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**B. TECH
(SEM IV) THEORY EXAMINATION 2017-18
MOLECULAR DYNAMICS AND BIOENERGETICS**

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 100

Note: 1. Attempt all Sections.

SECTION A

- 1. Attempt *all* questions in brief. **2 x10 = 20****
- a. Discuss the law of thermodynamics with Gibbs's free energy.
 - b. What are various functions of cell membrane?
 - c. What is P: O ratio?
 - d. Discuss the yield coefficient.
 - e. What do you understand by term bioenergetics?
 - f. How disposal of ammonia occurs in living organisms?
 - g. Define entropy.
 - h. What are ionophores?
 - i. Write a short note on amino acid pool of body.
 - j. What is cell crawling?

SECTION B

- 2. Attempt any *three* of the following: **10 x 3 = 30****
- a. Define Gibb's free energy and entropy. Illustrate how ATP is the universal currency of cell.
 - b. Discuss the biosynthesis of purine and pyrimidine nucleotides.
 - c. Derive the equation for ATP hydrolysis and equilibrium constant. What is the role of high energy phosphate as energy.
 - d. Explain the process of nitrogen fixation. Give the importance of nitrogenase in nitrogen fixation.
 - e. What is the different electron carriers associated with ETS? Discuss in detail.

SECTION C

- 3. Attempt any *one* of the followings: **10 x 1 = 10****
- a. Describe the different models of biological membrane structure. What are the properties of biological membrane.
 - b. What are different transport mechanisms in plasma membrane? Describe Na/K pump and Glucose transport.
- 4. Attempt any *one* part of the following: **10 x 1 = 10****
- a. What is the concept of action potential and signal transduction?

- b. What is the site for oxidative Phosphorylation? Write a note on electron flow as source of ATP with diagram.

5. Attempt any *one* part of the following: 10 x 1 = 10

- a. Discuss the structure of actin filaments. How does G actin assemble to form F actin? How does their assembly occur?
- b. Explain TCA and glycolysis with regulatory and energy forming steps.

6. Attempt any *one* part of the following: 10 x 1 = 10

- a. Discuss the stoichiometry of growth and product formation. Define electron balance, degree of reduction, biomass yield and theoretical oxygen demand.
- b. What are different proteins involved in cell movement and muscle contraction? Also explain the phenomenon of muscle contraction.

7. Attempt any *one* part of the following: 10 x 1 = 10

- a. Write down the laws of thermodynamics. Derive the relationship between standard free energy and equilibrium constant.
- b. What is the structural basis of the high group transfer potential of ATP?