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Time: 3 hrs

Maximum Marks: 75

Q.1. Attempt all the questions (15x1=15)

- I. Which of the following are often used as a biomarker of oxidative stress?
a). 8-oxoAde b). FapyAde c). 8-OxoGua d). FapyGua
- II. Why certain proteins are more susceptible to oxidation than others?
- III. BER uses specificto release the damaged base leaving an AP site.
- IV. Formation of isopeptide bond takes place between.....and.....
- V. p53 can activate _____ proteins when DNA has sustained damage.
- VI. Metalloenzyme catalyzes the dismutation of superoxide anion free radical ($O_2^{\cdot -}$) into _____ and _____.
- VII. Write the name of the caspase-independent pathway of the cell death mechanism.
- VIII. Caspases stands for _____
- IX. How many glutathiones are present in the oxidized form of glutathione?
- X. Write the names of the amino acids that participate in the formation of glutathione.
- XI. SOD converts superoxide free radical into _____
- XII. Write the structure of metallothionein.
- XIII. Retinopathy occurs due to the deficiency of _____
- XIV. FapyGua, which originates from the addition of the hydroxyl radical to the _____ position of the guanine ring.
- XV. MDA is an oxidative stress product of which biomolecule? _____

Q.2 Explain any three (3x5=15)

- A. Action mechanism of SOD
- B. Mitochondrial membrane permeability
- C. Alpha-tocopherol as an antioxidant
- D. Necrotic cell death mechanism
- E. Action mechanism of Metallothioneins

Q.3. Answer any three in brief (3x5=15)

- A. Why does protein undergo the process of ubiquitination? Elucidate the role of the proteasome in ubiquitination.
- B. How is DNA protected from the deleterious effects of oxidative stress? Explain with the help of example.
- C. What role does apoptosis play during the process of development?
- D. How ROS generation takes place during the process of the electron transport chain?

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Q.4. Write down the toxicological consequences of increased intracellular calcium concentrations.

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Discuss glutathione, its synthesis, functions, and its role.

Q. 5. Define oxidative stress and how it leads to DNA damage, and explain in detail.

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How do different toxic chemicals disrupt oxidative phosphorylation, discuss in detail.