

## Competition in biophysics/medical biophysics 2021.

1. Calculate the number of moles of radioactive technetium in a  $^{99m}\text{Tc}$  preparation of 0.5 GBq activity. (25 points)
2. What is the relative (in %) compression in a 30 cm long tibia of a person with 80 kg weight standing erect. The bone is regarded as a hollow circular tube with internal diameter of 2.5 cm and external diameter of 3.5 cm. Its Young's modulus along the axis is  $2 \cdot 10^{10} \text{ N/m}^2$ . The calculated "spring constant" is  $4 \cdot 10^4 \text{ kN/m}$ . (25 points)
3. The molar extinction coefficient of dilute ethanolic solution of pentafluorophenyl-porphyrin used in photodynamic therapy is  $5.94 \cdot 10^5 \text{ dm}^3/(\text{mol cm})$ . What is the concentration of it, if in a cuvette with 10 mm width 20 % difference was found between the light intensities coming out from the sample and from the reference solutions. (20 points)
4. What is the anode voltage on the x-ray tube if the wavelength of the produced x-ray photons having the highest energy is 10 pm?  
What is the value of anode current if  $5 \cdot 10^{15}$  electrons hit the anode in one minute?  
What is the x-ray power, if the anode is tungsten ( $Z=74$ )? (30 points)
5. Give short definitions for the following terms (give the unit, where it is possible) 6x5 points)
  - **EM**: Persistence length; **ED**: Permeability; **EP**: Thermodynamic force
  - **EM, EP**: Arrhenius plot (drawing and description) **ED**: Stokes shift
  - **EM, EP**: Nematic liquid crystals **ED**: Exposure
  - **EM**: Nephelometry; **ED**: Specific rotation; **EP**: Absorption spectrometry
  - Ideal black body
  - Space constant of membrane
6. Give the unit of the following quantities (10\*2 points)
  - acoustic impedance
  - radiation intensity
  - mass attenuation coefficient
  - compressibility
  - **EM, EP**: entropy **ED**: permeability constant
  - diffusion coefficient
  - electrochemical potential
  - spring constant
  - specific capacity
  - radiation weighting factor
7. **EM, EP**: Describe the thermo-optical and electro-optical phenomena and their applications. **ED**: Describe the normal distribution, and the estimation of its parameters from a sample (25 points)
8. Describe the refractive disorders of the eye and the way for correction of them. (25 points)