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Course Syllabus for the Post of Bio medical Engineer

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Section 1:

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BIO-ENGINEERING MATERIALS AND COMPONENTS

1.0 Introduction to Bio-materials:

- 1.1. Biomaterial science: An interdisciplinary course.
- 1.2. Classes of materials used in medicine.

2.0 Polymers:

- 2.1. Types of polymers used in medicine
- 2.2. Molecular weight and synthesis.
- 2.3. Solid state polymers and copolymers.
- 2.4. Characterization techniques.
- 2.5. Hydrogel.

3.0 Ceramics, Glasses and Composites:

- 3.1. Structure, chemistry and properties of ceramics and glasses used in medical devices.
- 3.2. Types of bio-ceramics.
- 3.3. Characteristics and processing of bio-ceramics.
- 3.4. Nearly inert crystalline ceramics.
- 3.5. Porous ceramics.
- 3.6. Bioactive glasses and glass ceramics.
- 3.7. Calcium phosphate ceramics, resolvable calcium phosphates

4.0 Natural Materials:

- 4.1. Different types of natural materials.
- 4.2. Structure of native collagen.
- 4.3. Physical modification of the native structure of collagen.
- 4.4. Chemical modification of collagen.
- 4.5. Proteoglycans and glycosaminoglycans.
- 4.6. Elastin, Graft copolymers of collagen and glycosaminoglycans.

5.0 Biology, Biochemistry and Medicine:

- 5.1. Properties, their structure, properties and adsorption to surfaces.
- 5.2. Structure and properties of proteins relevant to adsorption.
- 5.3. Adsorption behavior of proteins as solid-liquid interfaces.
- 5.4. The importance of adsorbed proteins in biomaterials.

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HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY

1.0 Introduction to Human Body:

- 1.1. Understanding of body design at structure-function level.
- 1.2. Interpretation of the molecular cell biology to the development of body organs & system.
- 1.3. Appreciation of the Control & regulation of body function.
Understanding of disease mechanism

2.0 The Cells, Tissues & Organization of the Body, Disorder of the Cells & Tissues:

- 2.1. Understanding of structure & function of different types of cells & tissues
- 2.2. Cell to cell transport mechanisms

- 2.3. Cell division
- 2.4. Development of organ-system
- 2.5. Abnormal development of cells & tissues
- 2.6. Tissue repair & regeneration

3.0 The Nervous System. Neurons, CNS, Brain, Spinal Cord, Peripheral Nervous system. Autonomic Nervous System. Disorders of Brain, Spinal Cord & Peripheral Nervous System. Responses of Nervous Tissue to Injury:

- 3.1. Understanding the microanatomy of Nerve cell (neurons)
- 3.2. Arrangement of neurons. Types of neurons & their connections
- 3.3. Functions of nerve cell. Impulse generation. Neuromuscular transmission
- 3.4. List the types of nerves
- 3.5. Structure of Central Nervous system (CNS)
- 3.6. Identification of underlying areas of Brain
- 3.7. Structural details of Peripheral Nervous system (PNS)

4.0 BRIEF REVISION OF BLOOD COMPONENT. HAEMOSTASIS & THROMBOSIS. DISORDERS OF BLOOD COAGULATION. BLOOD CELLS DISORDERS:

- 4.1. Brief revision of blood components.
- 4.2. Revision of blood function functions
- 4.3. Learning of haemostatic mechanisms
- 4.4. Review of Blood coagulation & disorders
- 4.5. Outline blood cell disorders

5.0 THE CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM. BLOOD VESSELS, BLOOD PRESSURE, PULSE & CIRCULATION OF THE BLOOD:

- 5.1. Understanding of Anatomy of heart & blood vessels.
- 5.2. Study of blood supply of heart or coronary circulation
- 5.3. Blood circulation from different organs to the heart & from the heart to different organs.
- 5.4. Outline the heart functions
- 5.5. Understanding of cardiac cycle, cardiac output & blood pressure
- 5.6. Learning of conduction system of heart
- 5.7. Brief understanding of heart diseases

6.0 THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM, NOSE, NASAL CAVITY, PHARYNX, LARYNX, TRACHEA, :

- 6.1. Understanding of Anatomy-physiological relationship of upper respiratory tract
- 6.2. Lungs & its topography. Pleura & pleural cavity
- 6.3. Learning of lung functions
- 6.4. Mechanism of breathing, types of breathing & control of respiration
- 6.5. Composition of air
- 6.6. Understanding of Ventilation & Lung volumes
- 6.7. Gas transfer & diffusion

Section 3:

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ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND CIRCUITS

1.0 Integrated Circuit Technology and Device Models:

- 1.1 The planar process for integrated circuit fabrication.
- 1.2 Review of dc and ac diode models.
- 1.3 Review of dc and ac JFET models.
- 1.4 Review of dc and ac bipolar transistor models.
- 1.5 Review of dc and ac MOS transistor models.

