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#### BIOMOLECULES

#### Practice Problems

1. Define cellular pool.



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2. List the protoplasmic elements .



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3. Name two fractions obtained during chemical analysis of living tissue.



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4. What are building blocks of proteins ?



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**5. Name two basic amino acids .**



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**6. What do you mean by Zwitter ion ?**



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7. List one difference between essential and non-essential amino acids.



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8. Give the general formula of monosugars .



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9. Give one difference between furanose and pyranose ring .



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**10.** What are building blocks of nucleic acids ?



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**11.** List three components of a nucleotide .



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**12.** Name four types of nucleotides of RNA.



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**13.** List a difference between nucleoside and nucleotide.



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**14.** What are triglycerides .



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15. Give one difference between primary and secondary metabolites.



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## Practice Problems Biomacromolecules

1. Name the macrobiomolecules found in acid-insoluble fraction of cell.



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2. Which type of bonds are found in the proteins and polysaccharides .



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3. What does tertiary structure of a protein indicate ?



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4. Name two transport proteins .







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5. List one difference between homopolysaccharide or heteropolysaccharide.



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6. Why cellulose , starch and glycogen are commonly called glucans ?



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7. Why is chitin also called fungal cellulose?



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8. Give the function of heparin .



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9. Which types of bonds are found in nucleic acids?



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**10.** What do you mean by antiparallel nature of two DNA chains ?



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**11.** Give one difference between B-DNA and Z-DNA .



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**12.** What do you mean by amphipathic nature of phospholipids ?



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**13.** Name two derived lipids.



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**Practice Problems Enzymes**

1. Name two non-proteinaceous enzymes .



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2. Define turn over number .



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3. Who proposed lock and key hypothesis of enzyme activity ?



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4. What do you mean by  $K_m$ -value ?



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5. Define denaturation of enzymes .



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6. Give one example of competitive inhibition .



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7. List one difference between prosthetic group and coenzyme.



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## Ncert File Ncert Exercise Questions

1. What are macromolecules ? Give examples .



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2. Illustrate a glycosidic, peptide and a phosphodiester bond.



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3. What is meant by tertiary structure of proteins ?



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4. Find and write down structures of 10 interesting small molecular weight biomolecules. Find if there is any industry which manufactures the compounds by isolation. Find out who are the buyers.



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5. Proteins have primary structure. If you are given a method to know which amino acid is at either of the two termini (ends) of a protein,

can you connect this information to purity or homogeneity of a protein?



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**6.** Find out and make a list of proteins used as therapeutic agents. Find other applications of proteins (e.g., cosmetics, etc.)



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**7.** Explain the composition of triglyceride.



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8. Can you describe what happens when milk is converted into curd or yoghurt from your understanding of proteins?



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9. Can you attempt building models of biomolecules using commercially available atomic models (Ball and Stick models).



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**10.** Attempt titrating an amino acid against a weak base and discover the number of dissociating (ionizable) functional groups in the amino acid.



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**11.** Draw the structure of the amino acid alanine .



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**12.** What are gums made of ? Is fevicol different ?



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**13.** Find out a qualitative test for proteins, fats and oils, amino acids and test any fruit juice, saliva, sweat and urine for them.



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# Ncert File Ncert Exemplar Problems Multiple Choice Questions

1. It is said that elemental composition of living organisms and that of inanimate objects (like earth's crust ) are similar in the sense that all the major elements are present in both. Then what would be the difference between these two groups ?

Choose a correct answer from the following.

- A. Living organisms have more gold in them than inanimate objects

B. Living organisms have more water in their body than inanimate objects

C. Living organisms have more carbon, oxygen and hydrogen per unit mass than inanimate objects.

D. Living organisms have more calcium in them inanimate

**Answer: C**



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2. Many elements are found in living organisms either free or in the form of compounds. One of the following is not found in living organisms :

A. Silicon

B. Magnesium

C. Iron

D. Sodium

**Answer: A**



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3. Aminoacids, as the name suggests, have both an amino group and a carboxyl group in their structure. In addition, all naturally occurring aminoacids (those which are found in proteins) are called L-aminoacids. From this, can you guess from which compound can the simplest aminoacid be made

A. Formic acid

B. Methane

C. Phenol

D. Glycine

**Answer: A**



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4. Many organic substances are negatively charged e.g., acetic acid, while others are positively charged e.g., ammoniumion. An aminoacid under certain conditions would have both positive and negative charges

simultaneously in the same molecule. Such a form of aminoacid is called

- A. Positively charged form
- B. Negatively charged form
- C. Neutral form
- D. Zwitterionic form

**Answer: D**



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5. Sugars are technically called carbohydrates, referring to the fact that their formulae are only multiple of  $C(H_2O)$ . Hexoses therefore have six carbons, twelve hydrogens and six oxygen atoms. Glucose is a hexose. Choose from among the following another hexose.

A. Fructose

B. Erythrose

C. Ribulose

D. Ribose

**Answer: A**



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6. When you take cells or tissue pieces and grind them with an acid in a mortar and pestle, all the small biomolecules dissolve in the acid. Proteins, polysaccharides and nucleic acids are insoluble in mineral acid and get precipitated. The acid soluble compounds include aminoacids, nucleosides, small sugars etc. When one adds a phosphate group to a

nucleoside one gets another acid soluble  
biomolecule calle

- A. Nitrogen base
- B. Adenine
- C. Sugar phosphate
- D. Nucleotide

**Answer: D**



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7. When we homogenise any tissue in an acid the acid soluble pool represents

- A. Cytoplasm
- B. Cell membrane
- C. Nucleus
- D. Mitochondria

**Answer: A**



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8. The most abundant chemical in living organisms could be

A. Protein

B. Water

C. Sugar

D. Nucleic acid

**Answer: B**



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9. A homopolymer has only one type of building block called monomer repeated 'n' number of times. A heteropolymer has more than one type of monomer. Proteins are heteropolymers made of amino acids. While a nucleic acid like DNA or RNA is made of only 4 types of nucleotide monomers, proteins are made of

