

**Exam. Code : 210003**

**Subject Code : 3794**

**M.Sc. Botany 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester**

**PLANT BIOCHEMISTRY**

**Paper : BOT-C615**

Time Allowed—3 Hours] [Maximum Marks—50

**Note :—**(1) Attempt **All** parts from Section A.  
Each question carries 1 mark.

(2) Attempt any **seven** questions from  
Section B. Each question carries 3 marks.

(3) Attempt any **three** questions from  
Section C. Each question carries 7 marks.

### **SECTION—A**

1. Explain :

- (i) Electrostatic interactions
- (ii) Phosphorylation / dephosphorylation of proteins
- (iii) Significance of uronic acid pathway
- (iv) Cori's Cycle
- (v) Fatty liver and lipotropic factors

(vi) Fatty acid synthase—multienzyme complex and its regulatory role

(vii) Michaelis constant

(viii) What is meant by saturation of the enzyme ?

### **SECTION—B**

- 2. Explain pH and pI with their significance.
- 3. Give a brief account on the different types of interactions present in biomolecules.
- 4. Discuss Pyruvate dehydrogenase (PDH) complex and its mechanism.
- 5. Discuss anaplerotic reactions in detail.
- 6. Explain *de novo* synthesis of cholesterol and its regulation.
- 7. Describe the digestion and absorption of dietary lipids.
- 8. Explain factors affecting enzyme activity.
- 9. Explain the different theories proposed for mechanism of enzyme substrate complex formation.
- 10. Describe various mechanisms for regulation of blood glucose.
- 11. Explain the HMP shunt pathway and its significance.

## SECTION—C

12. Discuss Henderson–Hasselbalch equation and its significance in detail.
13. Describe in detail EM Pathway along with its energetics and regulation.
14. Give an account of  $\beta$ —oxidation of saturated even carbon fatty acid (Palmitic acid) along with its energetics and regulation.
15. What is I.U.B.M.B. system of nomenclature of enzymes ? What is E.C. code number ? What is its significance ?
16. Describe Kreb's cycle in detail along with its energetics and regulation. Justify its amphibolic role with suitable example.