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M.E. (Civil) (Structures)

BIOMECHANICS AND BIOMATERIALS

(2008 Pattern) (Semester - II) (Elective - IV)

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[Max. Marks : 100

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) *Solve any two questions from each section.*
- 2) *Answers to the two sections should be written in separate answer books.*
- 3) *Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*
- 4) *Figures to the right side indicate full marks.*
- 5) *Use of non programmable Calculator is allowed.*
- 6) *Assume suitable data if necessary.*

SECTION - I

- Q1)** a) Explain Bone tissue structure with suitable sketch. Explain engineering material properties as applicable to hard tissue. [8]
- b) Explain various elasticity models applicable to tissue. Draw suitable line diagram to illustrate the same. [9]
- c) Define Biomechanics, advantages of its study and applications. [8]
- Q2)** a) Explain Biomaterial. Compatibility of biomaterial. Enlist at least five bio compatible materials and its suitable use in treatment of biomechanics related problem. [8]
- b) Explain various non metallic materials used as bio compatible materials with its Advantages and application. [9]
- c) What are articulating surfaces? Explain any one of it with suitable sketch and free body diagram. [8]
- Q3)** a) Explain bone cement as biomaterial. What are its limitations. [8]
- b) Explain properties of UHMWPE as prosthesis material. [9]
- c) Explain properties of stainless steel, cobalt base alloys, Titanium base alloys when used as prosthesis material. [8]

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SECTION - II

- Q4)** a) Explain in brief anisotropy, transverse isotropy, orthotropy for bone tissue. [9]
- b) Sketch geometry Knee joint, Show joint forces acting, contact surfaces area possible for different positions. Write the joint equilibrium equation. [9]
- c) Explain device to measure wear of cartilage on cartilage material. [7]
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- Q5)** a) Explain human gait with suitable sketches, importance of gait study. [8]
- b) Enlist and explain various measurement techniques for body motion. [9]
- c) In which situation correction of gait is inevitable, What are ways to correct the human gait. [8]
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- Q6)** a) What are the fundamental design consideration for engineering design of Prosthesis. [8]
- b) Explain step by step structural analysis and design steps of Hip joint, stem part. [9]
- c) What is the classification of prosthetics devices? Enlist prosthetics widely used and the situations in which they are required to be used. [8]

