PAPER - I

BASIC SCIENCES

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12. MAJOR QUESTIONS

- 1. Classify intravenous contrast media. What are the advantages of newer generation of contrast media. Discuss their adverse reactions.
- 2. Describe the basic construction of an X-ray tube and its recent advances.
- 3. Describe in detail the constituent of developer and fixer used in manual processing. Explain the formation of radiographic image on a film

- 4. Discuss the principles, construction and functionalities of individual components of an image intensifier. Briefly describe the fluoroscopic imaging unit assembly.
- 5. Enumerate factors affecting radiographic image quality. How will you improve radiographic image quality.
- 6. What is maximum permissible dose? Describe the methods of radiation protection to the patient and staff in diagnostic radiology.
- 7. Describe in detail the structure and principle of Intensifying screen. Discuss the newer phosphor technology.
- Discuss the principle of acoustics applicable to ultrasound imaging. Describe in brief the construction of transducers used in real time ultrasound. Discuss in brief the various ultrasonography controls.
- 9. Discuss in detail digital subtraction angiography.
- 10. Describe the principles of computed radiography (CR) and digital radiography (DR).
- 11. Write the radiographic technique of the following:
 - a) Towne's view b) Scaphoid bone views
 - c) Skyline view of patella d) Schuller's view
- 12. Write the radiographic technique of the following
 - a) Base of the skull b) Craniovertebral junction
 - c) Apicogram d) Calcaneum
- 13. Write the radiographic technique of the following:
 - a) Carpal tunnel view b) Water's view
 - c) Nogaards Ball catcher view d) Sacroiliac joint
- 13. Discuss the principles of Doppler sonography and instrumentation. Discuss various Doppler controls and operating modes used in clinical Doppler sonography.
- 14. Discuss the CT anatomy of the temporal bone
- 15. Discuss the principles and applications of Multislice volumetric spiral CT.
- 16. What are the properties of x-rays. Discuss the biological effects of radiation.
- 17. Discuss the cross sectional anatomy of neck spaces
- 18. Discuss the imaging anatomy of the orbit
- 19. Discuss the imaging anatomy of the knee joint.
- 20. Discuss basic interaction of X-rays with matter.
- 21. Discuss the basic principles of MRI
- 22. Discuss the basic physics and Instrumentation of a mammographic unit. What are the different mammographic projections.

- 23. Discuss in detail the construction of a grid and explain how it helps in improving the radiographic quality
- 24. What are isotopes? What is the principle of SPECT. Mention the common application of radionuclide isotopes in diagnostic radiology.
- 25. Discuss the imaging anatomy of the shoulder joint.
- 26. Discuss the physics and instrumentation of gamma imaging.

- 1. Electromagnetic radiation
- 2. CSF pathways
- 3. Cross sectional anatomy of peritoneal spaces
- 4. A.E.R.B and its controlling functions in radiology
- 5. ICRP recommendations
- 6. Pregnancy and radiation
- 7. ALARA
- 8. Cross sectional anatomy of suprarenal glands. Enumerate hormones secreted by zones of suprarenal glands
- 9. Segmental anatomy of liver and its importance
- 10. Fetal circulation
- 11. Dacryocystography
- 12. Embryology and anatomy of pancreas
- 13. CT numbers & CT windowing.
- 14. T-tube cholangiography
- 15. High KV technique in chest X-ray
- 16. PACS
- 17. Rectification
- 18. Describe the cross sectional details of the conventional X-ray film and that of a one side coated film
- 19. Film processor
- 20. Scattered Radiation
- 21. Dark room safelight
- 22. Focal spot of X-ray tube
- 23. Autotransformer
- 24. Rotating Anode
- 25. Peizo electric effect
- 26. Co2 Angiography
- 27. Personnel dosimetry systems
- 28. Compton effect

- 29. Anode Heel effect
- 30. Iohexol
- 31. Wedge filter
- 32. Paramagnetic contrast media
- 33. Macroradiography
- 34. Superior orbital fissure
- 35. Mobile x-ray unit
- 36. Air gap technique
- 37. Thermionic emission
- 38. Transformer
- 39. Sialography
- 40. MR angiography
- 41. 99 mTechnetium labeled radionuclide scans
- 42. Methods of evaluation of grid performance
- 43. MR myelography
- 44. Computed Radiograpy (CR) Artefacts
- 45. X-ray beam restrictors
- 46. Line focus principle
- 47. Time gain compensation (TGC) and dynamic range in ultrasound
- 48. Myelography
- 49. CT artifacts
- 50. CT Enterography
- 51. Post processing techniques in MDCT and their utility
- 52. Inversion Recovery sequence
- 53. I.V.U.
- 54. Process of X-ray generation
- 55. Types of X-ray film
- 56. Intra operative ultrasound
- 57. MRI artifacts
- 58. Ultrasound artifacts
- 59. Tissue harmonic imaging
- 60. Bone densitometry
- 61. Paramagnetic MR contrast media
- 62. Iodixanol

- 63. Nephrogenic systemic fibrosis
- 64. Half value layer
- 65. Units of radiation dose
- 66. Ultrasonic display modes
- 67. Instrumentations in MRI.

PAPER - II G.I.T (GASTROINTESTINAL TRACT) G.U.T (GENITOURINARY TRACT) C.V.S (CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM) BREAST + OBG

G.I.T (Gastrointestinal Tract) 2009

MAJOR QUESTIONS

- 1. Describe barium swallow examination. Discuss the imaging approach to an elderly patient presenting with dysphagia.
- 2. Discuss the role of a radiologist in management of jaundice in an adult patient.
- 3. Discuss the role of imaging in gastrointestinal obstruction in neonatal and pediatric age group.

