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Second Term Exam  
3<sup>st</sup> Year Biophysics Students  
Date: 18may 2015  
Time Allowed: 2 hours

**1) Define the following words**

- a)- Gibbs free energy
- b)- Enthalpy and entropy
- c)- The oxidation of glucose
- d)- actual free energy change

**20 marks**

**2)- Explain in details the cellular respiration 25 marks**

**3) – a) -Explain the factors affecting transport across cell membrane and different types of transport . 10marks**


**b)- describe the photo synthesis 10 marks**

**4) write short notes about**

- a- Phosphoenolpyruvate.
- b)- 1,3 – bisphosphoglycerate.
- c)- phosphocreatine

**15 Marks**

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| <b>Secondterm Exam For 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Biophysics Students</b> |   |                              |
| Time: 2 hours  | Date: 21-5-2015   | Course title: Health physics |
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*Answer the following questions:*

**I) Choose the correct answer:**

**(30 marks)**

1) According to atomic theory, electrons are usually found:

- In the atomic nucleus.
- outside the nucleus, yet very near it because they are attracted to the protons.
- Everywhere, there is no place it cannot be.
- Either in the nucleus or around it - electrons are readily found anywhere in an atom
- Outside the nucleus and often far from it - most of an atom's volume is its electron cloud.

2) Atomic mass =

- Number of protons
- Number of protons + electrons
- Number of neutrons + protons
- Number of protons, electrons, & neutrons

3) Isotopes have different amounts of...

- Electrons
- Neutrons
- Protons
- Both a & b
- Both b & c

4) The element  $^{32}_{16}\text{S}^{2-}$  contains:

- 18 protons and 16 neutrons
- 16 protons and 18 electrons
- 16 protons and 16 electrons
- 18 electrons and 32 neutrons
- 16 protons and 18 neutrons

5) The term used to describe an interaction where electrons acquire energy from a passing charged particle but are not removed completely from their atom is called:

- Excitation
- Radiation





- c. An isotope can be stable or unstable
- d. The x-ray source can emit a wide variety of energy levels

**16) Which action will most increase a person's exposure to radioactivity?**

- a. Staying in a house near a nuclear power plant
- b. eating food that has been sterilised by gamma rays
- c. going for a flight in a high-flying aircraft
- d. opening the windows of a house

**17) The results of the Rutherford experiment provide evidence for the presence of the nucleus within the atom.**

**What were scattered in this experiment?**

- a. gold nuclei
- b. beta-particles
- c. gamma rays
- d. alpha-particles

**18) Gas filled detectors works on the principle that as radiation passes through air or a specific gas, ionization of the molecules in the air occur**

- a. True
- b. False

**19) In gas filled detectors, How is a current formed that goes to the detector**

- a. Free electrons will travel to the anode which is then collected and form a small current in the wires going to the detector
- b. The positive charges are collected by the anode which then forms a current in the wires that goes to the detector
- c. The free electrons travel to the cathode and is it collected to create a small current
- d. The current already exists in the detector

**20) Since radiation cannot be seen, smelt, or tasted How do radiation protection technicians detect ionizing radiation**

- a. radiation protection technicians look at the signs of radiation sickness from personnel in order to indicate the presence of ionizing radiation
- b. RP technicians are dependent on instruments to indicate the presence of ionizing radiation
- c. There is no way to detect ionizing radiation
- d. It is a guessing game. It is naturally assumed that any radiation facility will always have radiation exposure.

**II) Write on:**

**(30 marks)**

- 1) Dose-Effect Relationship.
- 2) Equivalent Dose and effective dose.
- 3) Difference between alpha, beta, and gamma rays spectrum.
- 4) Electron Capture and Internal conversion.
- 5) Solid and Liquid Scintillation Detectors.
- 6) Committed dose and Annual Limit of Intake (ALI).



**III) (20 marks)**

1) a- During an iodine bioassay of a person using I-125, the result of a 2 minute measurement is 1200 counts (or 600 cpm). The background for a 2 minute measurement performed immediately before was 950 counts (or 475 cpm). Knowing the detection efficiency of the instrument for I-125 to be 1.42 % for a person, determine the content of I-125 in the person's thyroid.

b- What is the content of I-125 for a different person measured immediate after the first one, if the measured value is now 980 counts (or 490 cpm)?

2) Prove that 1 x unit equals 34Gy (in air).

3) Exposure from a Cs-137 point source at 10 cm is 10 R.  
Find the exposure at 1 m.

