First Year MBBS Examination

I MBBS Biochemistry Paper 2

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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) (10)
 - a. Gout (A. 548) (C. 394)
 - b. PCR (A. 612) (C.594)
 - c. Genetic engineering
- 2. Write Short notes on (any three) (9)
 - a. Western blot (A. 609) (C.589)
 - b. Monoclonal antibody
 - c. Genetic code (A. 580) (C.551)
 - d. Post-transitional modifications (A. 572) (C. 547)
 - e. Telomere



- a. Balanced diet (B. 761) (C.514)
- b. PEM (A. 516) (C.516)

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c. Obesity (A. 517) (C.325)

Section 2

- 1. Give an account on (any two) (10)
 - a. Iron deficiency causes and manifestation
 - b. Urea cycle (A. 258) (C.337)
 - c. Important products synthesized from Glycine (A. 268) (C.342)
- 2. Write Short notes on (any three) (9)
 - a. Biochemical role of Vit. C (A. 481) (C. 132)
 - b. Methyl folate trap
 - c. Deficiency manifestations of Vit. D (A. 459) (C.127)
 - d. Purine salvage pathway (A. 546) (C. 391)
 - e. Biologically important nucleotides
- 3. Write Short notes of (any six): one year old child with delayed milestones was brought to hospital. His mother gave the history of mousy odour from diapers (6)
 - a. What is the probable diagnosis?
 - b. What is the biochemical cause for mousy odour?
 - What are inborn errors of aromatic amino



- d. What are essential amino acids?
- e. Name the test for diagnosis of this condition
- f. What dietary advice is to be given to this child?
- g. Which non-essential amino acid become dietary essential in this child?
- h. Name important products synthesized from aromatic amino acids.

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