A. 20 types of monomers

B. 40 types of monomers

C. 3 types of monomers

D. only one type of monomer

**Answer: A**



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**10.** Proteins perform many physiological functions. For example, some function as enzymes. One of the following represents an additional function that some proteins discharge

**A. Antibiotics**

B. Pigments conferring colour to skin

C. Pigments making colours of flowers

D. Hormones

**Answer: D**



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**11. Glycogen is a homopolymer made of:**

A. Glucose units

B. Galactose units

C. Ribose units

D. Aminoacids

**Answer: A**



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**12.** The number of 'ends' in a glycogen molecule would be

A. Equal to the number of branches plus one

B. Equal to the number of branch points

C. One

D. Two, one on the left side and another on  
the right side

**Answer: A**



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**13.** A pure protein should normally have

A. Two ends

B. One end

C. Three ends

D. No ends

**Answer: A**



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**14.** Enzymes are biocatalysts. They catalyse biochemical reaction. In general they reduce activation energy of reactions. Many physiochemical processes are enzyme mediated.

Some examples of enzyme mediated reactions are given below. Tick the wrong entry

A. Dissolving  $CO_2$  in water

B. Untwining the two strands of DNA

C. Hydrolysis of sucrose

D. Formation of peptide bond

**Answer: D**



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# Ncert File Ncert Exemplar Problems Very Short Answer Type Questions

1. Medicines are either man made (i.e., synthetic) or obtained from living organisms like plants, bacteria, animals, etc., and hence, the latter are called natural products. Sometimes, natural products are chemically altered by man to reduce toxicity or side effects. Write against each of the following whether they were initially obtained as a natural product or as a synthetic chemical.







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2. Select an appropriate chemical bond among ester bond, glycosidic bond, peptide bond and hydrogen bond and write against each of the following :

(a) Polysaccharide . . . . .

(b) Protin . . . . .

(c ) Fat . . . . .

(d ) Water . . . . .



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3. Write the name of any one amino acid, sugar, nucleotide and fatty acid.



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4. Reaction given below is catalysed by oxidoreductase between two substrates A and A' complete the reaction.

A reduced + A' oxidised  $\rightarrow$



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5. How are prosthetic groups different from co-factors?



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6. Glycine and alanine are different with respect to one substituent on the  $\alpha$ -carbon. What are the other common substituent groups ?



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7. Starch, Cellulose, Glycogen, Chitin are polysaccharides found among the following, Choose the one appropriate and write against each:



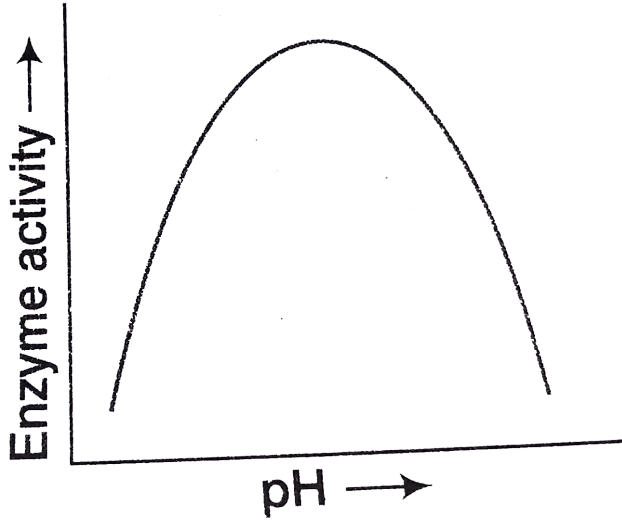
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**Ncert File Ncert Exemplar Problems Short Answer Type Questions**

1. Enzymes are proteins, Proteins are long chains of amino acids linked to each other by peptide bonds. Amino acids have many functional groups in their structure.

These functional groups are many of them at least, ionisable. As they are weak acids and bases in chemical nature, this ionisation is influenced by pH of the solution. For many enzymes, activity is influenced by surrounding pH. This is depicted in the curve below, explain

briefly.



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2. Is rubber a primary metabolite or a secondary metabolite? Write four sentences about rubber.



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3. Schematically represent primary, secondary and tertiary structures of a hypothetical polymer say for example a protein.



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4. Nucleic acids exhibit secondary structure, justify with example.



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5. Comment on the statement 'living state is a non-equilibrium steady state to be able to perform work :



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## Ncert File Ncert Exemplar Problems Long Answer Type Questions

1. Formation of Enzyme substrate complex (ES) is the first step in the catalysed reactions.



Describe the other steps till the formation of product.



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2. What are different classes of enzymes?

Explain any two with the type of reactions they catalyse.



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**3.** Nucleic acid exhibit secondary structure.

Describe through Watson-Crick model.



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**4.** What is the difference between a nucleotide and nucleoside ? Give two examples of each with their structure.



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5. Describe various forms of lipid with a few examples.



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## Hots Very Short Answer Questions

1. What is the composition of triglyceride?



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2. Name the chemical used for grinding the animal tissue for chemical analysis of organic compounds.



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3. Name the (a) Fruit sugar (b) Blood sugar (c) Milk Sugar (d) Cane sugar



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4. Name the amino acids involved in urea cycle.



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5. What are prostaglandins ?



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6. Sucrose is a non-reducing sugar. Maltose and lactose are reducing sugars. Why ?



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7. Write two uses of cellulose.



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8. Which homopolysaccharide is called animal starch?



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9. Name the polymer of fructose.



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**10.** Name one heteropolysaccharide.



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**11.** Who proposed the lock and key hypothesis  
?



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12. What is the chemical nature of enzymes ?



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## Hots Short Answer Questions

1. What would happen if salivary amylase which acts specifically on starch enters the stomach and mixes with gastric juice ?



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2. Write the formula representation of rate of chemical reaction. Define.



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3. Why starch and glycogen are more suitable as storage product than glucose ?



