

**PATHOLOGY**

**PAPER – I**

PATHO/APRIL/16/32/I

Time : 3 hours

Max. Marks : 100

**Important instructions:**

- Attempt all questions in order.
- Each question carries 10 marks.
- Read the question carefully and answer to the point neatly and legibly.
- Do not leave any blank pages between two answers.
- Indicate the question number correctly for the answer in the margin space.
- Answer all the parts of a single question together.
- Start the answer to a question on a fresh page or leave adequate space between two answers.
- Draw table/diagrams/flowcharts wherever appropriate.

Write short notes on:

1. a) Pathophysiology of osteoporosis. 5+5  
b) Pathophysiology of disseminated intravascular coagulation.
2. a) What is sarcoidosis? Give its etiology and pathogenesis. 5+5  
b) Morphological changes in various organs in sarcoidosis.
3. a) Mechanism of hematogenous spread of tumors. 5+5  
b) Telomerase activity in health and disease.
4. a) Antinuclear antibodies – immuno-florescence pattern and interpretations. 5+5  
b) Role of electron microscopy in diagnostic pathology.
5. a) Graft versus host disease. 5+5  
b) Mechanism of iron absorption.
6. a) Prenatal diagnosis - methods & utility. 5+5  
b) Methods of evaluation of HbA<sub>1c</sub>, its role in diagnosis and monitoring of diabetes mellitus.
7. a) Pathogenesis of autoimmune thyroiditis. 5+5  
b) Role of trace elements in health and disease.
8. a) Microarray technique & its applications. 5+5  
b) Role of IHC in differential diagnosis of lymphoproliferative lesions.
9. a) What is an atheroma? 2+4+4  
b) Various risk factors and pathogenesis of atherosclerosis.  
c) Various acute coronary events and their consequences.
10. a) Mechanism of apoptosis. 5+5  
b) Angioneurotic oedema.

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