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**D.M. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH 1991.**

**(Higher Specialities)**

**(New Regulations)**

**Branch VII — Oncology (Medical)**

**Part I**

**Paper I — BASIC SCIENCES**

**(Radiation Physics, Tumour Biology, Biochemistry,  
Biometry, Immunology and Pharmacology)**

**Time : Three hours.**

**Maximum : 100 marks.**

**Answer ALL the questions.**

- 1. Discuss the epidemiology of virus related neoplastic diseases. (25 marks)**
- 2. Write a short essay on growth factors in haematopoiesis. (25 marks)**
- 3. Write short notes on :**
  - (a) Role of combined chemo radiotherapy in solid tumors.**
  - (b) Antioncogenes (suppressor genes).**
  - (c) Goldie's coldman hypothesis.**
  - (d) Therapy related cancers.**
  - (e) Tumor lysis syndromes. (5 × 10 = 50 marks)**

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**Branch VII - Oncology (Medical)**

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**Paper I - BASIC SCIENCES (RADIATION PHYSICS,  
TUMOUR BIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY, BIOMETRY,  
IMMUNOLOGY & PHARMACOLOGY)**

**Time: Three hours**

**Max. marks:100**

**Answer All Questions**

1. Discuss the role of immunophenotyping in the diagnosis of acute lymphoblastic leukemia. (25)
2. Discuss the drug resistance in cancer. (25)
3. Write short notes on:
  - (a) Precancerous lesions of oral cavity
  - (b) N K Lymphocyte
  - (c) Labelling Index
  - (d) Alloimmunization to platelet antigens
  - (e) Tumour suppressor gene (5x10=50)

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Paper I - BASIC SCIENCES (RADIATION PHYSICS,  
TUMOUR BIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY,  
BIOMETRY, IMMUNOLOGY & PHARMACOLOGY)

Time: Three hours

Max.marks:100

Answer All Questions

1. Discuss the role of the immune system in the diagnosis and management of cancer. 25)
2. Discuss tumour metastasis and its management. 25)
3. Write briefly on:
  - (a) Tumour cell heterogeneity
  - (b) Overcoming drug resistance
  - (c) Droloxifene
  - (d) Type I error
  - (e) P-53. (5x10=50)

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Paper I - BASIC SCIENCES (RADIATION PHYSICS, TUMOUR BIOLOGY,  
BIOCHEMISTRY, BIOMETRY, IMMUNOLOGY & PHARMACOLOGY)

1. Write a short essay on familial cancers
2. Discuss the role of differentiating agents for the management of cancer
3. Write short notes on :
  1. Taxol
  2. Cervical dysplasia
  3. Topoisomerase inhibitors
  4. Gene manipulation in radiotherapy
  5. H. pylori and stomach cancer, (5x10=50)

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Paper I - BASIC SCIENCES ( RADIATION PHYSICS,  
TUMOUR BIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY,  
BIOMETRY, IMMUNOLOGY & PHARMACOLOGY)

Time: Three hours

Max. marks:100

Answer All Questions

1. Discuss DNA damage and repair mentioning its clinical importance in oncology. (25)
2. Discuss acute and delayed radiation reactions. (25)
3. Write briefly on:
  - (a) Cell cycle regulation  
Importance of measurement of CRP and  $\beta$ 2 microglobulin in clinical oncology  
Thrombopoietin
  - (d) Drug delivery system
  - (e) Polymerase chain reaction.

(5x10=50)

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**Paper I — BASIC SCIENCES (RADIATION  
PHYSICS, TUMOUR BIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY,  
BIOMETRY, IMMUNOLOGY & PHARMACOLOGY)**

**Time : Three hours**

**Maximum : 100 marks**

**Answer ALL questions.**

1. Discuss the role of immunophenotyping of cells in the diagnosis of acute leukaemia. (25)
2. Discuss the rationale for concurrent chemotherapy-radiotherapy in the management of cancer. (25)
3. Write briefly on : (5 × 10 = 50)
  - (a) Tacrolimus (FK 506)
  - (b) Primary prevention of upper aerodigestive tract cancers.
  - (c) Radiosensitizing Nucleosides.
  - (d) Prognostic factors in germ cell tumours of testis.
  - (e) Tumour heterogeneity.

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**(Higher Specialities)**

**Branch VII — Medical Oncology**

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**Paper I — BASIC SCIENCES (RADIATION PHYSICS,  
TUMOUR BIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY, BIOMETRY,  
IMMUNOLOGY AND PHARMACOLOGY**

**Time : Three hours**

**Maximum : 100 marks**

**Answer ALL questions**

1. Discuss cytogenetic abnormalities in Haematological malignancies (25)
  2. Describe the clinical pharmacology and toxic effects of Cisplatin. (25)
  - 3 Write briefly on (5 × 10 = 50)
    - (a) Fish
    - (b)  $\alpha$ -Fetoprotein
    - (c) Intrapleural chemotherapy
    - (d) Brachy therapy
    - (e) Fast Neutron Therapy.
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Biometry, Immunology and Pharmacology)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

1. Discuss the role of immune phenotyping in the diagnosis of small round cell tumor. (25)
2. Discuss the newer anti cancer drugs briefly and its contribution in Breast Cancer. (25)
3. Write briefly : (5 × 10 = 50)
  - (a) Cyclins
  - (b) Chronomodulation
  - (c) Standard deviations
  - (d) Genetic markers
  - (e) Relative biological efficiency.