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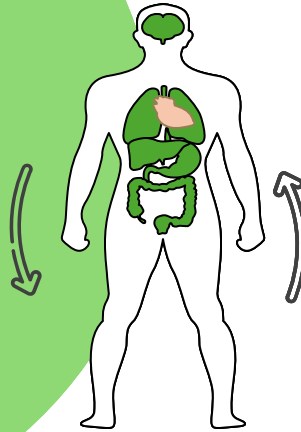
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# Phosphate Pentose Pathway

## Question 1

Goal of pentose phosphate pathway:

- a) Synthesize TAG from glycerol
- b) Generate high amount of ATP
- c) Generate NADPH and pentoses
- d) Degrade glucose to generate NADH

Ans: c

## Question 2

3 moles of glucose enter the PPP. What is the net product?

- a) 3 moles of pentoses. 6 moles of NADPH. 3 moles of CO<sub>2</sub>
- b) 3 moles of pentoses. 6 moles of NADPH. 6 moles of CO<sub>2</sub>
- c) 6 moles of pentoses. 12 moles of NADPH. 6 moles of CO<sub>2</sub>
- d) 5 moles of pentoses. 6 moles of NADPH. 3 moles of CO<sub>2</sub>

Ans: a

## Question 3

The goal of Pentose Phosphate Pathway is:

- a) Generation of NADPH + pentose
- b) Generation of ATP
- c) Generation of NADH
- d) Generation of new glucose

Ans: a

## Question 4

Which of the following products is not an intermediate of the pentosephosphate pathway ?

- a) NADPH
- b) CO<sub>2</sub>
- c) Ribose5-phosphate
- d) NADH and ATP
- e) Fructose 6-phosphate

Ans: d

## Question 5

Which of the following enzymes is the first enzyme unique to PPP?

- a) Glucose 6 phosphate dehydrogenase
- b) 6-phosphogluconate dehydrogenase
- c) Transaldolase

Ans: a

## Question 6

True about characteristics of G6PD deficiency:

- a) has low amount of NADPH.
- b) RBCs most affected
- c) Provide resistance to malaria
- d) All of the above

Ans: d



## Question 7

All of the following produces ROS except:

- a) CoQ in normal respiratory chain
- b) Oxidases
- c) ionizing radiation
- d) respiratory burst
- e) lactic acid formation

Ans: e

## Question 8

something wrong about pentose phosphate pathway (PPP):

- a) necessary for synthesis of steroid hormones in testis and ovaries
- b) produce intermediates of glycolysis
- c) NADPH inhibits it
- d) produces NADPH in the reversal pathway

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Ans: d

## Question 9

3 carbons are transferred from sedoheptulose to another molecule. Which sentence describes this correctly?

- a) A three-carbon molecule is formed
- b) The produced molecules are a fructose derivative and a tetrose
- c) The enzyme used is a transketolase
- d) The remaining molecule is Xylulose 5-p

Ans: b

## Question 10

All of the following regarding the oxidized form of glutathione are correct EXCEPT:

- a) Its level in the RBC is increased in patients with G6PD deficiency.
- b) It is converted to the reduced form in an NADPH requiring reaction
- c) One molecule of the oxidized form contains two sulfur atoms
- d) It is the substrate of glutathione peroxidase.
- e)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  leads to increase in oxidized/reduced ratio.

Ans: d

## Question 11

Xylulose 5 Phosphate + Ribose 5-Phosphate  $\rightarrow$  A + B).  
Considering this reaction, choose the TRUE answer:

- a) It is catalyzed by transaldolase
- b) The products are Erythrose 4-phosphate and fructose 6 phosphate
- c) It is irreversible reaction
- d) The products are aldose and ketose
- e) It involves transfer of one carbon group

Ans: d

## Question 12

6-phosphogluconate + A  $\rightarrow$  B + C. What are substance B and C in this reaction?

- a)  $\text{NAD}^+ + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- b)  $\text{NADPH} + \text{CO}_2$
- c)  $\text{NADP}^+ + \text{CO}_2$
- d)  $\text{ADP} + \text{Pi}$
- e)  $\text{FADH}_2 + \text{CO}_2$

Ans: b

## Question 13

In the well-fed state, pentose phosphate pathway is affected, and the following change occurs:

- a) The pathway is activated producing more NADH and pentoses.
- b) Glutathione reductase is inhibited in red blood cells.
- c) Nucleic acid synthesis is reduced due to consumption of ribose-5-phosphate.
- d) Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase is activated.
- e) Insulin reduces the expression of glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase.

Ans: d

## Question 14

The following is a source of reactive oxygen species:

- a) Coenzyme A
- b) Glutathione
- c) Reactions catalyzed by oxidases
- d) Reactions catalyzed by catalase.
- e) Reactions catalyzed by superoxide dismutase

Ans: c



## Question 15

### Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase deficiency?

- a) Leads to the accumulation of glucose-6-phosphate in the blood.
- b) Results in elevated levels of NADPH in cells.
- c) Causes anemia due to decreased red blood cell production.
- d) Provides resistance against bacterial infections.
- e) Causes hemolytic anemia under oxidative stress.

Ans : e

## Question 16

Synthesis of which of the following is not affected by glutathione?

- a) Prostaglandins
- b) Prostacyclins
- c) Thromboxane
- d) Lipoxins
- e) Leukotriens

Ans: d

## Question 17

About PPP, which is true?

- a) First phase is oxidative & reversible while the second is non-oxidative & irreversible
- b) Transketolase and transaldolases are used to transfer 2 & 3 carbons.
- c) PPP produces pentoses and NADH
- d) There is no production of ATP

Ans: b& d

## Question 18

Deficiency in which enzyme protects from malaria?

- a) G6PD
- b) Lactate dehydrogenase
- c) Phosphofructokinase

Ans: a

## Question 19

What enzyme catalyzes the synthesis of reactive nitrogen in phagocytes

- a) eNOS
- b) nNOS
- c) iNOS
- d) P450

Ans : c

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