

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025  
(Fourth Semester)

Branch – NUTRITION, FOOD SERVICE MANAGEMENT & DIETETICS

**BIOCHEMISTRY**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (10 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	1	Which of the following hormones is responsible for increasing gluconeogenesis in the liver during prolonged starvation? a) TSH                                      b) Insulin c) Thyroxine                                d) Glucagon	K1	CO1
	2	What is the net gain of ATP during the conversion of glucose to pyruvate? a) 2 ATP                                      b) 4 ATP c) 6 ATP                                      d) 1 ATP +1 GTP	K2	CO1
2	3	_____ is an example of derived lipids a) Terpenes                                b) Steroids c) Carotenoids                              d) All of the above	K1	CO2
	4	Beta-oxidation of fatty acids occurs in a) Peroxisome b) Peroxisome and Mitochondria c) Mitochondria d) Peroxisome, Mitochondria and ER	K2	CO2
3	5	Which of the following is responsible for specifying the 3D shape of a protein? a) The peptide bond b) The amino acid sequence c) Interaction with other polypeptides d) Interaction with molecular chaperons	K1	CO3
	6	One of the following is not an amino acid a) Glycine                                      b) Hydroxyproline c) Glutamic acid                            d) Choline	K2	CO3
4	7	Purine base found in RNA is a) Guanine                                      b) Cytosine c) Thymine                                      d) Uracil	K1	CO4
	8	ATP is a a) Vitamin                                      b) nucleoside c) nucleotide                                d) nucleic acid	K2	CO4

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5	9	The nature of an enzyme is a) Carbohydrate      b) Proteins c) Vitamin              d) Lipid	K1	CO5
	10	Which of the following is a protein digesting enzyme com produced in the stomach? a) Maltase              b) HCl c) Pepsin                d) Enterokinase	K2	CO5

**SECTION - B (35 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 × 7 = 35)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	11.a.	Classify the types of carbohydrate.	K2	CO1
		(OR)		
	11.b.	Explain about the gluconeogenesis.		
2	12.a.	Comment on the essential fatty acids.	K3	CO2
		(OR)		
	12.b.	Identify the types of lipoprotein.		
3	13.a.	Discuss on urea cycle.	K4	CO3
		(OR)		
	13.b.	Contrast the amino acids and classify it.		
4	14.a.	Compare and contrast on the structure of DNA and RNA.	K4	CO4
		(OR)		
	14.b.	Categorize the recombinant DNA technology.		
5	15.a.	Assess the Factors influencing rate of enzyme action.	K5	CO5
		(OR)		
	15.b.	Evaluate the Role of B vitamins in the metabolism of carbohydrates.		

**SECTION - C (30 Marks)**

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(3 × 10 = 30)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	16	Distinguish the HMP shunt pathway.	K4	CO1
2	17	Classify the types of lipoprotein.	K4	CO2
3	18	Justify the classification of amino acids.	K5	CO3
4	19	Explain the properties of DNA and RNA and their functions.	K5	CO4
5	20	Elaborate the types of enzymes and explain them.	K6	CO5

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