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Course: Toxicology and Nano biotechnology

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Max. Marks: 100

Instructions: Attempt all Questions

S. No.	Section A Short answer questions/ MCQ/T&F (20Qx1.5M= 30 Marks)		Cos
Q 1	Which of the following toxicity can occur due to single exposure?	1.5	CO3
	a) Acute toxicity		
	b) Sub-acute toxicity		
	c) Sub-chronic toxicity		
	d) Chronic toxicity		
Q 2	Which of the following is characteristic of a non-genotoxic carcinogen?	1.5	CO4
	a) has no influence on the promotional stage of carcinogenesis		
	b) would be expected to produce positive responses in in vitro		
	assays for mutagenic potential		
	c) typically exerts other forms of toxicity and/or disrupts cellular homeostasis		
	d) generally shows little structural diversity		
	e) typically has little effect on cell turnover		
Q 3	Prolonged muscle relaxation after succinyl choline is an	1.5	CO3
	example of a/an		
	a) IGE- mediated allergic reaction		
	b) idiosyncratic reaction		
	c) immune complex reaction		
	d) reaction related to a genetic increase in the activity of a liver		
	enzyme		
Q 4	If two organophosphate insecticides are absorbed into an organism, the result will be	1.5	CO3

	a) additive effect			
	b) synergistic effect			
	c) potentiation			
	d) subtraction effect			
Q 5	Compare between "Chemical and Receptor" antagonism.		CO3	
Q 6	List three characteristics that determine the toxic response of a	1.5	CO4	
	toxicant.			
Q 7	Which of the following are tools used in risk analysis?	1.5	CO4	
	a) toxicology			
	b) epidemiology			
	c) clinical trials			
	d) all of the above.			
Q 8	The LD50 is best described as which of the following:	1.5	CO3	
	a) the dose at which 50 % of all test animals die			
	b) the dose at which 50 % of the animals demonstrate a			
	response to the chemical			
	c) the dose at which all of the test animals die			
	d) the dose at which at least one of the test animals dies			
Q 9	Compare between risk assessment and risk management	1.5	CO3	
Q 10	What is Bio-transformation?	1.5	CO4	
Q 11	1 nanometer= m.	1.5	CO1	
	A. 10-3			
	B. 10-4			
	C. 10-9			
	D. 10 ⁻⁶			
Q 12	Recall the name of Noble prize winner who gave the concept of	1.5	CO1	
	Nanotechnology.			
Q 13	Write the advantages of synthesis of nanoparticles by	1.5	CO1	
	biological methods.			
Q 14	Recall the conditions of absorption of Infrared radiation by a	1.5	CO1	
	molecule.			
Q 15	Define Biosensor.	1.5	CO1	
Q 16	DLS is used to measure and of nanoparticles.	1.5	CO1	
Q 17	Explain homogenous and heterogenous nucleation.	1.5	5 CO1	
Q 18	Explain about i-Pills.	1.5	CO1	
Q 19	Enlist different applications of nanobiotechnology.		CO1	
Q 20	Briefly explain the health and safety issues of nanoparticles	1.5	CO2	

	Section B (4Qx5M=20 Marks)		
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Q1	Describe the applications of UV visible spectroscopy in characterization of nanoparticles.	5	CO1
Q2	Describe the principle of dynamic light scattering (DLS) and its applications in characterization of nanoparticles.	5	CO1
Q3	Discuss the functions of following Phase I- xenobiotic metabolizing enzymes, with relevant examples for each: i) Mono-oxygenases ii) Epoxide hydrolases	5	CO3
Q4	How does the intestinal gut flora influence xenobiotic metabolism in humans? Explain with the help of a relevant example.	5	CO4
	Section C (2Qx15M=30 Marks)		
Q1	Medium without X + bacterial strain, Y Incubation Tested Product Medium without X + bacterial strain, Y Incubation Spontaneous revertants	2+2+2+1+2+2+2+2	CO4
	The diagram depicts a test to determine the mutagenicity of an unknown compound. Answer the following questions: a) What is the test called? b) Name the bacterial strain, Y used in the test? c) What mutation is used as an indicator of mutagenicity potential of the test compound? d) What is X?		

	e)	Discuss what would happen if the media was supplemented with ample amount of X		
	f)	Is the tested product mutagenic? Justify your answer.		
	g)	What are revertants?		
	h)	Why do you think the Ames test is preferable for first-		
		tier screening of xenobiotics rather than <i>in-vivo</i> or animal models?		
02	2)	Classify nanoparticles based on method of synthesis.	4+7+4	CO1
Q2	b)	Differentiate among chemical, physical and biological methods of synthesis of nanoparticles with suitable examples.	47/74	COT
	c)	Discuss nanomedicine based targeted drug delivery and state the goals for nanomedicine.		
		Section D		1
		(2Qx10M=20 Marks)		
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Q1	a) b)	Define nanostructures. Discuss various kinds of nanostructures (0D, 1D, 2D, and 3D) with a suitable example of each category.	2+8	CO2
Q2	a)	Compare between "Genotoxic and Non genotoxic" carcinogens, with relevant examples for each.	2+3+5	CO3
	b)	List three factors affecting the extent and rate of xenobiotic metabolism		
	c)	What is a Comet assay?		
		Make a flowchart to explain the steps involved in the assay. State one application of the Technique.		