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M.SC. IN BIOCHEMISTRY

(MSCBCH)

Term-End Examination

December, 2025

MBCE-013 : HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Answer any *five* questions. All questions carry equal marks. Draw figures and flowchart wherever required.

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1. (a) Explain how do the primary germ layers give rise to the formation of different types of tissues in the body ? Give examples of tissues derived from each germ layer. 10
 - (b) Describe various types of homeostasis control systems. 10

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2. (a) Give a detailed account on transport of O_2 and CO_2 in blood. 10
- (b) Explain the receptors and their effectors involved in thermoregulation. 10
3. (a) Explain the processes involved in the absorption of carbohydrates, proteins and lipids. 10
- (b) Draw and describe the structure of Bowman's capsule and Glomerulus. 5
- (c) Discuss the role of ADH in water balance. 5
4. Write short notes on the following : $4 \times 5 = 20$
- (a) Renal regulation of blood buffer system
- (b) Diuresis
- (c) Micturition
- (d) Saliva
5. (a) How is heart rate regulated ? What mechanisms the body employ to maintain blood pressure homeostatics ? 12
- (b) Explain the Fibrinolytic System. 8

6. (a) Differentiate between of the following :
2×5=10
- (i) Arteries and Veins
- (ii) Skeletal muscle and Smooth muscle
- (b) Discuss the components of blood along with their roles. 10
7. (a) Describe the energy metabolism in muscle cells. What pathways do muscles utilize to generate ATP ? 10
- (b) Describe various components of the human brain. 10
8. (a) What is a Synapse ? Explain the process of synaptic transmission. 10
- (b) Discuss the role of sarcoplasmic reticulum in muscle contraction. 5
- (c) What are muscular dystrophies ? Name any *two* with their inherited causes and general features. 5

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