OCTOBER 2013 Sub. Code: 4015 **M.Sc (MEDICAL PHYSICS) DEGREE EXAMINATION** (Revised Regulations for Candidates admitted from 2010-2011) FIRST YEAR PAPER V – RADIATION DETECTORS AND INSTRUMENTATION

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Answer ALL questions

Maximum: 100 marks

I. Elaborate on :

Time : 3 hours

- 1. (a) How the charge collection varies with operating voltage in a gas filled radiation detector using a trend graphically and write various regions of gas filled operation
 - (b) The important properties of ideal scintillation material
- 2. (a) Draw the block diagram of typical scintillation detector based radiation measuring system and explain briefly the function of each block
 - (b) Explain the quenching mechanism of organic quenched GM detectors

II. Write notes on:

- 1. Single and multi channel Analyzer
- 2. OSL and MOSFET dosimetry
- 3. Characteristics of operational amplifiers
- 4. Construction and working of thimble chamber
- 5. Dead time and recovery time
- 6. The properties of ideal semiconductor detector material
- 7. Characteristics of organic and inorganic counters
- 8. RIA counter
- 9. Teletector and contamination monitor
- 10. Radioisotope calibrator

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