAPER I

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 50

- Answer all questions
- Draw diagrams wherever necessary

Essay

(10)

1. Discuss the metabolism of phenylalanine.

Short essays

(2x5=10)

2. Digestion and absorption of lipids.
3. Describe glycogen metabolism.

Short notes

(5x3=15)

4. Mutarotation
5. Essential fatty acids.
6. Isoenzymes.
7. Co-enzyme Q
8. Fate of pyruvate.

Answer briefly

(5x2=10)

9. Regulation of cholesterol synthesis.
10. LDL receptor.
11. GABA
12. Albinism.

13. Ketogenic amino acids.

Give precise answers:

(5x1=5)

14. What are epimers.
15. What is lecithin and mention its use.
16. Define iso-electric pH.
17. Name two transport proteins.
18. Mention two examples of biologically important peptides.

