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Modern College of Arts, Science & Commerce Ganeshkhind, Pune – 16
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Faculty: Science and Technology

Program: B.Sc.(Gen 03)
Program (Specific): General B.Sc.
Class: T.Y.B.Sc.
Name of the Course: Radiation Physics
Course Code: 24-PHY-3611
Paper: XI

Semester: VI

SET: A
Course Type: DSC
Max.Marks: 35
Time: 2Hr

Instructions to the candidate:

- 1) *All questions are compulsory.*
- 2) *Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
- 3) *Draw a well labelled diagram wherever necessary.*
- 4) *Use of scientific calculator and log table is allowed.*

Q1) Define or state the following.

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- a) Which radioactive nuclei are used in medical diagnosis?
- b) In ionization chamber which type of gases are filled?
- c) Define one Sievert dose.
- d) What is mean by stopping power?
- e) Define the radiation unit 1 Becquerel.

Q2) Answer the following. (Attempt any 4)

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- a) What do you mean by excitation of atom?
- b) State one curie activity of radioactive substance.
- c) What is full form of 'KERMA'?
- d) State any two names of dosimeter.
- e) State different types of radiation detectors.
- f) What the relation between RAD and Gray?

Q3) Answer the following (Attempt any 4)

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- a) Write a short note on ionizing radiation.
- b) State the advantages of semiconductor detector.
- c) What is radiation shielding and why it is necessary?

- d) What is absorbed and equivalent dose?
- e) State important safety rule for handling of radioactive sources.
- f) A self-quenched G.M counter operates at 1000 v and has anode diameter 0.02 cm. The radius of cathode is 2 cm. what is maximum radial field?

Q4) Answer the following. (Attempt any 2)

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- a) Draw a schematic diagram of scintillation counter and explain it's working.
- b) Explain the term Effective dose.
- c) With neat diagram explain thermoluminescent dosimeter.
- d) Write a note on straggling of range.

Q5) Answer the following. (Attempt any 2)

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- a) Obtain the relation between range and energy.
- b) Explain construction and working of proportional counter.
- c) Explain the applications of gamma rays in preservation of food.
- d) Explain hard, soft and radiation collision with neat diagram.
