

**MCQ's on**

# **Bio-Chemistry**



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1. What is the general chemical formula for carbohydrates?

- A)  $C_nH_{2n}O$                       B)  $C_nH_{2n}O_2$   
C)  $C_n(H_2O)_n$                       D)  $C_nH_{2n}O_{2n}$

**Answer: C)  $C_n(H_2O)_n$**

2. Which functional group is present in all monosaccharides?

- A) Carboxyl    B) Amino  
C) Hydroxyl    D) Phosphate

**Answer: C) Hydroxyl**

3. What is the primary function of monosaccharides in living organisms?

- A) Energy storage                      B) Structural support  
C) Cell communication    D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**

4. Glucose and fructose are examples of:

- A) Disaccharides                      B) Polysaccharides  
C) Monosaccharides    D) Oligosaccharides

**Answer: C) Monosaccharides**

5. Which monosaccharide is known as blood sugar?

- A) Fructose    B) Galactose  
C) Glucose    D) Mannose

**Answer: C) Glucose**

6. Which bond is formed between two monosaccharides in a disaccharide?

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- A) Peptide bond                      B) Glycosidic bond  
C) Phosphodiester bond   D) Hydrogen bond

**Answer: B) Glycosidic bond**

7. Which disaccharide consists of glucose and galactose units?

- A) Maltose   B) Sucrose  
C) Lactose   D) Cellobiose

**Answer: C) Lactose**

8. Cellulose is a type of:

- A) Starch  
B) Glycogen  
C) Structural polysaccharide  
D) Storage polysaccharide

**Answer: C) Structural polysaccharide**

9. Which polysaccharide is stored in the liver and muscles of animals?

- A) Starch  
B) Glycogen  
C) Cellulose  
D) Chitin

**Answer: B) Glycogen**

10. Which of the following is a homopolysaccharide?

- A) Heparin  
B) Agarose  
C) Chondroitin sulfate  
D) Amylose

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**Answer: D) Amylose**

11. Which carbohydrate has a linear structure and is composed of  $\alpha$ -1,4-glycosidic linkages?

- A) Amylose
- B) Amylopectin
- C) Cellulose
- D) Glycogen

**Answer: A) Amylose**

12. In a reducing sugar, which functional group is responsible for reducing properties?

- A) Carbonyl
- B) Carboxyl
- C) Hydroxyl
- D) Phosphate

**Answer: A) Carbonyl**

13. Which of the following statements about chitin is true?

- A) It is found in plant cell walls.
- B) It is a polymer of glucose.
- C) It forms the exoskeleton of insects and crustaceans.
- D) It is highly branched and serves as an energy storage molecule.

**Answer: C) It forms the exoskeleton of insects and crustaceans.**

14. Which type of linkage is present in amylopectin but absent in amylose?

- A)  $\alpha$ -1,4-glycosidic bonds

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B)  $\alpha$ -1,6-glycosidic bonds

C)  $\beta$ -1,4-glycosidic bonds

D)  $\beta$ -1,6-glycosidic bonds

**Answer: B)  $\alpha$ -1,6-glycosidic bonds**

15. Which monosaccharide is an epimer of glucose at the C-2 position?

A) Galactose

B) Mannose

C) Fructose

D) Ribose

**Answer: A) Galactose**

16. Which term describes two molecules that are mirror images of each other but cannot be superimposed?

A) Diastereomers

B) Enantiomers

C) Epimers

D) Anomers

**Answer: B) Enantiomers**

17. Which process involves the breakdown of glycogen into glucose units?

A) Glycogenesis

B) Glycogenolysis

C) Gluconeogenesis

D) Glycolysis

**Answer: B) Glycogenolysis**

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18. Which enzyme is responsible for breaking the  $\alpha$ -1,4-glycosidic linkages in glycogen?

- A) Amylase
- B) Glucagon
- C) Glycogen synthase
- D) Glycogen phosphorylase

**Answer: D) Glycogen phosphorylase**

19. Which carbohydrate serves as a structural component in fungal cell walls?

- A) Cellulose
- B) Amylose
- C) Glycogen
- D) Chitin

**Answer: D) Chitin**

20. Which of the following polysaccharides is a major component of seaweed?

- A) Cellulose
- B) Starch
- C) Agarose
- D) Xylan

**Answer: C) Agarose**

21. Which type of glycosidic linkage is found in maltose?

- A)  $\alpha$ -1,4
- B)  $\beta$ -1,4
- C)  $\alpha$ -1,6
- D)  $\beta$ -1,6

**Answer: A)  $\alpha$ -1,4**

22. Which structural polysaccharide is primarily composed of  $\beta$ -glucose units?

- A) Glycogen
- B) Cellulose

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C) Chitin                  D) Starch

**Answer: B) Cellulose**

23. Which polysaccharide is NOT digestible by humans due to the lack of necessary enzymes?

A) Glycogen    B) Cellulose  
C) Starch       D) Amylopectin

**Answer: B) Cellulose**

24. Which monosaccharide forms the basis for the ABO blood group system?

A) Glucose    B) Galactose  
C) Mannose   D) Fucose

**Answer: D) Fucose**

25. What is the reducing sugar formed by the combination of glucose and fructose?

A) Lactose    B) Sucrose  
C) Maltose    D) Cellobiose

**Answer: B) Sucrose**

26. Carbohydrates serve as the primary source of energy for the human body. Which molecule is the primary fuel used by cells for energy production?

A) Glucose    B) Fructose  
C) Sucrose    D) Galactose

**Answer: A) Glucose**

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27. Which organ primarily stores excess glucose in the form of glycogen for short-term energy needs?

- A) Liver      B) Pancreas  
C) Kidneys   D) Small intestine

**Answer: A) Liver**

28. What role do carbohydrates play in providing energy during exercise or physical activity?

- A) They support muscle growth.  
B) They promote fat synthesis.  
C) They serve as an immediate source of energy.  
D) They regulate body temperature.

**Answer: C) They serve as an immediate source of energy.**

29. Which carbohydrate is essential for proper brain function and is crucial for cognitive processes?

- A) Maltose      B) Fructose  
C) Glucose      D) Lactose

**Answer: C) Glucose**

30. Carbohydrates are essential for maintaining cellular integrity and structural support. Which carbohydrate is a major component of the cell walls in plants?

- A) Cellulose      B) Starch  
C) Glycogen      D) Chitin

**Answer: A) Cellulose**



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31. Which carbohydrate serves as a recognition molecule for cell-to-cell communication and immune responses?

- A) Sucrose      B) Lactose  
C) Glycogen    D) Glycoproteins

**Answer: D) Glycoproteins**

32. Glycocalyx, a sugar-rich layer on the surface of cells, plays a crucial role in:

- A) Providing structural support to the cell membrane.  
B) Assisting in cell division.  
C) Facilitating cell signaling and recognition.  
D) Enhancing cellular respiration.

**Answer: C) Facilitating cell signaling and recognition.**

33. What is the function of dietary fiber, a type of carbohydrate found in plant-based foods, in the human digestive system?

- A) It slows down digestion and promotes nutrient absorption.  
B) It provides essential vitamins for gut health.  
C) It increases cholesterol levels in the blood.  
D) It aids in the breakdown of proteins.

**Answer: A) It slows down digestion and promotes nutrient absorption.**

34. Which carbohydrate-based molecule lubricates joints and provides structural support in connective tissues?

- A) Starch.                      B) Cellulose  
C) Hyaluronic acid    D) Amylose

**Answer: C) Hyaluronic acid**

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35. Carbohydrates can be modified to form glycolipids and proteoglycans, which are essential components of:

- A) Hormones                      B) DNA  
C) Cell membranes      D) Enzymes

**Answer: C) Cell membranes**

36. Which carbohydrate is crucial for the development and growth of infants due to its presence in breast milk?

- A) Maltose                      B) Galactose  
C) Lactose                      D) Sucrose

**Answer: C) Lactose**

37. Which carbohydrates play a role in forming the structural backbone of DNA and RNA?

- A) Ribose and deoxyribose  
B) Glucose and fructose  
C) Mannose and galactose  
D) Sucrose and maltose

**Answer: A) Ribose and deoxyribose**

38. Carbohydrates are involved in the modulation of blood sugar levels through the action of hormones. Which hormone lowers blood glucose levels?

- A) Insulin                      B) Glucagon  
C) Adrenaline      D) Cortisol

**Answer: A) Insulin**

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39. Which carbohydrate is used as a sweetening agent in many foods and beverages?

- A) Glucose            B) Maltose  
C) Fructose          D) Sucrose

**Answer: C) Fructose**

40. Carbohydrates in the form of polysaccharides function as energy reserves in plants. Which polysaccharide serves as the primary energy storage molecule in plants?

- A) Cellulose            B) Chitin  
C) Glycogen           D) Starch

**Answer: D) Starch**

41. Which carbohydrate is found in the exoskeleton of arthropods and insects, providing structural support and protection?

- A) Cellulose            B) Glycogen  
C) Chitin               D) Starch

**Answer: C) Chitin**

42. Carbohydrates contribute to the taste and texture of foods. Which type of carbohydrate is responsible for the sweet taste of fruits and honey?

- A) Glucose            B) Sucrose  
C) Maltose            D) Fructose

**Answer: D) Fructose**

43. Which carbohydrate plays a critical role in the formation of ATP, the energy currency of cells?

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- A) Maltose                      B) Ribose  
C) Glucose                     D) Galactose

**Answer: C) Glucose**

44. Carbohydrates are involved in maintaining osmotic balance and cell hydration. Which sugar is commonly used in intravenous (IV) solutions for hydration purposes?

- A) Lactose  
B) Maltose  
C) Glucose  
D) Sucrose

**Answer: C) Glucose**

45. Glycosaminoglycans, a type of carbohydrate-based molecule, are essential components of:

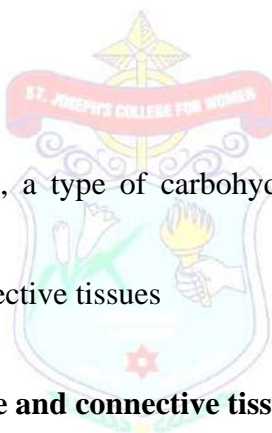
- A) Nucleic acids  
B) Cartilage and connective tissues  
C) Enzymes  
D) Hormones

**Answer: B) Cartilage and connective tissues**

46. Which carbohydrate serves as a protective agent against dehydration in certain organisms, such as some plants and seeds?

- A) Starch  
B) Cellulose  
C) Glycogen  
D) Trehalose

**Answer: D) Trehalose**



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47. Carbohydrates play a role in blood clotting. Which sugar is involved in the structure of the ABO blood group antigens?

- A) Fucose
- B) Mannose
- C) Glucuronic acid
- D) Galactose

**Answer: A) Fucose**

48. Which carbohydrate-based substance acts as a lubricant in the respiratory and digestive tracts, preventing dryness and damage to the mucosal linings?

- A) Hyaluronic acid
- B) Chondroitin sulfate
- C) Heparin
- D) Xylan

**Answer: A) Hyaluronic acid**

49. Carbohydrates play a crucial role in the biosynthesis of glycoproteins. What is the carbohydrate component of glycoproteins called?

- A) Glycogen
- B) Proteoglycan
- C) Mucopolysaccharide
- D) Oligosaccharide

**Answer: D) Oligosaccharide**

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50. Which carbohydrate is primarily responsible for providing energy to developing embryos in seeds?

- A) Sucrose
- B) Starch
- C) Maltose
- D) Fructose

**Answer: B) Starch**

51. Which classification of carbohydrates represents the simplest form, consisting of single polyhydroxy aldehyde or ketone units?

- A) Monosaccharides
- B) Disaccharides
- C) Oligosaccharides
- D) Polysaccharides

**Answer: A) Monosaccharides**

52. What distinguishes an aldose from a ketose?

- A) The presence of an aldehyde group in aldoses and a ketone group in ketoses.
- B) The presence of a ketone group in aldoses and an aldehyde group in ketoses.
- C) The number of carbon atoms in the molecule.
- D) The type of glycosidic linkage present.

**Answer: A) The presence of an aldehyde group in aldoses and a ketone group in ketoses.**

53. Disaccharides are composed of:

- A) Three monosaccharide units

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- B) Two monosaccharide units
- C) Four monosaccharide units
- D) Many monosaccharide units

**Answer: B) Two monosaccharide units**

54. Which of the following disaccharides is composed of glucose and fructose units?

- A) Lactose
- B) Maltose
- C) Sucrose
- D) Cellobiose

**Answer: C) Sucrose**

55. Which classification of carbohydrates includes sugar molecules containing 3 to 10 monosaccharide units?

- A) Monosaccharides
- B) Disaccharides
- C) Oligosaccharides
- D) Polysaccharides

**Answer: C) Oligosaccharides**

56. Polysaccharides are:

- A) Linear chains of monosaccharides
- B) Branched chains of monosaccharides
- C) Made up of only two monosaccharide units
- D) Composed of monosaccharides and lipids

**Answer: A) Linear chains of monosaccharides**

57. Which polysaccharide serves as an energy storage molecule in plants?

- A) Glycogen
- B) Cellulose
- C) Starch
- D) Chitin

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**Answer: C) Starch**

58. Glycogen is primarily stored in which two organs in the human body?

- A) Liver and kidneys
- B) Muscles and brain
- C) Liver and muscles
- D) Kidneys and muscles

**Answer: C) Liver and muscles**

59. Cellulose is a structural polysaccharide primarily found in:

- A) Animal exoskeletons
- B) Fungal cell walls
- C) Plant cell walls
- D) Bacterial cell walls

**Answer: C) Plant cell walls**

60. Chitin, a structural polysaccharide, is a major component of the exoskeleton of:

- A) Insects
- B) Plants
- C) Fish
- D) Mammals

**Answer: A) Insects**

61. Heparin and hyaluronic acid are examples of:

- A) Proteoglycans
- B) Glycoproteins
- C) Oligosaccharides
- D) Polysaccharides

**Answer: D) Polysaccharides**



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62. Which of the following is a characteristic of a reducing sugar?
- A) It reacts with Benedict's solution to form a colored precipitate.
  - B) It is sweet-tasting.
  - C) It consists of only ketone units.
  - D) It is not soluble in water.

**Answer: A) It reacts with Benedict's solution to form a colored precipitate.**

63. Which type of linkage connects two monosaccharides in a maltose molecule?
- A)  $\alpha$ -1,4-glycosidic bond
  - B)  $\beta$ -1,4-glycosidic bond
  - C)  $\alpha$ -1,6-glycosidic bond
  - D)  $\beta$ -1,6-glycosidic bond

**Answer: A)  $\alpha$ -1,4-glycosidic bond**

64. Which classification of carbohydrates includes the blood group antigens and certain antibiotics?
- A) Glycoproteins
  - B) Glycosides
  - C) Oligosaccharides
  - D) Monosaccharides

**Answer: C) Oligosaccharides**

65. Xylan, arabinan, and mannans are examples of:
- A) Oligosaccharides
  - B) Monosaccharides
  - C) Polysaccharides
  - D) Disaccharides

**Answer: C) Polysaccharides**

66. Which enzyme is responsible for breaking down starch into maltose units during digestion?

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- A) Amylase      B) Sucrase  
C) Lactase      D) Maltase

**Answer: A) Amylase**

67. What is the primary function of glycogen phosphorylase?

- A) Synthesizing glycogen  
B) Breaking down glycogen into glucose units  
C) Facilitating glycolysis  
D) Transporting glucose into cells

**Answer: B) Breaking down glycogen into glucose units**

68. Which carbohydrate classification includes molecules that are covalently attached to proteins or lipids?

- A) Monosaccharides      B) Oligosaccharides  
C) Glycoproteins/Glycolipids      D) Polysaccharides

**Answer: C) Glycoproteins/Glycolipids**

69. Amylopectin, a component of starch, differs from amylose by:

- A) Having a linear structure  
B) Having a branched structure  
C) Consisting of only glucose units  
D) Being insoluble in water

**Answer: B) Having a branched structure**

70. Which classification of carbohydrates includes lactose, maltose, and sucrose?

- A) Monosaccharides      B) Disaccharides  
C) Oligosaccharides      D) Polysaccharides

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**Answer: B) Disaccharides**

71. What makes fructans and inulins different from other carbohydrates?

- A) They are found only in animals.
- B) They are linear polymers of fructose units.
- C) They are classified as polysaccharides.
- D) They are not digestible by humans.

**Answer: B) They are linear polymers of fructose units.**

72. Which of the following is a characteristic feature of a polysaccharide?

- A) It consists of one or two monosaccharide units.
- B) It is water-soluble.
- C) It serves as a source of immediate energy.
- D) It is a complex carbohydrate.