- 4. Classify pancreatic neoplasms. Discuss the role of imaging in evaluation of these tumours.
- 5. Discuss the role of an interventional radiologist in hepatic and biliary disease.
- 6. Enumerate the causes of upper GI tract bleeding. How will you approach to investigate and manage a case of hematemesis.
- 7. Discuss the role of a radiologist in a 40 yr old male patient presenting to the ER with acute abdominal pain in the right hypochondrium & epigastrium.
- 8. Discuss the role of Radiologist in a 35 yr old female presenting with lower abdominal pain.
- 9. Discuss the principle, technique & utility of various imaging modalities with special emphasis on enteroclysis in evaluation of the small bowel. Discuss in detail malabsorption syndrome.
- 10. Discuss the role of imaging in evaluation of pediatric abdominal masses.
- 11. Enumerate the causes of lower GIT bleed and discuss the role of Radiology in evaluation and management of lower GI bleed.
- 12. Discuss the principles, technique and utility of various imaging modalities in evaluation of large bowel. Discuss role of imaging in evaluation of inflammatory diseases of the colon.
- 13. Discuss the role of imaging in hepatic tumours in adults.
- 14. Imaging assessment and management of Pancreatitis.
- 15. Discuss the cross sectional anatomy of retroperitoneum and describe in detail primary retroperitoneal tumors.
- 16. Enumerate pre-malignant conditions of GIT. Describe imaging features of small and large bowel malignancies
- 17. Discuss the technique of barium meal examination. Describe radiological and imaging features of gastric pathologies.
- 18. Discuss the role of Imaging in a case of blunt abdominal trauma.
- 19. Describe imaging appearances of abdominal tuberculosis
- 20. Discuss the Imaging of intestinal obstruction in adults.
- 21. Describe the blood supply of the large and small intestine. Discuss the role of a radiologist in evaluation and management of a suspected case of bowel ischemia.
- 22. Discuss the imaging in a case with suspected acute appendicitis.
- 23. Describe embryology of gut rotation and fixation. Discuss the differential diagnosis of a neonate with bilious vomiting.

- 24. Discuss the role of imaging in upper GI obstruction in pediatric age group.
- 25. Describe the anatomy of pancreas. Discuss imaging in endocrine tumours of pancreas.
- 26. Discuss the role of Ultrasound and CT in diffuse liver disease.
- 27. Plain radiography in evaluation of acute abdomen.
- 28. Discuss the imaging of abdominal lymphoma.
- 29. Discuss the imaging approach in a 50 year old male presenting with right iliac fossa mass.

G.I.T

- 1. Pharmacoradiology in the Gastrointestinal tract
- 2. Inflammatory fatty masses of the abdomen
- 3. Radiological interventions of the hollow viscera
- 4. Gastro intestinal scintigraphy
- 5. Endoscopic ultrasound
- 6. Coeliac plexus block
- 7. CT colonography
- 8. Ultrasonography in evaluation of Gall bladder
- 9. Choledochal cyst
- 10. Budd Chiari syndrome
- 11. Hiatus Hernia
- 12. Ultrasonography in jaundice.
- 14. Barium enema technique and findings in colonic malignancy.
- 13. Cystic lesions of liver
- 14. Cystic neoplasms of pancreas
- 15. Sialography
- 16. Cystic lesions of jaw
- 17. Mechanical small bowel obstruction
- 18. CT Imaging of acute pancreatitis
- 19. Oesophageal atresia and tracheo-oesophageal fistula
- 20. Pre-malignant conditions of the intestine.
- 21. Ulcerative colitis
- 22. Benign gastric tumors
- 23. Radio-isotopes in Hepatobiliary diseases
- 24. Ultrasound in evaluation of bowel diseases
- 25. Ileocaecal tuberculosis
- 26. Ultrasonography in abdominal tuberculosis
- 27. Ultrasound and Doppler sonography in portal hypertension.
- 28. Ultrasound imaging of appendicitis
- 29. Anorectal malformation
- 30. Pheochromocytoma

- 31. Gastric ulcer
- 32. Achalasia cardia
- 33. Meconium ileus
- 34. Superior mesentric artery syndrome
- 35. Gastrointestinal manifestations of AIDS
- 36. Oesophageal Diverticuli.
- 37. Megacolon
- 38. Ultrasound in liver abscess
- 39. Pneumobilia
- 40. Splenic masses
- 41. Meckel's diverticulum
- 42. Malrotation of the intestine
- 43. Biliary strictures
- 44. Intussusception
- 45. Oesophageal varices
- 46. Haemangioma of the liver
- 47. Neuro enteric cyst
- 48. Normal and abnormal extrinsic impressions on a esophagogram.
- 49. Gastric volvulus
- 50. Crohn's Colitis
- 51. Lymphoma of the GIT
- 52. Pneumoperitoneum
- 53. Gastric leiomyoma
- 54. Duodenal tumours
- 55. Barium findings in coeliac disease
- 56. Hirschprung's disease
- 57. Intramural air in G.I.T.
- 58. Subphrenic abscess
- 59. CT Imaging of Hepatocellular Carcinoma
- 60. Imaging of Cholangio Carcinoma
- 61. Liver metastasis
- 62. Hepatic hydatid disease
- 63. Ultrasound in pancreatitis
- 64. Pancreatic pseudocyst

