

Q.P. Code :20774**[Time: Three Hours]****[Marks:80]**

Please check whether you have got the right question paper.

- N.B:
1. All the questions are compulsory. Choice is internal.
 2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
 3. All questions carry equal marks.
 4. Draw flowcharts / diagrams. Wherever necessary.

Q.1 A) Choose the **MOST APPROPRIATE** option :(any three)

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- i) The physical barriers that form part of the immune system are -----
 a) skin and all membranes
 b) skin, body temperature and the peritoneal membranes
 c) skin, body temperature and the mucosal membrane
- ii) Neutrophils, eosinophils and basophils are known as -----
 a) granulocytes
 b) non – granulocytes
 c) lymphocytes
- iii) Innate immunity is provided by -----
 a) Phagocytes
 b) T – lymphocytes
 c) B- lymphocytes
- iv) Inflammation reaction is brought about by -----
 a) plasma cells
 b) mast cells
 c) macrophages
- v) Memory cells are formed from -----
 a) erythropoietic stem cells
 b) monocytes
 c) B – lymphocytes
- vi) Passive immunity is obtained through injecting -----
 a) antibiotics
 b) antigens
 c) antibodies

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B) Define and explain **any one** of the following :

- i) PALS
- ii) Opsonin

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C) Write a short note on **any one**:

- i) Phagocytosis
- ii) Lymph node

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D) Justify **any one** of the following:

- i) Cytokines are chemical messengers mediating immune functions
- ii) Cell mediated and humoral immunity are both mediated by T_H cells.

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Q.2

A) Choose the MOST APPROPRIATE option :**(any three)**

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i) ----- has the highest avidity of the immunoglobulins.

- a) IgA
- b) IgM
- c) IgG

ii) ----- mediates type I hypersensitivity reaction.

- a) IgE
- b) IgG
- c) IgA

iii) Which is not a function of IgG?

- a) Major antibody in serum
- b) First antibody type produced against an antigen during the primary antibody response
- c) Activates or fixes complement.

iv) ----- is / are present in IgM

- a) Hinge region
- b) J chain
- c) Only 2 fab

v) Heavy chains can be -----.

- a) α and δ
- b) α and λ
- c) δ and k

vi) Within the antigen binding region ----- shows lesser variability.

- a) hypervariable region
- b) framework region
- c) complementary determining region

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- B) Define and explain **any one** of the following: 02
- Fab
 - Hapten
- C) Attempt **any one** : 04
- Write a short note on Monoclonal antibodies
 - Justify : Antibodies are of more than one type
- D) Answer **any one** of the following: 06
- Elaborate on VDJ rearrangement in an antibody molecule
 - Discuss the detailed structure of an antibody molecule.
- Q.3 A) Choose the **MOST APPROPRIATE** option :(any three) 03
- The metal ion involved in atherosclerosis is -----.
 - Ca⁺²
 - Fe⁺²
 - Fe⁺³
- The oxidation state of iron in transferrin is -----.
 - +2
 - +3
 - +1
- $\alpha_2\delta_2$ is the subunit composition of -----.
 - Hb A
 - Hb A₂
 - Hb F
- Atheroma is -----.
 - a fatty streak that increases elasticity of blood vessels
 - a localized blood clot
 - fat deposition that decreases elasticity of blood vessels.
- Gene involved in Von Gierke's is present on chromosome number -----.
 - 13
 - 15
 - 17
- _____ disease is caused because of defective lysosomal enzyme
 - Von Gierke's
 - Tay Sach's
 - Albinism

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- B) Define and explain **any one** of the following: 02
 i) Father of Biochemical genetics
 ii) Haemoglobinopathy
- C) Answer the following : (**any one**) 04
 i) Explain the etiology and clinical manifestation of an inborn error of protein metabolism.
 ii) Discuss the underlying biochemistry and types of thalassemia .
- D) Answer the following : (**any one**) 06
 i) In detail elaborate on an inborn – error of carbohydrate metabolism, under the following headings :
 1) Etiology
 2) Pathophysiology
 3) Signs and symptoms
 ii) Discuss in detail the sequence of events that lead to the progression of atherosclerosis.
- Q.4 A) Choose the **MOST APPROPRIATE** option :(**any three**) 03
 i) ----- is NOT a characteristic of cancerous cells
 a) Increased synthesis of DNA and RNA
 b) Have rounded shape
 c) Unaltered Nuclear : cytoplasmic ratio
 ii) Cancer of epithelial cells is known as -----.
 a) sarcoma
 b) glioma
 c) leukemia
 iii) P 53 is a -----.
 a) tumor suppressor genes
 b) oncogenes
 c) protooncogenes
 iv) ----- cancers do not form a solid mass.
 a) lymphoma
 b) carcinoma
 c) sarcoma
 v) The philadelphia chromosome is associated with -----cancer.
 a) lymphoma
 b) leukemia
 c) myeloma

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- vi) BRCA – 1 is associated with ----- cancer.
- breast
 - thyroid
 - nerve

B) Define and explain **any one** of the following:

- Neoplasm
- Angiogenesis

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C) Attempt **any one** :

- Justify: “ Carcinogens exhibit diversity”.
- Discuss the physiology of cancer cells.

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D) Answer the following : (**any one**)

- Elaborate on the contribution of Ames to the field of cancer biology.
- Discuss in detail the different treatment modalities available for cancer therapy.

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Q.5

A) Answer **any one** :

- Give the biological function / (s) of : Iron binding proteins; Lysozymes; Paneth cells
- Differentiate between Innate and Adaptive Immunity.

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B) Attempt **any one**:

- In short, explain factors affecting immunogenicity.
- In relation to an antibody, describe the significance of sulphhydryl bond and hinge region.

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C) Answer the following : (**any one**)

- Briefly explain a disorder caused due to deficiency of iron.
- Justify: “Sickle cell anaemia is caused due to a point mutation”.

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D) Answer the following : (**any one**)

- In short, explain the significance of tumour suppressor gene, oncogenes and protooncogenes in cancer progression.
- Differentiate between benign and malignant tumor.

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E) State true or False **any one** :

- All antigens are immunogens.
- Molecular weight of a heavy chain is close to 150kD.
- Clonal selection of cell involved in innate immunity is a way to ensure specificity.
- Polyclonal antibodies are carcinogens.
- All mutagens are carcinogens.
- Most in born errors of metabolism results due to autosomal recessive characters.

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