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First Year M.Sc. MLT Degree Supplementary Examinations – June 2014 (Biochemistry)

PAPER - II ENZYMOLOGY, METABOLISM AND INBORN ERRORS OF METABOLISM

Time: 3 hrs. Max. marks: 100

- Answer all questions
- Draw diagrams wherever necessary

Essays: (10x10 = 100)

- 1. Name any five plasma enzymes of diagnostic importance and mention its clinical significance
- 2. Define gluconeogenesis. Outline the pathway of gluconeogenesis from alanine. Name the key enzymes.
- 3. Mention the desirable serum levels of total cholesterol, HDL cholesterol and LDL cholesterol. List the causes and consequences of hypercholesterolemia.
- 4. Describe the sources of carbon and nitrogen atoms of purine ring with the help of a diagram. Mention the purine salvage pathway and mention its importance
- 5. Why is citric acid cycle called "amphibolic pathway". Explain with examples
- 6. Outline the pathways of ketogenesis and ketolysis. What is ketosis and mention the causes of ketosis.
- 7. Describe the normal chemical composition of cerebrospinal fluid (CSF). Explain the clinical significance of CSF protein estimation.
- 8. Explain the fate of bilirubin in liver. Add a note on congenital hyperbilirubinemia.
- 9. What are the abnormal constituents of urine. Mention the principles of the tests to detect them.
- 10. Explain the importance of uronci acid pathway in humans and galactosemia
