

[Time: Three Hours]

[Marks:80]

Please check whether you have got the right question paper.

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1. Question.No.1 is compulsory.
 2. Answer any three out of remaining five questions.
 3. Use legible handwriting.
 4. Draw neat diagram with proper labeling.



Q.1 Answer the following:-

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| a) With respect to PMT explain "Dark current". | 05 |
| b) Explain pair production process. | 05 |
| c) What is the need for different units of radioactivity? | 05 |
| d) Explain need of pulse shaping in nuclear counting system. | 05 |

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| Q.2 a) Explain proportional counting in detail. | 10 |
| b) Explain the need of quenching in G.M counter. Also discuss the method of quenching. | 10 |

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| Q.3 a) Explain industrial usage of radioactivity. | 10 |
| b) Explain the principle and architecture of MCA (Multichannel analyzer). | 10 |

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| Q.4 a) Explain Thyroid uptake studies with block diagram. | 10 |
| b) Explain different types of discriminators and their functions. | 10 |

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| Q.5 a) What are the different region of gas filled detectors? | 10 |
| b) Explain applications of nuclear instrumentation for thickness measurement. | 10 |

Q.6 Write short note on (any two):- 20

- a) Food irradiation
- b) Si-Li or Ge-Li detector
- c) 'RAD and REM'
- d) SNR improvement