- 65. Biliary atresia
- 66. Congenital hypertrophic pyloric stenosis
- 67. Sigmoid volvulus
- 81. Cholecystitis
- 68. Development of pancreas and its developmental anomalies.
- 69. Gastrooesophageal junction.
- 70. Necrotising enterocolitis
- 71. Segmental anatomy of liver and its importance
- 72. Vascular complications of pancreatitis
- 73. Endocrine tumours of pancreas
- 74. Syndromes with GIT polyposis.
- 75. Retroperitoneal Fibrosis.
- 76. MRI in liver masses
- 77. Hepatic masses of childhood.
- 78. Small bowel neoplasms
- 95. Role of Angiography in lower G.I tract bleeding
- 96. Transjugular intrahepatic portosystemic shunt
- 97. TACE.
- 98. Adenomyomatosis of the gall bladder
- 100. Carcinoid tumour
- 101. Internal abdominal Hernias
- 104. GIST
- 105. Gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD)
- 106. CT & PET-CT in oesophageal carcinoma
- 107. Motility disorder of oesophagus
- 108. Barium preparations for GIT studies
- 109. Hypotonic duodenography
- 110. Enteroclysis
- 111. Radionuclide imaging of GIT
- 112. Alimentary tract manifestations of systemic sclerosis
- 113. CT colonography
- 114. Diverticular disease of colon
- 115. Fistula in ano
- 116. Peritoneal neoplastic disease

- 117. Meconeum ileus
- 118. MDCT Protocol of evaluation of liver
- 119. Focal nodular hyperplasia (FNH)
- 120. Hepatic adenoma
- 121. Portal hypertension
- 122. Imaging in hepatic trauma
- 123. Imaging in splenic trauma.
- 124. PTC
- 125. Primary sclerosing cholangitis
- 126. Percutaneous liver tumour ablation
- 127. CT severity index in acute pancreatitis
- 128. MRCP
- 129. Radiology of the post operative stomach
- 130. Neonatal Jaundice.
- 131. Intraductal papillary mucinous tumours.
- 132. Cystadenoma of pancreas
- 133. Annular pancreas
- 134. Congenital biliary anomalies

GENITOURINARY TRACT (G.U.T)

MAJOR QUESTIONS:

- 1. Discuss the embryology and congenital anomalies of the urinary system. Discuss the role of imaging in their evaluation.
- 2. Classify renal tumours in adults. Describe in detail imaging findings in malignant renal tumours.
- 3. Discuss role of Radiologist in evaluating suspected case of hypertension of renal origin.
- 4. Discuss imaging of hypertension in a young adult.
- 5. Imaging in Renal transplantation.
- 6. What are the causes of hematuria? Describe the imaging approach in a case of hematuria.
- 7. Imaging approach in evaluation of a mass in the lumbar region in neonatal and pediatric age group.
- 8. Imaging approach in evaluation of a mass in the lumbar region in adults.
- 9. Discuss the evaluation of renal cystic lesions and cystic diseases of the kidney.
- 10. Describe radiology and Imaging features in tuberculosis of genito urinary tract.
- 11. What are the categories of renal injury. Discuss the role of Radiologist in evaluation and management of Renal trauma.
- 12. Discuss the role of radiology in imaging and management of female infertility
- 13. Describe the types of IUGR. Discuss the role of Radiologist in evaluation of IUGR.
- 14. Classify ovarian tumours. Discuss the role of imaging in ovarian tumours.
- 15. Discuss the role of ultrasound in congenital anomalies of brain, GIT and GUT in antenatal examinations of a pregnant woman.
- 16. Enumerate renal masses in children. Describe in detail the radiological and imaging features of Wilm's tumour
- 17. Describe the radiological and imaging approach in male infertility
- 18. Describe the embryology of the female genital tract. Discuss the imaging of mullerian duct anomalies.
- 19. Discuss imaging of adnexal masses.

- 20. Describe ultrasound features of first trimester pregnancy. Enumerate the causes of bleeding in first trimester and discuss their imaging features
- 21. Role of ultrasound in first trimester of pregnancy
- 22. Describe the role of imaging in Acute pelvic pain in females
- 23. Role of CT & MRI in Gynaecological malignancies
- 24. Enumerate the causes and discuss the role of imaging in urinary tract obstruction
- 25. Discuss the imaging features of infective diseases of the kidney
- 26. Ultrasonography of the scrotum: Discuss the anatomy and pathologic entities
- 27. Discuss the imaging of placenta
- 28. Classify adrenal lesions. Discuss the role of CT & MR in evaluation of adrenal lesions.
- 29. Describe the role of radionuclide studies in urinary system
- 30. Sonographic markers of chromosomal anomalies

GENITOURINARY TRACT (G.U.T)

- 1. Renal cyst
- 2. Anatomy of male urethra & ASU
- 3. Infantile polycystic disease of kidneys
- 4. Nephrocalcinosis
- 5. Vesicular mole
- 6. Papillary necrosis
- 7. Posterior urethral valve
- 8. Vesico ureteral reflux
- 9. Percutaneous nephrostomy
- 10. Pelvimetry
- 11. Prune belly syndrome
- 12. Neurogenic bladder
- 13. Sonohysterography
- 14. P N D T Act
- 15. Biophysical profile
- 16. Fallopian tube recanalisation

