

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS ON CARBOHYDRATES

Q1. Which of the following is the most abundant biomolecule on the earth?

- (a) Lipids
- (b) Proteins
- (c) Carbohydrates
- (d) Nucleic acids.

Q2. Which of the following are the major functions of Carbohydrates?

- (a) Storage
- (b) Structural framework
- (c) Transport Materials
- (d) Both Storage and structural framework

Q3. Which of the following is the general formula of Carbohydrates?

- (a) $(C_4H_2O)_n$
- (b) $(C_6H_2O)_n$
- (c) $(CH_2O)_n$
- (d) $(C_2H_2O)_n COOH$

Q4. Which of the following is the smallest carbohydrate – triose?

- (a) Ribose
- (b) Glucose
- (c) Glyceraldehyde
- (d) Dihydroxyacetone

Q5. Which of the following is a reducing sugar?

- (a) Dihydroxyacetone
- (b) Erythrulose
- (c) Glucose
- (d) All of the above

Q6. Which of the following is an example of Epimers?

- (a) Glucose and Ribose
- (b) Glucose and Galactose
- (c) Galactose, Mannose and Glucose
- (d) Glucose, Ribose and Mannose

Q7. Which of the following is the simplest carbohydrate?

- (a) Glycose
- (b) Glucose
- (c) Dihydroxyacetone
- (d) Glyceraldehyde

Q8. A disaccharide is formed when two monosaccharides are bonded together by a bond.

- a) glycosidic
- b) peptide
- c) ionic
- d) phosphodiester

Q9. Which of the following statements about starch is incorrect?

- a) It gives blue colour with iodine
- b) It is a polymer of α -D-glucose
- c) It is a reducing carbohydrate
- d) It consists of branched chains

Q10. When converting a disaccharide to monosaccharides, which bond is hydrolyzed?

- a) Disulfide bond
- b) Glycosidic bond
- c) Phosphodiester bond
- d) Hydrogen bond

Q11. Which of the following polymer is stored in the liver of animals?

- (i) Amylose
- (ii) Cellulose
- (iii) Amylopectin
- (iv) Glycogen

Q12. Sucrose (cane sugar) is a disaccharide. One molecule of sucrose on hydrolysis gives

- (i) 2 molecules of glucose
- (ii) 2 molecules of glucose + 1 molecule of fructose
- (iii) 1 molecule of glucose + 1 molecule of fructose
- (iv) 2 molecules of fructose

Q13. Which of the following statements is not true about glucose?

- (i) It is an aldohexose.
- (ii) On heating with HI it forms n-hexane.
- (iii) It is present in furanose form.
- (iv) It does not give 2,4-DNP test.

Q14. Which of the following reactions of glucose can be explained only by its cyclic structure?

- (i) Glucose forms pentaacetate.
- (ii) Glucose reacts with hydroxylamine to form an oxime.
- (iii) Pentaacetate of glucose does not react with hydroxylamine.
- (iv) Glucose is oxidised by nitric acid to gluconic acid.

Q15. The reaction of glucose with hydrogen cyanide confirms the _____

- a) straight chain structure of glucose
- b) presence of a carbonyl group in glucose
- c) presence of an aldehyde group in glucose
- d) presence of a keto group in glucose

Q16. The reaction of glucose with NH_2OH gives _____

- a) n-hexane
- b) glucose oxime
- c) glucose cyanohydrin
- d) a gluconic acid

Q17. The reaction of glucose with which of the following proves the presence of an aldehydic group?

- a) Potassium iodide
- b) Hydroxylamine
- c) Bromine water
- d) Acetic anhydride

Q18. On oxidation of glucose with mild oxidising agent like Br_2 water , it produces

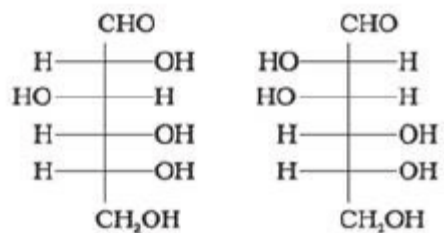
- a) Gluconic acid
- b) Saccharic acid
- c) Valeric acid
- d) Glucoric acid

Q19. Which reagent is used to convert Glucose into Saccharic acid ?

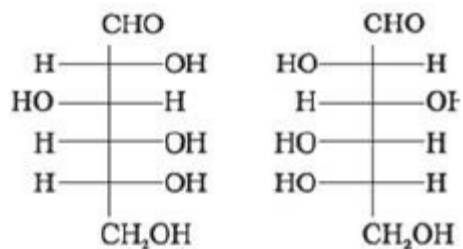
- a) Bromine water
- b) Nitric acid
- c) Alkaline solution of KOH
- d) Ammonium Hydroxide

Q20. Which of the following pairs represents anomers?

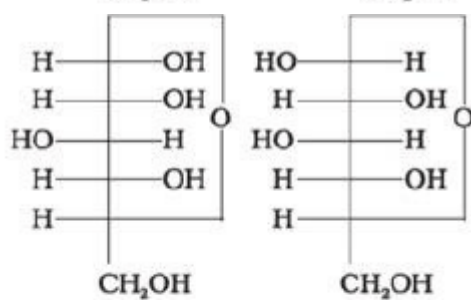
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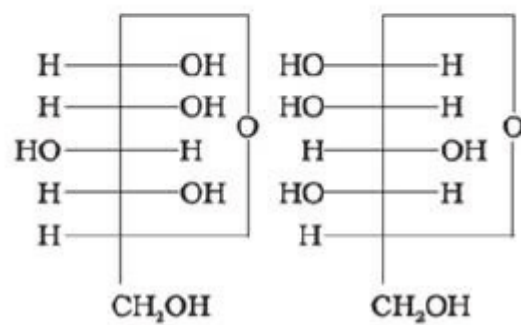
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