

**MBBS: Biochemistry Paper 2 Part 1 ABVMUUP Paper Code: 21.1 21 30003**

- Q1.** Describe the phases of activation; initiation; elongation and termination of protein biosynthesis with add a note on inhibitors of translation. (20 marks)
- Q2.** Write briefly on:
- (a) Structure and function Immunoglobulin (4X5=20 marks)
  - (c) Liver Function Test
  - (b) Polymerase chain reaction
  - (d) Recombinant DNA technology
- Q3.** Multiple choice questions.
- a) The number of hydrogen bonds between guanosine and cytosine in DNA are: A. One      B. Two      C. Three      D. Four (1X10=10 marks)
  - b) Which one of the following nucleotide base is not present in codons? A. Adenine      B. Guanine      C. Thymine      D. Cytosine
  - c) One of the plasma proteins listed below is not a transport protein A. Transferrin      B. Haptoglobin      C. Albumin      D. Alpha-1-antitrypsin
  - d) Cardiac arrest may occur due to overdoses of A. Sodium      B. Potassium      C. Zinc      D. Magnesium
  - e) Adenosine deaminase (ADA) deficiency leads to: A. Severe combined immunodeficiency (SCID)      B. Orotic aciduria      C. Gout      D. Lesch-Nyhan syndrome
  - f) The major fuel for the brain after prolonged starvation is: A. Glucose      B. Fatty acids      C. Ketone bodies      D. Glycerol
  - g) In compensated metabolic alkalosis A. Respiratory center is stimulated      B. pCO<sub>2</sub> increases      C. pO<sub>2</sub> elevated      D. Urine becomes acidic
  - h) All the following laboratory data are suggestive of acute renal failure, except: A. Plasma sodium-150mmol/L      B. Plasma potassium -5.6mmol/L      C. Urea- 220mg/dl      D. Creatinine-3.2mg/dl
  - i) Which of the following is not a point of care test (POCT): A. ABG analysis      B. Plasma electrolytes      C. Plasma glucose      D. Plasma proteins
  - j) Immunosorbent assays will use antibody conjugated to all the following reagents, Except: A. Alkaline phosphatase (ALP)      B. Horse radish peroxidase (HRP)      C. Riboflavin      D. Biotin

**Q1.** Give an account of sources, chemistry, functions, RDA and deficiency manifestations of ascorbic acid (Vit. C) & Vit. B12. (20 marks)

**Q2.** Write briefly on (4X5=20)

- a) Glycogen storage diseases
- b) Detoxification by conjugation
- c) Tumor markers
- d) Biological effects of glucocorticoids

**Q3.** Multiple choice questions (1X10=10)

- a) Branched chain keto acids are excreted in urine in large quantities in
  - A. Phenylketonuria
  - B. Maple syrup urine disease
  - C. Tyrosinosis
  - D. Hartnup's disease

- b) Cholecalciferol is synthesized in
  - A. Liver
  - B. Skin
  - C. Kidney
  - D. Intestinal mucosa

- c) Vitamin K is inhibited by
  - A. Isoniazid (INH)
  - B. Methotrexate
  - C. Dicoumarol
  - D. Avidin

- d) Basal metabolic rate is increased by all the following, EXCEPT
  - A. Fever
  - B. Thyroxine
  - C. Starvation
  - D. Cold climate

- e) All the following diseases may be associated with obesity, EXCEPT
  - A. Grave's disease
  - B. Cushing's syndrome
  - C. Depressive psychosis
  - D. Diabetes mellitus

- f) Which is a feature of hypothyroidism?
  - A. Decreased T3 level in blood
  - B. Decreased TSH levels
  - C. Weight loss
  - D. Increased basal metabolic rate

- g) Oncogenes may be activated by all, EXCEPT
  - A. Viral infection
  - B. Promotor insertion
  - C. Mutations in proto-oncogene
  - D. Reverse transcriptase

- h) All the following hormones have membrane receptors, EXCEPT
  - A. Insulin
  - B. Epinephrine
  - C. Glucagon
  - D. Thyroxine

- i) Which is an anticancer drug?
  - A. Zidovudine
  - B. 6-mercaptopurine
  - C. Allopurinol
  - D. Acyclovir

- j) Which has the highest calorific value?
  - A. Glucose
  - B. Palmitic acid
  - C. Albumin
  - D. Ethanol