

**POST BASIC  
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (NURSING)  
B.Sc. (N) (PB)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2021**

**BNS-102 : APPLIED SCIENCE (BIOCHEMISTRY,  
BIOPHYSICS, MICROBIOLOGY, NUTRITION AND  
DIETETICS)**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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***Instructions :***

1. *Applied Science Course comprises of the following four parts :*
  - Part A : Biochemistry – 18 marks*
  - Part B : Biophysics – 16 marks*
  - Part C : Microbiology – 18 marks*
  - Part D : Nutrition and Dietetics – 18 marks*
2. *Students appearing for Applied Science Course Examination should follow the relevant instructions given below :*
  - (a) ***For those appearing for the first time for the examination of Applied Science Course :*** *The students should answer the questions of all the four parts in separate answer sheets provided. On the top of each answer sheet the student should enter the Enrolment No., Course Code, Course Title and Parts.*

- (b) ***For those who are reappearing for the examination of Applied Science Course : The students need to answer only those parts, on separate answer sheets, which have not been successfully completed.***
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**PART A**

**(Biochemistry)**

**18 marks**

*Answer all questions.*

1. (a) Distinguish between Isotonic and Hypotonic solutions. 2  
(b) Give any two physiological importances of electrolytes. 1
2. (a) Write a brief note on Lipoproteins. 2  
(b) Name any two organic bases present in nucleotides. 1
3. (a) What is meant by Denaturation of Proteins ? Mention any two effects due to denaturation. 2  
(b) Write any two characteristics of Bio-catalysts. 1
4. (a) Write a short note on Blood Clotting. 2  
(b) Name any two abnormal constituents of urine. 1

5. (a) List any three sources for glucose formation  
in blood.

$1 \frac{1}{2}$

(b) Write three functions of cholesterol.

$1 \frac{1}{2}$

6. Explain any **two** terms from the following :  $1 \frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 3$

(a) Hemolytic Jaundice

(b) Plasma

(c) Dialysis

(d) Oedema

**PART B**  
**(Biophysics)**

**16 marks**

Answer **all** questions.

7. Explain the meaning of 'accuracy' of measurement of physical quantities. 2
8. (a) Explain the concept of force giving example from nursing practice.
- (b) Describe the role of frictional force in day-to-day life. 2+4=6
9. Explain the mechanism of therapeutic effect of cold sponging on a patient with high fever. 2
10. Fill in the blanks : 6×1=6
- (a) A glass prism can split a ray of sunlight into \_\_\_\_\_.
- (b) A lens is a transparent \_\_\_\_\_ medium bound by two curved surfaces.
- (c) ECG is the record of \_\_\_\_\_ of the active heart muscles during cardiac cycle.
- (d) When a current passes through a coil, \_\_\_\_\_ is created around it.
- (e) A short-sighted person cannot see \_\_\_\_\_ objects.
- (f) Stethoscope helps physicians and nurses in listening to \_\_\_\_\_ inside the body.

**PART C**  
**(Microbiology)**

**18 marks**

Answer **all** questions.

- 11.** Write in brief about the following : 4×2=8
- (a) Bacilli and Spirilla
  - (b) Endemic and Epidemic
  - (c) Aerobes and Anaerobes
  - (d) Innate and Adaptive Immune System
- 12.** List the portals of entry of microbes into the body with one example of an organism and the disease caused by it. 5
- 13.** Fill in the blanks with the appropriate terms/words : 5
- (a) Destruction of organisms by use of gaseous agent is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (b) Absence or prevention of growth of pathogenic microorganisms in living tissues is referred to as \_\_\_\_\_ .
  - (c) Antibacterial substance which prevents multiplying of bacteria is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (d) Chikungunya is caused by \_\_\_\_\_ mosquito.
  - (e) Agglutination test for typhoid or paratyphoid fever is known as \_\_\_\_\_ test.

**PART D**  
**(Nutrition and Dietetics)      18 marks**

*Attempt **all** questions. Attempt all parts of the questions at one place.*

- 14.** (a) List the functions of nutrients.
- (b) Explain the role of food in prevention of disease. 3+4=7
- 15.** Discuss the effects of disease for nutritional requirement, using examples. 5
- 16.** (a) Discuss the diet therapy in iron deficiency Anaemia.
- (b) Explain the measures for promoting food safety. 3+3=6
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