



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.Sc. Honours 2nd Semester Examination, 2023

FNTACOR03T-FOOD AND NUTRITION (CC3)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.
All symbols are of usual significance.*

Answer any four questions from the following

1. (a) What is mutarotation? 2
(b) Distinguish between – (any *four*) 2×4 = 8
 - (i) D- and L- sugar.
 - (ii) Reducing and non reducing sugar.
 - (iii) Amylose and amylopectin.
 - (iv) Cis and trans fatty acids.
 - (v) Cellulose and hemicellulose.

2. (a) What do you mean by micelles? 2
(b) Discuss the biological importance of amphipathic lipids. 4
(c) Define iodine number. 2
(d) What do you mean by hydrolytic rancidity? 2

3. (a) How do you assess protein quality? 4
(b) Write a short note on Zwitterion. 2
(c) What are meant by N-terminal end and C-terminal end amino acid? 2
(d) Give examples of a globular proteins and fibrous proteins (one from each) 2

4. (a) What is meant by rate limiting enzymes? 2
(b) What happened when glucose reacts with phenylhydrazine? 3
(c) How glucose is converted to fructose? 3
(d) Write the Haworth's representation of glucose. 2

5. Write the names and structure of amino acids with the following groups – 2×5 = 10
 - (a) Hydroxyl amino acids.
 - (b) Sulfur containing amino acid.
 - (c) Amino acids with positively charged side chain.

- (d) Amino acids with non-polar aromatic side chain.
(e) Imino acid.
6. (a) What do you mean by PER? 2
(b) Write a short note on BV. 3
(c) Define liposomes. 2
(d) Write a short note on hydrogenation. 3
7. (a) What do you mean by water activity? 2
(b) How does water activity influence the quality and stability of foods? 3
(c) What do you mean by entropy? 2
(d) Write a short note on colloids. 3
8. (a) What do you mean by K_m ? 2
(b) Define coenzyme. 2
(c) Write a short note on competitive and mixed inhibitions. 2+2
(d) Mention the importance of viscosity in nutrition. 2
9. Define the following term – 2×5 = 10
(a) Ribozymes
(b) Saponification number
(c) NPU
(d) Dietary fibres
(e) PUFA.

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