**Answer: D) It is a complex carbohydrate.**

73. Which carbohydrate classification comprises sugar molecules containing more than ten monosaccharide units?

- A) Monosaccharides
- B) Disaccharides
- C) Oligosaccharides
- D) Polysaccharides

**Answer: D) Polysaccharides**

74. Glycosaminoglycans belong to which carbohydrate category due to their structural components in connective tissues?

- A) Monosaccharides
- B) Disaccharides
- C) Oligosaccharides
- D) Polysaccharides

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**Answer: D) Polysaccharides**

75. Which classification of carbohydrates is primarily involved in cell signaling and recognition processes?

- A) Monosaccharides      B) Disaccharides
- C) Oligosaccharides      D) Polysaccharides

**Answer: C) Oligosaccharides**

76. Carbohydrates are primarily composed of:

- A) Carbon, hydrogen, and oxygen
- B) Carbon, hydrogen, and nitrogen
- C) Carbon, nitrogen, and oxygen
- D) Carbon, hydrogen, and phosphorus

**Answer: A) Carbon, hydrogen, and oxygen**

77. The sweet taste of carbohydrates is primarily due to:

- A) The presence of ketone groups
- B) The presence of hydroxyl groups
- C) The arrangement of carbon atoms
- D) The type of glycosidic bond

**Answer: B) The presence of hydroxyl groups**

78. Which property of carbohydrates allows them to dissolve readily in water?

- A) Hydrophobicity
- B) Hydrophilicity
- C) High molecular weight
- D) Presence of aromatic rings

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**Answer: B) Hydrophilicity**

79. Carbohydrates are classified as either D- or L-isomers based on their:

- A) Molecular weight    B) Optical activity  
C) Solubility in water    D) Reducing properties

**Answer: B) Optical activity**

80. Which carbohydrate configuration is commonly found in naturally occurring sugars in living organisms?

- A) D-configuration  
B) L-configuration  
C) Mixture of D- and L-configurations  
D) Racemic configuration

**Answer: A) D-configuration**

81. The configuration of monosaccharides can be determined by:

- A) Chromatography techniques    B) Optical rotation  
C) Mass spectrometry    D) NMR spectroscopy

**Answer: B) Optical rotation**

82. Carbohydrates can exist in different forms due to the ability of carbon atoms to form:

- A) Isomers    B) Stereoisomers  
C) Geometric isomers    D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**

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83. Which term describes two molecules that have the same chemical formula but differ in their spatial arrangement?

- A) Isomers                      B) Epimers  
C) Enantiomers              D) Diastereomers

**Answer: A) Isomers**

84. The reducing property of certain carbohydrates is due to the presence of:

- A) Ketone groups              B) Aldehyde groups  
C) Hydroxyl groups          D) Carboxyl groups

**Answer: B) Aldehyde groups**

85. Carbohydrates can undergo oxidation reactions. Which test is used to detect the presence of reducing sugars?

- A) Benedict's test              B) Biuret test  
C) Ninhydrin test              D) Barfoed's test

**Answer: A) Benedict's test**

86. Which term describes the ability of carbohydrates to form cyclic structures in solution?

- A) Tautomerism                B) Anomerism  
C) Cyclization                 D) Racemization

**Answer: C) Cyclization**

87. The formation of a cyclic hemiacetal or hemiketal in carbohydrates occurs between:

- A) Hydroxyl group and aldehyde group  
B) Hydroxyl group and ketone group

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C) Aldehyde group and carboxyl group

D) Ketone group and carboxyl group

**Answer: A) Hydroxyl group and aldehyde group**

88. Which term describes the interconversion between the open-chain and cyclic forms of carbohydrates?

A) Tautomerism      B) Anomerism

C) Mutarotation      D) Epimerization

**Answer: C) Mutarotation**

89. The reducing sugars that can form both  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  anomers are known for:

A) Being monosaccharides with aldehyde groups

B) Being monosaccharides with ketone groups

C) Having multiple chiral centers

D) Having only one chiral carbon

**Answer: A) Being monosaccharides with aldehyde groups**

90. The configuration of the anomeric carbon in a cyclic monosaccharide refers to the orientation of the:

A) Hydroxyl group attached to the first carbon

B) Hydroxyl group attached to the second carbon

C) Carbonyl group

D) Methyl group

**Answer: A) Hydroxyl group attached to the first carbon**

91. Carbohydrates can form complexes with metal ions. This property is known as:

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- A) Chelation                      B) Complexation  
C) Coordination                D) Ligand binding

**Answer: A) Chelation**

92. Which property allows carbohydrates to serve as excellent energy storage molecules in living organisms?

- A) High solubility in water  
B) High chemical reactivity  
C) Large molecular weight  
D) Ability to form stable structures

**Answer: C) Large molecular weight**

93. The viscosity of certain polysaccharides makes them suitable for:

- A) Energy storage                B) Structural support  
C) Lubrication                    D) Cell signaling

**Answer: C) Lubrication**

94. The degree of polymerization (DP) refers to:

- A) The number of chiral centers in a carbohydrate  
B) The number of monosaccharide units in a polysaccharide chain  
C) The type of glycosidic linkage in a disaccharide  
D) The degree of branching in a carbohydrate molecule

**Answer: B) The number of monosaccharide units in a polysaccharide chain**

95. Carbohydrates with a higher degree of branching tend to exhibit:

- A) Higher water solubility  
B) Lower water solubility



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C) Reduced chemical stability

D) Reduced biological activity

**Answer: A) Higher water solubility**

96. The property that allows certain carbohydrates to form gels and thicken solutions is known as:

A) Viscosity    B) Gelation

C) Hydration    D) Emulsification

**Answer: B) Gelation**

97. Carbohydrates with a linear structure tend to have:

A) Greater flexibility    B) Higher reactivity

C) Lower stability    D) Reduced solubility

**Answer: A) Greater flexibility**

98. The biocompatibility of carbohydrates makes them suitable for use in:

A) Drug delivery systems

B) Construction materials

C) Electronics

D) Industrial solvents

**Answer: A) Drug delivery systems**

99. The stability of carbohydrates is influenced by:

A) Temperature and pH    B) Chemical reactivity

C) Molecular weight    D) Optical activity

**Answer: A) Temperature and pH**

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100. The stereochemistry of carbohydrates plays a significant role in:

- A) Biological recognition    B) Mechanical strength
- C) Thermal conductivity    D) Electrical properties

**Answer: A) Biological recognition**

101. Proteins can be classified based on their structure into how many primary categories?

- A) One                                  B) Two
- C) Three                                D) Four

**Answer: B) Two**

102. Fibrous proteins are characterized by their:

- A) Diverse three-dimensional structures
- B) Water-soluble properties
- C) Linear, elongated shapes
- D) Enzymatic activities

**Answer: C) Linear, elongated shapes**

103. Which of the following is an example of a fibrous protein?

- A) Hemoglobin                      B) Collagen
- C) Insulin                              D) Trypsin

**Answer: B) Collagen**

104. Globular proteins are known for their:

- A) Insolubility in water    B) Linear structures
- C) Spherical shapes        D) Structural rigidity

**Answer: C) Spherical shapes**

105. Which protein classification includes enzymes and antibodies?

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- A) Fibrous proteins    B) Structural proteins  
C) Globular proteins   D) Transport proteins

**Answer: C) Globular proteins**

106. Hemoglobin, an oxygen-carrying protein found in red blood cells, is an example of a:

- A) Fibrous protein   B) Structural protein  
C) Globular protein   D) Enzyme

**Answer: C) Globular protein**

107. Actin and tubulin, which are involved in cell structure and movement, belong to which protein category?

- A) Enzymes                      B) Structural proteins  
C) Transport proteins   D) Fibrous proteins

**Answer: B) Structural proteins**

108. Which protein category functions in catalyzing biochemical reactions?

- A) Fibrous proteins   B) Structural proteins  
C) Globular proteins   D) Transport proteins

**Answer: C) Globular proteins**

109. Immunoglobulins, responsible for immune responses, are classified as:

- A) Fibrous proteins   B) Structural proteins  
C) Globular proteins   D) Enzymes

**Answer: C) Globular proteins**

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110. Which protein category serves in facilitating the transport of molecules across membranes or within the bloodstream?

- A) Fibrous proteins   B) Structural proteins
- C) Globular proteins   D) Transport proteins

**Answer: D) Transport proteins**

111. The major protein in hair, nails, and skin is:

- A) Myoglobin   B) Keratin
- C) Elastin   D) Fibrinogen

**Answer: B) Keratin**

112. Which protein category is involved in providing elasticity to tissues such as skin and blood vessels?

- A) Myoglobin   B) Keratin
- C) Elastin   D) Fibrinogen

**Answer: C) Elastin**

113. The protein responsible for blood clot formation is:

- A) Myoglobin   B) Keratin
- C) Elastin   D) Fibrinogen

**Answer: D) Fibrinogen**

114. Which protein category includes proteins like myosin and actin involved in muscle contraction?

- A) Enzymes   B) Structural proteins
- C) Globular proteins   D) Transport proteins

**Answer: B) Structural proteins**

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115. Proteins that function as catalysts in biochemical reactions are classified as:

- A) Enzymes                      B) Structural proteins  
C) Globular proteins      D) Transport proteins

**Answer: A) Enzymes**

116. Which protein category includes proteins like hemoglobin and myoglobin that transport oxygen?

- A) Enzymes      B) Structural proteins  
C) Globular proteins      D) Transport proteins

**Answer: D) Transport proteins**

117. The protein classification based on function can be categorized into:

- A) Primary, secondary, tertiary, and quaternary  
B) Structural, enzymatic, contractile, and storage  
C) Fibrous and globular  
D) Acidic, basic, neutral, and polar

**Answer: B) Structural, enzymatic, contractile, and storage**

118. Which protein category mainly comprises proteins involved in the storage of metal ions and nutrients?

- A) Structural proteins      B) Enzymes  
C) Storage proteins          D) Transport proteins

**Answer: C) Storage proteins**

119. Which protein category involves proteins that provide mechanical support and shape to cells and tissues?

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- A) Structural proteins    B) Enzymes  
C) Storage proteins    D) Transport proteins

**Answer: A) Structural proteins**

120. Proteins that regulate cellular processes and act as biological catalysts belong to which category?

- A) Structural proteins    B) Enzymes  
C) Storage proteins    D) Transport proteins

**Answer: B) Enzymes**

121. Which classification of proteins is based on their amino acid sequence and composition?

- A) Primary structure    B) Secondary structure  
C) Tertiary structure    D) Quaternary structure

**Answer: A) Primary structure**

122. The  $\alpha$ -helix and  $\beta$ -sheet are part of which level of protein structure?

- A) Primary structure    B) Secondary structure  
C) Tertiary structure    D) Quaternary structure

**Answer: B) Secondary structure**

123. The three-dimensional folding of a polypeptide chain refers to which level of protein structure?

- A) Primary structure    B) Secondary structure  
C) Tertiary structure    D) Quaternary structure

**Answer: C) Tertiary structure**

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124. Which level of protein structure involves the arrangement of multiple polypeptide chains?

- A) Primary structure    B) Secondary structure  
C) Tertiary structure    D) Quaternary structure

**Answer: D) Quaternary structure**

125. The classification of proteins based on their shapes, solubility, and functions falls under:

- A) Chemical properties    B) Physical properties  
C) Functional properties    D) Structural properties

**Answer: B) Physical properties.**

126. Proteins are made up of:

- A) Amino acids    B) Nucleic acids  
C) Fatty acids    D) Carbohydrates

**Answer: A) Amino acids**

127. The primary structure of a protein refers to:

- A) The sequence of amino acids  
B) The overall three-dimensional shape  
C) The arrangement of alpha helices and beta sheets  
D) The interaction between multiple protein subunits

**Answer: A) The sequence of amino acids**

128. The secondary structure of a protein is mainly stabilized by:

- A) Hydrogen bonds between amino acids  
B) Disulfide bonds between cysteine residues  
C) Ionic bonds between charged side chains

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D) Hydrophobic interactions between nonpolar amino acids

**Answer: A) Hydrogen bonds between amino acids**

129. Tertiary structure in proteins refers to:

A) The sequence of amino acids

B) The arrangement of alpha helices and beta sheets

C) The overall three-dimensional folding

D) The interaction between multiple protein subunits

**Answer: C) The overall three-dimensional folding**

130. The quaternary structure of a protein involves:

A) The sequence of amino acids

B) The arrangement of alpha helices and beta sheets

C) The overall three-dimensional folding

D) The interaction between multiple protein subunits

**Answer: D) The interaction between multiple protein subunits**

131. Denaturation of proteins can be caused by:

A) Changes in temperature and pH

B) Formation of disulfide bonds

C) Decrease in solvation

D) Addition of cofactors

**Answer: A) Changes in temperature and pH**

132. The process of protein denaturation leads to:

A) A decrease in protein solubility

B) An increase in protein stability

C) Enhancement of enzymatic activity



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D) Formation of native structure

**Answer: A) A decrease in protein solubility**

133. Isoelectric point (pI) of a protein is defined as:

A) The pH at which a protein is fully denatured

B) The pH at which a protein loses its biological activity

C) The pH at which a protein carries no net charge

D) The pH at which a protein has the highest solubility

**Answer: C) The pH at which a protein carries no net charge**

134. Proteins can act as buffers due to the presence of:

A) Hydrophobic residues

B) Ionizable groups in amino acids

C) Disulfide bonds

D) Peptide bonds

**Answer: B) Ionizable groups in amino acids**

135. Biuret test is used to detect the presence of:

A) Lipids    B) Carbohydrates

C) Proteins    D) Nucleic acids

**Answer: C) Proteins**

136. Which of the following amino acids is known to have a sulfur-containing side chain?

A) Glycine    B) Tyrosine

C) Valine    D) Cysteine

**Answer: D) Cysteine**

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137. The primary structure of a protein is determined by:

- A) Hydrogen bonding    B) Disulfide bonds
- C) Peptide bonds    D) Ionic interactions

**Answer: C) Peptide bonds**

138. Which type of bond is formed between the carboxyl group of one amino acid and the amino group of another amino acid?

- A) Hydrogen bond    B) Ionic bond
- C) Peptide bond    D) Disulfide bond

**Answer: C) Peptide bond**

139. Proteins are ampholytes, meaning they can:

- A) Act as both acids and bases
- B) Form insoluble complexes
- C) Exhibit high surface tension
- D) Undergo rapid degradation

**Answer: A) Act as both acids and bases**

140. Proteins that function as biological catalysts are known as:

- A) Enzymes    B) Hormones
- C) Antibodies    D) Receptors

**Answer: A) Enzymes**

141. Protein denaturation leads to:

- A) Destruction of the protein's primary structure
- B) Irreversible changes in the protein's shape and function
- C) Enhanced stability and solubility
- D) Improved enzymatic activity

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**Answer: B) Irreversible changes in the protein's shape and function**

142. The unique sequence of amino acids in a protein is encoded by:

- A) tRNA    B) mRNA
- C) DNA    D) rRNA

**Answer: C) DNA**

143. The hydrophobic effect in proteins refers to:

- A) The repulsion between nonpolar amino acids
- B) The tendency of nonpolar amino acids to avoid water
- C) The attraction between polar and charged amino acids
- D) The stabilization of protein secondary structure

**Answer: B) The tendency of nonpolar amino acids to avoid water**

144. The unique 3D structure of a protein is critical for its:

- A) Transport across cell membranes
- B) Degradation by proteases
- C) Biological function
- D) Nucleotide sequence

**Answer: C) Biological function**

145. The process of protein folding is primarily driven by:

- A) Covalent bonds    B) Hydrogen bonds
- C) Ionic bonds    D) Disulfide bonds

**Answer: B) Hydrogen bonds**

146. Which factor does NOT influence protein denaturation?

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- A) Temperature    B) pH  
C) Covalent bonding    D) Salt concentration

**Answer: C) Covalent bonding**

147. Proteins exhibit specific biological functions due to their:

- A) Molecular weight    B) Sequence of amino acids  
C) Number of peptide bonds    D) Ionic nature

**Answer: B) Sequence of amino acids**

148. The folding of a protein into its native structure is driven by:

- A) Hydrophobic interactions    B) Disulfide bonds  
C) Covalent bonds    D) Van der Waals forces

**Answer: A) Hydrophobic interactions**

149. The solubility of a protein in aqueous solutions is influenced by its:

- A) Molecular weight  
B) Sequence of amino acids  
C) Shape and surface charge  
D) Number of hydrogen bonds

**Answer: C) Shape and surface charge**

150. The tertiary structure of a protein is stabilized by:

- A) Peptide bonds    B) Hydrogen bonds  
C) Disulfide bonds    D) Ionic bonds

**Answer: C) Disulfide bonds**

151. Lipids are primarily classified as:

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- A) Fats and steroids
- B) Triglycerides and phospholipids
- C) Saturated and unsaturated fats
- D) Simple and complex lipids

**Answer: D) Simple and complex lipids**

152. Which category of lipids includes triglycerides and waxes?

- A) Simple lipids
- B) Compound lipids
- C) Derived lipids
- D) Complex lipids

**Answer: A) Simple lipids**

153. Phospholipids belong to which classification of lipids?

- A) Simple lipids
- B) Compound lipids
- C) Derived lipids
- D) Complex lipids

**Answer: B) Compound lipids**

154. Steroids, such as cholesterol and hormones like estrogen and testosterone, are classified as:

- A) Simple lipids
- B) Compound lipids
- C) Derived lipids
- D) Complex lipids

**Answer: C) Derived lipids**

155. Fats and oils belong to the category of:

- A) Simple lipids
- B) Compound lipids
- C) Derived lipids
- D) Complex lipids

**Answer: A) Simple lipids**

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156. Lipids characterized by a hydrophilic head and hydrophobic tail, forming cellular membranes, are:

- A) Waxes    B) Steroids  
C) Phospholipids    D) Triglycerides

**Answer: C) Phospholipids**

157. Which type of lipid has a nonpolar tail and a polar head region?

- A) Waxes    B) Steroids  
C) Phospholipids    D) Triglycerides

**Answer: C) Phospholipids**

158. Lipids that primarily function in waterproofing and protection are known as:

- A) Steroids    B) Waxes  
C) Triglycerides    D) Phospholipids

**Answer: B) Waxes**

159. Triglycerides are composed of:

- A) Three fatty acids and a glycerol molecule  
B) Two fatty acids and a phosphate group  
C) A steroid backbone and an alcohol group  
D) Three glycerol molecules and one fatty acid

