

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA

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ECL 2302 : IMAGING EQUIPMENT I

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: APRIL2016

TIME:2HOURS

DATE: Pick DateSelect MonthPick Year

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination -Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID This paper consists of **FOUR** questions. Attempt any THREE questions. **Do not write on the question paper.**

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Describe the need of the following circuit/elements in a radiology equipment
 - i. Mains compensation
 - ii. Cable/ line resistance compensation
 - iii. Filament current stabilization circuit
 - iv. Autotransformer
 - v. KV_P compensation reverse wound transformer

(10Marks)

(b) Tabulate to show FIVE difference between x- ray radiation and nucleus radiation

(10Marks)

QUESTION TWO

(a) A 410v/1640n autotransformer is used to feed the primary side of the H.T transformer of 1:550 transformation ratio, if $80KV_P$ is required at the H.T secondary side,

(i) Sketch a representative setup.

(ii) Calculate number of turns on the autotransformer secondary taps to give the required KV_P value at the H.T secondary side

(10Marks)

(b) With the aid of a sketch describe the operation of an electromagnetic circuit breaker of a radiography equipment.

(10Marks)

QUESTION THREE

(a) Define any FOUR ionization radiation units. (8Marks)

b) Sketch and label a rotating anode x-ray tube assembly (12Marks)

QUESTION FOUR

(a) Describe the processes for manual film processing (12Marks)

(b) Explain any FOUR film storage/handling recommendations

(8Marks)

(12Marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Write a standard laboratory practical report you carried out during the course of your study on imaging on cable/line resistance determination

(20Marks)