2.0 Operational Amplifier Circuits:

- 2.1 Bias circuits suitable for IC design.
- 2.2 The widlar current source.
- 2.3 The differential amplifier.

- 2.4 Active loads.
- 2.5 Output stages.
- 3.0 Power Supplies and Voltage Regulators:**
 - 3.1 Half-wave and full-wave rectifiers.
 - 3.2 Capacitive filtering.
 - 3.3 Zener diodes, bandgap voltage references, constant current diodes.
 - 3.4 Zener diode voltage regulators.
 - 3.5 Series transistor-zener diode voltage regulators.
 - 3.6 Series transistor-zener diode-constant current diode voltage regulators.
 - 3.7 Voltage regulators with feedback.
 - 3.8 IC voltage regulations.
- 4.0 Untuned and Tuned Power Amplifiers:**
 - 4.1 Amplifier classification.
 - 4.2 Direct-coupled push-pull stages.
 - 4.3 Transformer-coupled push-pull stages.
 - 4.4 Tuned power amplifiers.
 - 4.5 Power dissipation considerations.
- 5.0 Oscillator Circuits and Filter Circuits:**
 - 5.1 CMOS inverter relaxation oscillator.
 - 5.2 Operation amplifier based relaxation oscillators.
 - 5.3 Voltage-to-frequency converters.
 - 5.4 Sinusoidal oscillators.
 - 5.5 Conditions for oscillators.
 - 5.6 Amplitude and frequency stabilization.
 - 5.7 Swept frequency oscillators.
 - 5.8 Functions generators.
 - 5.9 LC Filters
 - 5.10 RC Filters
 - 5.11 Active Filters

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MICROPROCESSORS

1.0 BUS STRUCTURE AND MEMORY DEVICES:

- 1.1. Bus structure, synchronous and asynchronous data bus, address bus, bus timing
- 1.2. Static and dynamic RAM, ROM
- 1.3. Programmable read only memory (PROM), ultraviolet electrically programmable memory
- 1.4. (UVEPROM) and electrically erasable programmable memory (EEPROM)
- 1.5. SRAM and ROM interface requirements

2.0 INPUT/OUTPUT INTERFACES:

- 2.1. Serial Communication
 - 2.1.1. Asynchronous interface: ASCII code, baud rate, start bit, stop bit, parity bit
 - 2.1.2. Synchronous interface
 - 2.1.3. Physical communication standard
 - 2.1.4. 8251A programmable communication interface
 - 2.1.5. Parallel communication
 - 2.1.6. Data Transfer wait interface
 - 2.1.7. RS-232 and IEEE 488-1978 general purpose interface standard
 - 2.1.8. Keyboard and display controller

3.0 INTERRUPT:

- 3.1. Introduction, interrupt vector and descriptor table
- 3.2. Interrupt service routine requirements

- 3.3. Interrupt priority: Maskable and Non-maskable interrupts, software interrupts, traps and exceptions
- 3.4. Vectored, chained and polled interrupt structures
- 3.5. Interrupts in parallel and serial interfaces

4.0 MULTIPROGRAMMING:

- 4.1. Microprogramming, uniprogramming and multiprogramming
- 4.2. Process Management and semaphore
- 4.3. Common procedure sharing
- 4.4. Memory management and virtual memory

5.0 INTRODUCTION TO ADVANCED MICROPROCESSOR ARCHITECTURE:

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ELECTRICAL MACHINES

1.0 INTRODUCTION:

- 1.1. Magnetic circuits and Ampere's Law
- 1.2. Ferromagnetic materials: magnetic saturation, non-linearity, hysteresis
- 1.3. Types of magnetic circuit
- 1.4. Effect of DC and AC, hysteresis and eddy currents, energy losses and laminations
- 1.5. Self and mutual inductances
- 1.6. Electromagnets