**Answer: A) Three fatty acids and a glycerol molecule**

160. Lipids that serve as signaling molecules and are derived from fatty acids are called:

- A) Triglycerides    B) Phospholipids  
C) Steroids    D) Waxes

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**Answer: C) Steroids**

161. Lipids classified as eicosanoids are derivatives of:

- A) Arachidonic acid    B) Glycerol  
C) Palmitic acid    D) Stearic acid

**Answer: A) Arachidonic acid**

162. Glycerophospholipids contain:

- A) Two fatty acid chains and a phosphate group  
B) Three fatty acid chains and a glycerol molecule  
C) A steroid backbone and an alcohol group  
D) A fatty acid chain and a glycerol molecule

**Answer: A) Two fatty acid chains and a phosphate group**

163. Which lipid type is most abundant in biological membranes?

- A) Triglycerides    B) Waxes  
C) Phospholipids    D) Steroids

**Answer: C) Phospholipids**

164. Lipids that serve as energy storage molecules in adipose tissue and are important for insulation belong to the category of:

- A) Triglycerides    B) Waxes  
C) Phospholipids    D) Steroids

**Answer: A) Triglycerides**

165. Lipids characterized by a long hydrocarbon chain and a carboxyl group at one end are known as:

- A) Phospholipids    B) Glycerides

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C) Fatty acids      D) Steroids

**Answer: C) Fatty acids**

166. Saturated fatty acids contain:

- A) One double bond in the carbon chain
- B) Multiple double bonds in the carbon chain
- C) No double bonds in the carbon chain
- D) Both single and triple bonds in the carbon chain

**Answer: C) No double bonds in the carbon chain**

167. Unsaturated fatty acids contain:

- A) One double bond in the carbon chain
- B) Multiple double bonds in the carbon chain
- C) No double bonds in the carbon chain
- D) Both single and triple bonds in the carbon chain

**Answer: A) One double bond in the carbon chain**

168. Essential fatty acids, such as omega-3 and omega-6, are:

- A) Synthesized by the body in sufficient amounts
- B) Required in the diet as they cannot be synthesized by the body
- C) Found only in animal sources
- D) Only necessary for energy storage

**Answer: B) Required in the diet as they cannot be synthesized by the body**

169. Lipids that can act as precursors for the synthesis of steroid hormones are:

- A) Fatty acids
- B) Glycerides



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C) Phospholipids      D) Cholesterol

**Answer: D) Cholesterol**

170. Lipids with high melting points and are more solid at room temperature are often:

A) Saturated fatty acids      B) Unsaturated fatty acids

C) Trans fats      D) Omega-3 fatty acids

**Answer: A) Saturated fatty acids**

171. Lipids that contribute to the fluidity of cellular membranes at lower temperatures are usually:

A) Saturated fatty acids      B) Unsaturated fatty acids

C) Trans fats      D) Omega-3 fatty acids

**Answer: B) Unsaturated fatty acids**

172. Lipids implicated in cardiovascular diseases and often found in processed foods are:

A) Saturated fatty acids      B) Unsaturated fatty acids

C) Trans fats      D) Omega-3 fatty acids

**Answer: C) Trans fats**

173. Lipids involved in the regulation of inflammation and immune response are often derived from:

A) Saturated fatty acids      B) Unsaturated fatty acids

C) Trans fats      D) Omega-3 fatty acids

**Answer: D) Omega-3 fatty acids**

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174. Which category of lipids can be used by organisms as insulation against heat loss or gain?

- A) Waxes      B) Steroids  
C) Triglycerides      D) Phospholipids

**Answer: C) Triglycerides**

175. Lipids are characterized by being:

- A) Water-soluble      B) Hydrophilic  
C) Insoluble in water      D) Strong electrolytes

**Answer: C) Insoluble in water**

175. The primary storage form of lipids in animals is as:

- A) Triglycerides      B) Phospholipids  
C) Steroids      D) Waxes

**Answer: A) Triglycerides**

176. Which property of lipids contributes to their high energy storage capacity?

- A) Low calorie content  
B) High solubility in water  
C) High energy density per gram  
D) Rapid metabolism in the body

**Answer: C) High energy density per gram**

177. Lipids serve as a major structural component of:

- A) Cell membranes      B) Enzymes  
C) Nucleic acids      D) Carbohydrates

**Answer: A) Cell membranes**

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178. The property of lipids that allows them to create a barrier for cellular compartments is due to their:

- A) Hydrophobic nature
- B) High water solubility
- C) Rapid metabolic breakdown
- D) Enzymatic activities

**Answer: A) Hydrophobic nature**

179. Lipids with saturated fatty acids tend to have what physical state at room temperature?

- A) Liquid      B) Gas
- C) Solid       D) Gel

**Answer: C) Solid**

180. Unsaturated fats typically have what effect on the melting point compared to saturated fats?

- A) Decreases the melting point
- B) Increases the melting point
- C) No effect on the melting point
- D) Converts them to gas

**Answer: A) Decreases the melting point**

181. Lipids that have a kinked or bent structure due to the presence of double bonds are:

- A) Saturated fats   B) Trans fats
- C) Unsaturated fats   D) Phospholipids

**Answer: C) Unsaturated fats**

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182. The term "lipid bilayer" refers to:

- A) A single layer of lipid molecules
- B) Two layers of lipid molecules arranged tail-to-tail
- C) Two layers of lipid molecules arranged head-to-head
- D) A three-dimensional lipid structure

**Answer: B) Two layers of lipid molecules arranged tail-to-tail**

183. Lipids are involved in the absorption of which class of molecules in the digestive system?

- A) Proteins    B) Carbohydrates
- C) Vitamins    D) Minerals

**Answer: C) Vitamins**

184. Lipids are transported through the bloodstream in the form of:

- A) Micelles    B) Chylomicrons
- C) Phospholipids    D) Lipoproteins

**Answer: D) Lipoproteins**

185. Lipids that contribute to the regulation of body temperature are found in:

- A) Brown adipose tissue    B) White adipose tissue
- C) Blood plasma    D) Muscle tissue

**Answer: A) Brown adipose tissue**

186. The process of lipolysis involves:

- A) Formation of lipids from fatty acids
- B) Breakdown of lipids into fatty acids and glycerol

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- C) Synthesis of lipoproteins
- D) Incorporation of lipids into cell membranes

**Answer: B) Breakdown of lipids into fatty acids and glycerol**

187. Lipids play a crucial role in the production of which hormone in the body?

- A) Insulin
- B) Glucagon
- C) Adrenaline
- D) Testosterone

**Answer: D) Testosterone**

188. Lipids contribute to the myelin sheath, which:

- A) Protects the cell membrane
- B) Aids in cellular respiration
- C) Provides insulation around nerve fibers
- D) Supports muscle contractions

**Answer: C) Provides insulation around nerve fibers**

189. Lipids undergo oxidation when exposed to air, leading to:

- A) Rancidity
- B) Increased stability
- C) Decreased shelf life
- D) Enhanced flavor

**Answer: A) Rancidity**

190. Lipids with a longer chain length tend to have:

- A) Higher melting points
- B) Lower melting points
- C) Lower stability
- D) Greater solubility in water

**Answer: A) Higher melting points**

191. Lipids with shorter chain lengths are generally:

- A) More abundant in nature

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- B) Liquid at room temperature
- C) Highly stable
- D) Insoluble in organic solvents

**Answer: B) Liquid at room temperature**

192. Lipids are classified as amphipathic molecules because they possess:

- A) High solubility in water
- B) Both hydrophobic and hydrophilic regions
- C) Aromatic rings
- D) Ionic bonds

**Answer: B) Both hydrophobic and hydrophilic regions**

193. Lipids that serve as emulsifiers in food products work by:

- A) Increasing lipid solubility in water
- B) Decreasing lipid solubility in water
- C) Breaking down lipids into fatty acids
- D) Inducing lipid oxidation

**Answer: A) Increasing lipid solubility in water**

194. Lipids contribute to skin health by:

- A) Reducing moisture retention
- B) Increasing skin permeability
- C) Acting as a protective barrier
- D) Inhibiting wound healing

**Answer: C) Acting as a protective barrier**

195. Lipids play a role in the formation of steroid hormones, including:

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- A) Estrogen and testosterone
- B) Insulin and glucagon
- C) Thyroxine and adrenaline
- D) Vasopressin and oxytocin

**Answer: A) Estrogen and testosterone**

196. Lipids that form a protective coating on leaves and prevent water loss are known as:

- A) Triglycerides
- B) Waxes
- C) Phospholipids
- D) Steroids

**Answer: B) Waxes**

197. Lipids that are more susceptible to oxidative damage due to the presence of multiple double bonds are:

- A) Saturated fats
- B) Trans fats
- C) Unsaturated fats
- D) Phospholipids

**Answer: C) Unsaturated fats**

198. Lipids contribute to the creation of lipid rafts in cell membranes, which:

- A) Assist in cell division
- B) Facilitate cell signaling
- C) Promote cell migration
- D) Enhance cell adhesion

**Answer: B) Facilitate cell signaling**

199. Nucleic acids are classified into which two major types?

- A) DNA and tRNA
- B) RNA and mRNA
- C) DNA and RNA
- D) mRNA and rRNA

**Answer: C) DNA and RNA**

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200. The primary function of DNA is to:

- A) Carry out protein synthesis
- B) Store and transmit genetic information
- C) Form ribosomes
- D) Catalyze biochemical reactions

**Answer: B) Store and transmit genetic information**

201. Which nucleic acid is single-stranded and involved in various cellular functions, including protein synthesis?

- A) mRNA      B) tRNA
- C) rRNA      D) DNA

**Answer: A) mRNA**

202. Ribosomal RNA (rRNA) is primarily associated with:

- A) Transferring amino acids during protein synthesis
- B) Encoding genetic information
- C) Forming the structure of ribosomes
- D) Storing genetic information

**Answer: C) Forming the structure of ribosomes**

203. Transfer RNA (tRNA) functions in:

- A) Transcription      B) Translation
- C) Replication      D) Genetic recombination

**Answer: B) Translation**

204. The genetic material of many viruses consists of:

- A) DNA only    B) RNA only
- C) Both DNA and RNA    D) Proteins



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**Answer: C) Both DNA and RNA**

205. RNA differs from DNA in that RNA:

- A) Contains thymine
- B) Has a double-stranded helical structure
- C) Contains ribose sugar
- D) Has a deoxyribose sugar

**Answer: C) Contains ribose sugar**

206. DNA is made up of repeating units called:

- A) Nucleosides   B) Nucleotides
- C) Amino acids   D) Phospholipids

**Answer: B) Nucleotides**

207. The three components of a nucleotide include:

- A) Nitrogenous base, ribose sugar, and phosphate group
- B) Nitrogenous base, deoxyribose sugar, and phosphate group
- C) Nitrogenous base, fructose sugar, and phosphate group
- D) Nitrogenous base, glucose sugar, and phosphate group

**Answer: A) Nitrogenous base, ribose sugar, and phosphate group**

208. The complementary base pairing in DNA involves adenine (A) pairing with:

- A) Uracil (U)   B) Thymine (T)
- C) Guanine (G)   D) Cytosine (C)

**Answer: B) Thymine (T)**

209. In RNA, adenine (A) pairs with:

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- A) Uracil (U)   B) Thymine (T)  
C) Guanine (G)   D) Cytosine (C)

**Answer: A) Uracil (U)**

210. Which base pair is held together by two hydrogen bonds in both DNA and RNA?

- A) Adenine (A) - Thymine (T)  
B) Adenine (A) - Uracil (U)  
C) Guanine (G) - Cytosine (C)  
D) Guanine (G) - Thymine (T)

**Answer: C) Guanine (G) - Cytosine (C)**

211. The base pairs in DNA are arranged in a structure referred to as a:

- A) Single helix  
B) Double helix  
C) Triple helix  
D) Quadruple helix

**Answer: B) Double helix**

212. RNA molecules typically exhibit what kind of structure compared to DNA?

- A) Double-stranded  
B) Single-stranded  
C) Helical structure  
D) Coiled-coil structure

**Answer: B) Single-stranded**

213. Messenger RNA (mRNA) carries genetic information from DNA to:

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- A) Ribosomes
- B) Nucleus
- C) Endoplasmic reticulum
- D) Golgi apparatus

**Answer: A) Ribosomes**

214. DNA replication involves the synthesis of:

- A) RNA molecules
- B) Protein molecules
- C) DNA molecules
- D) Lipid molecules

**Answer: C) DNA molecules**

215. Which enzyme is responsible for unwinding the DNA double helix during replication?

- A) DNA polymerase
- B) DNA helicase
- C) RNA polymerase
- D) DNA ligase

**Answer: B) DNA helicase**

216. The enzyme responsible for adding new nucleotides to the growing DNA strand during replication is:

- A) DNA polymerase
- B) DNA helicase
- C) RNA polymerase
- D) DNA ligase

**Answer: A) DNA polymerase**



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217. The central dogma of molecular biology states that information flows from:

- A) DNA to RNA to proteins
- B) Proteins to RNA to DNA
- C) RNA to DNA to proteins
- D) Proteins to DNA to RNA

**Answer: A) DNA to RNA to proteins**

218. The genetic code is made up of how many nucleotide bases in DNA and RNA?

- A) Three
- B) Four
- C) Five
- D) Six

**Answer: B) Four**

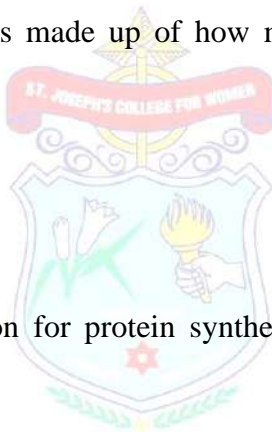
219. The initiation codon for protein synthesis is represented by the sequence:

- A) AUG
- B) UAA
- C) UAG
- D) UGA

**Answer: A) AUG**

220. Stop codons that signal the termination of protein synthesis include:

- A) AUG



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- B) UAA, UAG, UGA
- C) GGC
- D) ACC

**Answer: B) UAA, UAG, UGA**

221. Which RNA molecule carries amino acids to the ribosome during protein synthesis?

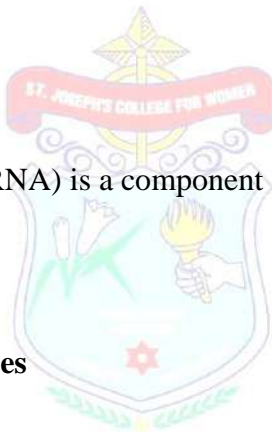
- A) mRNA
- B) tRNA
- C) rRNA
- D) snRNA

**Answer: B) tRNA**

222. Ribosomal RNA (rRNA) is a component of:

- A) Ribosomes
- B) tRNA
- C) mRNA
- D) Chromosomes

**Answer: A) Ribosomes**



223. DNA and RNA are synthesized in the 5' to 3' direction, referring to the directionality of their:

- A) Sugar-phosphate backbone
- B) Nitrogenous bases
- C) Hydrogen bonds
- D) Phosphodiester bonds

**Answer: A) Sugar-phosphate backbone**

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224. Nucleic acids are polymers composed of repeating units called:

- A) Amino acids
- B) Nucleotides
- C) Monosaccharides
- D) Fatty acids

**Answer: B) Nucleotides**

225. Which nucleic acid contains the sugar deoxyribose?

- A) DNA
- B) mRNA
- C) tRNA
- D) rRNA

**Answer: A) DNA**

226. The complementary base pairing in DNA involves which pairs of nitrogenous bases?

- A) Adenine-Thymine and Guanine-Cytosine
- B) Adenine-Uracil and Guanine-Cytosine
- C) Adenine-Cytosine and Guanine-Thymine
- D) Adenine-Guanine and Thymine-Cytosine

**Answer: A) Adenine-Thymine and Guanine-Cytosine**

227. RNA differs from DNA in that RNA contains:

- A) Deoxyribose sugar
- B) Thymine as a base
- C) Uracil as a base
- D) A double-stranded helical structure

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**Answer: C) Uracil as a base**

228. What type of bond connects the nucleotides in a nucleic acid chain?

- A) Hydrogen bond
- B) Ionic bond
- C) Phosphodiester bond
- D) Peptide bond

**Answer: C) Phosphodiester bond**

229. The directionality of a nucleic acid chain is defined by:

- A) The sequence of nitrogenous bases
- B) The arrangement of phosphodiester bonds
- C) The 3' and 5' carbons of the sugar molecule
- D) The presence of hydrogen bonds

**Answer: C) The 3' and 5' carbons of the sugar molecule**

230. Which DNA structure was elucidated by Watson and Crick?

- A) Triple helix
- B) Quadruple helix
- C) Double helix
- D) Single helix

**Answer: C) Double helix**

231. The process by which DNA unwinds and separates into two strands during replication or transcription is called:

- A) Ligation
- B) Denaturation

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- C) Polymerization
- D) Transcription

**Answer: B) Denaturation**

232. Which enzyme is responsible for synthesizing RNA from a DNA template during transcription?

- A) DNA ligase
- B) RNA polymerase
- C) DNA polymerase
- D) Helicase

**Answer: B) RNA polymerase**

233. RNA processing involves the removal of:

- A) Introns and exons
- B) Introns only
- C) Exons only
- D) Exons and promoters

**Answer: B) Introns only**

234. The primary function of tRNA during protein synthesis is to:

- A) Carry amino acids to the ribosome
- B) Form the structure of ribosomes
- C) Code for specific amino acids
- D) Serve as a template for DNA replication

**Answer: A) Carry amino acids to the ribosome**

235. The genetic code is considered degenerate because:

- A) It contains only two nucleotide bases
- B) Some amino acids are specified by multiple codons



