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First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Biochemistry

Complementary Course I : for Botany and Zoology

BC 1131 : BIOPHYSICAL CHEMISTRY

(2014 – 2019 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION - I

Very short answer type- maximum two sentences. Answer all questions.

- 1. Define Beer Lamberts law
- 2. Write the chromatographic techniques in which protein can be separated with different molecular size.
- 3. Name an anion exchange resin used for the separation of proteins
- 4. Define R_f value.
- 5. What are the components of a buffer solution?
- 6. Define one normal solution.
- 7. What is solvation of colloids?
- 8. Name the carbohydrate used for the preparation of density gradient.

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- 9. What are functional isomers?
- 10. What is pKa?

SECTION - II

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

Short answer questions not exceed one paragraph. Answer any eight questions.

- 11. Write notes on phosphodiester linkage.
- 12. Why lyophilic sol is more stable than lyophobic sol?
- 13. Explain the Bronsted and Lewis concept of acid and bases.
- 14. Write note on osmotic pressure.
- 15. Write the principle of separation by paper chromatography.
- 16. What is two-dimensional electrophoresis?
- 17. Write notes on calorimeter.
- 18. Differentiate between diffusion and osmosis.
- 19. Discuss isoelectric focusing.
- 20. What are ion exchange resins?
- 21. Write notes on properties of colloids
- 22. What are emulsions? Discuss their different types with one example of each type.

SECTION - III

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

Short essay- not to exceed 120 words. Answer any six questions.

- 23. Explain the principle, procedure and application of gel filtration chromatography.
- 24. Enlist different types of isomerism.

- 25. Describe Gibbs-Donnan equilibrium.
- 26. Write a note on important radioisotopes used in biochemical research.
- 27. Explain the applications of Henderson Hasselbatch Equation.
- 28. Differentiate hypertonic, hypotonic and isotonic solutions.
- 29. What is the normality of the NaOH solution obtained by dissolving in 2.0 g dissolved in 50 mL of solution?
- 30. Explain in detail principle, working on the spectrophotometer.
- 31. Explain in detail the sub cellular fractionation.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

SECTION - IV

Long essay. Answer any two questions.

- 32. Describe the principle, procedure and applications of SDS PAGE.
- 33. Discuss the principle, instrumentation and applications of HPLC.
- 34. Discuss different methods for measuring concentration of solution.
- 35. Explain the principle, procedure and applications of differential centrifugation.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)