2.0 TRANSFORMERS:

- 2.1. Magnetically coupled circuits
- 2.2. Effects of secondary current in ideal transformer
- 2.3. Transformer reactance and equivalent circuits
- 2.4. Air core Vs iron core transformers
- 2.5. Losses in transformer, open circuit and short circuit tests
- 2.6. Series and parallel connection of windings
- 2.7. Audio transformer, power transformers, auto transformers and instrumentation transformers
- 2.8. Three phase transformers

3.0 DC MACHINES:

- 3.1. Construction of DC machine
- 3.2. Magnetic circuit, air-gap flux pattern and its effects
- 3.3. Torque production and voltage generation
- 3.4. Armature winding: lap and wave windings
- 3.5. Field excitation: shunt, series and compound fields
- 3.6. Armature reaction
- 3.7. Losses, cooling, rating and heating

4.0 DC MOTORS:

- 4.1. Torque/speed characteristics of shunt, series and compound field motors
- 4.2. Armature reaction and motor operation
- 4.3. Commutation problems, pole face compensating windings
- 4.4. Speed regulation and control in DC motors
- 4.5. Effect of field excitation and armature voltage
- 4.6. Reverse rotation
- 4.7. Starting and speed control of motors, armature voltage and shunt field control

5.0 DC GENERATORS:

- 5.1. Voltage/speed/load characteristics
- 5.2. Shunt, series and compound field machines

- 5.3. Separate and self-excited machines, voltage build-up in self excited generators
- 5.4. Automatic voltage regulation.

Section 6:**(5)****CONTROL SYSTEMS****1.0 System Modeling:**

- 1.1 Differential equation and transfer function
- 1.2 State-space formulation of differential equations, matrix notation
- 1.3 Mechanical components and Electrical components: mass, spring, damper, inductance, capacitance, resistance, sources, motors, tachometers, transducers, operational amplifier circuits
- 1.4 Fluid and fluidic components, Thermal system components
- 1.5 Mixed systems
- 1.6 Linearized approximations

2.0 Frequency Response Methods:

- 2.1 Frequency domain characterization of systems
- 2.2 Bode amplitude and phase plots, Effects of gain and time constants on Bode diagrams, Stability from the Bode diagram
- 2.3 Nyquist plots, Correlation between Nyquist diagrams and real time response of systems: stability, relative stability, gain and phase margin, damping ratio

3.0 Computer Simulation of Control Systems:

- 3.1 Role of simulation studies
- 3.2 Linear and non-linear simulations

4.0 Performance Specifications for Control Systems:

- 4.1 Time domain specifications: steady-state errors, response rates, error criteria, hard and soft limits on responses, damping ratio, log decrement.
- 4.2 Frequency domain specifications: bandwidth, response amplitude ratio.

5.0 Compensation and Design, Digital Control System:

- 4.3 Root locus, frequency response and simulation in design.
- 4.4 Feedback compensation
- 4.5 Lead, lag and lead-lag compensation, PID controllers.

Section 7:**(5)****COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS****1.0 Analog and Digital Communication Systems:**

- 1.1. Analog and digital communication sources, transmitters, transmission channels and receivers.
- 1.2. Fundamental limitations due to noise, distortion, and interference and the relationships between noise, bandwidth and information.
- 1.3. Types and reasons for modulation.

2.0 Representation of Communication Signals and Systems:

- 2.1. Review of signal transfer in linear systems, the ideal lowpass filter and distortionless transmission, the importance of channel bandwidth.
- 2.2. The Hilbert transform and its properties.
- 2.3. Bandpass systems and band-limited signals with examples.
- 2.4. Complex envelope representation of band-limited signals, time domain expressions, rectangular representation (in-phase and quadrature components), polar representation (envelope and phase)

3.0 Frequency Modulation (FM) and Phase Modulation (PM):

- 3.1. Instantaneous frequency and instantaneous phase, time domain, representations for FM and PM, phasor diagrams for FM and PM.