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- C) Each codon codes for multiple amino acids
- D) It is not involved in protein synthesis

**Answer: B) Some amino acids are specified by multiple codons**

236. The term "antiparallel" refers to the arrangement of DNA strands, meaning:

- A) The two strands run in the same direction
- B) The two strands have opposite orientations
- C) The two strands are complementary
- D) The two strands form hydrogen bonds

**Answer: B) The two strands have opposite orientations**

237. The stability of DNA is primarily due to:

- A) Hydrogen bonding between bases
- B) Ionic interactions between phosphate groups
- C) Covalent bonds between nucleotides
- D) Van der Waals forces between sugar molecules

**Answer: A) Hydrogen bonding between bases**

238. Which type of DNA replication results in one parental strand and one newly synthesized daughter strand?

- A) Conservative replication
- B) Semiconservative replication
- C) Dispersive replication
- D) Meselson-Stahl replication

**Answer: B) Semiconservative replication**

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239. The shape of DNA resembling a twisted ladder or spiral staircase is known as a:

- A) Helix
- B) Ribbon structure
- C) Z-DNA
- D) Beta-sheet

**Answer: A) Helix**

240. The melting temperature ( $T_m$ ) of DNA refers to:

- A) The temperature at which DNA replicates
- B) The temperature at which DNA denatures or melts
- C) The temperature at which DNA forms a helix
- D) The optimum temperature for DNA polymerase activity

**Answer: B) The temperature at which DNA denatures or melts**

241. DNA exhibits absorbance of UV light at around 260 nm due to the presence of:

- A) Phosphate groups
- B) Nitrogenous bases
- C) Sugar molecules
- D) Hydrogen bonds

**Answer: B) Nitrogenous bases**

242. Which nucleic acid property is crucial for molecular techniques like PCR (polymerase chain reaction)?

- A) RNA stability
- B) DNA replication
- C) DNA denaturation

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D) RNA processing

**Answer: B) DNA replication**

243. The tertiary structure of RNA molecules is influenced by:

A) Hydrogen bonding

B) Covalent bonding

C) Ionic interactions

D) Intramolecular base pairing

**Answer: D) Intramolecular base pairing**

244. The stability of RNA molecules is generally lower compared to DNA due to the presence of:

A) Ribose sugar

B) Deoxyribose sugar

C) Uracil instead of thymine

D) A single-stranded structure

**Answer: A) Ribose sugar**

245. Which property of nucleic acids allows for the formation of complementary sequences and base pairing?

A) Polymerization

B) Antiparallel orientation

C) Sequence specificity

D) Amphipathic nature

**Answer: C) Sequence specificity**

246. Nucleic acids are typically negatively charged due to the presence of:

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- A) Phosphate groups
- B) Sugar molecules
- C) Hydrogen bonds
- D) Nitrogenous bases

**Answer: A) Phosphate groups**

247. Nucleic acids are susceptible to degradation by enzymes known as:

- A) Proteases
- B) Lipases
- C) Nucleases
- D) Amylases

**Answer: C) Nucleases**

248. The thermal stability of nucleic acids can be affected by changes in:

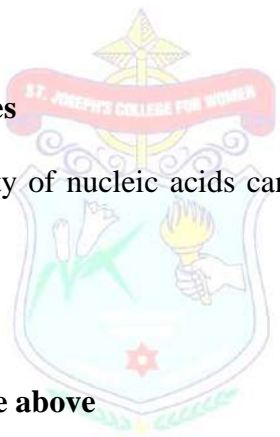
- A) pH
- B) Temperature
- C) Ionic strength
- D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**

249. Which vitamin is fat-soluble and essential for blood clotting?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin E
- C) Vitamin K
- D) Vitamin D

**Answer: C) Vitamin K**



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250. Vitamin B1 is also known as:

- A) Thiamine
- B) Riboflavin
- C) Niacin
- D) Pyridoxine

**Answer: A) Thiamine**

251. Vitamin B2 is commonly referred to as:

- A) Thiamine
- B) Riboflavin
- C) Niacin
- D) Pyridoxine

**Answer: B) Riboflavin**

252. Which vitamin is essential for maintaining healthy vision?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin D
- C) Vitamin E
- D) Vitamin K

**Answer: A) Vitamin A**

253. Vitamin B3 is also known as:

- A) Thiamine
- B) Riboflavin
- C) Niacin
- D) Pyridoxine

**Answer: C) Niacin**



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254. Vitamin B6 is commonly referred to as:

- A) Thiamine
- B) Riboflavin
- C) Niacin
- D) Pyridoxine

**Answer: D) Pyridoxine**

255. Vitamin B7 is also known as:

- A) Biotin
- B) Folate
- C) Cobalamin
- D) Pantothenic acid

**Answer: A) Biotin**

256. Vitamin C is also known as:

- A) Ascorbic acid
- B) Tocopherol
- C) Retinol
- D) Calciferol

**Answer: A) Ascorbic acid**

257. Vitamin B12 is commonly referred to as:

- A) Biotin
- B) Folate
- C) Cobalamin
- D) Pantothenic acid

**Answer: C) Cobalamin**



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258. Vitamin D is essential for:

- A) Blood clotting
- B) Calcium absorption and bone health
- C) Antioxidant function
- D) Vision

**Answer: B) Calcium absorption and bone health**

259. Which vitamin is crucial for the formation of collagen and the healing of wounds?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin C
- C) Vitamin E
- D) Vitamin K

**Answer: B) Vitamin C**

260. Vitamin E is known for its role as a(n):

- A) Antioxidant
- B) Blood clotting factor
- C) Bone mineralizer
- D) Essential for night vision

**Answer: A) Antioxidant**

261. Vitamin K is necessary for:

- A) Proper functioning of the nervous system
- B) Blood clotting and bone metabolism
- C) Wound healing
- D) Absorption of calcium

**Answer: B) Blood clotting and bone metabolism**



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262. Vitamin A is important for:

- A) Healthy skin, vision, and immune function
- B) Blood clotting
- C) Calcium absorption
- D) Production of red blood cells

**Answer: A) Healthy skin, vision, and immune function**

263. Vitamin B5 is commonly known as:

- A) Biotin
- B) Folate
- C) Cobalamin
- D) Pantothenic acid

**Answer: D) Pantothenic acid**

264. Vitamin B9 is also known as:

- A) Biotin
- B) Folate
- C) Cobalamin
- D) Pantothenic acid

**Answer: B) Folate**

265. Vitamin B1 deficiency can lead to which condition?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Beriberi
- D) Rickets

**Answer: C) Beriberi**





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266. Vitamin B3 deficiency may result in:

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Beriberi
- D) Rickets

**Answer: B) Pellagra**

267. Vitamin D deficiency can cause:

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Beriberi
- D) Rickets

**Answer: D) Rickets**

268. What condition is caused by a deficiency in Vitamin C?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Beriberi
- D) Rickets

**Answer: A) Scurvy**

269. Vitamin B2 deficiency may lead to:

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Beriberi
- D) Ariboflavinosis

**Answer: D) Ariboflavinosis**



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270. Which vitamin deficiency can cause night blindness?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin D
- C) Vitamin K
- D) Vitamin E

**Answer: A) Vitamin A**

271. Vitamin E deficiency can result in:

- A) Rickets
- B) Pellagra
- C) Night blindness
- D) Neuromuscular disorders

**Answer: D) Neuromuscular disorders**

272. Which vitamin deficiency can lead to pernicious anemia?

- A) Vitamin B6
- B) Vitamin B9
- C) Vitamin B12
- D) Vitamin B2

**Answer: C) Vitamin B12**

273. Vitamin B7 (Biotin) deficiency might result in:

- A) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- B) Beriberi
- C) Scurvy
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: A) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms**

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274. Vitamin B5 (Pantothenic acid) deficiency can lead to:

- A) Anemia
- B) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- C) Rickets
- D) Beriberi

**Answer: A) Anemia**

275. A deficiency of which vitamin might result in pellagra?

- A) Vitamin B1
- B) Vitamin B2
- C) Vitamin B3
- D) Vitamin B5

**Answer: C) Vitamin B3**

276. Vitamin B6 deficiency can cause:

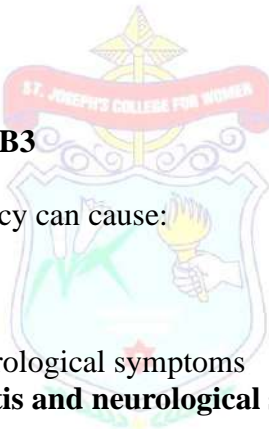
- A) Scurvy
- B) Beriberi
- C) Night blindness
- D) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms

**Answer: D) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms**

277. Vitamin B9 (Folate) deficiency is associated with:

- A) Night blindness
- B) Anemia and birth defects
- C) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- D) Rickets

**Answer: B) Anemia and birth defects**



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278. Vitamin C is vital for the synthesis of:

- A) Collagen
- B) Hemoglobin
- C) Melatonin
- D) Dopamine

**Answer: A) Collagen**

279. Vitamin K plays a crucial role in:

- A) Blood clotting
- B) Energy production
- C) Bone development
- D) Red blood cell synthesis

**Answer: A) Blood clotting**

280. Vitamin D helps in the absorption of:

- A) Iron
- B) Calcium and phosphorus
- C) Magnesium
- D) Potassium

**Answer: B) Calcium and phosphorus**

281. Vitamin E functions as a powerful:

- A) Antioxidant
- B) Blood clotting factor
- C) Coenzyme in energy metabolism
- D) Bone mineralizer

**Answer: A) Antioxidant**

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282. Vitamin A is essential for maintaining:

- A) Healthy skin and vision
- B) Bone health
- C) Blood clotting
- D) Energy production

**Answer: A) Healthy skin and vision**

283. Vitamin B12 is crucial for the formation of:

- A) Red blood cells
- B) Collagen
- C) Neurotransmitters
- D) Bone matrix

**Answer: A) Red blood cells**

284. Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin) is essential for:

- A) Energy production
- B) Blood clotting
- C) Collagen synthesis
- D) Neurotransmitter synthesis

**Answer: A) Energy production**

285. Vitamin B3 (Niacin) plays a role in:

- A) Energy production
- B) Blood clotting
- C) Collagen synthesis
- D) Neurotransmitter synthesis

**Answer: A) Energy production**



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286. Vitamin B1 (Thiamine) functions in:

- A) Energy production
- B) Blood clotting
- C) Collagen synthesis
- D) Neurotransmitter synthesis

**Answer: A) Energy production**

287. Vitamin B5 (Pantothenic acid) is involved in:

- A) Energy production
- B) Blood clotting
- C) Collagen synthesis
- D) Neurotransmitter synthesis

**Answer: A) Energy production**

288. Vitamin B7 (Biotin) plays a role in:

- A) Energy production
- B) Blood clotting
- C) Collagen synthesis
- D) Neurotransmitter synthesis

**Answer: A) Energy production**

289. Which vitamins are water-soluble?

- A) Vitamin A, D, E, K
- B) Vitamin B, C
- C) Vitamin A, B, D
- D) Vitamin C, D, E

**Answer: B) Vitamin B, C**



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290. Which vitamins are fat-soluble?

- A) Vitamin A, D, E, K
- B) Vitamin B, C
- C) Vitamin A, B, D
- D) Vitamin C, D, E

**Answer: A) Vitamin A, D, E, K**

291. What is the primary source of Vitamin D for the human body?

- A) Dairy products
- B) Sunlight exposure
- C) Green leafy vegetables
- D) Meat and fish

**Answer: B) Sunlight exposure**

292. Vitamin A deficiency can lead to:

- A) Night blindness and xerophthalmia
- B) Rickets
- C) Beriberi
- D) Anemia

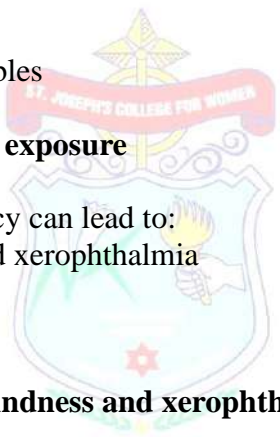
**Answer: A) Night blindness and xerophthalmia**

293. What is the main source of Vitamin A in the diet?

- A) Citrus fruits
- B) Milk and dairy products
- C) Green leafy vegetables
- D) Liver, fish, and eggs

**Answer: D) Liver, fish, and eggs**

294. Vitamin K deficiency can cause:



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- A) Osteoporosis
- B) Scurvy
- C) Hemorrhagic disorders
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: C) Hemorrhagic disorders**

295. Vitamin B1 (Thiamine) is involved in which metabolic process?

- A) Protein synthesis
- B) Carbohydrate metabolism
- C) Lipid synthesis
- D) DNA replication

**Answer: B) Carbohydrate metabolism**

296. Vitamin B9 (Folate) deficiency in pregnant women may lead to:

- A) Scurvy
- B) Neural tube defects in the fetus
- C) Rickets
- D) Anemia

**Answer: B) Neural tube defects in the fetus**

297. Vitamin B12 (Cobalamin) is essential for the normal functioning of:

- A) Bones
- B) Nervous system and red blood cells
- C) Muscles
- D) Liver

**Answer: B) Nervous system and red blood cells**



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298. Which vitamin is synthesized by the human body with the help of sunlight?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin B12
- C) Vitamin C
- D) Vitamin D

**Answer: D) Vitamin D**

299. Which vitamin deficiency can lead to scurvy?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin C
- C) Vitamin D
- D) Vitamin E

**Answer: B) Vitamin C**

300. Pellagra, characterized by dermatitis, diarrhea, and dementia, results from a deficiency in:

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)
- C) Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)
- D) Vitamin B3 (Niacin)

**Answer: D) Vitamin B3 (Niacin)**

301. Beriberi, causing weakness, nerve damage, and heart problems, is due to a deficiency in:

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)
- C) Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)

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D) Vitamin B3 (Niacin)

**Answer: B) Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)**

302. Night blindness, a condition affecting vision in low light, is caused by a deficiency in:

A) Vitamin A

B) Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)

C) Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)

D) Vitamin B3 (Niacin)

**Answer: A) Vitamin A**

303. Rickets, characterized by soft and weakened bones, is a result of a deficiency in:

A) Vitamin A

B) Vitamin C

C) Vitamin D

D) Vitamin K

**Answer: C) Vitamin D**

304. Xerophthalmia, leading to dryness and damage to the cornea, is caused by a deficiency in:

A) Vitamin A

B) Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)

C) Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)

D) Vitamin B3 (Niacin)

**Answer: A) Vitamin A**



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305. Anemia due to inadequate red blood cell production can result from a deficiency in:

- A) Vitamin B6
- B) Vitamin B12
- C) Vitamin C
- D) Vitamin E

**Answer: B) Vitamin B12**

306. Osteomalacia, causing softening of bones in adults, is linked to a deficiency in:

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin C
- C) Vitamin D
- D) Vitamin K

**Answer: C) Vitamin D**

307. What disorder might result from a deficiency in Vitamin K?

- A) Night blindness
- B) Anemia
- C) Hemorrhagic disorders
- D) Rickets

**Answer: C) Hemorrhagic disorders**

308. Dermatitis and neurological symptoms can occur due to a deficiency in which vitamin?

- A) Vitamin B2
- B) Vitamin B6
- C) Vitamin B7



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D) Vitamin B12

**Answer: B) Vitamin B6**

309. Which disorder is associated with Vitamin E deficiency?

A) Night blindness

B) Pellagra

C) Hemorrhagic disorders

D) Neuromuscular disorders

**Answer: D) Neuromuscular disorders**

309. Ariboflavinosis, characterized by sore throat and angular stomatitis, is due to a deficiency in:

A) Vitamin B1

B) Vitamin B2

C) Vitamin B3

D) Vitamin B5

**Answer: B) Vitamin B2**

13. Which disorder is caused by a deficiency in Vitamin B9 (Folate) during pregnancy?

A) Scurvy

B) Neural tube defects in the fetus

C) Rickets

D) Anemia

**Answer: B) Neural tube defects in the fetus**

310. What condition is associated with a deficiency in Vitamin B5 (Pantothenic acid)?

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- A) Anemia
- B) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- C) Rickets
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: A) Anemia**

311. Which condition can result from a deficiency in Vitamin B7 (Biotin)?

- A) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- B) Beriberi
- C) Scurvy
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: A) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms**

312. The deficiency of which vitamin may lead to a condition known as ariboflavinosis?

- A) Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)
- B) Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)
- C) Vitamin B3 (Niacin)
- D) Vitamin B5 (Pantothenic acid)

**Answer: B) Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)**

313. Which vitamin deficiency can cause paresthesia (tingling, prickling sensation)?

- A) Vitamin B1
- B) Vitamin B12
- C) Vitamin B6
- D) Vitamin B9

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**Answer: C) Vitamin B6**

314. Which disorder is associated with a deficiency in Vitamin C?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Beriberi
- D) Rickets

**Answer: A) Scurvy**

315. Hypocalcemia and tetany can result from a deficiency in which vitamin?

- A) Vitamin B1
- B) Vitamin B6
- C) Vitamin D
- D) Vitamin K

**Answer: C) Vitamin D**

316. Pernicious anemia is a condition due to the deficiency of:

- A) Vitamin B1
- B) Vitamin B12
- C) Vitamin B6
- D) Vitamin B9

**Answer: B) Vitamin B12**

317. Which vitamin deficiency can lead to hemorrhagic disorders?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin C
- C) Vitamin D



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D) Vitamin K

**Answer: D) Vitamin K**

318. Which vitamin deficiency can cause megaloblastic anemia?

A) Vitamin B6

B) Vitamin B12

C) Vitamin B2

D) Vitamin B3

**Answer: B) Vitamin B12**

319. Which vitamin deficiency might cause osteoporosis?

A) Vitamin B1

B) Vitamin B2

C) Vitamin D

D) Vitamin K

**Answer: C) Vitamin D**

320. Which condition is caused by a deficiency in Vitamin A?

A) Night blindness

B) Scurvy

C) Pellagra

D) Beriberi

**Answer: A) Night blindness**

321. Which vitamin deficiency is responsible for defective bone mineralization in children?

A) Vitamin A

B) Vitamin C

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C) Vitamin D

D) Vitamin E

**Answer: C) Vitamin D**

322. Which vitamin deficiency is related to defects in collagen synthesis?

A) Vitamin A

B) Vitamin C

C) Vitamin D

D) Vitamin E

**Answer: B) Vitamin C**

323. Which disorder is associated with a deficiency in Vitamin B9 (Folate) in pregnant women?

A) Scurvy

B) Neural tube defects in the fetus

C) Anemia

D) Rickets

**Answer: B) Neural tube defects in the fetus**

324. Which vitamin deficiency can lead to muscle weakness and heart problems?

A) Vitamin B1

B) Vitamin B12

C) Vitamin B6

D) Vitamin B2

**Answer: A) Vitamin B1**



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325. Which condition is linked to a deficiency in Vitamin B7 (Biotin)?