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4. How do proteins act as carrier proteins?





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5. What is cholesterol ? Name the two forms of cholesterol.



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6. What are pyrimidines ?



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7. What is peptide bond ?



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8. Name the essential fatty acids.



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9. What are polyunsaturates ?



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**10.** What are globular proteins?



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## **Hots Short Answer Type Questions**

**1.** How does temperature and pH affect activity of enzyme ?



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2. Differentiate between prosthetic group and co-enzyme.



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3. What are the factors which affect the action of enzyme ?



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4. Differentiate between  $\alpha$ -helix and  $\beta$  pleated structure of proteins.



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5. Describe the composition of triglycerides.



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6. Differentiate between primary metabolites and secondary metabolites.



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7. What are gums made of ? Is fevicol different ?



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## Hots Long Answer Type Question

1. What is the concept of metabolism ? Discuss the metabolic basis of life.



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2. Discuss the functions of polysaccharides.



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3. DNA व RNA में अन्तर लिखिए।



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4. What are different classes of enzyme ?

Explain any two with the type reaction they catalyse.



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5. Discuss the tertiary structure of proteins.



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[Quick Memory Test Say True Or False](#)

1. Proteins are one of the most diverse molecules of cell.



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2. Oval and eccentric starch grains are found in maize,



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3. FMN is related with vitamin  $B_2$  .





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4. Adenylic acid is an acidic amino acid.



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5. Tryptophan takes part in the formation of vitamin nicotinamide.



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6. Cephalin is found in liver.



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7. In a nucleotide, purine or pyrimidine nitrogenous base is joined by deoxyribose sugar which is further linked to phosphate.



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8. Bees wax consists of palmitic acid and myricyl alcohol.



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9. Gliadin protein found in wheat has the structure  $C_{685}H_{1068}N_{195}O_{211}S_5$ .



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10. Glucose, fructose and lactose are isomers having a formula  $C_6H_{12}O_6$



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11. Amino acids can be acidic, basic or neutral.



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12. Oil dissolves in water.



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**13.** Thyroxine is derived from tyrosine.



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**14.** Removal of amino group from amino acids in animals is carried out by transamination only .



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1. Fats are made of ..... and .....



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2. .... and ..... are purine nitrogenous bases.



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3. .... is cofactor in enzyme cytochrome oxidase,



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4. A true fat with three molecules of fatty acids is called ....



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5. Three pyrimidines are thymine, cytosine and

.....



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6. DNA has ..... instead of uracil.



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7. rRNA is associated with ...



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8. Keratin is a .... protein



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9. The carbohydrate molecule cellulose is a

.....



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10. The double helix model of DNA was proposed by ..... and .....



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11. ....and ..... are storage polysaccharides.



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12. When amino acid chain is arranged like a coil it is called is  $\alpha$  \_\_\_\_\_.



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13. Chitin is a polysaccharide found in the ..... of crabs and prawn etc.



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**14.** The kind of protein which can enhance the efficiency of a biochemical reaction is called an



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**15.** The substances which stop or slow down the reaction are called .



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**16.** A protein molecule has at least 200 to 300  
..... linkages



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**17.** The enzymes which break down proteins  
into amino acid molecules are called as ...



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**18.** When the enzymes with slightly different molecular structure can also perform the identical activities , they are called as .....



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**19.** When the production of the cell is inhibited by its own metabolites, this control is termed as \_\_\_\_\_.



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20. Biochemical reactions are regulated by catalysts called .....



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21. A vitamin is often associated as a .....  
with an enzyme



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22. The molecules on which enzymes act are known as .....



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23. Enzymes which breakdown compounds without the involvement of water are called .....



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**24.** A compound with almost similar structure to the substrate can act as a .....



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**25.** The functions of enzymes is to lower the ..... of biochemical reactions.



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26. The enzymatic activity stops due to ..... of enzymes at very high temperature



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27. The enzyme ..... catalyses the formation of glucose-6-phosphate from glucose and ATP.



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28. .... catalyse covalent bonding between two molecules to form a large molecule.



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Quick Memory Test Choose The Correct Alternative

1. Lyases/Ligases perform breakdown reacting



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2. Apoenzyme/coenzyme is the non-protein part of conjugate enzyme.



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3. Nucleoside is basic/acidic in reaction.



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4. Proenzymes are active/inactive enzyme precursors.



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5. Glutelins/Prolamins are soluble in dilute alkali or acid.



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6. Active site in induced fit theory is static/dynamic.



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7. Source of lactose is milk/germinating seeds.



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## Revision Exercises Very Short Answer Questions

1. Which mineral deficiency causes goitre in man?



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2. Name two steroid hormones.



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3. What are steroids?



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4. Which type of bonds are present between the nucleotides in DNA?



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5. Name three essential amino acids,



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6. Which proteins help in night vision and colour vision?



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7. What is the basic structural unit of chitin?



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**8. Where we can find chitin?**



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**9. Name two S-containing amino acids.**



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10. Which mineral helps the enzyme nitrogenase in nitrogen fixation?



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11. Give two example of tranferases



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12. Why does water behave as a dipolar ion?



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**13.** Why does water have high boiling point?



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**14.** Define Michaelis constant ( $K_m$ ) of an enzyme.



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**15.** An example of non-competitive inhibition is



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16. Which enzyme converts glucose into ethyl alcohol?



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17. Give the term for the energy required to initiate a biochemical reaction.



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**18.** What are peptide bonds?



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**19.** Write two functions of waxes.



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**20.** Give technical words for acid-soluble and acid-insoluble fractions.



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21. Name two acidic amino acids.



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22. Give three examples of homo polysaccharides.



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23. Which organic compound is commonly called animal starch?



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24. Name the sugar present in RNA.



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25. Name the nitrogen bases of DNA.



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**26.** What do you mean by antiparallel nature of two chains of DNA.



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**27.** Distinguish between prosthetic group and coenzyme.



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**28.** Name the inactive form of pepsin.



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**29.** Give one example of non-competitive inhibition.



