B.Sc. Sem I (Hons.) Examination, 2020

Subject: Biochemistry

Paper: GE1

(Biochemistry of cell)

FM: 40

Time: 2hrs

 $5 \times 8 = 40$

Answer *any eight* of the following questions:

- 1. Describe the structure of tRNA with diagram.
- 2. Mention two names of derivatives of amino acid and briefly describe their biological role.
- 3. Draw the structure of GC base pairing. Why it is more stable than ATbase pairing?
- Mention the role of phospholipids in cellular membrane. Give any two examples of phospholipid.
- Briefly describe the structure of double stranded DNA with a schematic diagram. Mention two unusual DNA structures.
- 6. What is racemic mixture? Differentiate between reducing and non-reducing sugar.
- 7. Mention few major roles of cyanocobalamin in living system.
- 8. Draw the structure of cAMP. Mention its role as a signaling molecule.
- 9. Write the role of NO in signal transduction.
- 10. Briefly describe the secondary structure of protein with suitable diagram.