- 17. CT & MR Urography
- 18. Fetal viability in first trimester
- 19. Hysterosalphingography
- 20. Pseudotumours of kidney
- 21. Horse-Shoe kidney
- 22. Retroperitoneal fibrosis
- 23. Phaeochromocytoma
- 24. Acute pyelonephritis
- 25. Chronic pyelonephritis
- 26. Renal vein thrombosis
- 27. Pelviureteric junction obstruction
- 28. Ureteric stricture
- 29. Filling defect in the urinary bladder
- 30. Medullary sponge kidney
- 31. Ureterocoele
- 32. Varicocoele
- 33. Retrocaval ureter
- 34. Role of CT in adrenal tumours
- 35. Imaging in lower urinary tract obstruction
- 36. Adenomyosis
- 37. Unilateral large kidney
- 38. Fibromuscular dysplasia of renal artery
- 39. Zonal anatomy of prostate
- 40. Role of USG and Colour Doppler in renal failure
- 41. Imaging of intrauterine foetal death
- 42. Polycystic ovarian disease
- 43. Imaging of uterine fibroid
- 44. Epispadias exstrophy complex
- 45. Radionuclide imaging of urinary tract
- 46. Hypersecretion disorders of suprarenals.
- 47. Endometriosis
- 48. Sonography in bleeding in first trimester
- 49. Merits and demerits of captopril renogram in renovascular hypertension
- 50. Xanthogranulomatous pyelonephritis

- 51. Renal angiomyolipoma
- 52. Doppler finding in renal artery stenosis
- 53. Benign tumours of kidney
- 54. Alimentary tract anomalies diagnosable in utero
- 55. Polyhydraminos
- 56. Testicular tumours
- 57. Acute scrotum
- 58. Neuroblastoma
- 59. CT in renal infections
- 60. Erectile dysfunction
- 61. Ovarian dermoid
- 62. 99-Tc DTPA
- 63. Role of sonography in transplant kidney
- 64. Renal rickets
- 65. Extra-uterine pregnancy
- 66. Placenta praevia & Abruptio placenta
- 67. MR in Carcinoma cervix
- 68. Abnormal uterine bleeding in peri and post menopausal women
- 69. Gestational trophoblastic disease
- 70. MRI in evaluation of uterine anomalies
- 71. Imaging in chronic pelvic pain in a adult female
- 72. Adrenal adenoma
- 73. Adrenal incidentiloma
- 74. Urachal anomalies
- 75. Sonography in placenta
- 76. Imaging of placenta
- 77. Imaging of cervix in pregnancy
- 78. Abdominal wall defects in fetus
- 79. Imaging of donor transplant kidney
- 80. MIBG scan
- 81. Multicystic dysplastic kidney
- 82. Ovarian torsion
- 83. Adrenal haemorrhage
- 84. Antenatal assessment of fetal lung masses and mass like lesions

85. Role of unenhanced CT in acute abdomen

86. MCU

- 87. Emphysematous Pylonephritis
- 88. Multilocular cystic renal neoplasm
- 89. Wilm's tumour
- 90. Sonographic markers of Down syndrome
- 91. Ovarian follicular monitoring
- 92. MRI technique and normal anatomy of the uterus.

<u>C.V.S.</u>

MAJOR QUESTIONS

- 1. How as a Radiologist do you approach a suspected case of congenital heart disease. Discuss in detail various cyanotic congenital heart diseases.
- 2. Discuss coronary artery anatomy and its congenital variations. Elaborate on the role of computed tomography in assessment of coronary artery disease.
- 3. Briefly describe the pulmonary arterial anatomy. Discuss in detail the role of a Radiologist in management of a suspected case of pulmonary thromboembolism.
- 4. Discuss the role of a Radiologist in management of a case presenting to the ER with suspected acute condition of the aorta.
- 5. Discuss the principles, techniques, advantages, limitations and complications of catheter angiography.
- 6. Discuss the role of MDCT in evaluation of a elderly patient presenting to the ER with acute chest pain.
- 7. Briefly describe the embryological development of the heart. Discuss the imaging features of Acyanotic congenital heart disease.
- 8. Discuss the principles, techniques, advantages, limitations of CTA and MRA.
- 9. Discuss the role of a radiologist in management of a patient with vascular claudicating pain.

10. Discuss the development of aorta and its main branches. Elaborate on the anomalies of aortic arch and its major branches.

<u>C.V.S.</u>

- 1. Pulmonary stenosis
- 2. Ebstein's anomaly.
- 3. Ultrasound and Colour Doppler features of DVT
- 4. Role of Radio isotope in pulmonary embolism
- 5. Mitral valvular disease
- 6. Anomalies of aortic arch and its major branches.
- 7. Fetal circulation
- 8. Left to right shunts
- 9. Pulmonary venous hypertension
- 10. Acute and chronic pulmonary arterial hypertension
- 11. Thoracic aortic aneurysm
- 12. Coronary artery anomalies
- 13. Lower limb varicose veins
- 14. Total anomalous pulmonary venous drainage.
- 15. Tetralogy of Fallot
- 16. Partial anomalous pulmonary venous drainage.
- 17. VSD
- 18. ASD
- 19. Aorto-arteritis.
- 20. Aortic dissection
- 21. Double outlet right ventricle
- 22. Single ventricle
- 23. Cor triatriatum
- 24. Truncus arteriosus

- 25. Cardiac and Pericardiac calcification
- 26. Cardiac tumours
- 27. Ventricular aneurysm
- 28. Subclavian steal syndrome
- 29. Shunt surgeries in congenital heart diseases
- 30. Heterotaxy syndromes
- 31. Radiography in cardiomegaly and individual chamber enlargement.
- 32. Normal pericardial anatomy
- 33. Imaging of non neoplastic pericardial disease
- 34. Cardiogenic Vs Non-Cardiogenic pulmonary edema
- 35. Anomalies of the IVC and the Azygous system.
- 36. Coarctation of aorta
- 37. Ultrasound in peripheral vascular disease
- 38. Radio-isotopes in cardiac imaging
- 39. Pre and post operative assessment in hemodialysis access surgery.
- 40. Imaging in Cardiomyopathies
- 41. Embolic agents