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**Answer The Following Questions**

1-A- Write an account about the conditions which should be satisfied for a successful coulometric titration. (10 Marks)

1-B- The Al in 0.0655 gm sample of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> was precipitated with 8-hydroxyl quinoline. The precipitate (AlQ<sub>3</sub>) was filtered, washed and HQ after the dissolution of the precipitate by acid was brominated with electrogenerated bromine (see equation below). With a current of 0.18 A, the coulometric titration end-point was reached in 11.56 min. Calculate the percentage of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> in the sample. At.Wts: Al = 27, C = 12, N = 14, O = 16.0, Br = 79.9 and H = 1.008. (10 Marks)



2-A- Rationalize the following sentences (discuss five only): (10 Marks)

- i- N<sub>2</sub> gas must be passed for 10 min through the reducible analyte solution before doing the polarogram.
- ii- Supporting electrolyte with a concentration of 10- fold that of the reducible analyte solution should be added before carrying out the polarogram.
- iii- Surfactants should be added to the reducible analyte solution before doing the polarographic wave.
- iv- For the coulometric determination of As<sup>3+</sup> ion, its reaction with the electrogenerated intermediate, I<sub>2</sub> should be carried out in neutral medium.
- v- Sometimes the residual currents in some polarograms have detectable positive values.
- vi- In quantitative polarography the diffusion current, i<sub>d</sub> μA depends upon both the reducible ion and electrocapillary characteristics.

2-B- i- Calculate the pH and [H<sup>+</sup>] for the weak organic acid solution (HAc) present in the anode chamber for the following cell:



**Knowing that:**

E<sub>cell</sub> = 0.3625 volt, E<sub>calomel</sub> = 0.244 volt, E<sup>o</sup><sub>2H<sup>+</sup>/H<sub>2</sub></sub> = 0.0 volt.

ii- Calculate the dissociation constant, K<sub>a</sub> for the weak organic acid, HAc present in the anode chamber. (10 Marks)

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## Section B [Chromatography]

### Q3:

a- Write the different types of detectors used in gas chromatography and explain only one. **(5 marks)**

b- If 100 g of a pollutant with concentration of (1 ppm) and molecular weight equal (100) was extracted with 100 cm<sup>3</sup> of organic solvent. The remaining concentration was found to be (1×10<sup>-6</sup> mol/L).

#### Calculate:

1- Distribution ratio.

2- Total amount extracted after 4 times of extraction. **(5 marks)**

c- Complete the following statements: **(10 marks)**

1- In Tswett experiment, the column was filled with ..... to separate .....

2- In chromatography, the mobile phase can be ..... or .....

3- In gel chromatography, solute molecules separated according to ..... or .....

4- ..... is the liquid that is capable to remove solute out of the column.

5- Silica gel has ..... surface, so it can be used to absorb ..... compounds.

6- In IEC the mobile phase is .....

### Q4:

a- Explain the different types of ion exchangers, with examples. **(10 marks)**

b- Put ( √ ) or ( x ) with **corrections:** **(10 marks)**

1- Gas chromatography can't be used to separate volatile organic compounds.

2- Bio-specific Elution gives fast elution with narrow solute peaks.

3- In RPLC, column can retain polar analytes.

4- Retention is the time that the analyte takes to be separated on the stationary phase.

5- In paper chromatography, the pure sample will often develop as two or more spots.

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*With our best wishes ☺*

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**Section (A) [40 Marks]**

**Answer (all) the following questions:**

**I. Choose the correct answer for (12) questions only : [18 Marks]**

- 1-Body temperature is controlled by:  
1-thalamus                      2- hypothalamus                      3-cerebrum
- 2-Norepinephrine is a neurotransmitter released by:  
1-peripheral nervous system    2-CNS    3- sympathetic nervous system
- 3-Temporal lobes receive signals from:  
1-auditory nerves                      2-optic nerves                      3-facial nerves
- 4-For afferent neurons, cell bodies & long processes are:  
1-outside CNS                      2- inside CNS                      3- inside PNS
- 5 -Composition of cerebrospinal fluid is maintained by:  
1-chroid plexus    2-blood brain barrier    3- cerebral blood vessels
- 6-Oligodendroglia form myelin sheath around axons:  
1-inside CNS                      2-outside CNS                      3-in PNS
- 7-Cranial nerves I & II arise from:  
1-midbrain                      2-cerebrum                      3- thalamus
- 8-Thalamus is a collection of several large nuclei separated by:  
1-bundles of nerve fibers    2- third ventricle    3- hypothalamus
- 9-In human, spinal nerves are:  
1-sensory                      2- mixed                      3- motor
- 10-Spinal cord is responsible for:  
1-immediate reflexes    2-motor reflexes    3- brain reflexes
- 11-Parasympathetic system is important when individual is:  
1-relaxed                      2-threatened                      3-under stress
- 12-Deeper parts of cerebral hemispheres consist of:  
1-myelinated fibers    2- grey matter    3- glial cells
- 13-Initiation of voluntary movement is controlled by:  
1-optic lobe                      2-sensory lobe                      3-frontal lobe

**II. Complete (6) only of the following (question 1 is obligatory): [14 Marks]**

- 1- Somatic nervous system is important for controlling....., while autonomic nervous system is important for.....**(complete & compare in detail between the two systems).**
- 2- Anatomically, peripheral nervous system is composed of.....&  
.....
- 3-Midbrain consists mainly of ....., which is important for connecting thalamic region with  
.....
- 4-Cranial nerves are involved with controlling head & neck regions, except .....nerve which controls  
.....
- 5-Sympathetic nervous system is called thoraco-lumber division because.. ..
- 6-Cerebrospinal fluid (CSF) is secreted by .....& circulates in .....
- 7-Meninges means .....; they include.....,  
.....



