

Question Paper

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MANIPAL ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION

SECOND SEMESTER M.Sc. MRP DEGREE EXAMINATION - SEPTEMBER 2022
SUBJECT: MRP5201 - RADIATION PHYSICS, RADIATION QUANTITIES AND UNITS
(2021 SCHEME)

Marks: 100

Duration: 180 mins.

Answer all the questions.

Answer the following questions:

- 1) Discuss the various modes of decay of an atom. (20)
- 2A) Explain the production of radionuclide in a nuclear reactor. Give the characteristics of the produced radionuclide. (10)
- 2B) Give the postulates of Bohr's atom model. Obtain an expression for the radius and energy of the n^{th} orbit. (10)
- 3A) What is Compton Effect? State its importance in radiology. (10)
- 3B) Discuss in detail dosimetric quantities. (10)
- 3C) Write short note on collisional losses and radiative losses. (10)
- 3D) Discuss in detail the protection quantities. (10)
- 4A) Write a short note on Relative Biological effectiveness. (5)
- 4B) Write a short note on Bragg peak. (5)
- 4C) **Determine the modified wavelength of x – rays whose $\lambda = 0.7080 \text{ \AA}$. Which were scattered from a carbon block through an angle of 90° .** (5)
- 4D) Define Half Value Thickness and Tenth Value Thickness. Derive the relationship between them. (5)

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SECOND SEMESTER M.Sc. (MEDICAL RADIATION PHYSICS) DEGREE EXAMINATION - SEPTEMBER 2022
SUBJECT: MRP5204 - RADIOBIOLOGY AND RADIOBIOLOGICAL BASIS OF RADIOTHERAPY
(2021 SCHEME)

Marks: 100

Duration: 180 mins.

Answer all the questions.

- 1) Describe the various acute radiation syndromes following whole body exposure to large doses (20)
- 2) Explain the importance of dose rate effect and oxygen effect in modifying the radiation response (20)
- 3A) Discuss the relationship between relative biological effectiveness(RBE) and LET of radiation (10)
- 3B) Explain the multi target-single hit theory of cell survival (10)
- 3C) With the help of BED equation show that smaller dose fractions reduce the late normal tissue toxicity. (10)
- 3D) Describe the linear quadratic model of cell survival with a neat diagram and explain the mechanistic bases supporting this model (10)
- 4A) Describe the use of permanent implants in brachytherapy (5)
- 4B) Describe the process of DNA replication (5)
- 4C) Discuss the role of radiation sickness in assessing the seriousness of radiation exposure (5)
- 4D) Why are bone marrow cells more sensitive than muscle cells? (5)

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