BREAST (2009)

LONG QUESTIONS

- 1. Discuss the role of a Radiologist in management of palpable and non palpable Breast lesions utilizing X-ray mammography and sonomammography.
- 2. Discuss the differential diagnosis of an incidentally discovered breast lump and the different modes of investigation you will adopt to arrive at a provisional diagnosis.
- 3. Breast calcifications: Mammographic evaluation

SHORT NOTES - BREAST

- 1. Calcifications in benign breast disease
- 2. Mammographic (views) projections
- 1. BI-RADS
- 2. Calcifications in malignant breast disease
- 3. Pre-operative localization of non palpable breast disease.
- 4. Benign breast masses
- 5. Mammographic signs of malignancy
- 6. Sonomammography
- 7. Benign breast conditions that mimic malignancy
- 8. Cystic lesions of the breast
- 9. Post operative breast imaging
- 10. Recommendations for breast screening.

PAPER - III

RESPIRATORY SYSTEM

BONES (MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM)

HEAD AND NECK (CNS)

RESPIRATORY SYSTEM (R.S)

MAJOR QUESTIONS:

- 1. Discuss the imaging of cystic and cavitating lesions of the lung
- 2. Classify mediastinal masses and discuss the imaging findings of anterior mediastinal masses
- 3. Briefly mention the causes of respiratory distress in newborn. Discuss their imaging findings in detail.

- 4. Classify the tumors of lung. Discuss the imaging features and staging of bronchogenic carcinoma
- 5. Describe the technical aspects of HRCT of the lung. Describe the imaging features of collagen vascular diseases in lung.
- 6. Discuss the imaging in occupational lung diseases.
- 7. Discuss the pre and postnatal imaging features of congenital lung diseases
- 8. Discuss the anatomy of diaphragm and normal variation. Discuss the imaging findings of diaphragm and related pathologies
- 9. Describe mediastinal anatomy. Discuss the imaging findings in posterior mediastinal mass.
- 10. Discuss in detail the imaging manifestations of AIDS in the chest.
- 11. Describe the mechanism and causes of lung collapse. Discuss the imaging features of various pattern of lung collapse.
- 12. Discuss the imaging findings of various lesions involving the ribs
- 13. Describe the radiological anatomy of hypopharynx and larynx and discuss the role of imaging in assessment of laryngeal pathologies.
- 14. How will you approach a case of solitary pulmonary nodule?
- 15. Discuss the anatomy of secondary pulmonary lobule. Discuss the pattern of interstitial lung diseases on HRCT and briefly discuss their differential diagnosis.
- 16. Imaging of the pleural and chest wall pathologies
- 17. Discuss the imaging of various interstitial pneumonias on HRCT.
- 18. Thoracic imaging in intensive care patient.

RESPIRATORY SYSTEM

- 1. Wegener's granulomatosis
- 2. Thoracic manifestations of histocytosis
- 3. Lung changes in mitral stenosis
- 4. Unilateral opaque hemithorax
- 5. Ventilation perfusion studies by Radionuclide scanning
- 6. Pulmonary sarcoidosis
- 7. Fungus ball and its differential diagnosis.
- 8. Lymphangitis carcinomatosis
- 9. Fine needle aspiration of lung lesion
- 10. Metastatic lung lesion
- 11. Radiological anatomy of bronchopulmonary segments
- 12. Superior sulcus tumours
- 13. Bronchogenic cyst
- 14. Pneumomediastinum
- 15. Mc Leod's syndrome
- 16. Agenesis of lung
- 17. Alveolar Microlithiasis
- 18. Round atelectasis
- 19. Sub pulmonic effusion
- 20. Bilateral upper lobe fibrosis of the lung
- 21. Cystic adenomatoid malformations
- 22. Scimitar syndrome
- 23. Congenital lobar emphysema
- 24. Mediastinal lymphnodes and lymphatic drainage of the lungs
- 25. Mediastinal lines & stripes
- 26. Diaphragmatic hernias
- 27. Pneumothorax
- 28. Thymic tumours
- 29. Neuroenteric cyst
- 30. Broncho alveolar carcinoma
- 31. Lung abscess

- 32. Pneumocystic carinii pneumonia
- 33. Hydatid cyst in lung
- 34. Bronchiectasis
- 35. Asbestosis
- 36. Pulmonary odema
- 37. Rheumatoid lung
- 38. Silicosis
- 39. Radiation pneumonitis
- 40. Coal workers pneumoconiosis.
- 41. Bacterial pneumonias in adults
- 42. Respiratory distress Syndrome.
- 43. Pulmonary alveolar proteinosis.
- 44. Bronchopulmonary aspergillosis
- 45. Pulmonary hamartoma.
- 46. Cystic mediastinal tumours
- 47. Cystic fibrosis
- 48. Duplication cyst
- 49. Fibrosing mediastinitis
- 50. Germ cell tumours of mediastinum
- 51. Hiatus hernia
- 52. Pleural tumours
- 53. Viral pneumonias
- 54. Empyema thoracic
- 55. Primary pulmonary tuberculosis
- 56. Post primary tuberculosis
- 57. CT in evaluation of tracheo bronchial disease
- 58. Emphysema
- 59. BOOP
- 60. Bronchial carcinoid
- 61. Systemic sclerosis
- 62. Drug induced lung disease
- 63. Hypersensitivity pneumonitis
- 64. Diaphragmatic rupture
- 65. Bronchopleural fistula

