

**B.Sc. IN MEDICAL LABORATORY  
TECHNOLOGY (BMLT)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2016**

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**BAHI-010 : APPLIED HAEMATOLOGY**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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**Note :** *Attempt any four questions from Part A. Attempt all the questions from Part B.*

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**PART A**

*Answer any four questions. Each question carries 10 marks.*

1. Enumerate the special stains for bone marrow examination. Describe haemosiderin (Iron) staining procedure for bone marrow. 4+6
2. What is sickle cell phenomenon ? How will you demonstrate sickle cells in vitro ? 4+6
3. Differentiate between L.E. cells and Tart cells. Describe the procedure of preparation, staining and morphological identification of L.E. cell with illustrative diagrams. 2+2+3+3

4. Enumerate coagulation factors. Describe in detail the mechanism of coagulation and deficiencies of each step resulting in disease process. 4+4+2
  
5. Describe the procedure of Hb-electrophoresis. Give the clinical importance of abnormal haemoglobins. 6+4
  
6. Describe the morphology of blast cells in bone marrow. Give its importance in consideration of acute leukaemia. 6+4



## PART B

7. Write in brief any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 10 = 20$

- (a) Peroxidase staining
- (b) HLA typing
- (c) Christmas factor deficiency

8. Fill in the blanks.  $5 \times 1 = 5$

- (a) Presence of more than 60% \_\_\_\_\_ in the bone marrow indicates Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia (ALL).
- (b) \_\_\_\_\_ examination is essential to evaluate leukaemia when there are raised total leucocyte counts and abnormal cells in peripheral smears.
- (c) Fibrinogen is converted in \_\_\_\_\_ in coagulation mechanism.
- (d) Presence of 1-2 nucleoli and abundant cytoplasm with indentation of nucleus is a cell designated as \_\_\_\_\_ in haemopoiesis mechanism.
- (e) \_\_\_\_\_ band in Hb-electrophoresis confirms thalassaemia.

9. Answer *true (T)* or *false (F)* in the following : 5×1=5

- (a) Activated thrombin is required to convert factor IX to factor X in coagulation mechanism.
  - (b) Presence of excessive normoblasts in peripheral smear indicates depression of bone marrow in iron deficiency anaemia.
  - (c) Presence of Hb-S in electrophoretic pattern is indicative of sickle cell disease for confirmation.
  - (d) Reticulocyte count and index is an essential parameter for determination of compensatory or haemolytic anaemia.
  - (e) Increased count of myelocytes and metamyelocytes along with PMNS leukocytosis is indicative to rule out chronic myeloid leukaemia.
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