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**CS/B.Tech(BME)/SEM-4/BME-402/2010**

**2010**

**BIOMECHANICS**

Time Allotted : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

**GROUP - A**

**( Multiple Choice Type Questions )**

1. Choose the correct alternatives for the following :  $10 \times 1 = 10$ 
  - i) The human C.G of a given posture can be measured by
    - a) Segmental analysis
    - b) Q.R. method
    - c) C.P. method
    - d) None of these.
  - ii) Ligament connects
    - a) Bone to Bone
    - b) Bone to Muscle
    - c) Muscle to Muscle
    - d) None of these.
  - iii) In the model based analysis of human bone the elastic property is represented by
    - a) Spring
    - b) Dashpot
    - c) Combination of Spring & Dashpot
    - d) None of these
  - iv) The CGS unit of viscosity is
    - a) poise
    - b) pas
    - c) centipoise
    - d) none of these.



- v) The freezing point of human blood is
- a)  $-0.55^{\circ}\text{C}$                       b)  $5.5^{\circ}\text{C}$   
c)  $4^{\circ}\text{C}$                                 d)  $1^{\circ}\text{C}$
- vi) Which one of the following is under the property of human cortical bone ?
- a) Piezoelectric                      b) Thermo-electric  
c) Thermo-resistive                d) None of these.
- vii) To measure the foot pressure we need
- a) Load cell                          b) Thermometer  
c) Viscometer                        d) None of these.
- viii) The first mechanical heart valve is
- a) Caged ball  
b) Tilling disc  
c) Bileaflet valve  
d) Pulsed valve.
- ix) The outermost layer of teeth is called
- a) Dentin                                b) Enamel  
c) Alveolar                              d) Base gum.
- x) Fibroin is a bio-material of
- a) natural polymer  
b) a protein  
c) biopolymer  
d) polysaccharide.

**GROUP - B**

**( Short Answer Type Questions )**

Answer any *three* of the following.       $3 \times 5 = 15$

- How can you measure the C.G of human body of a given posture ?
- Write the names of different heart valves present in human body with their locations and functions.



4. a) What are the different types of fractures occurring in bone ?
- b) Explain the different modes of fracture fixation.      2 + 3
5. a) Distinguish between tendon and ligament.
- b) Briefly explain the characteristic features of a typical synovial joint.      2 + 3
6. What basic considerations and assumptions should you prefer to solve the problems related to Bio-mechanics ?
7. Shortly discuss the different types of flow of fluid.

**GROUP - C**

**( Long Answer Type Questions )**

Answer any *three* of the following.      3 × 15 = 45

8. a) What would be the shortening (  $\delta$  ) of titanium in a prosthetic valve due to a force exerted by the flux of the blood ? Assume that the force of the blood = 0.003 lb exerted axially to the titanium round bar of diameter = 1.5 inch and length = 0.50 inch. (  $E_{Ti} = 16800 \times 10^3$  Psi ).      5
- b) Briefly discuss about the piezoelectric properties of human bone.      5
- c) What do you mean by heart valve prosthesis ?      5
9. a) A capillary tube of diameter 2 mm and length 100 mm is used for measuring viscosity of blood. The difference of pressure between the two ends of the tube is  $0.6867 \text{ N/cm}^2$  and the viscosity of blood is 0.05 poise. Find the rate of flow of liquid through tube.      5
- b) Briefly discuss the structure and properties of teeth.      5
- c) Define viscosity. Write the different types of viscometer commonly used for measuring viscosity.      2 + 3



10. a) Define the terms 'anisotropy' and 'visco-elasticity' with respect to bone. 8
- b) Elbow joint consists of three joints explain it. 4
- c) What are the movements possible in the shoulder joint? 3
11. a) Briefly explain the force plate analysis of human locomotion. 5
- b) Write a short note on hip prosthesis. 5
- c) Sketch a long bone with longitudinal section. 5
12. a) Write the rheological properties of blood. 5
- b) Derive Poiseuille's equation for a flowing fluid by dimensional analysis. 7
- c) Distinguish between Newtonian fluid and non-Newtonian fluid. 3
13. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 3 × 5
- a) Mechanics of Hip Joint
- b) Fracture fixators
- c) Tooth and its properties
- d) Goniometry
- e) Human gait cycle.
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