- 66. Intravascular catheters in chest
- 67. Diffuse pulmonary hemorrhage
- 68. Bronchial artery embolisation
- 69. Congenital diaphragmatic hernia
- 70. Oesophageal atresia and trachea oesophageal fistula
- 71. Ultrasound in assessment of chest diseases
- 72. Pulmonary sarcoidosis
- 73. Pulmonary sequestration
- 74. CT bronchoscopy and its utility
- 75. Rheumatoid lung disease
- 76. Injuries to the lung
- 77. Imaging in thymic lesions
- 78. Eventration of the diaphragm
- 79. Pulmonary infarction
- 80. Fungal diseases of the lung
- 81. Paraneoplastic syndrome
- 82. Bronchopulmonary dysplasia
- 83. Hypoplasia and aplasia of lung
- 84. Vanishing lung disease.

BONES (MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM)

Major questions

- 1. Describe the calcium metabolism and discuss radiological changes in hyperparathyroidism.
- 2. Discuss etiopathogenesis and imaging appearances in Avascular necrosis of femoral head.
- 3. Classify bone tumours. Discuss the radiological approach in diagnosing bone tumours. Discuss in detail various types of osteosarcomas.
- 4. What are the causes of hip pain in early childhood? Discuss the imaging findings in congenital dislocation of hip/Developmental dysplasia of hip.
- 5. Discuss the role of Radionuclide scan in evaluation of a skeletal lesion
- 6. What are the seronegative arthropathies. Discuss in detail their Radiological features.
- 7. Discuss the imaging features of skeletal tuberculosis
- 8. What are the causes of soft tissue ossification and calcification. Describe the radiological features of the various causes
- 9. What are the various crystal deposition diseases. Discuss their imaging features.
- 10. Discuss the differential diagnosis of a expanding lesion at the end of a long bone.
- 11. Role of MRI in evaluation of ligament and meniscal injury of the knee.
- 12. Discuss Vitamin D metabolism Describe role of imaging in Vit. D deficiency disorders.
- 13. Discuss various bone tumours of the vertebral column.
- 14. What are the different types of periosteal reactions? Discuss the imaging features of osteomyelitis.
- 15. Discuss the role of imaging in the pathologies of the shoulder joint.
- 16. Discuss the role of imaging in evaluation of chondrogenic bone tumours.
- 17. Discuss the role of antenatal sonography in evaluation of the fetal skeletal system. Describe the features of various lethal skeletal dysplasias.
- 18. What is the imaging approach to a case of monoarthritis. Describe in detail individual conditions that can present with monoarthritis.
- 19. Discuss the role of imaging in spinal trauma.

BONES- (MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM -2009)

- 1. Differential diagnosis of expanding lesions of mandible
- 2. Pyknodysostosis
- 3. Benign cartilaginous bone tumours
- 4. Paget's disease of bone
- 5. Seronegative spondyloarthropathies
- 6. Acro-oteolysis
- 7. Osteoid osteoma
- 8. Sclerosing bone dysplasias
- 9. Atlantoaxial dislocation
- 10. Degenerative disc disease
- 11. Metastatic osseous disease
- 12. Solid/continous periosteal reaction
- 13. Fluorosis
- 14. Marfan's syndrome
- 15. Isotopes in bone imaging
- 16. Perthe's disease
- 17. Atypical osteosarcoma
- 28. Renal rickets
- 29. Pigmented villonodular synovitis
- 30. Chondrosarcoma
- 31. Fractures of craniovertebral junction
- 32. Rib notching
- 33. Ankylosing spondylitis
- 34. Hypertrophic osteo arthropathy
- 35. Osteoporosis
- 36. Osteopetrosis
- 37. Achondroplasia
- 38. Neuropathic joints
- 39. Giant Cell Tumor
- 40. Histiocytosis
- 41. Scurvy

- 42. Diffuse Idiopathic Skeletal Hyperosteosis
- 43. Discal calcification
- 44. Enchondroma
- 45. Developmental dysplasia of hip
- 46. Cleidocranial dysplasia
- 47. Osteogenesis imperfecta
- 48. Fibrous dysplasia
- 49. Diaphyseal Achalasis
- 50. Morquio's disease
- 51. Down's syndrome
- 52. Osteomyelitis in infants
- 53. Brodie's abscess
- 54. Congenital syphillis
- 55. Caffey's disease
- 56. Early radiographic findings in Rheumatoid arthritis
- 57. Psoriatic arthritis
- 58. Reiter's syndrome
- 59. Interrupted periosteal reaction
- 60. Anterior knee pain
- 61. Osteoarthritis
- 62. Gout
- 63. Osteoblastoma
- 64. Conventional osteosarcoma
- 65. Osteochondroma
- 66. Aneurysmal Bone Cyst
- 67. Hemangioma of bone
- 68. Solitary bone cyst
- 69. Ewing's sarcoma
- 70. Adamantinoma
- 71. Thalassemia
- 72. Sickle cell anaemia
- 73. Skeletal manifestation of leukemia
- 74. Primary bone lymphoma
- 75. Hemophilia