**III.A. Put (  $\checkmark$  ) or (  $\times$  ) on (4) only of the following statements & give correct answer for the wrong ones: [8 Marks]**

- 1-Thoracic region of spinal cord consists of 8 segments, while lumbar region of 5 segments ( ).
- 2-Cerebrum is the largest portion of the brain which is associated with controlling voluntary movement ( ).
- 3-Medulla oblongata contains neuron cell bodies (nuclei) of cranial nerves IX & XI ( ).
- 4-Extracellular fluid differs from cerebrospinal fluid because it circulates in brain ventricles & central canal of the spinal cord ( ).
- 5-Parasympathetic nervous system is called thoraco-lumbar division because it arises from spinal cord ( ).

**Section (B) [40 Marks].**

**Answer the following questions:**

**IV- A) Nerves are made up of neurons which can be divided into three types. Name these types and explain their function. (10 marks)**

**B) Draw a diagram to show a motor neuron. Name the parts and explain each part's function. (5 marks)**

**V- A) Rearrange the following list into the correct order to show the order of events in which the nervous system helps to initiate movement: (10 marks)**

1. Message received at muscle fibres
2. Muscle contracts
3. Brain decides action
4. Body or limb performs action
5. Message or impulse sent through nervous system

**B) What is the term given to a quick response to a stimulus by one or more organs? Give a labeled example. (5 marks)**

**VI- Describe how action potentials are generated and propagated along neurons. (10 marks)**

*Best Wishes*

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Third Level - Second Term  
Program : Biophysics  
Date : June 2015  
Time Allowed : 2 hours  
Full Mark : 60 Marks

Answer All Questions

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**First Question :** ( 20 Mark )

[A] Write in detail on :

- (i) Decomposition potential. ( 8 Mark )  
(ii) Concentration overpotential, illustrating your answer by mathematical derivation of the relation between  $\eta_c$  and current  $i$ . ( 8 Mark )

[B] Complete : ( 4 Mark )

- (i) Ohmic overpotential is due to .....  
(ii) Maxwell distribution law is given by .....

**Second Question :** ( 20 Mark )

[A] Derive the Nernst equation relating electrode potential with concentration. (8 Mark)

[B] Write on: ( 6 Mark )

- (i) Gas electrode. (ii) Liquid junction potential. (iii) Exchange current  $i_0$ .

[C] For the cell : ( 6 Mark )



Taking :  $E^\circ_{\text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2/\text{Hg}} = 0.280 \text{ V}$  ;  $E^\circ_{\text{AgCl}/\text{Ag}} = 0.212 \text{ V}$

- (i) Write the electrode and cell reactions.  
(ii) What is the type of the cell ? and why?  
(iii) Calculate for the cell: (a)  $E^\circ$  (b)  $\Delta G$  (c) equilibrium constant  $K$

**Third Question :** ( 20 Mark )

[A] Give reason: ( 6 Mark )

- 1) Presence of  $\text{MnO}_2$  in Le Chlanche' cell.
- 2) Saturated KCl solution is the mostly preferred in salt bridge.
- 3) Glass electrode is the convenient one for measuring solution pH.

[B] Complete : ( 6 Mark )

- (i) Overvoltage  $\eta$  is the difference between ..... and .....
- (ii) The transport number of the anion or the cation is .....
- (iii) As an example of amalgam electrode concentration cell without transference .....
- (iv) As an example of electrolyte concentration cell without transference .....

[C] The standard Weston-cadmium cell has emf given by: ( 8 Mark )

$$E = [ 1.0186 - 4.06 \times 10^{-5} ( t - 20 ) ] \text{ volt}$$

Calculate at 25°C :

- (i)  $\Delta G$       (ii)  $\Delta H$       (iii)  $\Delta S$       (iv) equilibrium constant K
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**Good Luck**

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**Final Exam Second Semester ; 2015**

**Time : Two hours**

**Date : 8/6/2015**

**Mark: 80 Mark**

**Course Title : Physics of Reactors & Neutrons**

**Educational Year : Third Level**

**Subjects : biophysics**

**Course Code : biophys312**

**Answer All the Following Questions:-**

**1.I Discuss The Following:-**

**[ 20 Marks]**

- The macroscopic cross section and mean free path
- Thermal neutron fission yield of  $^{235}\text{U}$ .
- Reaction rate.

**1.II Define the following:-**

**[ 10 Marks]**

Neutron flux - the most probable energy

**2. I Write short account on the following:-**

**[ 20 Marks]**

- Different types of slow neutrons reactions.
- Breeding reaction
- Nuclear chain reaction

**2.II Solve the following :-**

**[ 10 Marks]**

The cross section of the  $^{10}\text{B}(n, ^4\text{He}) ^7\text{Li}$  reaction is 753 barns for thermal neutrons (0.025 eV). What is the cross section at 50 eV.

**3. I- Find four factor formula .**

**[10 Marks]**

**3. II- List the components of the reactor core.**

**[ 10 Marks]**

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**Good Luck**