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**30.** Who coined the term enzyme for the first time?



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**31.** Name the components of nucleotide



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**32.** What do you mean by Zwitter ionic nature of amino acids?



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**33.** In which ratio, C, H and O are found in the carbohydrates?



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**34.** Name three components of a nucleotide.



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**35.** Give examples of proteins which help in blood clotting at injury



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**36.** Select the wrongly matched pair from the following:



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**Revision Exercises Short Answer Questions**

1. List the functions of proteins and name one protein that performs each function.



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2. Proteins have been called 'biological polymers'. Explain.



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3. What are monosaccharides? Give one example



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4. Differentiate acidic and basic proteins



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5. What is inulin?



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6. What is lignification?



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7. What are ligases? Give example



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8. Explain the terms holozyme and isozyme.



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**9.** Distinguish between apoenzyme and coenzyme.



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**10.** What is coenzyme?



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**11.** Name any three groups of digestive enzymes, their substrates and products.



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**12.** Expand IUB and write about its most significant contribution.



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**13.** How ferment and enzymes differ?



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**14.** What are semiessential amino acids?



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**15.** Can a chemical reaction take place without enzyme ? Comment .



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**16.** What is a nucleotide ?



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**17.** Differentiate between a nucleoside and a nucleotide.



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**18.** Which type of bonds stabilize the tertiary structure of a protein ?



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**19.** Define Michaelis constant ( $K_m$ ) of an enzyme.



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**20.** Although all proteins are made of the same amino acids, explain how your proteins are different from those of a dog.



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**21.** Distinguish between homopolysaccharides and heteropolysaccharides.



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**22.** What are oxidoreductases?



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**23.** What do you mean by holoenzymes?





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24. Define turn over number. Give one example,



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25. Differentiate between anabolism and catabolism.



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**26.** Differentiate between primary and secondary structures of proteins.



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**27.** Differentiate essential and non-essential amino acids.



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**28.** What are derived fats? Give two examples.



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29. Differentiate between primary and secondary metabolites



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30. Identify the given biomolecules



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**31. Differentiate between B-DNA and Z-DNA.**



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**32. What are the functions of amino acids ?**



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**33. What are co factors?**



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**34. What are Prosthetic Group?**



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**35. Define metabolism.**



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**36. What are isomerases?**



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**37. What are the components of a nucleotide ?**



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**38. What is peptide bond?**



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**39. What are prostaglandins ?**



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**40.** What are Lyases?



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**41.** Write notes on : (a) Steroids (b) Wax



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**42.** Give the biological importance of polysaccharides.



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**43.** Explain the composition of glycogen.



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**44.** How do the substrate concentrations affect the enzyme activity?



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**45.** How does pH affects the rate of enzyme activity?



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## Revision Exercises Long Answer Questions

**1.** What is Collagen?



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2. Mention two functions of protein in living system



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3. What are the purine and pyrimidine bases present in RNA?



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4. Define inhibition.



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5. Define metabolism. Describe two types of metabolism.



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6. What are saturated and unsaturated fatty acids?



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7. What are oligosaccharides?



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8. Enlist two biological importance of amino acids.



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9. List two functions of lipids in a biological system.





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**10.** What are essential and non essential amino acids?



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**11.** Describe the components of a nucleotide.



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12. What are Homopolysaccharides?



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Competition File Objective Type Questions  
Multiple Choice Questions Mcqs

1. Name the elements which occur in nucleic acid macromolecule

A. C , H , O , N , S

B. C , O , N , S

C. C, O, P, S

D. C, H, O, N, P

**Answer: D**



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2. Pentoses and hexoses are the most common

Or

The simple polyhydroxy ketone molecule containing 3-7 carbons is a

A. Disaccharide

B. Monosaccharide

C. Polysaccharide

D. Dipeptide

**Answer: B**



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**3.** In the double helix model of DNA , how far is each base pair from the next base pair

A. 3.4 nm

B. 0.34 nm

C. 2.0 nm

D. 34 nm

**Answer: B**



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**4.** Cellulose, the most important constituent of plant cell wall is made up of



A. Branched chain of glucose molecules  
linked by  $\alpha$ , 1,6, glycosidic bond at the  
site of branching

B. Unbranched chain of glucose molecules  
linked by  $\alpha$ , 1, 4, glycosidic bond

C. Branched chain of glucose molecules  
linked by  $\beta$ , 1,4 glycosidic bond in  
straight chain and  $\alpha$ , 1,6 glycosidic bond  
at the site of branching

D. Unbranched chain of glucose molecules

linked by  $\beta$ , 1, 4 glycosidic bond

**Answer: D**



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5. Feedback inhibition of an enzymatic reaction is caused by

A. Substrate

B. Enzyme

C. End product

D. Rise in temperature

**Answer: C**



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**6. Coenzymes :**

(1) Act as a donor of groups of atoms added to the substrate

(2) Act as acceptor of groups of atom removed from substrate

(3) Cannot be easily separated from apoenzyme

(4) Do not act as prosthetic groups Codes:

A. 1, 2 and 3 correct

B. 1 and 2 correct

C. 2 and 4 are correct

D. 1 and 3 are correct

**Answer: B**



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7. A substance unrelated to substrate reversibly changes the activity of an enzyme. It is

A. Competitive inhibitor

B. Non-competitive inhibitor

C. Catalytic inhibitor

D. Allosteric modulator/inhibitor

**Answer: D**



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8. The protein part of enzyme is known as

Or

The enzyme which combines with non-protein part to form a functional enzyme known as

A. Co-enzyme

B. Holoenzyme

C. Apoenzyme

D. Prosthetic group

**Answer: C**



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9. A complex polysaccharide produced from sucrose by the bacterium *Leuconostoc mesenteroides* is

A. Chitin

B. Starch

C. Cellulose

D. Dextran

**Answer: D**





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10. Which of the following enzyme is used in making detergent?