- 76. Radiological features of Hyperparathyroidism
- 79. Radiological Features of Hypothyroidism
- 77. Myositis ossificans
- 78. Salter Harris fractures
- 79. Slipped capital femoral epiphysis
- 80. Renal osteodystrophy
- 81. Pyogenic and tuberculous osteomyelitis in the spine
- 82. Septic arthritis
- 83. MRI in intervertebral disc prolapse.
- 84. MRI in avascular necrosis of hip.
- 85. MRI in cruciate ligament tear
- 86. Spinal tuberculosis
- 87. Discoid Meniscus
- 88. Synovial osteochondromatosis.
- 89. Metaphyseal lucent bands.
- 90. Metaphyseal dense bands
- 91. Erlenmeyer flask deformity
- 92. Bone infarct
- 93. Maffucci syndrome
- 94. Role of CT in faciomaxillary trauma
- 95. MRI in meniscal injuries
- 96. Carpal tunnel syndrome
- 97. Radiography in shoulder dislocation
- 98..Radiography in Cervical spine trauma
- 99 .Ivory vertebra
- 100.Chordoma
- 101.Plasma cell disorders
- 102.Osteomalacia
- 103. Juvenile rheumatoid arthritis
- 104. Reflex symphathetic dystrophy syndrome
- 105. Acromegaly
- 106. Pseudogout
- 107. Osteochondritis.
- 108. Radiography In Assessment Of Wrist Pathologies

- 109. Role of skeletal radiography in age estimation.
- 110. MR imaging of the spinal bone marrow.
- 111. SKIBO diseases

CNS-(HEAD AND NECK)

MAJOR QUESTIONS

- 1. Classify Paediatric brain tumors and describe their imaging features in detail.
- 2. Classify and enumerate different supratentorial tumours in adults. Describe in detail the imaging features of Glial tumours.
- 3. Enumerate posterior fossa tumours occurring in children and in adults. Discuss in detail the imaging features of infratentorial tumours in paediatric age group.
- 4. What are the causes of subarachnoid hemorrhage. Discuss the imaging and management in a case of subarachnoid hemorrhage.
- 5. Describe the imaging anatomy of craniovertebral junction. Describe the role of imaging in craniovertebral junction pathologies.
- 6. Describe the anatomy of sella and parasellar regions. Enumerate different tumors in this region and describe in detail imaging features of craniopharyngioma and its differential diagnosis?
- 7. What is Phakomatosis? Enumerate the various conditions in this group and describe the imaging features of Neurofibromatosis.
- 8. Describe in detail imaging in Cranio -cerebral trauma.
- 9. Describe the vascular territories of brain on cross sectional imaging. Discuss the role of imaging in ischemic stroke?
- 10. Describe the development of embryological development of spinal cord. Classify Congenital anomalies of spine and discuss in detail occult spinal dysraphism?
- 11. Classify spinal tumours. How will you localize an intra spinal mass on imaging. Discuss differential diagnosis and imaging features of extradural spinal tumour.
- 12. Classify various orbital mass lesions. Describe the imaging features of orbital mass Lesions.
- 13. Enumerate the causes of non traumatic intra axial hemorrhage. Describe in detail their CT & MRI imaging features?
- 14. Discuss the imaging features and diagnosis of inherited white matter diseases (Leukodystrophies).
- 15. Enumerate the causes of acute paraplegia. D iscuss the imaging of infections involving the spine.

- 16. Discuss differential diagnosis of various space occupying lesions of the CP Angle.
- 17. Describe the differential diagnosis in a patient presenting with unilateral proptosis.
- 18. Enumerate Intraventricular masses in children and discuss their imaging features.
- 19. Enumerate and discuss the imaging features of intraventricular masses in adults.
- 20. Discuss in detail the imaging of various intracranial vascular malformations.
- 21. Enumerate and discuss Posterior fossa malformations.
- 22. Classify and describe various intracranial aneurysms.
- 23. Enumerate major apertures of skull base and discuss their location, transmitted Structures through them and their connects. Describe the imaging features of various anterior skull base lesions.
- 24. How will you differentiate intraaxial from extraaxial mass on imaging. Discuss the various extraaxial tumours in adults.
- 26. Discuss the role of imaging in temporal bone pathologies.
- 27. Describe the role of imaging in seizures in paediatric age group.
- 28. Discuss imaging anatomy of the sinonasal region. Describe the role of imaging in planning endoscopic sinus surgery. Discuss the imaging of fungal sinusitis.
- 29. Give a schematic overview of the anatomy of visual pathway and the field defects caused by lesions in various locations along the pathway. Discuss the various causes of visual loss resulting from lesions along the visual pathway.
- 30. Describe in detail the role of imaging in degenerative disease of the spine. Briefly discuss imaging in post operative spine.
- 31. Discuss the role of Neurosonography in neonates.
- 32. Discuss the role of a radiologist in management of carotid and vertebral artery disease.
- 33. Describe the imaging anatomy of the middle ear with its relations. Elaborate in detail the imaging of tinnitus using various imaging modalities.
- 34. Discuss the role of imaging in thyroid gland disorders.
- 35. Describe the role of imaging in pineal region tumours.
- 36. Discuss the imaging approach to various causes of ring enhancing lesions of the brain.
- 37. Discuss the role of imaging in infections and infestations of the adult brain.
- 38. Neuroimaging in AIDS.