- A) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- B) Anemia
- C) Rickets
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: A) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms**

326. Which disorder might result from a deficiency in Vitamin B3 (Niacin)?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Beriberi
- D) Anemia

**Answer: B) Pellagra**

327. Which vitamin deficiency can lead to anemia and birth defects in pregnant women?

- A) Vitamin B1
- B) Vitamin B12
- C) Vitamin B6
- D) Vitamin B9

**Answer: D) Vitamin B9**

328. Which disorder is associated with a deficiency in Vitamin B6?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- D) Anemia



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**Answer: C) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms**

329. What condition is linked to a deficiency in Vitamin E?

- A) Night blindness
- B) Pellagra
- C) Hemorrhagic disorders
- D) Neuromuscular disorders

**Answer: D) Neuromuscular disorders**

330. Which disorder might result from a deficiency in Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Ariboflavinosis
- C) Beriberi
- D) Anemia

**Answer: B) Ariboflavinosis**

331. Which vitamin deficiency can cause dryness and damage to the cornea?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin C
- C) Vitamin D
- D) Vitamin E

**Answer: A) Vitamin A**

332. Which disorder is associated with a deficiency in Vitamin B5 (Pantothenic acid)?

- A) Anemia

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- B) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- C) Rickets
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: A) Anemia**

333. Which disorder might result from a deficiency in Vitamin B12 (Cobalamin)?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Pernicious anemia
- D) Beriberi

**Answer: C) Pernicious anemia**

334. Which condition is caused by a deficiency in Vitamin K?

- A) Night blindness
- B) Anemia
- C) Hemorrhagic disorders
- D) Rickets

**Answer: C) Hemorrhagic disorders**

335. What disorder might result from a deficiency in Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Beriberi
- C) Pellagra
- D) Rickets

**Answer: B) Beriberi**

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336. Which vitamin deficiency can cause weakness, nerve damage, and heart problems?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin B1
- C) Vitamin B2
- D) Vitamin B3

**Answer: B) Vitamin B1**

337. Which disorder is associated with a deficiency in Vitamin B7 (Biotin)?

- A) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms
- B) Anemia
- C) Rickets
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: A) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms**

338. Which condition might result from a deficiency in Vitamin B3 (Niacin)?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Beriberi
- D) Anemia

**Answer: B) Pellagra**

339. Which disorder is associated with a deficiency in Vitamin B9 (Folate)?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Neural tube defects in the fetus

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C) Anemia

D) Rickets

**Answer: C) Anemia**

340. Which condition is caused by a deficiency in Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)?

A) Scurvy

B) Ariboflavinosis

C) Pellagra

D) Anemia

**Answer: B) Ariboflavinosis**

341. Which vitamin deficiency can cause dryness and damage to the cornea?

A) Vitamin A

B) Vitamin C

C) Vitamin D

D) Vitamin E

**Answer: A) Vitamin A**

342. Which disorder might result from a deficiency in Vitamin B5 (Pantothenic acid)?

A) Anemia

B) Dermatitis and neurological symptoms

C) Rickets

D) Night blindness

**Answer: A) Anemia**

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343. Which disorder is associated with a deficiency in Vitamin B12 (Cobalamin)?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Pellagra
- C) Pernicious anemia
- D) Beriberi

**Answer: C) Pernicious anemia**

344. Which condition is caused by a deficiency in Vitamin K?

- A) Night blindness
- B) Anemia
- C) Hemorrhagic disorders
- D) Rickets

**Answer: C) Hemorrhagic disorders**

345. What disorder might result from a deficiency in Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)?

- A) Scurvy
- B) Beriberi
- C) Pellagra
- D) Rickets

**Answer: B) Beriberi**

346. Which vitamin deficiency can cause weakness, nerve damage, and heart problems?

- A) Vitamin A
- B) Vitamin B1
- C) Vitamin B2

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D) Vitamin B3

**Answer: B) Vitamin B1**

347. Hormones are chemical messengers produced by:

A) Nerves

B) Glands

C) Muscles

D) Bones

**Answer: B) Glands**

348. Peptide hormones are made up of:

A) Amino acids

B) Lipids

C) Nucleic acids

D) Carbohydrates

**Answer: A) Amino acids**

349. Steroid hormones are derived from:

A) Carbohydrates

B) Fatty acids

C) Amino acids

D) Cholesterol

**Answer: D) Cholesterol**

350. Which gland produces growth hormone (GH)?

A) Adrenal gland

B) Thyroid gland



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- C) Pituitary gland
- D) Pancreas

**Answer: C) Pituitary gland**

351. Thyroxine (T4) and Triiodothyronine (T3) are produced by the:

- A) Adrenal gland
- B) Pancreas
- C) Thyroid gland
- D) Pineal gland

**Answer: C) Thyroid gland**

352. Which hormone regulates calcium levels in the blood?

- A) Parathyroid hormone (PTH)
- B) Aldosterone
- C) Insulin
- D) Glucagon

**Answer: A) Parathyroid hormone (PTH)**

353. Adrenaline and noradrenaline are secreted by the:

- A) Pancreas
- B) Adrenal cortex
- C) Adrenal medulla
- D) Thyroid gland

**Answer: C) Adrenal medulla**

354. What hormone regulates water balance in the body?

- A) Estrogen
- B) Aldosterone



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- C) Oxytocin
- D) Vasopressin (Antidiuretic hormone)

**Answer: D) Vasopressin (Antidiuretic hormone)**

355.Which hormone stimulates uterine contractions during labor and milk ejection during breastfeeding?

- A) Estrogen
- B) Oxytocin
- C) Prolactin
- D) Progesterone

**Answer: B) Oxytocin**

356. Hormones that have similar functions to neurotransmitters and regulate stress responses are:

- A) Insulin and glucagon
- B) Thyroid hormones
- C) Cortisol and adrenaline
- D) Estrogen and testosterone

**Answer: C) Cortisol and adrenaline**

357. What is the primary function of insulin in the body?

- A) Increase blood sugar levels
- B) Promote glycogen breakdown
- C) Lower blood sugar levels
- D) Stimulate glucagon release

**Answer: C) Lower blood sugar levels**

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358. Which hormone is responsible for stimulating the production of red blood cells?

- A) Erythropoietin
- B) Thyroxine
- C) Insulin
- D) Prolactin

**Answer: A) Erythropoietin**

359. What hormone is produced by the pancreas and regulates blood sugar levels?

- A) Glucagon
- B) Thyroxine
- C) Cortisol
- D) Oxytocin

**Answer: A) Glucagon**

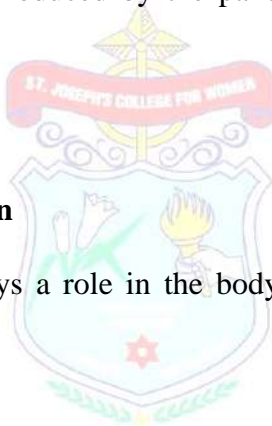
360. What hormone plays a role in the body's response to stress and regulates metabolism?

- A) Estrogen
- B) Cortisol
- C) Testosterone
- D) Progesterone

**Answer: B) Cortisol**

361. Which hormone stimulates the growth and development of reproductive organs in males?

- A) Estrogen
- B) Progesterone



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- C) Testosterone
- D) Prolactin

**Answer: C) Testosterone**

362. The hormone responsible for controlling the menstrual cycle and pregnancy is:

- A) Estrogen
- B) Progesterone
- C) Testosterone
- D) Prolactin

**Answer: B) Progesterone**

363. What hormone helps regulate blood pressure and fluid balance in the body?

- A) Thyroxine
- B) Renin
- C) Cortisol
- D) Aldosterone

**Answer: D) Aldosterone**

364. Growth hormone (GH) primarily acts on:

- A) Bones and muscles
- B) Liver and kidneys
- C) Heart and lungs
- D) Brain and spinal cord

**Answer: A) Bones and muscles**



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365. Which hormone stimulates milk production in the mammary glands?

- A) Prolactin
- B) Oxytocin
- C) Thyroxine
- D) Insulin

**Answer: A) Prolactin**

366. Which hormone is responsible for stimulating ovulation in females?

- A) Follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH)
- B) Luteinizing hormone (LH)
- C) Estrogen
- D) Progesterone

**Answer: B) Luteinizing hormone (LH)**

367. Hormones are secreted directly into the bloodstream by:

- A) Duct glands
- B) Endocrine glands
- C) Exocrine glands
- D) Nerves

**Answer: B) Endocrine glands**

368. Which hormone is produced in the ovaries and is responsible for the development of female secondary sexual characteristics?

- A) Progesterone
- B) Estrogen
- C) Testosterone

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D) Prolactin

**Answer: B) Estrogen**

369. Hormones that regulate the body's response to stress, metabolism, and immune function are secreted by the:

A) Thyroid gland

B) Adrenal gland

C) Pancreas

D) Pituitary gland

**Answer: B) Adrenal gland**

370. What hormone regulates sodium and potassium levels in the blood?

A) Aldosterone

B) Insulin

C) Prolactin

D) Glucagon

**Answer: A) Aldosterone**

371. What hormone regulates calcium levels in the blood by promoting calcium uptake in bones?

A) Calcitonin

B) Parathyroid hormone (PTH)

C) Thyroxine

D) Aldosterone

**Answer: A) Calcitonin**

372. Hormones that play a significant role in regulating the body's circadian rhythms are produced by the:

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- A) Pituitary gland
- B) Pancreas
- C) Pineal gland
- D) Adrenal gland

**Answer: C) Pineal gland**

373. Which hormone is responsible for stimulating the growth of reproductive tissues in females?

- A) Estrogen
- B) Progesterone
- C) Testosterone
- D) Prolactin

**Answer: A) Estrogen**

374. What hormone stimulates the development and maturation of sperm in males?

- A) Estrogen
- B) Progesterone
- C) Testosterone
- D) Prolactin

**Answer: C) Testosterone**

375. Hormones are involved in the regulation of:

- A) Metabolism
- B) Growth and development
- C) Reproduction
- D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**



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376. Which hormone is primarily responsible for controlling the body's basal metabolic rate (BMR)?

- A) Growth hormone (GH)
- B) Insulin
- C) Thyroxine
- D) Cortisol

**Answer: C) Thyroxine**

377. Hormones that have an antagonistic effect on each other's actions are:

- A) Thyroxine and cortisol
- B) Insulin and glucagon
- C) Estrogen and progesterone
- D) Aldosterone and vasopressin

**Answer: B) Insulin and glucagon**

378. Which hormone promotes the synthesis of glycogen in the liver and muscle tissues?

- A) Insulin
- B) Glucagon
- C) Cortisol
- D) Thyroxine

**Answer: A) Insulin**

379. Which hormone is essential for the normal development of the fetus during pregnancy?

- A) Estrogen

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- B) Progesterone
- C) Human chorionic gonadotropin (hCG)
- D) Prolactin

**Answer: B) Progesterone**

380. Hormones play a crucial role in maintaining:

- A) Homeostasis
- B) Muscle strength
- C) Bone density
- D) All of the above

**Answer: A) Homeostasis**

381. Which hormone regulates the body's response to low blood sugar levels by stimulating the breakdown of glycogen?

- A) Insulin
- B) Glucagon
- C) Thyroxine
- D) Cortisol

**Answer: B) Glucagon**

382. Hormones produced by the hypothalamus and stored in the posterior pituitary gland include:

- A) Oxytocin and vasopressin
- B) Growth hormone and insulin
- C) Thyroxine and cortisol
- D) Aldosterone and adrenaline

**Answer: A) Oxytocin and vasopressin**

383. Hormones primarily regulate cellular activities by:



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- A) Binding to specific receptors on target cells
- B) Modulating enzyme functions
- C) Altering gene expression
- D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**

384. Which hormone is responsible for regulating body temperature and energy expenditure?

- A) Thyroxine
- B) Cortisol
- C) Insulin
- D) Testosterone

**Answer: A) Thyroxine**

385. What hormone stimulates milk ejection during breastfeeding?

- A) Estrogen
- B) Progesterone
- C) Prolactin
- D) Oxytocin

**Answer: D) Oxytocin**

386. Hormones secreted by the adrenal cortex include:

- A) Cortisol and aldosterone
- B) Adrenaline and noradrenaline
- C) Thyroxine and cortisol
- D) Insulin and glucagon

**Answer: A) Cortisol and aldosterone**



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387. Hormones that promote water reabsorption in the kidneys are:

- A) Aldosterone and vasopressin
- B) Glucagon and insulin
- C) Estrogen and progesterone
- D) Prolactin and oxytocin

**Answer: A) Aldosterone and vasopressin**

388. Which hormone stimulates the maturation of ovarian follicles in females and sperm production in males?

- A) Follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH)
- B) Luteinizing hormone (LH)
- C) Thyroxine
- D) Prolactin

**Answer: A) Follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH)**

389. Hormones are transported through the body by:

- A) Lymphatic vessels
- B) Blood vessels
- C) Nervous system
- D) All of the above

**Answer: B) Blood vessels**

390. Hormones that prepare the body for "fight or flight" responses in stressful situations are secreted by the:

- A) Adrenal cortex
- B) Adrenal medulla
- C) Thyroid gland
- D) Pituitary gland

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**Answer: B) Adrenal medulla**

391. Hormones that regulate menstrual cycles and pregnancy are produced by the:

- A) Thyroid gland
- B) Adrenal gland
- C) Ovaries
- D) Pancreas

**Answer: C) Ovaries**

392. What hormone regulates glucose levels in the blood by promoting the uptake of glucose by cells?

- A) Insulin
- B) Glucagon
- C) Cortisol
- D) Thyroxine

**Answer: A) Insulin**

393. Hormones that help regulate the sleep-wake cycle and biological rhythms are secreted by the:

- A) Adrenal gland
- B) Pituitary gland
- C) Pineal gland
- D) Pancreas

**Answer: C) Pineal gland**

394. Hormones that have a critical role in bone density and calcium regulation include:

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- A) Insulin and glucagon
- B) Aldosterone and vasopressin
- C) Calcitonin and parathyroid hormone (PTH)
- D) Estrogen and progesterone

**Answer: C) Calcitonin and parathyroid hormone (PTH)**

395. Hormones that influence reproductive functions and secondary sexual characteristics are secreted by the:

- A) Adrenal gland
- B) Thyroid gland
- C) Pituitary gland
- D) Gonads

**Answer: D) Gonads**

396. Hormones regulate various physiological processes by:

- A) Binding to specific receptors on target cells
- B) Modifying cellular activities
- C) Inducing changes in gene expression
- D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**

397. Deficiency of insulin leads to which disorder?

- A) Diabetes mellitus
- B) Cushing's syndrome
- C) Addison's disease
- D) Gigantism

**Answer: A) Diabetes mellitus**

398. Hypothyroidism is caused by the deficiency of:

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- A) Thyroxine
- B) Insulin
- C) Parathyroid hormone
- D) Aldosterone

**Answer: A) Thyroxine**

399. Growth hormone deficiency in childhood can lead to:

- A) Dwarfism
- B) Gigantism
- C) Cretinism
- D) Diabetes insipidus

**Answer: A) Dwarfism**

400. Which disorder is caused by the deficiency of cortisol?

- A) Addison's disease
- B) Cushing's syndrome
- C) Diabetes mellitus
- D) Hypothyroidism

**Answer: A) Addison's disease**

401. Lack of aldosterone leads to:

- A) Diabetes insipidus
- B) Addison's disease
- C) Cushing's syndrome
- D) Gigantism

**Answer: B) Addison's disease**

402. Deficiency of parathyroid hormone results in:



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- A) Hypoparathyroidism
- B) Hyperparathyroidism
- C) Hypothyroidism
- D) Cushing's syndrome

**Answer: A) Hypoparathyroidism**

403. Lack of estrogen in females can lead to:

- A) Amenorrhea
- B) Precocious puberty
- C) Hirsutism
- D) Acromegaly

**Answer: A) Amenorrhea**

404. Testosterone deficiency in males can cause:

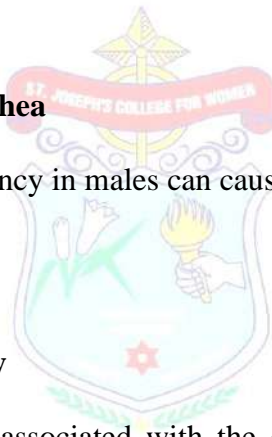
- A) Infertility
- B) Gynecomastia
- C) Hirsutism
- D) Gigantism

