

**Date: 10-01-2011**

**0819E373**

**First Year MBBS Examination**

**I MBBS Biochemistry Paper 1**

**Time: 3 hours**

**Max Marks: 50**

**Instructions:**

1. Answer to the points.
2. Figure to the right indicates marks.
3. Use separate answer books for each section.
4. Draw diagrams wherever necessary.
5. Write legibly.

## **Section 1**

**1. Give an account of any TWO of the following (10)**

- a)** Liver function tests and its clinical significance (A. 361) (C.453)
- b)** Disturbances of acid-base balance with laboratory findings (A. 401) (C.479)
- c)** Competitive inhibition and its therapeutic importance (A. 63) (C.92)

## **2. Write Short notes of (any three) (9)**

- a)** Mutarotation (A. 90) (C.14)
- b)** Phospholipids (A. 108) (C.34)
- c)** Porphyrias (A. 328) (C.212)
- d)** Iso enzymes (A. 69) (C. 109)
- e)** Similarities and differences between starch and glycogen (A. 96) (C.20,21)

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## **3. Discuss Any TWO (6)**

- a) Bicarbonate buffer system in the blood and significance of Henderson-Hasselbalch equation (A. 398) (C.475)**
- b) ELISA (A. 437) (C.729)**
- c) Creatinine clearance test (A. 374) (C.461)**

## **Section 2**

### **4. Write Short notes on (any two) (10)**

- a) Hexose monophosphate shunt and its significance (A. 144) (C.270)**
- b) Ketone bodies generation and utilization (A. 205) (C.294)**
- c) Glycogen metabolism and its hormonal regulation (A. 140) (C.183)**

### **5. Write Short notes on (any two)**

- a) Detoxification by conjugation (9)**  
mechanisms (A. 525) (C.640)
- b) Components of electron transport chain and sites of ATP synthesis (A. 315) (C.226)**
- c) Tumor markers (A. 666) (C.691)**
- d) Functions of plasma proteins (A. 385) (C.183)**
- e) Malate-Aspartate shuttle (A. 136) (C.234)**

**6. Give your comments with justification of Any SIX: (6)**

- a) Lead toxicity causes anemia.**
- b) Cataract is seen in children suffering from galactosemia.**
- c) Ketone bodies are not utilized by liver.**

- d)** Defective synthesis of VLDL may result in fatty liver.
- e)** Glucose 6 phosphate dehydrogenase causes anemia.
- f)** B-oxidation of odd chain fatty acid gives propionic acid.
- g)** Streptokinase is used in treating acute myocardial infarction.
- h)** Glucagon as hyperglycemic hormone

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