CORE-VII (Fundamentals of Biochemistry and Microbiology)

Answer the following questions [1 marks]

1. Enzymes are

- a) Carbohydrate
- b) RNA
- c) Proteins
- d) Fats

2. The term enzymes are coined by

- a) Pasteur
- b) Buchner
- c) Urey Miller
- d) Kuhne

3. The fastest enzymes is

- a) Pepsin
- b) Carbonic unhydrase
- c) DNA gyrase
- d) DNA polymerase

4. Fat is hydrolysed by the enzyme known as

- a) Trypsin
- b) Lipase
- c) pepsin
- d) Amylase

5. The term apoenzyme is applicable to

- a) Simple enzyme
- b) Protein part of conjugate enzyme
- c) Organic cofactor of a conjugate enzyme
- d) Inorganic cofactor of a conjugate enzyme

6. Enzymes

- a) Do not require activation energy
- b) Do not change requirement of activation energy
- c) Increase requirement of activation energy
- d) Lowest requirement of activation energy

7. Zymogen is

- a) Enzyme poison
- b) Enzyme modulator
- c) Enzyme precursor
- d) Enzyme inhibitor

8. Allosteric enzyme possesses

- a) Active site and an allosteric site
- b) Active site and two types of allosteric sites
- c) Active site and three types of allosteric sites
- d) Three types of allosteric sites

9. Enzyme generally have

- a) Same pH and temperature optima
- b) Same pH but different temperature optima
- c) Different pH but same temperature optima
- d) Different pH and different temperature optima

10. The enzyme which forms the peptide bond is known as

- a) Carbonic unhydrase
- b) Peptidase
- c) Carbohydrase
- d) Peptidyl transferase

11. The enzyme, tyrosinase, is activated by

- a) Iron
- b) Copper
- c) Zinc
- d) Potassium

12. "Lock and key" theory of enzyme action was proposed by

- a) Fischer
- b) Koshland
- c) Kuhne
- d) Arrhenius

13. Trypsin are active in

- a) Acidic
- b) Alkaline

- c) neutral
- d) None of these

14. Koshland's theory of enzyme action is known as

- a) Reduced fit theory
- b) Lock and key theory
- c) Induced fit theory
- d) Enzyme coenzyme theory

15. The enzymes involved in feedback inhibition are called

- a) Allosteric enzymes
- b) Holoenzymes
- c) Apoenzymes
- d) Coenzymes

Answers:

- 1. c) Proteins
- 2. d) Kuhne
- 3. b) Carbonic unhydrase
- 4. b) Lipase
- 5. b) Protein part of conjugate enzyme
- 6. d) Lowest requirement of activation energy
- 7. c) Enzyme precursor
- 8. b) Active site and two types of allosteric sites
- 9. a) Same pH and temperature optima
- 10. d) Peptidyl transferase
- 11. b) Copper
- 12. a) Fischer
- 13. b) Alkaline
- 14. c) Induced fit theory
- 15. a) Allosteric enzymes

Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences [1.5 marks]

- 1. Give the structure of virus.
- 2. How do viruses reproduce?
- 3. What are bacteriophages?
- 4. State about viroids.
- 5. Write about prions.
- 6. How are microbes useful in agriculture?

- 7. Give the industrial applications of microbes.
- 8. How are microbes beneficial for the food industry?
- 9. What are the symptoms of typhoid?
- 10. State about the cause and transmission of cholera.
- 11. How can tuberculosis be cured?
- 12. What are the preventive measures for swine flu?
- 13. What are the symptoms of zika fever?
- 14. State about HIV.
- 15. What are α -helix breakers? Give examples.
- 16. What is quaternary structure of protein?
- 17. What are zwitter ion?
- 18. Give the structure of IgM.

Answer the following questions in 75 words [2 marks]

- 1. What are triacylglycerols?
- 2. What are steroids?
- 3. Give the physiological importance of essential and non-essential amino acids.
- 4. Amino acids are amphoteric in nature. Justify.
- 5. What are the bonds stabilizing protein structure?
- 6. Differentiate between simple and conjugate proteins.
- 7. What is denaturation and renaturation?
- 8. What are antigenic determinants?
- 9. Name some denaturing agents?
- 10. What are the characteristics of denatured proteins?
- 11. What are cofactors?
- 12. State about the specificity of enzyme action.
- 13. What are isozymes?
- 14. What are the factors affecting rate of enzyme catalyzed reactions?
- 15. Give the concept of V_{max} and K_{m} .
- 16. What are the assumptions made in calculating the Michaelis-Menten equation?
- 17. State about Lineweaver-Burk plot.
- 18. What are multi-substrate reactions?
- 19. Write a short note on regulation of enzyme action.

Answer the following questions in 500 words [6 marks]

- 1. Give the structure and biological importance of monosaccharides.
- 2. Give the structure and biological importance of disaccharides.
- 3. Give the structure and biological importance of polysaccharides.
- 4. Give a detailed account on glycoconjugates.
- 5. State about structure and significance of physiologically important saturated and unsaturated fatty acids.
- 6. Give a detailed account on phospholipids.
- 7. State about glycolipids.
- 8. Give the structure and general properties of α -amino acids.

- 9. Give an account on classification of amino acids.
- 10. What are the levels of organization in proteins?
- 11. Explain the basic structure of immunoglobulins.
- 12. Give the classes and functions of immunoglobulins.
- 13. State about nomenclature and classification of enzymes.
- 14. Give the mechanism of enzyme action.
- 15. Give a detailed account on enzyme kinetics.
- 16.Derive Michaelis-Menten equation.
- 17. State about enzyme inhibition.
- 18. Write about allosteric enzymes and their kinetics.
- 19. Give the classification, structure and reproduction in bacteria.
- 20. Give the classification of virus.