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MANIPAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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VI SEMESTER B.Tech.(BME) DEGREE MAKE UP EXAMINATIONS JUNE 2019 SUBJECT: INTRODUCTION TO BIOMEDICAL NANOTECHNOLOGY (BME 4012) (REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM) Tuesday, 18th June 2019: 2 PM to 5 PM

TIME: 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 50

	Instructions to Candidates:								
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2.	2. Draw labeled diagrams wherever necessary.								
1.	(a)	Explain the relation between surface energy and particle size.	03						
	(b)	Explain the mechanisms for reducing overall surface energy in nanomaterials.	03						
	(c)	You are preparing ZnO nanoparticles using Zinc nitrate and NaOH as reactants. Explain multiple steps in the growth process of ZnO nuclei? Recommend a method to limit the growth of ZnO nanoparticles to form monosized ZnO nanoparticles.	04						
2.	(a)	Explain micro emulsion-based methods for nanoparticle synthesis.	03						
	(b)	Describe in detail the principle behind hydrothermal synthesis of nanomaterials.	02						
	(c)	Describe the principle behind and operation modes of Scanning Tunneling Microscopy.	05						
3.	(a)	Explain in detail the applications of X-Ray Diffraction spectrometer in nanotechnology	05						
	(b)	Explain in detail the principal behind and the applications of UV/Visible absorption spectroscopy and photoluminescence spectroscopy	05						
4.	(a)	Explain in detail, the effect of nanomaterials in biological systems.	05						
	(b)	Explain four design strategies for Fluorescence Resonance Energy Transfer (FRET) based optical biosensors.	05						
5.	(a)	Describe the concept of photothermal therapy (PTT) and how nanomaterials are improving the efficiency of photothermal therapy (PTT).	03						
	(b)	Design a temperature induced intracellular drug delivery system for doxorubicin delivery, which can also deliver multi modal imaging nanoprobes (MRI+CT imaging).	07						