**Answer: A) Infertility**

405. Which disorder is associated with the deficiency of antidiuretic hormone (ADH)?

- A) Diabetes mellitus
- B) Diabetes insipidus
- C) Cushing's syndrome
- D) Addison's disease

**Answer: B) Diabetes insipidus**



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406. Lack of prolactin may result in:

- A) Galactorrhea
- B) Amenorrhea
- C) Precocious puberty
- D) Hypothyroidism

**Answer: A) Galactorrhea**

407. Growth hormone deficiency in adults can lead to:

- A) Acromegaly
- B) Gigantism
- C) Dwarfism
- D) Cretinism

**Answer: C) Dwarfism**

408. Hypoparathyroidism results in decreased levels of:

- A) Calcium
- B) Phosphate
- C) Sodium
- D) Potassium

**Answer: A) Calcium**

409. Lack of thyroid hormone during infancy can lead to:

- A) Cretinism
- B) Gigantism
- C) Hyperthyroidism
- D) Acromegaly

**Answer: A) Cretinism**



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410. Adrenal insufficiency or Addison's disease is characterized by low levels of:

- A) Glucose
- B) Cortisol
- C) Aldosterone
- D) Thyroxine

**Answer: B) Cortisol**

411. Which disorder is linked to the deficiency of insulin or insensitivity to insulin?

- A) Cushing's syndrome
- B) Diabetes mellitus
- C) Addison's disease
- D) Hyperthyroidism

**Answer: B) Diabetes mellitus**

412. Lack of aldosterone leads to an imbalance in:

- A) Sodium and potassium levels
- B) Calcium and phosphate levels
- C) Glucose levels
- D) Thyroxine levels

**Answer: A) Sodium and potassium levels**

413. Hypothyroidism in adults results in a condition known as:

- A) Cretinism
- B) Hashimoto's thyroiditis
- C) Graves' disease
- D) Thyrotoxicosis



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**Answer: B) Hashimoto's thyroiditis**

414. Hypoparathyroidism is characterized by low levels of:

- A) Calcium
- B) Phosphate
- C) Sodium
- D) Potassium

**Answer: A) Calcium**

415. Lack of estrogen in menopausal women can lead to:

- A) Amenorrhea
- B) Precocious puberty
- C) Osteoporosis
- D) Galactorrhea

**Answer: C) Osteoporosis**

416. In men, testosterone deficiency can result in:

- A) Oligomenorrhea
- B) Osteoporosis
- C) Gynecomastia
- D) Galactorrhea

**Answer: C) Gynecomastia**

417. Deficiency of antidiuretic hormone (ADH) causes:

- A) Polyuria
- B) Polydipsia
- C) Diabetes insipidus
- D) Cushing's syndrome

**Answer: C) Diabetes insipidus**



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- D) Hypothyroidism

**Answer: A) Galactorrhea**

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- D) Cretinism

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**Answer: A) Calcium**

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B) Polydipsia

C) Diabetes insipidus



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D) Cushing's syndrome

**Answer: C) Diabetes insipidus**

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C) Precocious puberty

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**Answer: A) Galactorrhea**

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C) Dwarfism

D) Cretinism

**Answer: C) Dwarfism**

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D) Acromegaly

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- D) Cushing's syndrome

**Answer: C) Diabetes insipidus**

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- D) Hypothyroidism

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- B) Gigantism
- C) Dwarfism
- D) Cretinism

**Answer: C) Dwarfism**

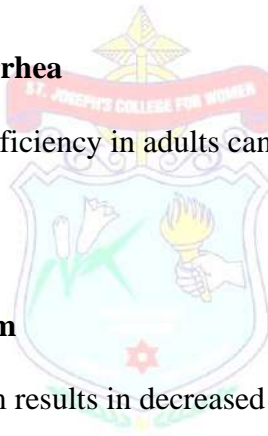
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- B) Gigantism
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447. How many amino acids are commonly found in proteins in living organisms?

- A) 20
- B) 22
- C) 18
- D) 24

**Answer: A) 20**

448. Amino acids are the building blocks of which biomolecule?

- A) Carbohydrates
- B) Lipids
- C) Proteins
- D) Nucleic acids

**Answer: C) Proteins**



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449. Which of the following is not an essential amino acid?

- A) Tryptophan
- B) Valine
- C) Glutamine
- D) Methionine

**Answer: C) Glutamine**

450. The amino acid sequence in a protein is also known as its:

- A) Primary structure
- B) Secondary structure
- C) Tertiary structure
- D) Quaternary structure

**Answer: A) Primary structure**

451. Which type of amino acid has an amino group and a carboxyl group attached to the same carbon?

- A) Aliphatic
- B) Aromatic
- C) Polar
- D) Alpha-amino acid

**Answer: D) Alpha-amino acid**

452. Amino acids are classified based on the nature of their side chains. Which category includes amino acids with hydrophobic side chains?

- A) Neutral
- B) Basic
- C) Acidic
- D) Nonpolar

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**Answer: D) Nonpolar**

453. Which amino acid has a side chain that contains a sulfur atom?

- A) Cysteine
- B) Serine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Methionine

**Answer: A) Cysteine**

454. Amino acids with nonpolar side chains are often found in the interior of proteins. Which of the following amino acids is nonpolar?

- A) Glutamic acid
- B) Histidine
- C) Alanine
- D) Lysine

**Answer: C) Alanine**

455. Which amino acid contains an imidazole group in its side chain?

- A) Histidine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Phenylalanine

**Answer: A) Histidine**

456. The amino acid glycine is unique among amino acids because its side chain consists of:

- A) An aliphatic hydrocarbon
- B) A sulfhydryl group

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C) A hydrogen atom

D) An aromatic ring

**Answer: C) A hydrogen atom**

457. Amino acids that carry a net positive charge at physiological pH are termed:

A) Acidic

B) Basic

C) Neutral

D) Aliphatic

**Answer: B) Basic**

458. Which amino acid has a side chain with a secondary amine group?

A) Lysine

B) Arginine

C) Asparagine

D) Glutamine

**Answer: C) Asparagine**

459. The amino acid with an aromatic side chain that absorbs UV light is:

A) Tyrosine

B) Phenylalanine

C) Tryptophan

D) Histidine

**Answer: C) Tryptophan**

460. Which amino acid has a hydroxyl (-OH) group in its side chain?



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- A) Serine
- B) Threonine
- C) Aspartic acid
- D) Asparagine

**Answer: A) Serine**

461. The amino acid commonly found in collagen due to its ability to form cross-links is:

- A) Proline
- B) Glutamine
- C) Arginine
- D) Leucine

**Answer: A) Proline**

462. Which amino acid has a side chain containing a carboxamide group?

- A) Asparagine
- B) Glutamine
- C) Threonine
- D) Tyrosine

**Answer: B) Glutamine**

463. Amino acids that have acidic side chains are:

- A) Serine and lysine
- B) Aspartic acid and glutamic acid
- C) Histidine and glycine
- D) Threonine and cysteine

**Answer: B) Aspartic acid and glutamic acid**



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464. Which amino acid contains a thiol (-SH) group in its side chain?

- A) Cysteine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Valine
- D) Methionine

**Answer: A) Cysteine**

465. Which amino acid has an amide group in its side chain?

- A) Arginine
- B) Asparagine
- C) Threonine
- D) Lysine

**Answer: B) Asparagine**

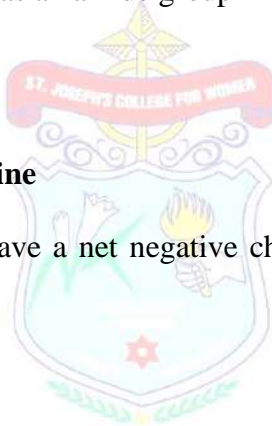
466. Amino acids that have a net negative charge at physiological pH are considered:

- A) Neutral
- B) Acidic
- C) Basic
- D) Aromatic

**Answer: B) Acidic**

467. Which amino acid is sulfur-containing and is used in the initiation of protein synthesis?

- A) Methionine
- B) Tyrosine
- C) Cysteine



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D) Histidine

**Answer: A) Methionine**

468. The amino acid involved in the urea cycle is:

A) Arginine

B) Proline

C) Isoleucine

D) Glutamine

**Answer: A) Arginine**

469. Which amino acid is a neurotransmitter that can act as an inhibitory neurotransmitter in the central nervous system?

A) Glycine

B) Proline

C) Valine

D) Tryptophan

**Answer: A) Glycine**

470. Amino acids are classified into two main groups based on their solubility. Which are they?

A) Hydrophilic and hydrophobic

B) Neutral and charged

C) Essential and non-essential

D) Aliphatic and aromatic

**Answer: A) Hydrophilic and hydrophobic**

471. The amino acid with a side chain containing a guanidinium group is:

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- A) Glycine
- B) Arginine
- C) Leucine
- D) Threonine

**Answer: B) Arginine**

472. Which amino acid is often found in active sites of enzymes due to its ability to act as a nucleophile?

- A) Cysteine
- B) Aspartic acid
- C) Lysine
- D) Phenylalanine

**Answer: A) Cysteine**

473. The amino acid that contributes to the formation of disulfide bonds in proteins is:

- A) Methionine
- B) Cysteine
- C) Tryptophan
- D) Tyrosine

**Answer: B) Cysteine**

474. The amino acid with a side chain containing an imino group is:

- A) Arginine
- B) Lysine
- C) Proline
- D) Glutamine





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**Answer: C) Proline**

475. Which amino acid is the precursor for the neurotransmitter serotonin?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: B) Tryptophan**

475. The amino acid responsible for imparting the bitter taste to certain foods and beverages is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Phenylalanine

**Answer: B) Tryptophan**

476. Which amino acid is a major component of elastin due to its high degree of flexibility?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Proline

**Answer: D) Proline**

477. The amino acid important for the synthesis of dopamine, adrenaline, and noradrenaline is:

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- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**

478. Which amino acid is not optically active due to its side chain containing a hydrogen atom?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Proline

**Answer: A) Glycine**

479. The amino acid that contributes to the sweetness of the artificial sweetener aspartame is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Asparagine
- C) Aspartic acid
- D) Glutamine

**Answer: C) Aspartic acid**

480. Which amino acid is commonly phosphorylated in signal transduction pathways?

- A) Serine
- B) Cysteine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Valine



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**Answer: A) Serine**

481. The amino acid with a side chain containing an aliphatic hydrocarbon is:

- A) Serine
- B) Valine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Glutamine

**Answer: B) Valine**

482. Which amino acid is essential for the formation of collagen due to its hydroxylation?

- A) Serine
- B) Lysine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Proline

**Answer: D) Proline**

483. The amino acid responsible for the blue color of bruises during tissue damage is:

- A) Serine
- B) Lysine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Histidine

**Answer: D) Histidine**

484. Which amino acid is involved in the regulation of blood pressure through the renin-angiotensin system?

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- A) Serine
- B) Arginine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Leucine

**Answer: B) Arginine**

485. The amino acid that contributes to the yellow color of urine in certain cases is:

- A) Serine
- B) Lysine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Tryptophan

**Answer: D) Tryptophan**

486. Which amino acid is responsible for the flavor enhancement in foods such as monosodium glutamate (MSG)?

- A) Glutamic acid
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Glutamic acid**

487. The amino acid with a side chain containing a thioether group is:

- A) Methionine
- B) Arginine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Proline

**Answer: A) Methionine**

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488. Which amino acid plays a vital role in the urea cycle and ammonia detoxification in the body?

- A) Glutamine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Glutamine**

489. The amino acid that acts as an excitatory neurotransmitter in the central nervous system is:

- A) Aspartic acid
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Aspartic acid**

490. Which amino acid is involved in the regulation of sleep and mood due to its role in serotonin production?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: B) Tryptophan**

491. The amino acid that functions as a precursor for the antioxidant glutathione is:

- A) Glycine

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- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: D) Cysteine**

492. Which amino acid is commonly found in the active site of proteolytic enzymes?

- A) Aspartic acid
- B) Glutamine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: D) Serine**

493. The amino acid involved in the production of melanin and skin pigmentation is:

- A) Tyrosine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Serine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Tyrosine**

494. Which amino acid is crucial for protein synthesis and wound healing due to its high concentration in collagen?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Glycine**



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495. The amino acid associated with the nitric oxide (NO) signaling pathway in the body is:

- A) Aspartic acid
- B) Glutamine
- C) Arginine
- D) Histidine

**Answer: C) Arginine**

496. Which amino acid is critical for the synthesis of neurotransmitters such as dopamine and adrenaline?

- A) Tryptophan
- B) Tyrosine
- C) Glutamine
- D) Glycine

**Answer: B) Tyrosine**

497. The amino acid involved in the urea cycle and ammonia detoxification is:

- A) Glutamine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Glutamine**

498. Which amino acid is essential for the synthesis of collagen and elastin in connective tissues?

- A) Proline



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- B) Glutamic acid
- C) Lysine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Proline**

499. The amino acid crucial for the antioxidant glutathione's formation is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: D) Cysteine**

500. Which amino acid acts as a neurotransmitter in the central nervous system and is known for its inhibitory effects?

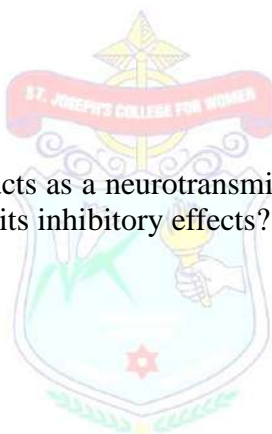
- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Glycine**

501. The amino acid involved in the regulation of sleep and mood due to its role in serotonin production is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: B) Tryptophan**





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502. Which amino acid is essential for the production of melanin and contributes to skin pigmentation?

- A) Tyrosine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Serine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Tyrosine**

503. The amino acid that contributes to the sweetness of the artificial sweetener aspartame is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Asparagine
- C) Aspartic acid
- D) Glutamine

**Answer: C) Aspartic acid**

504. Which amino acid is important for the synthesis of thyroid hormones, thyroxine (T<sub>4</sub>), and triiodothyronine (T<sub>3</sub>)?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**

505. The amino acid known for its role in the renin-angiotensin system, regulating blood pressure, and vascular tone is:

- A) Serine



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- B) Arginine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Leucine

**Answer: B) Arginine**

506. Which amino acid is involved in the regulation of the nitric oxide (NO) signaling pathway in the body?

- A) Aspartic acid
- B) Glutamine
- C) Arginine
- D) Histidine

**Answer: C) Arginine**

507. The amino acid crucial for the production of collagen and wound healing due to its high concentration in collagen is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Glycine**

508. Which amino acid is essential for protein synthesis and is a major component of collagen and elastin?

- A) Proline
- B) Glutamic acid
- C) Lysine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Proline**



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509. The amino acid involved in the urea cycle and is an important component of the antioxidant glutathione is:

- A) Glutamine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: D) Cysteine**

510. Which amino acid functions as an excitatory neurotransmitter in the central nervous system?

- A) Aspartic acid
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Aspartic acid**

511. The amino acid responsible for the flavor enhancement in foods such as monosodium glutamate (MSG) is:

- A) Glutamic acid
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: A) Glutamic acid**

512. Which amino acid is phosphorylated in signal transduction pathways and plays a role in protein kinase activity?

- A) Serine

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- B) Cysteine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Valine

**Answer: A) Serine**

513. The amino acid involved in the regulation of blood pressure and vascular tone through the renin-angiotensin system is:

- A) Serine
- B) Arginine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Leucine

**Answer: B) Arginine**

514. Which amino acid is responsible for imparting the bitter taste to certain foods and beverages?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Phenylalanine

**Answer: D) Phenylalanine**

515. The amino acid important for the synthesis of dopamine, adrenaline, and noradrenaline is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**



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516. Which amino acid is crucial for protein synthesis and is a major component of collagen and elastin?

- A) Proline
- B) Glutamic acid
- C) Lysine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Proline**

517. The amino acid responsible for the blue color of bruises during tissue damage is:

- A) Serine
- B) Lysine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Histidine

**Answer: D) Histidine**

518. Which amino acid is commonly found in the active site of proteolytic enzymes?

- A) Aspartic acid
- B) Glutamine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: D) Serine**

519. The amino acid involved in the production of melanin and skin pigmentation is:

- A) Tyrosine



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- B) Tryptophan
- C) Serine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Tyrosine**

520. Which amino acid is responsible for the bitter taste of certain foods and beverages?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Phenylalanine

**Answer: D) Phenylalanine**

521. The amino acid involved in the synthesis of the neurotransmitter serotonin is

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: B) Tryptophan**

522. Which amino acid is a precursor for the antioxidant glutathione and plays a role in detoxification?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: D) Cysteine**



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523. The amino acid responsible for the synthesis of thyroid hormones, thyroxine (T<sub>4</sub>), and triiodothyronine (T<sub>3</sub>) is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**

524. Which amino acid acts as a precursor for the neurotransmitter dopamine and hormones like adrenaline and noradrenaline?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**

525. The amino acid involved in the regulation of blood pressure and vascular tone through the renin-angiotensin system is:

- A) Serine
- B) Arginine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Leucine

**Answer: B) Arginine**

526. Which amino acid is crucial for the synthesis of collagen and elastin in connective tissues?

- A) Proline
- B) Glutamic acid



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- C) Lysine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Proline**

527. The amino acid responsible for the blue color of bruises during tissue damage is:

- A) Serine
- B) Lysine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Histidine

**Answer: D) Histidine**

528. Which amino acid is commonly found in the active site of proteolytic enzymes?

- A) Aspartic acid
- B) Glutamine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: D) Serine**

529. The amino acid involved in the production of melanin and skin pigmentation is:

- A) Tyrosine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Serine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Tyrosine**





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530. Which amino acid is responsible for the bitter taste of certain foods and beverages?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Phenylalanine

**Answer: D) Phenylalanine**

531. The amino acid involved in the synthesis of the neurotransmitter serotonin is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: B) Tryptophan**

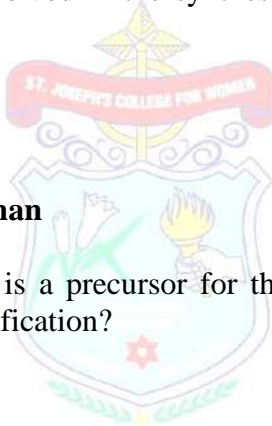
532. Which amino acid is a precursor for the antioxidant glutathione and plays a role in detoxification?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: D) Cysteine**

533. The amino acid responsible for the synthesis of thyroid hormones, thyroxine (T4), and triiodothyronine (T3) is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan



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C) Tyrosine

D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**

534. Which amino acid acts as a precursor for the neurotransmitter dopamine and hormones like adrenaline and noradrenaline?

