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Sub. Code : 2040

M.D. DEGREE EXAMINATION.

Branch VIII — Radiodiagnosis

Part II — Preliminary

MEDICAL RADIATION PHYSICS AS APPLIED TO  
RADIO DIAGNOSIS

Time : Three hours                      Maximum : 100 marks

Theory : Two hours and                      Theory : 80 marks  
forty minutes

M.C.Q. : Twenty minutes                      M.C.Q. : 20 marks

Answer ALL questions.

Draw suitable diagrams whenever necessary.

I. Essay questions :                      (2 × 15 = 30)

(1) Discuss in detail on interaction of X-rays with matter.

(2) Discuss the basic principles of localisation of foreign bodies and tomography.

II. Short note questions :                      (10 × 5 = 50)

(a) Natural and artificial radioactivity

(b) Full wave rectification

(c) Tube rating

(d) Protective barriers

(e) Filters in Radiology

(f) Quality of X-rays

(g) Cones and grids

(h) Conductors and insulators

(i) Transformers

(j) Timers.

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I. Essay questions :                      (2 × 15 = 30)

(1) Describe the various interactions of X-rays  
with matter.

(2) Describe the various methods of radiation  
protection and Radiation personnel monitoring  
available.

II. Short notes questions :                      (10 × 5 = 50)

(a) Characteristic X-Radiation

(b) Rotating anode

(c) Linear Accelerator

(d) I-131 Therapy

(e) Spin lattice relaxation time

(f) CT numbers

(g) Piezo electric effect

(h) Image intensifier

(i) X-ray film processing

(j) Filters.

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I. Essay questions :

(1) (a) Explain the importance of Quality Assurance tests in Diagnostic radiology.

(b) Discuss various quality assurance tests and test stools required in Diagnostic Radiology. (20)

(2) (a) Explain the functions of each layer of Medical X-ray film.

(b) Discuss principles and functions of intensifying screen.

(c) What are the various steps in film processing? (15)

(3) Outline the process by which X-rays are produced in an X-ray tube? What are the various factors which influence the X-ray omission spectrum? (15)

II. Short notes : (6 × 5 = 30)

(a) Grids and Grid ratio

(b) Characteristic curve

(c) Latent image formation

(d) Gamma camera

(e) Line focus principle

(f) Grinacher X-ray Circute

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**Branch VIII — Radio Diagnosis**

**MEDICAL RADIATION PHYSICS AS APPLIED TO  
RADIO DIAGNOSIS**

**Common to**

**Part II — (Preliminary/New/Revised Regulations)**

**(Candidates admitted from 1988–89 onwards)**

**and**

**Paper I (for candidates admitted from 2004–2005 onwards)**

**Time : Three hours**

**Maximum : 100 marks**

**Theory : Two hours and  
forty minutes**

**Theory : 80 marks**

**M.C.Q. : Twenty minutes**

**M.C.Q. : 20 marks**

**Answer ALL questions.**

**Draw suitable diagrams wherever necessary.**

**I. Essay :**

**1. Explain the physical principle of Computerised Tomography (CT) and describe its technological evolution to the present status. What are the clinical advantages of the new generation scanner? (20)**

**2. What is Doppler Effect? Describe its major medical applications based on the spectral waveform. What are the factors that affect Doppler signal? (15)**

**3. What are the different factors that influence the quality of a radiograph? Describe the different contrast enhancement techniques. (15)**

**II. Short notes : (6 × 5 = 30)**

- (a) Vignetting and pincushion effect.**
- (b) Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy.**
- (c) Renogram.**
- (d) Molybdenum target X ray tube.**
- (e) Effective half life.**
- (f) Contrast media in ultrasound imaging.**

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M.D. DEGREE EXAMINATION.

Branch VIII — Radio Diagnosis

MEDICAL RADIATION PHYSICS AS APPLIED TO RADIO  
DIAGNOSIS

(Common to all Regulations)

**Q.P. Code : 202031**

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

Draw suitable diagrams wherever necessary.

- I. Essay : (2 × 20 = 40)
1. Write the principle of colour doppler. What are the causes of deep vein thrombosis? Discuss merits and demerits of various imaging modalities used in evaluation of DVT? (20)
  2. What are scattered radiations? What is its significance in radiography? What are the methods to reduce scattered radiations? (20)
- II. Short notes : (10 × 6 = 60)
1. Principle digital subtraction angiography DSA.
  2. Replenisher.
  3. Three phase generators.
  4. Inverse square law.
  5. Comptons effect.
  6. Phase transformer.
  7. Capacitors.
  8. Factors on which quality of X rays depend.
  9. Rotating anode.
  10. Grid.
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