

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION JUNE 2018  
(Second Semester)**

Branch **BIOTECHNOLOGY**

**METABOLIC REGULATION**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions earn EQUAL marks

(2 + 5 + 8<sup>15</sup>)

- 1
  - a Calmodulin kinases and their role
  - b How does cAMP regulate metabolic events in a cell?
  - c Account on how hormones play a pivotal role in regulating metabolism.  
You may take insulin as an example.
  - OR
  - d How many ATP molecules are produced after aerobic hydrolysis of one molecule of glucose<sup>9</sup>
  - e Explain feedback inhibition with examples,
  - f Discuss the stoichiometry of ATP production by glycolysis.
  
- 2
  - a Mention the rate limiting the steps in glycolysis.
  - b Discuss the reciprocal regulation of gluconeogenesis.
  - c How is glycolysis regulated?
  - OR
  - d What do you mean -by anaerobic reactions?
  - e How is glycogen metabolism regulated?
  - f Elaborate on Hormonal regulation of Carbohydrate metabolism.
  
- 3
  - a What is meant by De novo lipogenesis?
  - b Explain lipogenesis of palmitic acid.
  - c Discuss the role of acetyl co A carboxylase in fatty acid metabolism.
  - OR
  - d What is Ketogenesis?
  - e Discuss Cholesterol biosynthesis.
  - f How is beta oxidation of fatty acids regulated.

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- 4 a How does trypsin act on protein?
- b Explain oxidative Deamination reaction with examples.
- c Sketch and explain regulation of urea cycle.
- OR
- d What are purines and pyrimidines?
- e Discuss the salvage pathway of pyrimidine metabolism,
- f How are purines synthesized dc novo?
- 5 a What is the central role of liver in metabolism?
- b Elaborate on the events that occur during starvation?
- c What happens to the metabolism in diabetes?
- OR
- d What is the need for compartmentalization in metabolism?
- e Discuss the metabolic profiles in Kidney,
- f Role of ethanol in energy metabolism in liver.

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