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First Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, Jan./Feb. 2014 (NS) (2010-11 Scheme) ZOOLOGY

Paper - 103: Biological Chemistry and General Physiology

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Instructions: 1) Answer **all** the Parts.

2) Draw diagrams wherever necessary.

PART-A

Write short notes on the following: (5×2=10)

- 1. Transamination
- 2. Ketone bodies
- 3. Rigor mortis
- 4. Endothermy
- 5. Brown adipose tissue.

PART-B

Write critical notes on the following:

 $(5 \times 8 = 40)$

6. Pentose pathway and its regulation.

OR

Oxidative phosphorylation.

7. Oxygen dissociation curves.

OR

Temperature adaptation in animals.

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8. Glycogen storage diseases.

OR

Oxidation of fatty acids and exegetics.

9. Muscular dystrophies.

OR

Regulation of haemopoisis.

10. Nutritional disorders.

OR

Glyoxolate cycle and its regulation.

PART-C

Answer any two of the following:

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

- 11. Describe the feeding mechanisms and add a note on gastrointestinal hormones.
- 12. Classify enzymes based on type of reactions catalyzed by them and add a note on co-enzymes.
- 13. Justify the need of Gluconeogenesis in biological tissues and outline the steps involved in it.
- 14. Explain in detail on the mechanisms of muscle contraction and its energetics.