- 3.2. FM and PM signals for a single tone message, the modulation index and phasor diagrams.
- 3.3. Spectral representation of FM and PM for a single tone message, Bessel' functions and the Fourier series.
- 3.4. Transmission bandwidth for FM, Carson's rule, narrow band and wide-band FM and PM signals.
- 3.5. Generation of FM using Armstrong's method, commercial FM requirements.
- 3.6. Demodulation of FM and PM signals, the limiter discriminator.
- 3.7. Commercial FM radio and stereo FM radio.
- 3.8. Demodulation of FM using a phase-locked loop.

4.0 Digital Communication Systems:

- 4.1. Digital communication sources, transmitters, transmission channels and receivers.
- 4.2. Distortion, noise, and interference.
- 4.3. Nyquist sampling theory, sampling of analog signals, spectrum of a sampled signal.
- 4.4. Sampling theorem for band-limited signals, effects of aliasing, reconstruction of sampled signals.

5.0 Digital Data Communication Systems:

- 5.1. Introduction to information theory, definition of information, examples of simple sources.
- 5.2. Information rate and Shannon's channel capacity theorem.
- 5.3. Baseband digital communication systems, multilevel coding using PAM.
- 5.4. Pulse shaping and bandwidth consideration, intersymbol interference (ISI).
- 5.5. Nyquist condition for zero ISI, band-limited Nyquist pulses, the eye diagram.
- 5.6. Correlative coding techniques, reducing transmission bandwidth with duobinary encoding.
Spectral shaping using bipolar and modified duobinary encoding techniques

Section 8:

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IMPLANTABLE DEVICES

0.0 Cardiovascular Implants:

- 0.1 Cardiopulmonary bypass
- 0.2 Heart valves
- 0.3 Vascular grafts
- 0.4 Drug administration systems and vascular access
- 0.5 Stents, catheters and cannulas
- 0.6 Pacemakers
- 0.7 Inferior venacava filters
- 0.8 Intraaortic balloon pump
- 0.9 Ventricular assist device and total artificial hearts
- 0.10 Blood substitutes

1.0 Orthopaedic Implants:

- 1.1 Structure and properties of calcified tissues.
- 1.2 Biomaterials used in orthopaedic implants.
- 1.3 Total hip arthroplasty.
- 1.4 Ligament reconstruction.

2.0 Catheters:

- 2.1 Catheter materials and biocompatibility.
- 2.2 Biomaterials and catheter complications.
- 2.3 Thrombophlebitis.
- 2.4 Intravascular catheter and thrombosis.

3.0 Different Kinds of Artificial Organs:

- 3.1 Introduction.
- 3.2 Artificial Pancreas.
- 3.3 Artificial liver.

- 3.4 Artificial Heart and lung.
- 3.5 Artificial skin
- 3.6 Artificial reproductive organs.
- 3.7 Artificial vision
- 3.8 Artificial hearing implant.

4.0 Introduction to Tissue Engineering:

- 4.1 Introduction.
- 4.2 General principles.
- 4.3 Building blocks of artificial tissues.
- 4.4 Tissue and organ reconstruction.

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DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING

1.0 Introduction to Discrete Signal and Systems:

- 1.1 Discrete signals – unit impulse, unit step, exponential sequences.
- 1.2 Linearity, shift invariance, causality.
- 1.3 Convolution summation and discrete systems, response to discrete inputs.
- 1.4 Stability, sum and convergence of power series.
- 1.5 Sampling continuous signals – spectral properties of sampled signals.

2.0 Difference Equations and Frequency Response:

- 2.1 General form of the linear, shift-invariant constant coefficient difference equation – signal flow graph representation.
- 2.2 Steady state sinusoidal frequency response derived directly from the difference equation by assuming a form of the solution as a function of $\text{EXP}(j\omega T)$
- 2.3 Pole-zero diagrams, frequency response relationships.
- 2.4 Design of a notch filter from the pole-zero diagram, finite impulse response (FIR) and infinite impulse response (IIR) filters.

3.0 IIR Filter Design:

- 3.1 Classical filter design using polynomial approximations-Butterworth, Chebychev, elliptic and Bessel forms.
- 3.2 IIR filter design by transformation – matched Z-transform, impulse-invariant transform and bilinear transformation.
- 3.3 Application of the bilinear transformation to IIR lowpass discrete filter design.
- 3.4 Spectral transformations, highpass, bandpass and notch filters.

