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M.Sc. (MEDICAL ANATOMY) DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

First Year

BIOCHEMISTRY

(2022 Admissions—Regular/2017 – 2021 Admissions—Supplementary/Prior to 2017 Admissions—Mercy Chance)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer Sections A and B in **separate** answer books.

Draw diagrams Wherever necessary.

Section A

- I. Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks:
 - (a) Explain the biological function and classification of proteins.
 - (b) Describe the method for isolation and purification of enzymes. Mention the factors affecting activity of enzymes.
 - (c) Explain the formation and circulation of bile pigments. Write about enzymatic digestion of hemoglobin.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

- II. Write briefly on:
 - (a) Explain structure and function of water soluble vitamins.
 - (b) Write about biological oxidation.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

Section B

- III. Answer any ten questions:
 - (a) Write about essential aminoacids.
 - (b) Explain digestion and absorption of carbohydrates.
 - (c) Write about synthesis of purines.
 - (d) Explain digestion of lipids.
 - (e) Explain Glycolysis.

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- (f) Give an account of dietary requirements of minerals and importance of minerals.
- (g) Write about cholesterol biosynthesis.
- (h) Explain urea formation.
- (i) Give an account on physical properties of amino acids.
- (j) Write about maintenance of blood sugar level.
- (k) Explain synthesis of biologically important compounds from Glycine.
- (l) Write about protein synthesis.

 $(10 \times 5 = 50)$

