

2018

PHYSIOLOGY

[Honours]

PAPER – II

Full Marks : 90

Time : 4 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

GROUP – A

Answer any two questions, taking at least

one from each Subgroup : 15 × 2

Subgroup – A (a)

1. (a) Write the EM structure of neuromuscular junction with proper diagram.

(Turn Over)

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- (b) How nerve impulse is propagated through neuromuscular junction ?
- (c) Why isometric contraction is more fatigued than isotonic contraction ? $6 + 7 + 2$
2. (a) Give a brief account on the relation between conduction velocity and diameter of nerve fibre.
- (b) What do you mean by relative and absolute refractory periods ?
- (c) How Wallerian degeneration takes place ? Mention the ionic basis of resting membrane potential. $4 + 2 + 4 + 5$
3. (a) Define Cardiac index. Discuss the role of various factors regulating Cardiac output.
- (b) How Cardiac output is determined by Fick method ? Why pulmonary circulation is called lesser circulation ? $(2 + 6) + (5 + 2)$

Subgroup – A(b)

4. (a) Name the muscles responsible for inspiration and state their specific roles.

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- (b) Discuss the avenues of entry of oxygen into the blood.
- (c) What is Bohr effect ? Mention the graphical relation between saturation percentage and partial pressure of Oxygen. $6 + 4 + 5$
5. (a) Discuss the mechanism of secretion and regulation of saliva.
- (b) State the role of saliva in digestion.
- (c) What is Pavlov's pouch ? Mention the significance of such pouch preparation. $(4 + 3) + 3 + (2 + 3)$
6. (a) Write the structural differences between cortical and juxtamedullary nephrons.
- (b) Mention the non-excretory junction of kidney.
- (c) Describe the mechanism of formation of urine in man. $2 + 5 + 8$

GROUP – B

Answer any five questions, taking at least two from each Subgroup :

8×5

Subgroup – B (a)

7. (a) How Cardiac muscle behave as mechanical and electrical syncytium ?
- (b) What is sarcotubular system ? State its importance in muscle contraction. 4 + 4
8. (a) Discuss the role of chemoreceptors in the regulation of blood pressure.
- (b) Mention any two peculiarities of cutaneous circulation. 6 + 2
9. (a) What do you mean by adrenergic receptor ?
- (b) Mention the structure and distribution of acetyl choline receptor in man. 2 + (4 + 2)
10. (a) What is circle of Willis ?
- (b) State the anatomical organization of Coronary circulation. 2 + 6
11. (a) Mention the origin and significance of various heart sounds.
- (b) What is Einthoven's law ? 6 + 2

Subgroup – B (b)

12. (a) Describe the modern concept of regulation of respiration in man.
- (b) What is MBC ? 6 + 2
13. (a) Discuss the mechanism of secretion of bile.
- (b) State the functions of gall bladder. 6 + 2
14. (a) Name the renal function tests and mention the significance of each test.
- (b) What is the function of erythropoietin ? 6 + 2
15. (a) What do you mean by artificial kidney ?
- (b) Mention the principle and significance of dialysis. 3 + (2 + 3)
16. (a) Write a brief note on gall stone.
- (b) Mention the histoarchitecture of taste bud.
- (c) What is papillae ? 4 + 3 + 1

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GROUP – C

**Answer any five questions, taking at least
two from each Subgroup : 4 × 5**

Subgroup – C (a)

- 17. Name the regulatory proteins and mention their
role in muscle contraction. 2 + 2**
- 18. Differentiate between slow and fast twitch muscle
fibres. What is End-Plate potential ? 3 + 1**
- 19. What are neurotrophins ? Mention their role on
nerve growth. 2 + 2**
- 20. Define venous pulse. Why SA node is called
pacemaker of the heart ? 2 + 2**
- 21. What is saltatory conduction ? Mention the role
of subsynaptic web in impulse propagation. 3 + 1**

Subgroup – C (b)

- 22. Define hypoxia. Mention the reasons of hypoxia.
1 + 3**

23. How will you differentiate the duodenum from jejunum on the basis of their histological characteristics ? What is deglutition ? 2 + 2
24. State the role of intrathoracic and intrapleural pressures in respiration. 2 + 2
25. What is autiperistalsis ? Define achlorhydria. 2 + 2
26. Which nerve fibre is called 'nerve of filling' ? What is Ludwig shunt ? 2 + 2
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