A. Amylase

B. Cellulase

C. Protease

D. Peptidase

**Answer: C**



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11. Enzyme found functional in lysosome is :

A. Acid phosphatase

B. Basic phosphatase

C. Oxidoreductase

D. Lyases

**Answer: D**



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12. Enzymes, vitamins and hormones can be classified into a single category of biological chemicals, because all of these

A. Enhance oxidative metabolism

B. Are conjugated proteins

C. Are exclusively synthesized in the body  
of a living organism at present

D. Help in regulating metabolism

**Answer: D**



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**13.** Carbohydrates, the most abundant biomolecules on earth, are produced by

- A. All bacteria, fungi and algae
- B. Fungi, algae and green plant cells
- C. Some bacteria, algae and green plant cells
- D. Viruses, fungi and bacteria

**Answer: C**



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14. A competitive inhibitor of succinic dehydrogenase is

A.  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate

B. Malate

C. Malonate

D. Oxaloacetate

**Answer: A**



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15. Which one of the following pairs of nitrogenous bases of nucleic acids, is wrongly matched with the category mentioned against it

A. Guanine, Adenine - Purines

B. Adenine, Thymine - Purines

C. Thymine, Uracil - Pyrimidines

D. Uracil, Cytosine - Pyrimidines

**Answer: A**



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**16. In the DNA molecule**

A. The proportion of Adenine in relation to Thymine varies with the organism

B. There are two strands which run antiparallel - one in  $5' \rightarrow 3'$  direction and other is  $3' \rightarrow 5'$

C. Total amount of purine nucleotides and pyrimidine nucleotides is not always

equal

D. There are two strands which run parallel  
in the 5' → 3' direction

**Answer: A**



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**17.** Carbohydrates are commonly found as starch in plant storage organs. Which of the following five properties of starch (A-E) make it useful as a storage material

(A) Easily translocated

(B) Chemically non-reactive

(C) Easily digested by animals

(D) Osmotically inactive

(E) Synthesized during photosynthesis

The useful properties are :

A. 1, 3 and 5

B. 1 and 5

C. 2 and 3

D. 2 and 4

**Answer: D**





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18. Which of the following is not caused by deficiency of mineral ?

A. Chlorosis

B. Etiolation

C. Shortening of internodes

D. Necrosis

**Answer: D**



**19.** Select the correct answer from the following statements :

1. Cutin is fatty acid polymer
2. Starch is glucose polymer
3. Sucrose is monosaccharide
4. maltose is polymer of fructose.

A. 1 , 2 , 3 are correct

B. 1 , 2 are correct

C. 2 and 4 are correct

D. 1 and 3 are correct

**Answer: C**



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**20.** Select the correct answer from the following, DNA can be

1. A-DNA

2. B-DNA

3. Z-DNA

4. Y-DNA.

A. 1 , 2 , 3 are correct

B. 1 and 2 correct

C. 2 and 4 are correct

D. 1 and 3 are correct

**Answer: D**



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**21.** Which of the following statements is/are not true

(A) Glycerol is a 3 carbon alcohol with 3 OH groups that

(B) Waxes are esters formed between a long chain alcohol and saturated fatty acids

(C) The term protein was coined by Gerardus Johannes Mulder

(D) Agar is an indispensable polysaccharide and it is a complex polymer of glucose and sulphur-containing carbohydrates

A. A and C only

B. A and D only

C. A , B and D only

D. A , C and D only

**Answer: D**



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**22.** An example of feedback inhibition is

A. Cyanide action on cytochromes

B. Sulpha drug on folic acid synthesizing  
bacteria

C. Allosteric inhibition of hexokinase by  
Glucose-6-P

D. Reaction between succinate and succinic dehydrogenase

**Answer: B**



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**23.** The haploid content of human DNA is

A.  $3.3 \times 10^9$  bp

B.  $3.3 \times 10^9$  kbp

C.  $4.6 \times 10^6$  bp

D. 48502 bp

**Answer: D**



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**24.** Which is an organic compound found in most cells

Or

Most common monomer of carbohydrate is

Or

The "repeating unit" of glycogen is



A. Glucose

B. Fructose

C. Sucrose

D. Maltose

**Answer: B**



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**25. Which one of the following is ss RNA ?**

A. TMV

B.  $T_2$ - bacteriophage

C. Pox virus

D.  $\phi \times 174$

**Answer: C**



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**26.** Uracil is present in RNA at the place of :

A. Adenine

B. Guanine

C. Cytosine

D. Thymine

**Answer: A**



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**27. The enzyme that cuts DNA is :**

A. DNA -polymerase

B. DNA-lyase

C. DNA- ligase

## D. Restriction endonuclease

**Answer: A**



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**28.** Which of the following be named for DNA produced from RNA ?

A. A - DNA

B. B-DNA

C. C-DNA

D. Z - DNA

**Answer: D**



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**29. Quarternary structure of protein**

A. Consists of four subunits

B. May be either  $\alpha$  or  $\beta$ -helix

C. Is unrelated to the function of protein

D. Is dictated by the primary structure of  
the subunits

**Answer: C**



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**30.** Identify the sulphur-containing amino acid?

A. Proline

B. Methionine

C. Aspartic acid

D. Tryptophan

**Answer: B**



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**31.** Which of the following carbohydrates is not a disaccharide

A. Maltose

B. Lactose

C. Sucrose

D. Galactose

**Answer: D**



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**32.** Enzymes that catalyse inter-conversion of optical, geometrical or positional isomers are

A. Ligases

B. Lyases



C. Hydrolases

D. Isomerases

**Answer: D**



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**33.** The "lock and key" model of enzyme action illustrates that a particular enzyme molecule

A. May be destroyed or resynthesised  
several times

B. Interacts with a specific type of substrate molecule

C. Reacts at identical rates under all conditions

D. Forms a permanent enzyme substrate complex

**Answer: B**



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**34.** The effectiveness of an enzyme is affected least by

A. Temperature

B. Concentration of substrate

C. Original activation energy of the system

D. Concentration of the enzyme

**Answer: D**



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**35.** Starch is a polymer of

A. Glucose

B. Fructose

C. Sucrose

D. Maltose

**Answer: A**



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**36.** Table sugar is

A. Sucrose

B. Glucose

C. Fructose

D. Lactose

**Answer: A**



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**37.** Human proteins can be produced in the milk or semen of farm animals. True or false?