A) Glycine

B) Tryptophan

C) Tyrosine

D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**

535. The amino acid involved in the regulation of blood pressure and vascular tone through the renin-angiotensin system is:

A) Serine

B) Arginine

C) Asparagine

D) Leucine

**Answer: B) Arginine**

536. Which amino acid is crucial for the synthesis of collagen and elastin in connective tissues?

A) Proline

B) Glutamic acid

C) Lysine

D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Proline**

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537. The amino acid responsible for the blue color of bruises during tissue damage is:

- A) Serine
- B) Lysine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Histidine

**Answer: D) Histidine**

538. Which amino acid is commonly found in the active site of proteolytic enzymes?

- A) Aspartic acid
- B) Glutamine
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: D) Serine**

539. The amino acid involved in the production of melanin and skin pigmentation is:

- A) Tyrosine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Serine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: A) Tyrosine**

540. Which amino acid is responsible for the bitter taste of certain foods and beverages?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan



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- C) Tyrosine
- D) Phenylalanine

**Answer: D) Phenylalanine**

541. The amino acid involved in the synthesis of the neurotransmitter serotonin is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: B) Tryptophan**

542. Which amino acid is a precursor for the antioxidant glutathione and plays a role in detoxification?

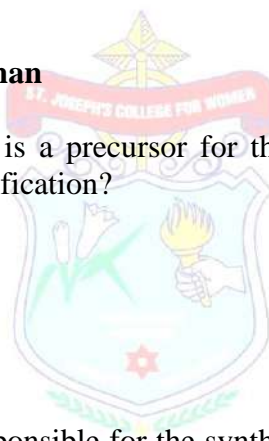
- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Cysteine

**Answer: D) Cysteine**

543. The amino acid responsible for the synthesis of thyroid hormones, thyroxine (T4), and triiodothyronine (T3) is:

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**



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544. Which amino acid acts as a precursor for the neurotransmitter dopamine and hormones like adrenaline and noradrenaline?

- A) Glycine
- B) Tryptophan
- C) Tyrosine
- D) Serine

**Answer: C) Tyrosine**

545. The amino acid involved in the regulation of blood pressure and vascular tone through the renin-angiotensin system is:

- A) Serine
- B) Arginine
- C) Asparagine
- D) Leucine

**Answer: B) Arginine**

546. Enzymes are primarily composed of which biomolecule?

- A) Carbohydrates
- B) Lipids
- C) Proteins
- D) Nucleic acids

**Answer: C) Proteins**

547. Enzymes function as:

- A) Catalysts
- B) Hormones
- C) Structural proteins
- D) Genetic material



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**Answer: A) Catalysts**

548. Which class of enzymes facilitates the transfer of functional groups between molecules?

- A) Oxidoreductases
- B) Transferases
- C) Hydrolases
- D) Lyases

**Answer: B) Transferases**

549. Enzymes that catalyze the addition of water to break bonds are known as:

- A) Isomerases
- B) Ligases
- C) Hydrolases
- D) Lyases

**Answer: C) Hydrolases**

550. Which type of enzyme catalyzes the transfer of electrons between molecules?

- A) Transferases
- B) Oxidoreductases
- C) Isomerases
- D) Ligases

**Answer: B) Oxidoreductases**

551. The enzyme that catalyzes the transfer of a functional group within the same molecule, resulting in isomeric forms, belongs to which class?

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- A) Ligases
- B) Transferases
- C) Isomerases
- D) Hydrolases

**Answer: C) Isomerases**

552. Enzymes that catalyze the joining of two molecules by forming a new bond, often utilizing ATP, are called:

- A) Isomerases
- B) Ligases
- C) Hydrolases
- D) Oxidoreductases

**Answer: B) Ligases**

553. The lock-and-key model of enzyme-substrate interaction suggests that:

- A) The substrate binds to the active site specifically shaped for it
- B) Enzymes change their shape to accommodate substrates
- C) Enzymes can bind to multiple substrates at a time
- D) Enzymes do not interact with substrates

**Answer: A) The substrate binds to the active site specifically shaped for it**

554. The region of an enzyme where the substrate binds and the reaction occurs is called the:

- A) Effector site
- B) Cofactor site
- C) Allosteric site

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D) Active site

**Answer: D) Active site**

555. The term "coenzyme" refers to:

- A) A small organic molecule required for enzyme function
- B) The active site of an enzyme
- C) An enzyme without a cofactor
- D) A product formed after enzyme catalysis

**Answer: A) A small organic molecule required for enzyme function**

556. Enzymes often require additional non-protein components to function optimally. Which of the following is not a cofactor?

- A) Coenzyme A (CoA)
- B) Iron
- C) ATP
- D) FAD (Flavin Adenine Dinucleotide)

**Answer: C) ATP**

557. Competitive inhibition of enzymes occurs when:

- A) The inhibitor binds to the active site
- B) The inhibitor binds to a site other than the active site
- C) The inhibitor changes the enzyme's conformation
- D) The inhibitor increases the substrate concentration

**Answer: A) The inhibitor binds to the active site**

558. Noncompetitive inhibition of enzymes occurs when:

- A) The inhibitor binds to the active site



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- B) The inhibitor binds to a site other than the active site
- C) The inhibitor changes the enzyme's conformation
- D) The inhibitor increases the substrate concentration

**Answer: B) The inhibitor binds to a site other than the active site**

559. Enzymes can be regulated through feedback inhibition, where:

- A) The product of a reaction inhibits an enzyme earlier in the pathway
- B) The substrate inhibits the enzyme it was initially formed from
- C) Competitive inhibitors regulate the enzyme's activity
- D) Noncompetitive inhibitors regulate the enzyme's activity

**Answer: A) The product of a reaction inhibits an enzyme earlier in the pathway**

560. The rate at which an enzyme catalyzes a reaction is influenced by:

- A) pH
- B) Temperature
- C) Substrate concentration
- D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**

561. Enzymes function optimally within a specific range of pH. Which pH range is typically optimal for most human enzymes?

- A) pH 1-2
- B) pH 4-5
- C) pH 7-8
- D) pH 10-11

**Answer: C) pH 7-8**

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562. Denaturation of an enzyme refers to:

- A) The breakdown of the enzyme into smaller units
- B) The alteration of an enzyme's active site, leading to loss of function
- C) The inhibition of an enzyme by competitive inhibitors
- D) The increase in enzyme activity at high temperatures

**Answer: B) The alteration of an enzyme's active site, leading to loss of function**

563. Enzyme activity is affected by temperature. Enzymes denature at:

- A) Low temperatures
- B) Moderately high temperatures
- C) Extremely high temperatures
- D) All temperatures

**Answer: C) Extremely high temperatures**

564. Allosteric enzymes differ from typical enzymes because they:

- A) Have multiple active sites
- B) Are not affected by inhibitors
- C) Can be regulated by molecules binding to sites other than the active site
- D) Do not require cofactors for activity

**Answer: C) Can be regulated by molecules binding to sites other than the active site**

565. The term "apoenzyme" refers to:

- A) An enzyme with its cofactor attached

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- B) An inactive enzyme without its cofactor
- C) An enzyme's active site
- D) An enzyme's allosteric site

**Answer: B) An inactive enzyme without its cofactor**

566. Enzymes facilitate chemical reactions by:

- A) Increasing the activation energy
- B) Decreasing the activation energy
- C) Changing the equilibrium constant of a reaction
- D) Changing the thermodynamic parameters of a reaction

**Answer: B) Decreasing the activation energy**

567. Which enzyme classification involves the transfer of functional groups or parts of molecules?

- A) Ligases
- B) Isomerases
- C) Hydrolases
- D) Transferases

**Answer: D) Transferases**

568. An enzyme that catalyzes the joining of two molecules by forming a new bond, often utilizing ATP, belongs to which class?

- A) Ligases
- B) Isomerases
- C) Hydrolases
- D) Oxidoreductases

**Answer: A) Ligases**

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569. Which enzyme classification involves the addition of water to break bonds?

- A) Isomerases
- B) Ligases
- C) Hydrolases
- D) Oxidoreductases

**Answer: C) Hydrolases**

570. Enzymes that catalyze the transfer of electrons between molecules are part of which class?

- A) Transferases
- B) Oxidoreductases
- C) Isomerases
- D) Ligases

**Answer: B) Oxidoreductases**

571. Which enzyme classification facilitates the transfer of a functional group within the same molecule, resulting in isomeric forms?

- A) Ligases
- B) Transferases
- C) Isomerases
- D) Hydrolases

**Answer: C) Isomerases**

572. Enzymes that catalyze the transfer of functional groups between molecules belong to which class?

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- C) Hydrolases

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D) Isomerases

**Answer: B) Transferases**

573. The active site of an enzyme:

- A) Binds only one substrate molecule at a time
- B) Changes its shape to accommodate substrates
- C) Has no specificity for substrate binding
- D) Binds to multiple substrates simultaneously

**Answer: A) Binds only one substrate molecule at a time**

574. Enzyme specificity refers to:

- A) The ability of an enzyme to catalyze a wide range of reactions
- B) The ability of an enzyme to bind to multiple substrates simultaneously
- C) The selectivity of an enzyme for a particular substrate or type of reaction
- D) The inability of an enzyme to bind to any substrate

**Answer: C) The selectivity of an enzyme for a particular substrate or type of reaction**

575. Inhibitors that bind to a site other than the active site and alter the enzyme's conformation are called:

- A) Competitive inhibitors
- B) Noncompetitive inhibitors
- C) Allosteric inhibitors
- D) Irreversible inhibitors

**Answer: B) Noncompetitive inhibitors**

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576. Enzymes can be regulated by:

- A) Substrate concentration
- B) Allosteric regulation
- C) Covalent modification
- D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**

577. The term "cofactor" refers to:

- A) The active site of an enzyme
- B) A small organic molecule required for enzyme function
- C) An enzyme without a cofactor
- D) A product formed after enzyme catalysis

**Answer: B) A small organic molecule required for enzyme function**

578. Competitive inhibition of enzymes occurs when:

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- B) The inhibitor binds to a site other than the active site
- C) The inhibitor changes the enzyme's conformation
- D) The inhibitor increases the substrate concentration

**Answer: A) The inhibitor binds to the active site**

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- A) The inhibitor binds to the active site
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- D) The inhibitor increases the substrate concentration

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- B) The substrate inhibits the enzyme it was initially formed from
- C) Competitive inhibitors regulate the enzyme's activity
- D) Noncompetitive inhibitors regulate the enzyme's activity

**Answer: A) The product of a reaction inhibits an enzyme earlier in the pathway**

581. The rate at which an enzyme catalyzes a reaction is influenced by:

- A) pH
- B) Temperature
- C) Substrate concentration
- D) All of the above

**Answer: D) All of the above**

582. Enzyme activity is affected by temperature. Enzymes denature at:

- A) Low temperatures
- B) Moderately high temperatures
- C) Extremely high temperatures
- D) All temperatures

**Answer: C) Extremely high temperatures**

583. Allosteric enzymes differ from typical enzymes because they:

- A) Have multiple active sites
- B) Are not affected by inhibitors

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C) Can be regulated by molecules binding to sites other than the active site

D) Do not require cofactors for activity

**Answer: C) Can be regulated by molecules binding to sites other than the active site**

584. Enzymes facilitate chemical reactions by:

A) Increasing the activation energy

B) Decreasing the activation energy

C) Changing the equilibrium constant of a reaction

D) Changing the thermodynamic parameters of a reaction

**Answer: B) Decreasing the activation energy**

585. Which enzyme classification involves the transfer of functional groups or parts of molecules?

A) Ligases

B) Isomerases

C) Hydrolases

D) Transferases

**Answer: D) Transferases**

586. An enzyme that catalyzes the joining of two molecules by forming a new bond, often utilizing ATP, belongs to which class?

A) Ligases

B) Isomerases

C) Hydrolases

D) Oxidoreductases

**Answer: A) Ligases**



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587. Which enzyme classification involves the addition of water to break bonds?

- A) Isomerases
- B) Ligases
- C) Hydrolases
- D) Oxidoreductases

**Answer: C) Hydrolases**

588. Enzymes that catalyze the transfer of electrons between molecules are part of which class?

- A) Transferases
- B) Oxidoreductases
- C) Isomerases
- D) Ligases

**Answer: B) Oxidoreductases**

589. Which enzyme classification facilitates the transfer of a functional group within the same molecule, resulting in isomeric forms?

- A) Ligases
- B) Transferases
- C) Isomerases
- D) Hydrolases

**Answer: C) Isomerases**

590. Enzymes that catalyze the transfer of functional groups between molecules belong to which class?

- A) Oxidoreductases

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- B) Transferases
- C) Hydrolases
- D) Isomerases

**Answer: B) Transferases**

591. The active site of an enzyme:

- A) Binds only one substrate molecule at a time
- B) Changes its shape to accommodate substrates
- C) Has no specificity for substrate binding
- D) Binds to multiple substrates simultaneously

**Answer: A) Binds only one substrate molecule at a time**

592. Enzymes speed up chemical reactions by:

- A) Increasing activation energy
- B) Decreasing activation energy
- C) Stabilizing transition states
- D) Inhibiting substrate binding

**Answer: B) Decreasing activation energy**

593. The active site of an enzyme is where:

- A) Substrate binding occurs
- B) Allosteric regulation takes place
- C) Coenzymes attach
- D) Enzyme denaturation occurs

**Answer: A) Substrate binding occurs**

594. Enzymes lower the activation energy required for a reaction by:

- A) Increasing temperature

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- B) Forming stronger covalent bonds
- C) Providing an alternate pathway
- D) Properly orienting substrates

**Answer: D) Properly orienting substrates**

595. Induced fit theory in enzyme-substrate interactions refers to:

- A) The enzyme changes shape upon substrate binding
- B) The rigid shape of enzymes that matches the substrate
- C) The enzyme-substrate complex formed during catalysis
- D) The irreversible binding of substrate to the enzyme

**Answer: A) The enzyme changes shape upon substrate binding**

596. Enzymes act as catalysts by:

- A) Reducing the concentration of substrates
- B) Altering the equilibrium of a reaction
- C) Increasing the rate of forward and reverse reactions equally
- D) Lowering the activation energy of a reaction

**Answer: D) Lowering the activation energy of a reaction**

597. The lock-and-key model of enzyme action emphasizes:

- A) Specificity of the enzyme's active site
- B) Enzyme flexibility upon substrate binding
- C) Constant shape of the enzyme
- D) Coenzyme binding with the enzyme

**Answer: A) Specificity of the enzyme's active site**

598. In enzyme catalysis, the enzyme-substrate complex represents a:

- A) State where the enzyme is inactive

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- B) Temporary association between enzyme and substrate
- C) Permanent bonding between enzyme and substrate
- D) Conformational change in the enzyme

**Answer: B) Temporary association between enzyme and substrate**

599. Which of the following is not a factor affecting enzyme activity?

- A) pH
- B) Temperature
- C) Enzyme concentration
- D) Substrate concentration

**Answer: C) Enzyme concentration**

600. Enzymes can be denatured by:

- A) Excessive pH changes
- B) Substrate binding
- C) Low temperature
- D) Decreased substrate concentration

**Answer: A) Excessive pH changes**

601. Competitive inhibitors:

- A) Bind to the active site of the enzyme
- B) Bind to a site other than the active site
- C) Enhance the enzyme's catalytic activity
- D) Increase the substrate binding affinity

**Answer: A) Bind to the active site of the enzyme**

602. Non-competitive inhibitors:

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- A) Bind to the active site of the enzyme
- B) Bind to a site other than the active site
- C) Enhance the enzyme's catalytic activity
- D) Increase the substrate binding affinity

**Answer: B) Bind to a site other than the active site**

603. Allosteric regulation of enzymes involves:

- A) Binding of a competitive inhibitor to the active site
- B) Binding of a regulatory molecule to a site other than the active site
- C) Inhibiting the substrate from binding
- D) Enhancing enzyme-substrate interactions

**Answer: B) Binding of a regulatory molecule to a site other than the active site**

604. Feedback inhibition involves:

- A) Activation of enzyme activity by the final product
- B) Inhibition of enzyme activity by the final product
- C) An increase in substrate concentration
- D) Allosteric activation of the enzyme

**Answer: B) Inhibition of enzyme activity by the final product**

605. Enzyme cooperativity refers to:

- A) Enzymes working independently
- B) Binding of a substrate to an active site
- C) One substrate molecule influencing the binding of subsequent molecules
- D) Enzymes competing for the same substrate