4.0 FIR Filter Design:

- 4.1 FIR filter design by Fourier approximation, the complex Fourier series.
- 4.2 Gibbs phenomena in FIR filter design approximations, applications of window functions to frequency response smoothing.
- 4.3 Window functions, rectangular, Hanning, Hamming and Kaiser windows.
- 4.4 FIR filter design by the frequency sampling method.
- 4.5 FIR filter design using the Remez exchange algorithm.
- 4.6 Linear phase FIR filters, unit sample response symmetry, group delay.

5.0 The Discrete Fourier Transform:

- 5.1 The discrete Fourier transforms (DFT) derivation.
- 5.2 Properties of the DFT.
- 5.3 DFT of non-periodic data, use of window functions.
- 5.4 Introduction of the fast Fourier transform (FFT).
- 5.5 Power spectral density using DFT/FFT algorithms.

6.0 Signal Averaging:

- 6.1 Basic of signal averaging

- 6.2 S/W for signal averaging
- 6.3 Limitations of signal averaging

7.0 **Data Reduction Techniques:**

- 7.1 Turning point algorithm
- 7.2 Fan algorithm
- 7.3 AZTEC algorithm
- 7.4 Huffman coding

Section 10:

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MEDICAL IMAGING

1.0 X-ray Equipment:

- X-ray tubes
- X-ray control and indicating equipment
- Filters and grids
- Different types of X-ray equipment (portable, fluoroscopy, mammography etc.)

2.0 Digital Imaging:

- 1.1 Introduction
- 1.2 Digital Radiography
- 1.3 PACS (Picture Archiving and Communicating System)

3.0 Computer Tomography (CT):

- 3.1 Basic Principles of CT
- 3.2 Generation of CT
- 3.3 System Components
- 3.4 Recent Advances in CT

4.0 Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI):

- 4.1 Fundamental Concepts
- 4.2 Principles of Parameters or MRI
- 4.3 Basic Principles of MR Imaging and Related Parameters
- 4.4 Contrast Enhanced MRI
- 4.5 Artifacts in MRI
- 4.6 MR Scanners
- 4.7 Clinical Application

5.0 Ultrasonography (USG):

- 5.1 Physics of Ultrasound
- 5.2 Construction and Properties of Ultrasound Transducer
- 5.3 Ultrasonic Beam
- 5.4 Modes of Ultrasound Imaging
- 5.5 Doppler Ultrasound
- 5.6 Clinical Application
- 5.7 Contrast Media in Ultrasound Imaging
- 5.8 Recent Advances in Ultrasonic Equipment
- 5.9 Biological Effects of Ultrasound

Section 11:**(30)****BIOMEDICAL INSTRUMENTATION****1.0 Fundamental of Medical Instrumentation:**

- 1.1 Anatomy and Physiology
- 1.2 Physiological System of the Body
- 1.3 Sources of Biomedical Signals
- 1.4 Basic Medical Instrumentation System
- 1.5 Performance Requirements of Medical Instrumentation Systems
- 1.6 Intelligent Medical Instrumentation Systems
- 1.7 General Constraints in Design of Medical Instrumentation Systems
- 1.8 Regulation of Medical Devices 28

2.0 Bioelectric Signals and Electrodes:

- 2.1 Origin of Bioelectric Signals
- 2.2 Recording Electrodes
- 2.3 Silver-silver Chloride Electrodes
- 2.4 Electrodes for ECG
- 2.5 Electrodes for EEG
- 2.6 Electrodes for EMG
- 2.7 Electrical Conductivity of Electrode Jellies and Creams
- 2.8 Microelectrodes

3.0 Physiological Transducers:

- 3.1 Introduction
- 3.2 Classification of Transducers
- 3.3 Performance Characteristics of Transducers
- 3.4 Displacement, Position and Motion Transducers
- 3.5 Pressure Transducers
- 3.6 Transducers for Body Temperature Measurement
- 3.7 Photoelectric Transducers
- 3.8 Optical Fibre Transducers
- 3.9 Optical Fibre Sensors
- 3.10 Biosensors
- 3.11 Smart Sensors

4.0 Recording System:

- 4.1 Basic Recording System
- 4.2 General Consideration for Signal Conditioners
- 4.3 Preamplifiers
- 4.4 Sources of Noise in Low Level Measurement
- 4.5 Biomedical Signal Analysis Techniques
- 4.6 Signal Processing Techniques
- 4.7 The Main Amplifier and Driver Stage
- 4.8 Writing Systems
- 4.9 Direct Writing Recorders
- 4.10 The Ink Jet Recorders
- 4.11 Potentiometric Recorders
- 4.12 Digital Recorders
- 4.13 Instrumentation Tape Recorders