A. True

B. False , proteins cannot be produced in  
milk

C. False , proteins cannot be produced in  
semen

D. False, animals are not used for protein  
production

**Answer: A**



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**38.** ..... Is a globular protein of ~ 6 kDa consisting of 51 amino acids, arranged in 2 polypeptide chains held together by disulphide bridge

- A. Insulin
- B. Keratin
- C. Glucagon
- D. Fibrinogen

**Answer: A**



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39. Select the option which is not correct with respect to enzyme action

A. A non-competitive inhibitor binds enzyme at a site distinct from that which binds the substrate

B. Malonate is a competitive inhibitor of succinic dehydrogenase

C. Substrate binds with enzyme at its active site



D. Addition of lot of succinate does not reverse the inhibition of succinic dehydrogenase by malonate

**Answer: D**



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**40.** Which one of the following statements is not correct?

A. Retinal is a derivative of vitamin C

B. Rhodopsin is a purplish red protein present in rods only

C. Retinal is the light absorbing protein of visual photopigment

D. In retina, the rods have the photopigment rhodopsin, while cones have three different photopigments

**Answer: A**



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41. Which one of the following is a non-reducing carbohydrate?

A. Lactose

B. Ribose-5-phosphate

C. Maltose

D. Sucrose

**Answer: D**



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42. The catalytic efficiency of two different enzymes can be compared by the

- A. Molecular size of the enzymes
- B. pH optimum values
- C.  $K_m$  values
- D. Formation of the product

**Answer: C**



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**43.** Which of the following is correct pair of pyrimidine bases

- A. Adenine and thymine
- B. Adenine and guanine
- C. Thymine and cytosine
- D. Guanine and cytosine

**Answer: C**



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**44.** This is wax

- A. Palmitic acid
- B. Ethyl Palmitata
- C. Hexacosyl palmitate
- D. Sodium stearate

**Answer: C**



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**45.** A tripeptide contains

A. 3 amino acids

B. 4 amino acids

C. 6 amino acids

D. 2 amino acids

**Answer: A**



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**46.** How many phosphodiester bonds are there  
in ATP

A. 3

B. 2

C. 1

D. 0

**Answer: D**



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**47.** Which of the following biomolecules does have a phosphodiester bond?



A. Amino acids in a polypeptide

B. Nucleic acids in a nucleotides

C. Fatty acids in a diglyceride

D. Monosaccharides in a polysaccharides

**Answer: B**



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**48.** Which of the following biomolecules is common to respiration-mediated breakdown of fats, carbohydrates and proteins

A. Pyruvic acid

B. Acetyl CoA

C. Glucose-6-6 phosphates

D. Fructose 1, 6-bisphosphate

**Answer: B**



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**49.** A typical fat molecule is made up of

A. Three glycerol molecules and one fatty acid molecule

B. One glycerol and three fatty acid molecules

C. One glycerol and one fatty acid molecule

D. Three glycerol and three fatty acid molecules

**Answer: B**



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50. The two functional groups characteristic of sugars are

- A. Carbonyl and methyl
- B. Carbonyl and phosphate
- C. Hydroxyl and methyl
- D. Carbonyl and hydroxyl

**Answer: B**



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1. (i) Name three unusual bases present in tRNA and name the bases from which these are developed.

(ii) Name 3 nucleotides which are not constituent of DNA/RNA but take part in metabolic activities. Also name their bases.

(iii) Name the achiral amino acid, symmetric with no side chain.

(iv) Name five amino acid with non-polar side chains.



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2. Refer the graph of two enzymatic reactions and answer the following questions :

(a) What is denoted by plot A?

(b) What is denoted by plot B?

(c) What is C? What is the difference between C of A & B.

(d) What is allosteric modulation?



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**3. Fill in the blanks :**

(i) Biomembrane consists of phospholipids which has one unit of ..... and two units of .....and phosphate group

(ii) Enzymes are globular ..... and has clefts on their surface called .....

(iii) Most food stored in the higher plants is in

the form of ..... but cell wall is made up of .....



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4. What is ribozyme? Who discovered it and in which organism?



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5. Fill in the blanks :

The activity of enzyme inhibited when



modulators bind to it is known as .....  
inhibition.



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[Assertion Type Questions](#)

**1. Assertion :** Glycerides are neutral or true fats.

**Reason:** These are esters of fatty acids with glycerol,

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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2. Assertion : Proteins are linear polymers of long chains made up of amino acids.

Reason: Amino acids are called building blocks of proteins.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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**3. Assertion :** Cephalins are amino acids and on hydrolysis give ammonia and water.

**Reason:** Cephalins are hydrolysed with  $H_2SO_4$  and  $HNO_3$ .

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: D**

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**4. Assertion:** All enzymes are amino acids.

**Reason:** Proteins are formed of carboxylic acids.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: D**



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5. Assertion : LDH has five isoenzymes while  $\alpha$ -amylase has sixteen isoenzymes.

Reason: Isoenzymes perform same function but occur in more than one form.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.



B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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**6. Assertion :** Enzymes are organic catalysts.

**Reason :** They catalyze the chemical reactions .

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: C**



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7. Assertion : Oxidoreductases catalyze redox reactions .

Reason : Isomerases catalyze the isomeric changes.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: B**



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**8. Assertion :** Intake of excess of saturated fats should be avoided.

**Reason :** Saturated fats change into cholesterol which causes arteriosclerosis.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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**9. Assertion :** Oils have lower melting point .

**Reason :** Oils mostly contain saturated fatty acids.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: C**

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**10. Assertion :** Chitin is a heteropolysaccharide

.