**Answer: C) One substrate molecule influencing the binding of subsequent molecules**

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606. Zymogens are:

- A) Activated forms of enzymes
- B) Enzymes with altered specificity
- C) Inactive precursor forms of enzymes
- D) Enzymes that require cofactors for activity

**Answer: C) Inactive precursor forms of enzymes**

607. Enzymes that require the presence of a metal ion for their activity are called:

- A) Coenzymes
- B) Holoenzymes
- C) Metalloenzymes
- D) Apoenzymes

**Answer: C) Metalloenzymes**

608. Coenzymes are:

- A) Non-protein organic molecules required for enzyme activity
- B) The same as cofactors in enzyme catalysis
- C) Always permanently attached to the enzyme
- D) Catalytic sites in the enzyme structure

**Answer: A) Non-protein organic molecules required for enzyme activity**

609. The term 'catalytic rate enhancement' in enzyme kinetics refers to:

- A) The increase in the enzyme's concentration
- B) The increase in reaction rate due to enzyme presence
- C) The conversion of enzyme into a substrate

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D) The decrease in the reaction rate upon enzyme binding

**Answer: B) The increase in reaction rate due to enzyme presence**

610. Enzyme kinetics deals with:

- A) The study of enzyme structure
- B) The rate of enzyme-catalyzed reactions
- C) The classification of enzymes
- D) Enzyme-substrate binding interactions

**Answer: B) The rate of enzyme-catalyzed reactions**

611. The Michaelis-Menten equation describes:

- A) The rate of enzyme inhibition
- B) The relationship between enzyme and substrate concentration
- C) The effect of allosteric regulation on enzyme activity
- D) The specificity of enzyme-substrate binding

**Answer: B) The relationship between enzyme and substrate concentration**

612. The Michaelis constant ( $K_m$ ) represents:

- A) The maximum rate of an enzymatic reaction
- B) The substrate concentration at half-maximal velocity
- C) The turnover number of an enzyme
- D) The enzyme-substrate dissociation constant

**Answer: B) The substrate concentration at half-maximal velocity**

613.  $V_{max}$  in enzyme kinetics refers to:

- A) The maximum velocity of an enzyme reaction
- B) The initial velocity of an enzyme reaction

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- C) The enzyme concentration at half-maximal velocity
- D) The enzyme-substrate dissociation constant

**Answer: A) The maximum velocity of an enzyme reaction**

614. The Lineweaver-Burk plot is used to:

- A) Calculate  $K_m$  and  $V_{max}$  from experimental data
- B) Determine the rate of enzyme inhibition
- C) Assess the enzyme-substrate binding affinity
- D) Evaluate enzyme specificity

**Answer: A) Calculate  $K_m$  and  $V_{max}$  from experimental data**

615. Enzyme saturation occurs when:

- A) The enzyme concentration is low
- B) The substrate concentration is low
- C) The enzyme is fully bound with the substrate
- D) The enzyme is inactive

**Answer: C) The enzyme is fully bound with the substrate**

616. The turnover number of an enzyme refers to:

- A) The maximum rate of an enzymatic reaction
- B) The number of substrate molecules converted per unit time
- C) The enzyme-substrate binding affinity
- D) The  $K_m$  value of an enzyme

**Answer: B) The number of substrate molecules converted per unit time**

617. Enzyme activity is typically measured by:

- A) The rate of enzyme denaturation



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- B) The amount of enzyme-substrate complex formed
  - C) The amount of product formed per unit time
  - D) The dissociation constant ( $K_d$ ) of the enzyme-substrate complex
- Answer: C) The amount of product formed per unit time**

618. Enzyme kinetics refers to the study of:

- A) Enzyme inhibition
- B) Enzyme structure
- C) Enzyme activity over time
- D) Enzyme classification

**Answer: C) Enzyme activity over time**

619. Competitive inhibition can be overcome by:

- A) Increasing the substrate concentration
- B) Decreasing the enzyme concentration
- C) Altering the pH of the solution
- D) Reducing the temperature

**Answer: A) Increasing the substrate concentration**

620. Irreversible inhibitors:

- A) Bind reversibly to the enzyme
- B) Compete with the substrate for the active site
- C) Bind covalently to the enzyme
- D) Can be overcome by increasing substrate concentration

**Answer: C) Bind covalently to the enzyme**

621. Allosteric enzymes:

- A) Have only one substrate

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- B) Show cooperativity in substrate binding
- C) Exhibit competitive inhibition
- D) Function only in the presence of cofactors

**Answer: B) Show cooperativity in substrate binding**

622. Feedback inhibition:

- A) Activates enzyme activity
- B) Stimulates the production of more enzyme
- C) Slows down or stops enzyme activity
- D) Increases the rate of enzyme-catalyzed reactions

**Answer: C) Slows down or stops enzyme activity**

623. Which of the following is NOT a type of enzyme inhibition?

- A) Allosteric inhibition
- B) Non-competitive inhibition
- C) Positive inhibition
- D) Competitive inhibition

**Answer: C) Positive inhibition**

624. Enzyme-substrate binding involves:

- A) The release of energy
- B) The formation of covalent bonds
- C) Hydrophobic interactions
- D) Specific non-covalent interactions

**Answer: D) Specific non-covalent interactions**

625. Enzyme specificity refers to:

- A) The enzyme's ability to bind to multiple substrates

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- B) The enzyme's ability to catalyze a specific reaction
- C) The enzyme's susceptibility to inhibition
- D) The enzyme's resistance to denaturation

**Answer: B) The enzyme's ability to catalyze a specific reaction**

626. Enzyme activity can be influenced by:

- A) Temperature and pH
- B) Substrate concentration only
- C) Enzyme concentration only
- D) Presence of metal ions only

**Answer: A) Temperature and pH**

627. Which of the following statements about cofactors is true?

- A) Cofactors are always organic molecules
- B) Cofactors are required for enzyme activity
- C) Cofactors are exclusively protein-based
- D) Cofactors are never metal ions

**Answer: B) Cofactors are required for enzyme activity**

628. The transition state theory explains:

- A) How enzymes stabilize transition states
- B) The rate of enzyme inhibition
- C) Enzyme-substrate binding affinity
- D) The role of cofactors in enzymatic reactions

**Answer: A) How enzymes stabilize transition states**

629. Enzyme inhibition differs from enzyme denaturation in that inhibition:

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- A) Irreversibly alters the enzyme structure
- B) Reversibly alters the enzyme structure
- C) Increases enzyme activity
- D) Requires the presence of cofactors

**Answer: B) Reversibly alters the enzyme structure**

630. The role of the enzyme-substrate complex is to:

- A) Stabilize the enzyme's structure
- B) Stabilize the transition state of the reaction
- C) Form new products
- D) Inhibit competitive inhibitors

**Answer: B) Stabilize the transition state of the reaction**

631. The Michaelis-Menten equation represents:

- A) A linear relationship between enzyme and substrate concentration
- B) A hyperbolic relationship between enzyme and substrate concentration
- C) A parabolic relationship between enzyme and substrate concentration
- D) An exponential relationship between enzyme and substrate concentration

**Answer: B) A hyperbolic relationship between enzyme and substrate concentration**

632. The Hill coefficient in enzyme kinetics measures:

- A) The enzyme turnover number
- B) The cooperativity of enzyme-substrate binding
- C) The catalytic efficiency of the enzyme

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D) The  $K_m$  value of the enzyme

**Answer: B) The cooperativity of enzyme-substrate binding**

633. The Lineweaver-Burk plot is a:

A) Linear representation of enzyme activity

B) Graph used to determine  $K_m$  and  $V_{max}$

C) Curve showing competitive inhibition

D) Representation of non-competitive inhibition

**Answer: B) Graph used to determine  $K_m$  and  $V_{max}$**

634. Enzymes function optimally within a specific pH range because:

A) pH changes affect the enzyme's structure

B) pH affects the enzyme's catalytic activity

C) pH influences the enzyme's turnover number

D) pH is a cofactor required for enzyme activity

**Answer: A) pH changes affect the enzyme's structure**

635. Enzyme activity is typically measured by:

A) The rate of enzyme denaturation

B) The amount of enzyme-substrate complex formed

C) The amount of product formed per unit time

D) The dissociation constant ( $K_d$ ) of the enzyme-substrate complex

**Answer: C) The amount of product formed per unit time**

636. Which mineral is essential for the formation of hemoglobin?

A) Iron

B) Zinc

C) Calcium

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D) Magnesium

**Answer: A) Iron**

637. Deficiency of iodine leads to:

A) Rickets

B) Goiter

C) Scurvy

D) Osteomalacia

**Answer: B) Goiter**

638. Zinc deficiency can cause:

A) Night blindness

B) Anemia

C) Delayed wound healing

D) Osteoporosis

**Answer: C) Delayed wound healing**

639. Which mineral is essential for maintaining normal nerve function and muscle control?

A) Iron

B) Sodium

C) Potassium

D) Calcium

**Answer: C) Potassium**

640. Deficiency of calcium can lead to:

A) Rickets

B) Anemia

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- C) Osteoporosis
- D) Beriberi

**Answer: C) Osteoporosis**

641. Which mineral is a component of teeth and bones, and its deficiency causes dental problems and bone abnormalities?

- A) Fluoride
- B) Iron
- C) Copper
- D) Selenium

**Answer: A) Fluoride**

642. Iron deficiency results in:

- A) Anemia
- B) Osteoporosis
- C) Goiter
- D) Scurvy

**Answer: A) Anemia**

643. Which mineral is necessary for the synthesis of thyroid hormones?

- A) Selenium
- B) Zinc
- C) Iodine
- D) Magnesium

**Answer: C) Iodine**

644. Magnesium deficiency can cause:

- A) Osteoporosis



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- B) Tetany
- C) Night blindness
- D) Scurvy

**Answer: B) Tetany**

645. Deficiency of potassium may result in:

- A) Anemia
- B) Hypertension
- C) Rickets
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: B) Hypertension**

647. Which mineral is essential for normal blood clotting?

- A) Potassium
- B) Iron
- C) Calcium
- D) Sodium

**Answer: C) Calcium**

648. Deficiency of selenium can lead to:

- A) Goiter
- B) Keshan disease
- C) Osteomalacia
- D) Scurvy

**Answer: B) Keshan disease**

649. Zinc deficiency is associated with:

- A) Rickets





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- B) Beriberi
- C) Delayed wound healing
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: C) Delayed wound healing**

650. Which mineral is important for the proper functioning of antioxidant enzymes?

- A) Copper
- B) Iron
- C) Selenium
- D) Fluoride

**Answer: C) Selenium**

651. Deficiency of copper can lead to:

- A) Osteoporosis
- B) Night blindness
- C) Anemia
- D) Scurvy

**Answer: C) Anemia**

652. Fluoride deficiency may result in:

- A) Rickets
- B) Osteomalacia
- C) Dental caries
- D) Scurvy

**Answer: C) Dental caries**

653. Deficiency of iodine can cause:



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- A) Rickets
- B) Goiter
- C) Anemia
- D) Osteomalacia

**Answer: B) Goiter**

654. Which mineral is a component of many enzymes involved in energy metabolism?

- A) Iron
- B) Magnesium
- C) Zinc
- D) Calcium

**Answer: B) Magnesium**

655. Copper deficiency may result in:

- A) Anemia
- B) Osteoporosis
- C) Night blindness
- D) Goiter

**Answer: A) Anemia**

656. Deficiency of selenium can cause:

- A) Anemia
- B) Goiter
- C) Keshan disease
- D) Osteoporosis

**Answer: C) Keshan disease**



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657. Which mineral is crucial for muscle contraction, nerve function, and fluid balance in the body?

- A) Sodium
- B) Potassium
- C) Fluoride
- D) Iron

**Answer: A) Sodium**

658. Deficiency of magnesium can lead to:

- A) Night blindness
- B) Tetany
- C) Osteoporosis
- D) Dental caries

**Answer: B) Tetany**

659. Which mineral deficiency is linked to muscle weakness and irregular heartbeat?

- A) Potassium
- B) Selenium
- C) Iron
- D) Zinc

**Answer: A) Potassium**

660. Deficiency of iron can cause:

- A) Goiter
- B) Anemia
- C) Osteoporosis
- D) Rickets



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**Answer: B) Anemia**

661. Which mineral is essential for the proper functioning of antioxidant enzymes such as superoxide dismutase?

- A) Copper
- B) Zinc
- C) Selenium
- D) Iron

**Answer: A) Copper**

662. Deficiency of fluoride can lead to:

- A) Rickets
- B) Osteoporosis
- C) Dental caries
- D) Anemia

**Answer: C) Dental caries**

663. Which mineral deficiency is associated with muscle cramps and irregular heartbeat?

- A) Magnesium
- B) Sodium
- C) Fluoride
- D) Copper

**Answer: A) Magnesium**

664. Deficiency of sodium can result in:

- A) Muscle weakness
- B) Osteoporosis



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- C) Anemia
- D) Dental caries

**Answer: A) Muscle weakness**

665. Which mineral is essential for thyroid hormone synthesis and regulation?

- A) Iodine
- B) Zinc
- C) Iron
- D) Selenium

**Answer: A) Iodine**

666. Deficiency of zinc can lead to:

- A) Night blindness
- B) Osteoporosis
- C) Delayed wound healing
- D) Dental caries

**Answer: C) Delayed wound healing**

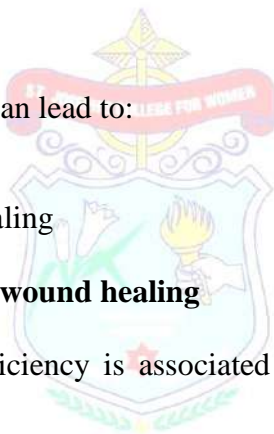
667. Which mineral deficiency is associated with bone abnormalities and dental problems?

- A) Fluoride
- B) Zinc
- C) Iron
- D) Iodine

**Answer: A) Fluoride**

668. Deficiency of copper can result in:

- A) Anemia



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- B) Osteoporosis
- C) Night blindness
- D) Dental caries

**Answer: A) Anemia**

669. Which mineral is essential for proper nerve transmission and muscle contraction?

- A) Potassium
- B) Sodium
- C) Magnesium
- D) Iron

**Answer: A) Potassium**

670. Deficiency of selenium may result in:

- A) Goiter
- B) Keshan disease
- C) Anemia
- D) Osteoporosis

**Answer: B) Keshan disease**

671. Which mineral deficiency can lead to tooth decay and cavities?

- A) Fluoride
- B) Iron
- C) Copper
- D) Zinc

**Answer: A) Fluoride**

672. Deficiency of iodine is primarily associated with:



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- A) Muscle weakness
- B) Dental caries
- C) Goiter
- D) Anemia

**Answer: C) Goiter**

673. Which mineral is crucial for nerve function, muscle contraction, and maintaining proper fluid balance?

- A) Sodium
- B) Potassium
- C) Calcium
- D) Magnesium

**Answer: B) Potassium**

674. Deficiency of magnesium can cause:

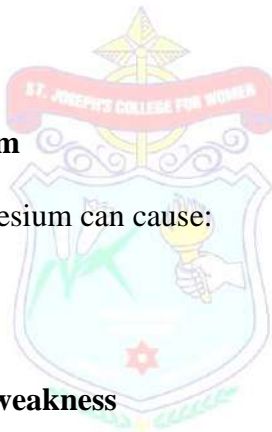
- A) Dental caries
- B) Osteoporosis
- C) Muscle weakness
- D) Goiter

**Answer: C) Muscle weakness**

675. Which mineral is necessary for blood clotting and bone health?

- A) Calcium
- B) Iron
- C) Sodium
- D) Zinc

**Answer: A) Calcium**



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676. Deficiency of sodium may result in:

- A) Osteoporosis
- B) Muscle weakness
- C) Dental caries
- D) Night blindness

**Answer: B) Muscle weakness**

677. Which mineral deficiency is associated with bone deformities and growth retardation?

- A) Calcium
- B) Zinc
- C) Iron
- D) Fluoride

**Answer: D) Fluoride**

678. Deficiency of magnesium can lead to:

- A) Osteoporosis
- B) Tetany
- C) Anemia
- D) Dental caries

**Answer: B) Tetany**

679. Which mineral is vital for maintaining electrolyte balance and nerve transmission?

- A) Calcium
- B) Sodium
- C) Potassium
- D) Magnesium





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**Answer: C) Potassium**

680. Deficiency of selenium can cause:

- A) Anemia
- B) Goiter
- C) Keshan disease
- D) Osteoporosis

**Answer: C) Keshan disease**

681. Which mineral deficiency is linked to tooth decay and weakened bones?

- A) Fluoride
- B) Iron
- C) Copper
- D) Zinc

**Answer: A) Fluoride**

682. Deficiency of iodine is mainly associated with:

- A) Muscle weakness
- B) Dental caries
- C) Goiter
- D) Anemia

**Answer: C) Goiter**

683. Which mineral is essential for nerve impulse transmission and muscle contraction?

- A) Sodium
- B) Potassium



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C) Magnesium

D) Calcium

**Answer: B) Potassium**

684. Deficiency of magnesium may result in:

A) Dental caries

B) Osteoporosis

C) Muscle weakness

D) Goiter

**Answer: C) Muscle weakness**

685. Which mineral is necessary for blood clotting and bone health?

A) Calcium

B) Iron

C) Sodium

D) Zinc

**Answer: A) Calcium**

686. Deficiency of sodium may result in:

A) Osteoporosis

B) Muscle weakness

C) Dental caries

D) Night blindness

**Answer: B) Muscle weakness**





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