

JAYPEE UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, WAKNAGHAT

TEST -3 EXAMINATION- 2025

B.Tech-II Semester (BT/BI)

MAX. MARKS: 35

COURSE CODE (CREDITS):18B11PH212 (04)

COURSE NAME: Bioinstrumentation Techniques

MAX. TIME: 2 Hours

COURSE INSTRUCTORS: Ragini Raj Singh

Note: (a) All questions are compulsory.

(b) The candidate is allowed to make Suitable numeric assumptions wherever required for solving problems

(c) Calculators allowed.

Q.No	Question	CO	Marks
Q1	(a) A sample of a colored compound is analyzed using UV-Vis spectroscopy at its maximum absorbance wavelength ($\lambda_{\max} = 510 \text{ nm}$). The absorbance of the sample is found to be 0.75 in a 1 cm path length cuvette. If the molar absorptivity (ϵ) of the compound at this wavelength is $15,000 \text{ L} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1} \cdot \text{cm}^{-1}$, calculate the concentration of the compound in the solution.	2	2
	(b) A molecule absorbs light at 360 nm (excitation wavelength) and fluoresces (emits) at 450 nm. Using the Jablonski diagram as a reference: 1. Calculate the energy of the absorbed photon and the emitted photon in eV. 2. Determine the Stokes shift in eV and nm.		2
Q2	Calculate the fundamental vibrational frequency (in cm^{-1}) of the carbon-oxygen (C=O) bond in a molecule using the harmonic oscillator model. Given: Force constant $k=16.0 \text{ N/m}$; Mass of Carbon $m_C=12 \text{ amu}$; Mass of Oxygen $m_O=16 \text{ amu}$	3	2
Q3	(a) How does DLS measure the size of nanoparticles in a suspension? Define hydrodynamic diameter. How is it different from actual particle size?	3	2
	(b) How can you determine whether your DLS sample is monodisperse or polydisperse? A sample shows a bimodal distribution in DLS results. What could be the possible reasons?		2
Q4	(a) What is Raman spectroscopy? Briefly explain its working principle. What is the difference between Rayleigh scattering and	4	3

	Raman scattering?		
	(b) How does Raman spectroscopy differ from Infrared (IR) spectroscopy? What are the challenges in analyzing fluorescent samples with Raman spectroscopy, and how can they be overcome?		2
Q5	(a) What does a high absolute zeta potential value indicate about a colloidal system? How can zeta potential help in optimizing the formulation of drug delivery systems?	4	2
	(b) A nanoparticle sample shows a zeta potential of -5 mV. What does this suggest about its colloidal stability?		2
Q6	(a) What does FISH stand for, and what is its primary purpose? Briefly describe the principle of FISH. What type of probe is used in FISH, and how is it labeled?	5	3
	(b) How is a FISH probe designed to ensure specificity? Describe the role of FISH in detecting chromosomal translocations in cancer.		2
Q7	(a) What is the principle behind fluorescence-activated cell sorting? List at least three applications of FACS in biomedical research.	5	2
	(b) Describe the basic components of a FACS instrument explain with diagram. What is forward scatter (FSC) and side scatter (SSC), and what do they indicate?		2
	(c) How can FACS be used to isolate stem cells from a mixed cell population? Discuss the role of sheath fluid in FACS and its importance for single-cell analysis.		3
Q8	(a) What is mass spectrometry? What are the applications of mass spectrometry. Draw the mass spectra and explain it.	5	2
	(b) Explain the working of mass spectrometer with diagram.		2