

Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka

First Phase MBBS Degree Examination – June 2014

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 100 Marks

BIOCHEMISTRY (RS2 & RS3)

QP Code: 1080 - Paper II (Max.Marks:50)

Your answers should be specific to the questions asked Draw neat labeled diagrams wherever necessary

Use separate answer books for section A and Section B

LONG ESSAYS 1 x 10 = 10 Marks

 Define translation. Describe the steps of translation. Name four inhibitors and their action

SHORT ESSAYS 5 x 5 = 25 Marks

- How is bilirubin formed and excreted? Name the abnormalities associated with bilirubin metabolism.
- Describe the liver function tests based on synthetic and excretory role
- Write the Henderson-Hasselbach equation and its significance in bicarbonate buffer system.
- Discuss the biochemical changes during starvation
- 6. What are nucleotides? What are the sources of C and N atoms of purine nucleotide? Mention the metabolic disorders associated with purine metabolism

SHORT ANSWERS 5 x 3 = 15 Marks

- Monoclonal antibodies.
- 8. PCR and its application.
- Southern Blot techniques.
- "Gilberts syndrome"
- 11. Acute intermittent porphyria.