

# **NAMIBIA UNIVERSITY**

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# FACULTY OF HEALTH, APPLIED SCIENCES AND NATURAL RESOURCES

### **DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES**

QUALIFICATION: BACHELOR OF SCIEN	CE (MAJOR AND MINOR)
QUALIFICATION CODE: 07BOSC	LEVEL: 6
COURSE CODE: CEB601S	COURSE NAME: CELL BIOLOGY
SESSION: JULY 2022	PAPER: THEORY
DURATION: 3 HOURS	MARKS: 100

	SECOND OPPORTUNITY QUESTION PAPER
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	INSTRUCTIONS
1.	Answer ALL the questions.
2.	Write clearly and neatly.
3.	Number the answers clearly.
4.	All written work MUST be done in BLUE or BLACK ink.

### **PERMISSIBLE MATERIAL**

Scientific Calculator

## THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF TEN (10) PAGES

(Including this front page)

### **SECTION A: MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS**

- There are 20 multiple choice questions in this section. Each question carries 1 mark.
- Answer ALL questions by selecting the LETTER with the correct answer.
- 1. Lysosomes can be expected to be present in large numbers in cells which;
  - A. are migrating
  - B. are actively dividing
  - C. carry out phagocytosis
  - D. replicate DNA
- 2. In lactose, the linkage is;
  - A. β-1-4 linkage
  - B. α-1-2 linkage
  - C. β-1-2 linkage
  - D.  $\alpha$ -1-4 linkage
- 3. The stage of mitosis when chromosomes condense to form rod-shaped structures visible under the microscope is called;
  - A. metaphase
  - B. telophase
  - C. prophase
  - D. anaphase
- 4. Cell surface receptors may be any of the following except;
  - A. G protein linked
  - B. enzymic receptors
  - C. single-pass transmembrane proteins for neurotransmitters
  - D. chemically-gated ion channels

	A.	cell division
	В.	lysosome formation
	C.	intracellular digestion
	D.	ribosome formation
6.	Wh	nich of the following organelles and functions are <b>NOT</b> correctly related?
	A.	endoplasmic reticulumphotosynthesis
	В.	vacuolesstorage
	C.	lysosomesenzymes
	D.	mitochondriacellular respiration
7.	The	e surrounds the cell like a belt, preventing the passage of substances between the cells.
	A.	gap junction
	В.	desmosome
	C.	hemidesmosome
	D.	tight junction
8.		o molecules of acetyl-coenzyme A yields what energy rich molecules when metabolized via the ic acid cycle?
	A.	6 NADH + 2 FADH <sub>2</sub> + 2 GTP
	В.	3 NADH + 1 FADH <sub>2</sub> + 1 GTP
	C.	4 NADH + 1FADH <sub>2</sub> + 1 GTP
	D.	3 NADH + 2 FADH <sub>2</sub> + 1 GTP
9.		nich of the following deoxyoligonucleotides will hybridize with a DNA containing the sequence AGACTGGTC(3')?
	A.	(5')CTCATTGAG(3')
	В.	(5')GACCAGTCT(3')
	C.	(5')GAGTCAACT(3')
	D.	(5')TCTGACCAG(3')

5. What are centrioles involved in?

10. Which of the following statements about the regulation of a metabolic pathway is correct? A. Most metabolic pathways are regulated B. Regulation of metabolic pathways always involves changing the amount of enzymes C. Metabolic regulation always depends on control by hormones D. Most metabolic pathways are not regulated The mobile carrier protein that transports fructose to inside the cell using energy is A. SGLT-1 B. GLUT-5 C. GLUT-2 D. All the above 12. Which of the following statements is **FALSE**? A. Cell walls are found in plants but not in animals B. Cell walls are found inside the plasma membrane of a cell C. The main constituent of a primary cell wall is cellulose molecules D. Secondary cell walls contain lignin, a substance that makes them stronger than primary cell walls 13. Migration of cancerous cells from the site of origin to other part of the body forming secondary tumours is called; A. proliferation B. diapedesis C. metastasis D. none of the above 14. Which of the following is a mismatch? A. Polymerase – Taq polymerase B. Template – double stranded DNA