5.0 Biomedical Recorders:

- 5.1 Electrocardiograph
- 5.2 Vectrocardiograph (VCG)
- 5.3 Phonocardiograph (PCG)
- 5.4 Electroencephalograph (EEG)
- 5.5 Electromyograph (EMG)
- 5.6 Other Biomedical Recorders

- 5.7 Biofeedback Instrumentation
- 6.0 Patient Monitoring Systems:**
 - 6.1 System Concept
 - 6.2 Cardiac Monitor
 - 6.3 Beside Patient Monitoring Systems
 - 6.4 Central Monitors
 - 6.5 Measurement of Heart Rate
 - 6.6 Measurement of Pulse Rate
 - 6.7 Blood Pressure Measurement
 - 6.8 Measurement of Temperature
 - 6.9 Measurement of Respiration Rate
 - 6.10 Catheterisation Laboratory Instrumentation
- 7.0 Arrhythmia and Ambulatory Monitoring Instruments:**
 - 7.1 Cardiac Arrhythmias
 - 7.2 Arrhythmia Monitor
 - 7.3 QRS Detection Techniques
 - 7.4 Exercise Stress Testing
 - 7.5 Ambulatory Monitoring Instruments
- 8.0 Foetal Monitoring Instruments:**
 - 8.1 Cardiotocograph
 - 8.2 Methods of Monitoring Foetal Heart Rate
 - 8.3 Monitoring Labour Activity
 - 8.4 Recording System
- 9.0 Biomedical Telemetry and Telemedicine:**
 - 9.1 Wireless Telemetry
 - 9.2 Single Channel Telemetry Systems
 - 9.3 Multi-patient Telemetry
 - 9.4 Multi-channel Wireless Telemetry Systems
 - 9.5 Implantable Telemetry System
 - 9.6 Transmission of Analog Physiological Signals
 - 9.7 Telemedicine
- 10.0 Oximeters:**
 - 10.1 Oximetry
 - 10.2 Ear Oximeter
 - 10.3 Pulse Oximeter
 - 10.4 Skin Reflectance Oximeters
 - 10.5 Intravascular Oximeter
- 11.0 Blood Flowmeters:**
 - 11.1 Electromagnetic Blood Flowmeter
 - 11.2 Types of Electromagnetic Blood Flowmeter
 - 11.3 Ultrasonic Blood Flowmeters
 - 11.4 NMR Blood Flowmeters
 - 11.5 Laser Doppler Blood Flowmeter
- 12.0 Cardiac Output Measurement:**
 - 12.1 Indicator Dilution Method
 - 12.2 Dye Dilution Method
 - 12.3 Thermal Dilution Techniques
 - 12.4 Measurement of Continuous Cardiac Output Derived from Aortic Pressure Waveform
 - 12.5 Impedance Technique
 - 12.6 Ultrasound Method
- 13.0 Pulmonary Function Analyzers:**
 - 13.1 Pulmonary Function Measurements

