

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025  
(Fifth Semester)

Branch -- BIOCHEMISTRY

**MAJOR ELECTIVE COURSE – I: PHYSIOLOGY AND ENDOCRINOLOGY**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

**SECTION-A (5 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (5 x 1 = 5)

- 1 A type of proteolytic enzyme found in an infant's gastric juice that helps in the digestion of milk is \_\_\_\_\_  
(i) Peptide (ii) Rennin  
(iii) Amylase (iv) Pepsin
- 2 The contractile protein of skeletal muscle involving ATPase activity is \_\_\_\_\_  
(i) Actin (ii) Myosin  
(iii) Troponin (iv) Tropomyosin
- 3 The neuroglia responsible for the formation of myelin sheath around axons in PNS is \_\_\_\_\_  
(i) Microglia (ii) Astrocytes  
(iii) Schwann cells (iv) Oligodendrocytes
- 4 Grave's disease is due to  
(i) Hyperactivity of adrenal cortex (ii) Hypoactivity of the thyroid gland  
(iii) Hyperactivity of thyroid gland (iv) Hypoactivity of adrenal medulla
- 5 What hormone is not secreted by the cells of pancreatic islets?  
(i) Insulin (ii) Glucagon  
(iii) Somatostatin (iv) None of the above

**SECTION - B (15 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 3 = 15)

- 6 a. Describe the composition and functions of Succus entericus.  
OR  
b. Elucidate ABO blood grouping method.
- 7 a. Explain the physiology of glomerular filtration.  
OR  
b. Draw the neat sketch of heart and label the parts.
- 8 a. Differentiate depolarization and repolarization phases of action potential.  
OR  
b. Explain the physiology of vision.

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- 9 a. Classify the hormones based on their chemical nature.  
OR  
b. Justify why pituitary gland is considered as master gland.

- 10 a. Explain the physiological actions of Corticosteroids.  
OR  
b. Explain the physiological functions of insulin.

**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**  
Answer ALL questions  
ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 6 = 30)

- 11 a. Elucidate how O<sub>2</sub> is transported from the lungs to tissues.  
OR  
b. Discuss the types of anemia.
- 12 a. Elucidate the events of the cardiac cycle.  
OR  
b. Explain the process of urine formation.
- 13 a. Explain the mechanism of nerve impulse transmission.  
OR  
b. Bring out the composition and functions of CSF.
- 14 a. Compare the causes, signs, and symptoms of Gigantism and Dwarfism.  
OR  
b. Explain the biosynthesis of T3 and T4 hormones.
- 15 a. Compare Cushing syndrome and Addison's disease.  
OR  
b. Describe the biological actions and disorders of androgens.

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