

Invigilator's Signature :

CS/B.TECH (BME)/SEM-8/BME-803D/2011 2011 TISSUE ENGINEERING

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) An example of CAM is
 - a) Cadherin b) growth hormone
 - c) Protease d) Serine.

ii) For skin grafting the scaffold used should be

- a) biodegradable b) bioactive
- c) biocompatible d) both (a) and (c).
- iii) The formation of blood vessel from the pre-existing blood vessel is known as
 - a) angiogenesis b) vascularization
 - c) osteogenesis d) phagocytosis.

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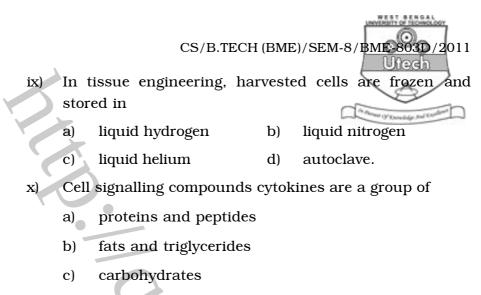
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iv) The major histocompatibility complexes (MHC

- signalling molecules a)
- growth factors b)
- c) cell surface markers
- d) cell adhesion molecules.
- v) Cells respond to signals at distant location via
 - a) autocrine stimulation
 - neurotransmitter b)
 - hormone c)
 - cytokine. d)
- Bone morphogenic protein (BMP) is a vi)
 - cell surface marker a)
 - b) growth factor
 - c) hormone
 - neurotransmitter. d)
- Establishment of tissues in ex-vivo implies vii)
 - implants a)
 - b) scaffolds
 - extracorporeal devices c)
 - d) artificial aids.
- viii) Polyglycolic acid (PGA) scaffold is
 - biotolerant bioactive a) b)
 - biodegradable. c) bioinert d)

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d) hormones and steroids.

GROUP – **B**

(Short Answer Type Questions)

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

- 2. What is vasualization ? Describe the mechanism of basic wound healing. 2 + 3
- With the help of a suitable diagram explain the process of differentiation of stem cells into cell lines.
- How is bacterial cell culture carried out under laboratory conditions ? How is sterile condition maintained in the cell culture laboratory ?
 3 + 2
- 5. What are the different risk factors involved with skin grafting ? How is GVHD prevented ? 3 + 2
- 6. Define the term 'cellular differentiation'. Mention the basic properties of stem cell. 3+2
- 7. Describe different kinds of matrix materials used in tissue engineering. Mention the importance of growth factors in this field. 3+2

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GROUP – C (Long Answer Type Questions.)



Answer any three of the following.

- 8. Define the term 'angiogenesis'. Describe the process of angiogenesis along with chemical stimulatants. Mention the current scope of development and therapeutic uses of tissue engineering. 3 + 6 + 6
- 9. Give a brief overview of receptor-ligand binding mechanism. Describe the signalling pathway for cell's response to the ligand. What is cell surface marker ? 6 + 7 + 2
- 10. a) What are the different pathways of signal transduction in the eukaryotic cell ? 7
 - b) What are the different forms of cell signalling ? Explain with examples. 5 + 3
- 11. With the help of a suitable case study explain Bone Marrow Transplanation. What is the importance of chemotherapy in Myeloblastic leukemia ? Why do you think the success rates of BMT are quite low even with today's advanced technology ? 7 + 3 + 5
- 12. What are Bioreactors and how do they function ? Give the diagram of a typical Bioreactor. Explain cell seeding in a Bioreactor. 7 + 5 + 3
- 13. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : $2 \times 7 \{ EQ \setminus F(1,2) \} = 15$
 - a) Transplant immunology
 - b) Cell preservation and storage
 - c) Cells for tissue engineering
 - d) Engineering tissues for bones and cartilage
 - e) Cell incorporation into the scaffold.

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