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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. Write short notes on the following (10)

- a) Galactosemia(A. 183)(C.277)
- b) Sickel cell disease
- c) Atherosclerosis(A.228)(C. 317,326)

2. Write Short notes of (any three)



- a) Isoenzymes(A.79)(C.112)
- b) Significance of 2-3 BPG
- c) Prostaglandins(A. 243)(C.644)
- d) Glycogen(A. 144)(C.269)
- e) Allosteric enzymes(A. 66)(C.95)

3. Discuss Any TWO

(6)

- a) ELISA(A. 437)(C.729)
- b) Respiratory acidosis (A.405) (C.482)
- c) Liver function test (A.357) (C.453)

Section 2

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

- a) Blood glucose regulation (A.159) (C.676)
- b) Formation and breakdown of ketone bodies (A.205)(C.293)
- c) Hexose monophosphate shunt (HMP) and its significance (A.144) (C.270)

5. Write Short notes on (any two)



- a) Detoxification Phase II reaction
- b) Uses of radioactive isotopes (A.682) (C.717)
- c) Tumor marker(A. 666)(C.691)
- d) Immunoglobulin (A.649) (C.186)
- e) Uncoupler
- 6. Case report: A middle aged stress prone executive was admitted to ICCU under the complain of severe chest pain and discomfort. He also had family history of young **(6)**

death due to cardiac failure. This patient was diagnosed for MI and hypercholesterolemia. his total cholesterol was 450 mg/dl, TG was 175 mg/dl and HDL-cholestrol was 30 mg/dl. To reduce cholesterol he was given lovastatin.

- a) Write normal values of lipid profile.
- b) Calculate his LDL cholestrol
- c) Why high levels of LDL-C is not good sign?
- d) Why high levels of HDL- C are



e) Which enzymes regulate choelstrol synthesis in the body and how?

f) What is the mode of action of Lovastatin?

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