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I Semester M.Sc. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – OBE – Regular)
Examination, October 2023
(2023 Admission)
ZOOLOGY
MSZGY01C01 : Biochemistry

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

- I. Answer any five of the following:
 - 1) What are molecular chaperones? Add a note on protein folding.
 - 2) What are isozymes?
 - 3) Discuss the importance of pyridoxal phosphate.
 - 4) Explain Glycogenesis.
 - 5) Discuss Glyoxylate cycle.
 - 6) Explain chemiosmotic theory.

 $(5 \times 3 = 15)$

- II. Answer any three of the following:
 - 7) Explain the process of ketosis and its physiological significance. Discuss one condition or situation in which ketosis is commonly observed.
 - 8) Detail the light independent reactions of Photosynthesis. Outline the key steps involved, the role of ATP and NADPH, and explain how this phase contributes to the synthesis of organic molecules.
 - Define and differentiate between Basal Metabolic Rate and Resting Metabolic Rate. Discuss the physiological factors that affect BMR and RMR.
 - 10) Explain beta oxidation of fatty acids.
 - 11) Explain Kreb's cycle.

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- III. Answer any three of the following:
 - 12) Derive Michaelis-Menten equation. Add a note on Line Weaver Burk plot.
 - 13) Explain De Novo synthesis and salvage pathway of Purines.
 - Discuss biosynthesis of non-essential amino acids.
 - 15) Summarize Electron Transport chain and Oxidative Phosphorylation.
 - 16) Explain Cholesterol biosynthesis.

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