**Reason :** Chitin is a polymer of N-acetyl

Glucosamine .



A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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**11. Assertion :** Very low temperature causes permanent denaturation of enzymes.

**Reason :** Very low temperature breaks the disulphide bonds of enzymes.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: D**



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**12. Assertion :** Phospholipids are called amphipathic compounds .

**Reason :** Each phospholipids is doubly charged compound .

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: C**



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**13.** Assertion : The higher the turn-over number the more efficient an enzyme is.

Reason : It is not dependent upon the number of active sites present over an enzyme.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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**14.** Assertion. Nucleotides are the building blocks of nucleic acid.

Reason. Nucleotides are also components of energy carriers and coenzymes.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: B**



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**15. Assertion.** Coenzyme is a nonprotein group without which certain enzymes are inactive or incomplete.

**Reason.** Coenzymes not only provide a point of attachment to the chemical group being transferred but also influence the properties of the group.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: A**



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**16.** Assertion. Carboxypeptidase is an exopeptidase.

Reason. It cleaves the N-terminal bond.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: C**



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**17. Assertion.** A coenzyme or metal ion that is very tightly bound to enzyme protein called prosthetic group.

**Reason.** A complete, catalytically active enzyme

together with its bound prosthetic group is called apoenzyme.

A. If both Assertion and Reason are true and the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

B. If both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

C. If Assertion is true but the Reason is false.

D. If both Assertion and Reason are false.

**Answer: C**



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**Competition File Objective Type Questions  
Reasoning Type Questions**

**1. Nucleotides are acidic in nature.**



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2. GC pair of DNA is more stable than AT pair.



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3. At high temperature, the enzymes stop functioning



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4. Cholesterol and its esters are deposited in the arteries.





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5. In human beings some essential amino acids are required.



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6. The high boiling point of water is advantageous to living organisms.



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7. Apoenzyme alone cannot function.



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8. Co-enzyme can function in association with an apoenzyme.



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9. End products are generally not produced more than their requirements .



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10. Enzymes generally have different pH but same temperature optima.



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1. amino acid : protein :: nucleotides : .....



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2. plants : starch :: mammals : .....



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3.  $\alpha$ -helix : protein :: double helix : .....



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4. protein : peptide bonds :: polysaccharide :

.....





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5. microbimolecules : filtrate : :  
macrobimolecules : .....



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6. anabolism : photosynthesis :: catabolism :  
.....



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7. primary metabolite : amino acids : :  
secondary metabolite : .....



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8. hexokinase : transferase : : amylase : .....



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9.  $\alpha$ -helix : secondary structure : : enzymes :  
.....



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10. purine : guanine : : pyrimidine : .....



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**Competition File Objective Type Questions**  
**Additional Multiple Choice Questions**

1. Which is protein in nature ?

A. Cellulose

B. Terylene

C. Polythene

D. Silk and wool

**Answer: D**



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2. Which is a reducing sugar ?

A. Cellulose

B. Maltose

C. Sucrose

D. Starch

**Answer: B**



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**3. Among following natural materials , largest amount of cellulose is found in :**

A. Wood

B. Fruit pulp



C. Wheat straw

D. Cotton fibres

**Answer: D**



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**4. The polysaccharide formed from fructose monomers only is :**

A. Insulin

B. Lignin

C. Cellulose

D. Amylose

**Answer: A**



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5. An organic substance bound to an enzyme and essential for its activity is called

A. Coenzyme

B. Holoenzyme

C. Apoenzyme

D. Isoenzyme

**Answer: A**



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**6.** One turn of the helix in a B-form DNA is approximately-

A. 20 nm

B. 0.34 nm

C. 3.4 nm

D. 2 nm

**Answer: C**



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7. Antiparallel strands of a DNA molecule means that :

A. One strand turns anti-clockwise

B. One strand turns anti-clockwise

C. Phosphate groups of two DNA strands at their ends , share the same position

D. Phosphate groups at the start of two DNA strands (poles) are in opposite position

**Answer: D**



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**8.** In which one of the following sets of three items each belong to the category mentioned against them ?

A. Lysine , glycine , thiamine - amino acids

B. Myosin , oxytocin and gastrin -  
hormones

C. Rennin , helicase and hyaluronidase-  
enzymes

D. Optic , oculomotor , vagus - sensory  
nerves

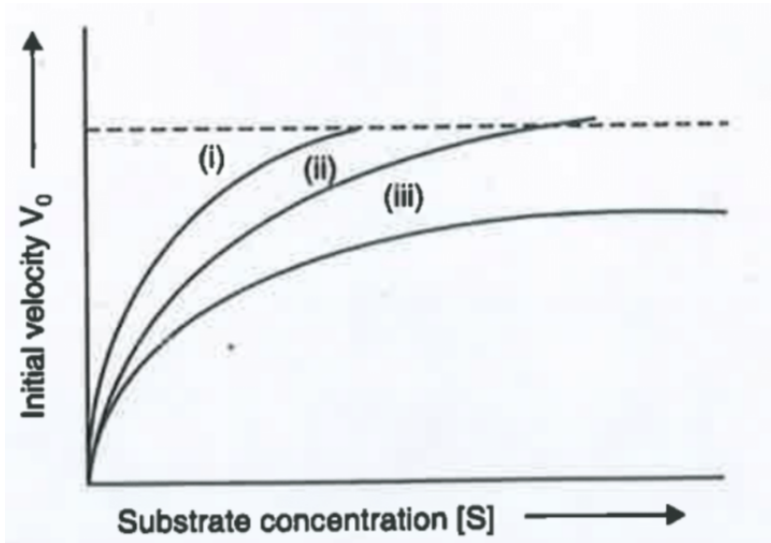
**Answer: C**



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**9.** The figure given below shows three velocity - substrate concentration curves for an enzyme reaction . What do the curves a , b and c depict

respectively .



A. (i) normal enzyme reaction,

(ii) competitive inhibition ,

(iii) non-competitive inhibition

B. (i) enzyme with an allosteric modulator

added .