C. Primer - oligonucleotide

D. Synthesis - 5' to 3' direction

### 15. Which of the following apply to intercellular junctions?

- A. The three major adhesive junctions of animal cells are adherens junctions, desmosomes and hemidesmosomes
- B. The junctional complexes of gastrointestinal enterocytes ensure that nutrients are only absorbed through the spaces between the cells, which prevents them absorbing potentially harmful substances
- C. Desmosomes and hemidesmosomes connect epithelial cells to their basement membrane and adjacent cells respectively
- D. Gap junctions and plasmodesmata are homologous structures

### 16. Which of the following statements about the electron transport chain is correct?

- A. The electron transport chain is made up of a chain of electron carriers with increasing redox potential
- B. The electron transport chain is made up of a chain of electron carriers with decreasing electron affinity
- C. The electron transport chain is made up of a chain of electron carriers with decreasing oxidising power
- D. The electrons transferred from carrier to carrier in the electron transport chain gain energy

### 17. The chemical equation for photosynthesis;

- A.  $6CO_2 + C_6H_{12}O_6 ---> using sunlight ---> 6H_2O + 6O_2$
- B.  $6CO_2 + 6O_2$  --->using sunlight --->  $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6H_2O$
- C.  $6CO_2 + 6H_2O$  ---> using sunlight --->  $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2$
- D.  $6O_2 + 6H_2O$  ---> using sunlight --->  $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6CO_2$

### 18. In which phase of the cell cycle is DNA replicated?

- A. G1 phase
- B. Sphase
- C. G2 phase
- D. M phase

- 19. Which of the following statements about the reactions of glycolysis is correct?
  - A. In glycolysis glucose-6-phosphate is split into glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate and dihydroxyacetone phosphate
  - B. In glycolysis fructose-6-phosphate is split into glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate and dihydroxyacetone phosphate
  - C. In glycolysis glucose-6-phosphate is isomerized to fructose-1:6-bisphosphate.
  - D. In glycolysis fructose-1:6-bisphosphate is split into glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate and dihydroxyacetone phosphate
- 20. Which statement about fatty acid metabolism is true?
  - A. The product is pyruvate, which then enters the citric acid cycle
  - B. The product is acetyl-CoA, which then enters the citric acid cycle if there is a balance between fat and carbohydrates
  - C. The product is a short fatty acyl-CoA, which is stored in the adipose tissue
  - D. The product is acetyl-CoA, which forms acetoacetate and D-3-hydroxybutyrate if there is a balance between fat and carbohydrate

### **END OF SECTION A**

SECT	ION B	[80
• The	ere are FIVE (5) questions in this section. Answer all Questions.	
Quest	cion 1	[16]
a) Bri	efly describe the following terms	(6)
1.	Electron Affinity:	
II.	Atomic radius:	
III.	Photobleaching:	
IV.	Electronegativity:	
٧.	Phototoxicity:	
VI.	Ionization Energy:	
b) Use	e your knowledge of atomic calculations to complete the following chart.	(6)

Element name (atom or ion)	Symbol	#p+	#e-	#n <sup>0</sup>	Charge
Argon				20	
Potassium ion	39 K <sup>+1</sup> 19	19			
sulphur ion				16	-2

c) Calculate the field of view ( $\varnothing$ FOV) in  $\mu m$  of a microscope with a field of view index (FVI) 20 and an objective magnification of X40. (4)

### Question 2

[17]

a) Briefly describe the important players linked to cellular respiration

(6)

b) The glycolysis pathway is regulated by THREE (3) enzymes namely;

- (3)
- c) Briefly discuss the aerobic cellular respiration as a metabolic pathway that breaks down glucose and produces ATP

(8)

### **Question 3**

[15]

a) State FIVE (5) basic differences between the nuclear and mitochondrial DNA.

(5)

b) Draw the cyclic form of β–D-galactose

(4)

(6)

c) With the aid of an amino acid generic structure draw a tripeptide

Question 4	[18]
a) Discuss the Bicarbonate Buffer System in blood	(4)
b) Use a schematic energy diagram to show how enzymes speed-up reactions.	(4)
c) Briefly, delineate <b>FIVE (5)</b> factors that affect enzyme action.	(10)
Question 5	[14]
a) Briefly describe the <b>THREE (3)</b> carrier proteins used in active transport.	(3)
b) Describe how Inositol triphosphate (IP3) and diacylglycerol (DAG): with the aid of Phospholipase C enable signal transduction.	(6)
c) Describe the mechanism of action of Sarin nerve gas as a potent irreversible inhibitor.	(5)

# **END OF SECTION B**

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