

2056
M.Sc. (Bio-Informatics) Second Semester
MBIN-8011: Metabolic Pathway Analysis

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. 1 which is compulsory and selecting atleast one question from each Unit.

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I. Answer the following:-

- a) Briefly explain metabolic control.
- b) Define K_m & V_{max} .
- c) Compare and contrast EcoCyc & MetaCyc.
- d) Give an example of mixed inhibition.
- e) Briefly discuss enzyme nomenclature.
- f) State the transition state theory.
- g) What is oxidative phosphorylation?
- h) How are allosteric enzymes regulated?

(8x1½)

UNIT - I

II. a) Discuss regulation of rate determining enzyme of glycolysis.

b) What are the characteristics of metabolic pathways?

(8+4)

III. a) Discuss catabolic reactions of glycogen and its regulations.

b) Compare and contrast alcoholic and lactic acid fermentation.

(8+4)

UNIT - II

IV. a) How is aspartate transcarbamylase regulated?

b) Discuss analysis of kinetic data.

(2x6)

V. a) Give the derivation of Michaelis-Menten equation.

b) Write a note on overview of enzyme kinetics.

(8,4)

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UNIT - III

- VI. a) Explain metabolic flux analysis and discuss any one method for its experimental determination.
b) Write a note on enzyme databases. (8,4)
- VII. a) Discuss the association of bioinformatics and metabolic engineering.
b) What are the applications of metabolic flux analysis? (2x6)

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