- 13.2 Spirometry
- 13.3 Pneumotachometers
- 13.4 Measurement of Volumes
- 13.5 Pulmonary Function Analyzers
- 14.0 Clinical Laboratory Equipments:**
 - 14.1 Medical Diagnosis with Chemical Tests
 - 14.2 Spectrophotometry
 - 14.3 Spectrophotometer type Instruments
 - 14.4 Colorimeters
 - 14.5 Spectrophotometers
 - 14.6 Automated Biochemical Analysis Systems
 - 14.7 Clinical Flame Photometers
 - 14.8 Selective ion Electrodes Based Electrolytes Analysers
- 15.0 Blood Gas Analysers:**
 - 15.1 Acid Base Balance
 - 15.2 Blood pH Measurements
 - 15.3 Measurement of Blood PCO₂
 - 15.4 Blood pO₂ Measurement
 - 15.5 Intra-Arterial Blood Gas Monitoring
 - 15.6 A Complete Blood Gas Analyser
- 16.0 Blood Cell Counters:**
 - 16.1 Types of Blood Cells
 - 16.2 Methods of Cell Counting
 - 16.3 Coulter Counters
 - 16.4 Automatic Recognition and Differential Counting of Cells
- 17.0 Audiometers and Hearing Aids:**
 - 17.1 Mechanism of Hearing
 - 17.2 Measurement of Sound
 - 17.3 Basic Audiometer
 - 17.4 Pure Tone Audiometer
 - 17.5 Speech Audiometer
 - 17.6 Audiometer System Bekesy
 - 17.7 Evoked Response Audiometry System
 - 17.8 Calibration of Audiometers
 - 17.9 Hearing Aids
- 18.0 Patient Safety :**
 - 18.1 Electric Shock Hazards
 - 18.2 Leakage Currents
 - 18.3 Safety Codes for Electromedical Equipment
 - 18.4 Electrical Safety Analyser
 - 18.5 Testing Biomedical Equipment
- 19.0 Cardiac Pacemakers:**
 - 19.1 Need for Cardiac Pacemaker
 - 19.2 External Pacemaker
 - 19.3 Implantable Pacemakers
 - 19.4 Recent Development in Implantable Pacemakers
 - 19.5 Pacing System Analyser
- 20.0 Cardiac Defibrillators:**
 - 20.1 Need for a Defibrillator
 - 20.2 DC Defibrillator
 - 20.3 Pacer – cardioveter-defibrillaror
 - 20.4 Defibrillator Analysers

21.0 Instruments for Surgery

- 21.1 Principal of Surgical Diathermy
- 21.2 Surgical Diathermy Machine
- 21.3 Safety Aspects in Electro-surgical Units
- 21.4 Surgical Diathermy Analysers

22.0 Laser Applications in Biomedical Field

- 22.1 The Laser
- 22.2 Pulsed Ruby Laser
- 22.3 Nd-YAG Laser
- 22.4 Helium-Neon Laser
- 22.5 Argon Laser
- 22.6 CO₂ Laser
- 22.7 Excimer Lasers
- 22.8 Semiconductor Lasers
- 22.9 Laser Safety

23.0 Physiotherapy and Electrotherapy Equipment:

- 23.1 High Frequency Heat Therapy
- 23.2 Short-wave Diathermy
- 23.3 Microwave Diathermy
- 23.4 Ultrasonic Therapy Unit
- 23.5 Electrodiagnostic/ Therapeutic Apparatus
- 23.6 Pain Relief Through Electrical Stimulation
- 23.7 Diaphragm Pacing by Radio-frequency for the Treatment of Chronic Ventilatory Insufficiency
- 23.8 Bladder Stimulators
- 23.9 Cerebellar Stimulators

24.0 Haemodialysis Machines

- 24.1 Function of the Kidneys
- 24.2 Artificial Kidney
- 24.3 Dialysers
- 24.4 Membranes for Haemodialysis
- 24.5 Haemodialysis machine
- 24.6 Portable Kidney Machines

25.0 Lithotripters:

- 25.1 The Stone Disease Problem
- 25.2 First Lithotripter Machine
- 25.3 Modern Lithotripter Systems
- 25.4 Extra-corporeal Shock-wave Therapy

26.0 Anaesthesia Machine:

- 26.1 Need for Anaesthesia
- 26.2 Anaesthesia Machine
- 26.3 Electronics in Anaesthesia Machine

27.0 Ventilators:

- 27.1 Mechanisms of Respiration
- 27.2 Artificial Ventilation
- 27.3 Ventilators
- 27.4 Types of Ventilators
- 27.5 Ventilator Terms
- 27.6 Classification of Ventilators
- 27.7 Pressure-volume-flow Diagrams
- 27.8 Modern Ventilators
- 27.9 High Frequency Ventilators

27.10 Humidifiers, Nebulizers and Aspirators

28.0 Automated Drug Delivery Systems

- 28.1 Infusion Pumps
- 28.2 Components of Drug Infusion Systems
- 28.3 Implantable Infusion Systems
- 28.4 Closed-loop Control in Infusion Systems
- 28.5 Examples of Typical Infusion Pumps

Section 12:

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MISCELLANEOUS TOPICS

- 1.0 Medical Industry Management**
- 2.0 Hospital Management System**
- 3.0 Organization and Management**
- 4.0 Engineering Professional Practice**