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(For candidates admitted from 2016–2017 onwards)

M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2021.

Biochemistry

CLINICAL BIOCHEMISTRY

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

SECTION A — $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Answer ALL questions.

- 1. What is Gauchers disease?
- 2. What is glycosuria?
- 3. What is hartnup disease?
- 4. What is orotic aciduria?
- 5. What is the difference between peptic ulcer and gastritis?
- 6. What is the normal serum AST and ALT level?
- 7. What causes elevated amylase?
- 8. Write the clinical significance of CK.
- 9. What kind of tumors produce hCG?
- 10. What are proto oncogenes?

SECTION B — $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) What are the causes of atherosclerosis and how do you prevent it?

Or

- (b) Write about lipoproteinaemias.
- 12. (a) Write short notes on cystinuria and cystinosis?

Or

- (b) Write the symptom, causes and treatment of gout.
- 13. (a) Write the causes and biochemical findings in cirrhosis.

Or

- (b) Write a note on insulin stimulation test.
- 14. (a) Discuss the clinical significance of phosphatases.

Or

- (b) Write a note on nephrolithiasis.
- 15. (a) Differentiate benign and malignant tumors.

Or

(b) Write a note on tumor suppressor genes.

SECTION C —
$$(3 \times 10 = 30)$$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. How is diabetes mellitus classified? Add a note on its metabolic abnormalities.
- 17. Elaborate on the disorders of pyrimidine metabolism.
- 18. Discuss liver function test.
- 19. Elaborate on isoenzymes in health and diseases.
- 20. Explain multistage carcinogenesis.