



**WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY**  
B.Sc. Honours 1st Semester Examination, 2020, held in 2021

**PHYACOR02T-PHYSIOLOGY (CC2)**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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

**Answer any five questions from the following**

8×5 = 40

1. (a) State the differences between centrifugation and ultracentrifugation. 2  
(b) Define absolute viscosity. What is shear rate? 2+2  
(c) State two properties of pseudoplastic fluid. 2
2. (a) What are cohesive and adhesive forces? 3  
(b) Explain the mechanism of action of basic buffers. 3  
(c) What is buffer capacity? 2
3. (a) State the differences between SDS-PAGE and native-PAGE. 2  
(b) What are mobile phase and stationary phase in paper chromatography? 2+2  
(c) What is molecular sieving? 2
4. (a) Elaborate on cell-fractionation technique. 3  
(b) State the differences between lyophilic sols and lyophobic sols. 3  
(c) What is Gold number? 2
5. (a) State the second law of thermodynamics and how it is related with entropy. 2  
(b) What is  $K_m$ ? Discuss the different characteristics of  $K_m$ . 2+2  
(c) Define activation energy. 2
6. (a) Give diagrammatic representation of Donnan membrane equilibrium. 2  
(b) What is critical point? 1  
(c) Define endosmosis with proper example. 2  
(d) What is salting out? 2  
(e) What is isoelectric pH? 1

7. (a) Derive Michaelis-Menten equation for enzymes. 3  
(b) What are noncompetitive and uncompetitive inhibition? 3  
(c) What is allosteric modulation? 2
8. Write short notes: 2×4 = 8  
(a) Van't Hoff's law  
(b) Rate limiting enzymes  
(c) Ribozymes  
(d) Radioimmunoassay.

**N.B. :** *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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