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Name of the Paper : Basic Concepts of Biomolecules

Name of the Course : B.Sc. (H) Biological Sciences

Semester : I

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Instructions to Candidates:

(Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.)

Attempt four questions out of six.

Question number 1 is compulsory.

All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. (a) Differentiate between relative and absolute configuration with suitable examples.
 - (b) Arrange the following in the increasing order of stability:

- (c) Write a short note on Claisen condensation and give its biological significance.
- (d) What is Invert Sugar and why it is so named?
- (e) What are drying and non-drying oils? Give one example of each type. 3×5=15

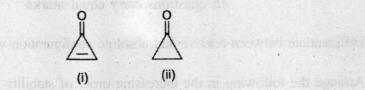
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2. Carry out the following conversion in the compound (A):

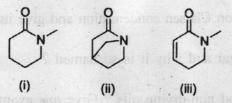
- (a) Fisher to Sawhorse
- (b) Fisher to staggered Newman
- (c) Fisher to Eclipsed Newman.

 $5 \times 3 = 15$

- 3. (a) Differentiate between Inductive effect and Electrometric effect with suitable example.
 - (b) Which of the following two compounds have higher dipole moment and why?



(c) Arrange the following compounds in decreasing order of basicity, give suitable reason for your answer: $5\times3=15$



- 4. (a) Define chirality and stereogenic centre with suitable example.
 - (b) Assign E/Z or R/S to the following compounds:

- (c) How can you differentiate between enantiomers and diastereomers? Explain with suitable examples. $5\times3=15$
- 5. (a) Discuss the Chemistry involved in the following reactions (any two):
 - (i) Retro aldol Reaction (Glycolysis)
 - (ii) Pinacole pinacolone rearrangement
 - (iii) Baeyer Villiger oxidation
 - (iv) Cannizzaro reaction (Sugar metabolism).
 - (b) Define disaccharides. Give the structure of Sucrose. How was the nature of linkage between its two monosaccharide units established?
 - (c) What are reducing and non-reducing sugars? Explain with the help of suitable structures and give *one* example for each category. $5\times3=15$

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6. (a) Draw Fischer projection of β-D (+) – glucose, convert it to Howarth structure and then to the chair conformation.

- (b) Explain oxidative rancidity in oils and fats giving a suitable example. Suggest a method to prevent it.
- (c) Define saponification value and give its significance. Calculate the saponification value of glyceryl tripalmitate? $5\times 3=15$

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