

# Question Paper

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## MANIPAL ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION

BPharm (Second Semester)  
End Semester Theory Examination, 2023  
**Biochemistry (Theory) [PBT-BP203T-S2]**

**Marks: 75**

**Duration: 180 mins.**

### I Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)

**Answer all the questions.**

Section Duration: 30 mins

- 1) Glutamic acid is represented by the alphabet (1)
- D  
E  
N  
Q
- 2) An example of pyrophosphate class of high energy compound is (1)
- ATP  
Acetyl CoA  
Acyl CoA  
Phosphagens
- 3) Measure of the change in heat content of the reactants, compared to products is (1)
- Entropy  
Free energy  
Enthalpy  
Bioenergetics
- 4) Which of the following is a product of transaldolase activity? (1)
- Ribose-5-phosphate  
Erythrose-4-Phosphate  
Sedoheptulose-7-phosphate  
Glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate
- 5) Which of the following is an oxidative decarboxylation? (1)
- Isocitrate to alpha ketoglutarate  
Isocitrate to oxaloacetate  
Alpha ketoglutarate to succinyl CoA  
Fumarate to Malate
- 6) The measurement of a pitch of the B form of DNA is (1)
- 0.34 nm

-  
3.4 nm  
34 nm  
3.4 Å

- 7) The repair DNA polymerase is (1)

DNA pol I  
DNA pol II  
DNA pol III  
DNA pol IV

- 8) The property of the genetic code which justifies the availability of 61 codons for 20 amino acids is (1)

Universality  
Specificity  
Non-overlapping  
Degeneracy

- 9) If the codon sequence on an mRNA is CGCACGAUGAACCGAGUCUUUAACAGCGUUUC how many amino acids will be formed during its translation? (1)

11  
9  
6  
5

- 10) D arm of tRNA is called so due to the presence of (1)

Dihydrouridine  
Dihydroadenine  
Dichlorouridine  
Dichloroadenine

- 11) Which of the following is a peptidyl transferase inhibitor? (1)

Streptomycin  
Tetracycline  
Chloramphenicol  
Erythromycin

- 12) 'Beads on a string' pattern in nucleosome is (1)

10 nm fiber  
30 nm fiber  
Rosette  
Loop

- 13) The precursor for synthesis of catecholamines is (1)

Tryptophan  
Tyrosine  
Melatonin  
Serotonin

- 14) The number of ATPs derived when Myristic acid, a 14 carbon containing fatty acid undergoes complete oxidation is (1)

131

129

114

112

- 15) Which of the following is regarded as a true ketone? (1)

Acetoacetyl CoA

HMG CoA

Acetoacetate

Acetyl CoA

- 16) The precursor of Arachidonic acid is (1)

Palmitic acid

Oleic acid

Linolenic acid

Linoleic acid

- 17) The coenzyme FMN is derived from vitamin (1)

B1

B2

B3

B9

- 18) In competitive inhibition, which of the following is true? (1)

Vmax remains unchanged whereas Km increases

Km decreases and Vmax increases

Vmax and Km are lowered simultaneously

Vmax is lowered whereas Km remains unchanged

- 19) The coenzyme which helps in transfer of 'one carbon' is a derivative of which Vitamin? (1)

Niacin

Riboflavin

Folic acid

Thiamine

- 20) The term Enzyme was coined by (1)

Menten

Wilhelm Friedrich Kuhne

Haldane

Berzelius

## II Long Answers

**Answer all the questions.**

- 1) Explain the reactions of aerobic oxidation of glucose in cytosol. Add a note on chemiosmotic hypothesis of oxidative phosphorylation. Explain the reactions of aerobic oxidation of glucose in cytosol. Add a note on chemiosmotic hypothesis of oxidative phosphorylation. (10)
- 2) Explain the following: (10)  
 A. Steps in transcription process (5 m)  
 B. Primary gout as a metabolic disorder and its treatment (5m)

## III Short Answers

**Answer all the questions.**

- 1) Define the terms redox potential and bioenergetics. Draw the ATP-ADP cycle. (5)
- 2) a. Sketch Malate Aspartate Shuttle and discuss its significance. (2.5m)  
b. Write a note on Oral Glucose Tolerance Test. (2.5m) (5)
- 3) Write briefly on the reactions involving Fatty acid synthase complex for the De novo synthesis of Palmitic acid. (5)
- 4) Write about the energetics, disorders and regulation associated with ornithine cycle. (5)
- 5) Justify the given statements:  
A. Tyrosine becomes essential amino acid during phenylketonuria [2]  
B. Urine of black urine disease patients resembles coke in color. [2]  
C. The synthesis of immediate precursor of urea can occur in majority of tissues but urea synthesis occurs majorly only in liver. [1] (5)
- 6) With the help of a neat labeled diagram, explain the effect of substrate analogue on enzyme activity. Give a suitable example for the same. (5)
- 7) Give the IUB classification of enzymes, citing suitable reaction under each class. (5)

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