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B.Sc. (Hons.) Ag.
Re-examination - July 2019
2015 and previous admission

Ssac.1202

Agricultural Biochemistry (2+1)

Marks: 50
Time: 2 hours

I Fill in the blanks **(10x1=10)**

- 1 Total number of nitrogen atoms present in purine ring is.....
- 2 is an essential 18 carbon fatty acid having 2 double bonds.
- 3 The common metabolic pathway for carbohydrate, lipid and protein metabolism is.....

State True or False

- 4 Double stranded left handed DNA is Z DNA.
- 5 Lysine is a basic amino acid.
- 6 Ketone bodies are produced due to excess oxidation of fatty acids.
- 7 The absorption maxima of protein is at 260 nm.

Choose the correct answer

- 8 Amylose and amylopectin are the components of
a) Starch b) Dextrin c) Glycogen d) Inulin
- 9 The allosteric inhibitor of an enzyme
a) Causes the enzyme to work faster b) Binds to the active site
c) Participates in feedback regulation d) Denatures the enzyme
- 10 Sorbitol is the alcohol of
a) Glucose b) Sucrose c) Maltose d) Lactose

II Write Short notes on ANY FIVE of the following **(5x2=10)**

- 1 Enzyme class Hydrolases.
- 2 Substrate level phosphorylation.
- 3 Photorespiration.
- 4 Mutarotation.
- 5 Epimers and anomers.
- 6 Rancidity of Oil.
- 7 Genetic code.

III Answer ANY FIVE of the following **(5x4=20)**

- 1 TCA cycle.
- 2 Water soluble vitamins and their functions.
- 3 DNA replication.
- 4 Importance of alkaloids.
- 5 Mechanism of enzyme action.
- 6 Secondary structure of proteins.
- 7 Structure of t-RNA.

IV Write an essay on ANY ONE of the following **(1x10=10)**

- 1 Explain the reactions of photosynthesis.
- 2 Describe the reactions of glycolysis under aerobic and anaerobic condition.
