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I SEMESTER M.Tech. (BME) DEGREE MAKE-UP EXAMINATIONS, DEC/JAN 2016-17

SUBJECT: BIOMECHANICS & BIO-DYNAMICS (BME 5104)

(REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM)

Tuesday, 3rd January 2017, 9am to 12 noon

TIME: 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 100

Instructions to Candidates:

- 1. Answer all the questions.**
- 2. Draw labeled diagram wherever necessary.**

- 1A.** Draw a graph (muscle tension vs. muscle length) to represent active, passive and total tension and also explain it. **6**
- 1B.** Explain about the bone failure mechanics and also write about the types of bone fracture. **6**
- 1C.** (i) Write the movements involved in pronation and supination of foot. **2+6**
(ii) Define all the human movements possible in the sagittal plane.
- 2A.** Draw the stress-strain diagram of tendon & ligament and explain it. **6**
- 2B.** Explain how the muscle fibers are recruited (i.e) order of muscle fiber activation and deactivation? **6**
- 2C.** (i) With an example each, define active and passive insufficiency. **4+4**
(ii) Draw the mechanical model of musculotendinous unit and explain it.
- 3A.** Write about the following factors influencing projectiles: **6**
(i) projection angle
(ii) projection velocity
(iii) relative projection height
- 3B.** Derive the relationship of linear and angular acceleration. **6**
- 3C.** How do you measure the vertical ground reaction force using a force platform? **8**

- 4A.** A forearm weighing 35 N is held at an angle of 45° to the vertically oriented humerus bone. The center of gravity of the forearm is located at a distance of 15 cm from the center of the elbow joint. The elbow-flexor muscles are attached at an average distance of 3 cm from the center of the elbow joint. Calculate the force to be exerted by the elbow-flexors, to maintain the same position. Calculate the force to be exerted by the elbow-flexors, if a weight of 50 N is held in the hand, at a distance of 25 cm from the center of the elbow joint. Draw the free body diagram. **6**
- 4B.** If the location of hip, knee & ankle joints are (1.14, 0.80), (1.22, 0.51) and (1.09, 0.09) respectively, calculate the angles of thigh & leg segments and also the angle of knee joint. **6**
- 4C.** With an example, explain in detail about force couple. **8**
- 5A.** A badminton shuttlecock is struck by a racquet at an angle 35° , giving it an initial speed of 10 m/s. How high will it go? How far will it travel horizontally before being contacted by the opponent's racquet at the same height from which it was projected? **6**
- 5B.** Explain in detail about the floating position of human body. **6**
- 5C.** Illustrate to show how lift force is generated in a bottom spinning ball. **8**