(ii) normal enzymes activity ,

(iii) competitive inhibition

C. (i) enzyme with an allosteric stimulator ,

(ii) competitive inhibitor added,

(iii) normal enzyme reaction

D. (i) normal enzyme reaction ,

(ii) non-competitive inhibitor added ,

(iii) allosteric inhibitor added

**Answer: D**



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10. Chitinous exoskeleton is found in

A. Periplaneta

B. Ascaris

C. Pheretima

D. Hydra

**Answer: A**



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11. Which enzyme converts glucose into alcohol ?

A. Zymase

B. Diastase

C. Invertase

D. Lipase

**Answer: A**



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12. One mole of glucose on metabolism liberate how many kilo calories of energy ?

A. 180

B. 80

C. 160

D. 280

**Answer: D**



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13. Phosphodiester bond is present in :

A. ATP

B. ADP

C. C-AMP

D. None of these

**Answer: D**



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14. In which virus, DNA is double stranded

A. Hepatitis- A

B. Hepatitis- B

C. Hepatitis- C

D. Hepatitis- D

**Answer: B**



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**15. Which is the most abundant protein on earth ?**

A. Lignin

B. Rubisco

C. Cellulose

D. Pectin

**Answer: B**



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**16.** Essential amino acid which is synthesized by plant is :

A. Phenylalanine

B. Leucine

C. Arginine

D. Serine

**Answer: A**



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**17.** Enzyme responsible for conversion of glucose to  $C_2H_5OH$  is :



A. Zymase

B. Invertase

C. Sucrase

D. Maltase

**Answer: A**



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**18.** How many of the twenty amino acids are essential amino acids for children

A. 6

B. 8

C. 10

D. 7

**Answer: C**



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**19. Bacterial cell wall is composed of**

A. Cellulose

B. Hemicellulose

C. Both (a) and (c)

D. Peptidoglycan

**Answer: D**



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**20.** Allosteric modulation is due to the inhibition action of enzyme by

A. Competitive inhibition

B. Substrate concentration

C. Products of reaction

D. Enzyme concentration

**Answer: C**



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**Competition File Objective Type Questions  
Multiple Choice Questions**

1. Consider the following statements:

(A) Coenzyme or metal ion that is tightly bound to enzyme protein is called prosthetic group,

(B) A complete catalytic active enzyme with its bound prosthetic group is called apoenzyme.

Select the correct option

A. Both (A) and (B) are true

B. (A) is true and (B) is false

C. Both (A) and (B) are false

D. (A) is false and (B) is true

**Answer:**



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## Chapter Practice Test

1. What is the sweetness index of sucrose ?



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2. Give two examples of storage polysaccharides .



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3. What is cellulose ?



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4. Which are purines ?



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5. What is fat ?



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6. What are waxes?



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7. A nitrogenous base is present in RNA but absent in DNA . What is it?





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8. Arrange the following carbohydrates in the order of increasing complexity of chemical structure : fructose, starch, oligosaccharides, maltose, triose.



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9. Proteins have been called 'biological polymers'. Explain.





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**10.** How does temperature and pH affect activity of enzyme ?



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**11.** What are proteins ?



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**12.** What is Catabolism?



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**13.** Differentiate between homopolysaccharide and heteropolysaccharide .



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**14.** What are conjugated proteins ? Give any three examples .



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15. What is saturated fatty acids ?



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16. What are non essential fatty acids? Give example



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1. Most abundant protein on earth is

A. Lignin

B. Rubisco

C. Cellulose

D. Pectin

**Answer: B**



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2. What is Essential amino acid ?



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3. Enzyme responsible for conversion of glucose to  $C_2H_5OH$  is :

A. Zymase

B. Invertase

C. Sucrase

D. Maltase

**Answer: A**



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**4. How many of the twenty amino acids are essential amino acids for children**

A. 6

B. 8

C. 10

D. 7

**Answer: C**



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**5. The bacterial cell wall is formed of :**

- A. Cellulose
- B. Hemicellulose
- C. Both (a) and (c)
- D. Peptidoglycan

**Answer: D**





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6. Allosteric modulation is due to the inhibition action of enzyme by

- A. Competitive inhibition
- B. Substrate concentration
- C. Products of reaction
- D. Enzyme concentration

**Answer: C**



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## Chapter Practice Test Section B

1. What are non essential amino acids?



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2. Who proposed lock and key enzyme hypothesis of enzyme activity ?



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3. A nitrogenous base is present in RNA but absent in DNA . Identify it .



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4. Arrange the following carbohydrates in the order of incereasing complexity of chemical structure : fructose, starch, oligosaccharides, maltose, triose.



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5. Proteins have been called 'biological polymers'. Explain.



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## Chapter Practice Test Section C

1. How does temperature offers the activity of enzyme ?



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2. What are hydrolases? Give two examples.



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3. What is monellin?



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4. Differentiate between anabolism and catabolism.



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# Chapter Practice Test Section D

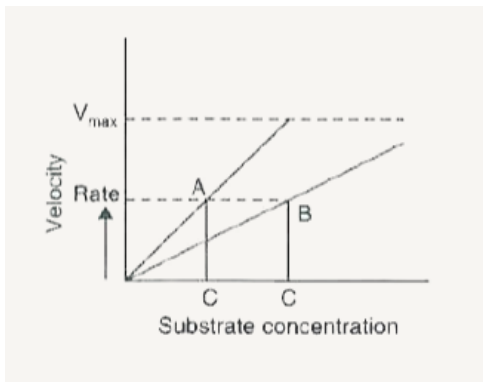
1. Refer the graph of two enzymatic reactions and answer the following questions :

(a) What is denoted by plot A?

(b) What is denoted by plot B?

(c) What is C? What is the difference between C of A & B.

(d) What is allosteric modulation?





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## Chapter Practice Test Section E

1. What is Activation energy?



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## Case Based Short Answer Type Questions

1. What are the base pairs present in RNA?



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