- 1. Neurotuberculosis
- 2. Neurocysticercosis
- 3. Intramedullary tumours of spinal cord
- 4. Sturge Weber syndrome
- 5. Tuberous sclerosis
- 6. Intradural exramedullary spinal tumours
- 7. Craniosynostosis
- 8. Corpus callosum agenesis
- 9. Holoprosencepaly
- 10. Schizencephaly
- 11. Cerebral herniations
- 12. Cerebral edema
- 13. Post meningitis sequelae
- 14. Vertebral hemangioma
- 15. Chordoma
- 16. Optic nerve meningioma
- 17. Thyroid ophthalmopathy
- 18. Herpes encephalitis
- 19. CNS infections in newborn
- 20. Juvenile angiofibroma
- 21. MRI findings in intracerebral hemorrhage
- 22. Diastometamyelia
- 23. MR features in Parkinsonism
- 24. Normal pressure hydrocephalus
- 25. Pulsatile tinnitus
- 26. Infundibular masses
- 27. Vein of Galen malformation
- 28. Cavernous angioma
- 29. Migration anomalies of the brain.
- 30. Arnold Chairi malformation
- 31. Retinoblastoma

- 32. Moya Moya disease
- 33. Mesial temporal sclerosis
- 34. MR imaging in spinal trauma
- 35. Lissencephaly
- 36. Septo-Optic dysplasia
- 37. Unilateral Megalencephaly
- 38. Non accidental cranio cerebral trauma in children
- 39. Orbital pseudotumour
- 40. Arachnoid cyst
- 41. Epidermoid
- 42. Dandy walker malformation
- 43. Cystic malformation of posterior fossa
- 44. Imaging in Otitis media
- 45. Neurofibromatosis type II
- 46. Osmotic demyelination
- 47. Hypertensive encephalopathy
- 48. CNS sarcoidosis
- 49. Atypical Meningioma
- 50. Craniopharyngioma
- 51. Medulloblastoma
- 52. DNET (Dysembroyoplastic Neuro epithelial tumour)
- 53. Oligodendroglioma
- 54. Gliomatosis Cerebri
- 55. Pituitary microadenoma
- 56. Imaging subarachnoid haemorrhage
- 57. Lacunar infarcts
- 58. Herpes simplex encephalitis
- 59. Cerebritis and cerebral abscess
- 60. CNS fungal infection
- 61. Toxoplasmosis
- 62. Leukocoria
- 63. Sacro coccygeal teratoma
- 64. CNS Lymphoma
- 65. Cerebral metastases

- 66. Esthesioneuroblastoma
- 67. Acoustic neuroma
- 68. Pituitary macroadenoma
- 69. Basal ganglia hyperintensity
- 70. MR Diffusion and perfusion imaging in cerebral ischemia
- 71. Differential diagnosis of T2W hyperintensity in the Pons.
- 72. Cholesteatoma
- 73. Neurofibromatosis I.
- 74. Whiplash injury.
- 75. Intraocular tumours.
- 76. Venous drainage of brain
- 77. Basilar invagination and basilar impression.
- 78. PNET of the brain.
- 79. Solitary thyroid nodule.
- 80. Multiple sclerosis
- 81. ADEM
- 82. Carotid and vertebral artery dissection
- 83. Brain myelination on MRI
- 84. Raised intracranial tension
- 85. Adrenoleukodystrophy (AL)
- 86. MR venography of brain
- 87. Spinal vascular malformations
- 88. Metachromatic leukodystrophy
- 89. When is CT more appropriate than MRI in neuro imaging
- 90. Transcranial Doppler
- 91. Venous Infarct
- 92. Carotico cavernous fistula
- 93. Mucocele of Paranasal sinus
- 94. Grey Scale ultrasound imaging of posterior segment of eye
- 95. Hypoxic ischemic encephalopathy
- 96. Caudal regression syndrome
- 97. Atherosclerotic plaque assessment
- 98. Radio-isotopes in thyroid disorders
- 99. Lumbar spinal stenosis

PAPER - IV RECENT ADVANCES

RECENT ADVANCES

MAJOR QUESTIONS

1. Discuss the principles of diffusion weighted imaging and its utility.

- 2. Discuss the role of MRI in obstetrics, especially in areas where it overcomes the limitations of ultrasonography and scores over it.
- 3. Describe the fundamentals of MR spectroscopy. Discuss its role in neuroimaging
- 4. Discuss imaging of aneurysms and CNS vascular malformations and the recent trends in their management.
- 5. Discuss the role of MRI in breast diseases.
- 6. Role of MRI in entrapment and compressive neuropathy of peripheral nerves of the upper extremity.
- 7. Hepatobiliary contrast agents.
- 8. Multiparametric MR imaging of the prostate.
- 9. Functional MR in neuroimaging.
- Discuss the principles and basis of CT perfusion imaging and its various assessment parameters. Elaborate on the role of CT perfusion in Neuroimaging.
- 11. Describe segmental anatomy of the liver. Discuss imaging in liver transplantation.
- 12. Discuss the principles, instrumentation and methodology of PET imaging. Elaborate on its clinical applications in neuroimaging.
- 13. High intensity focused ultrasound (HIFU) Principle, Instrumentation and its applications.
- 14. Discuss various images guided Musculoskeletal interventions
- 15. MR evaluation of pregnant patient with acute abdominal pain
- 16. Describe the instrumentation and principles of Radiofrequency ablation. Discuss the indications, patient selection, procedure and complications of its various implications.
- 17. Discuss the principles, instrumentation and methodology of PET imaging. Elaborate on its role in head and neck cancers
- 18. Recent trends in minimal invasive image guided therapies for hepatic malignancies
- 19. Discuss the principles and basis of CT perfusion imaging and its various assessment parameters .Define the role of CT perfusion in oncoimaging.
- 20. Describe the anatomy of the limbic system. Discuss imaging in temporal lobe epilepsy.
- 21. Discuss the role of MRI in imaging of the myocardium.
- 22. Discuss the advances in imaging and management of ischemic stroke.
- 23. Imaging in diffuse liver disease with emphasis on role of MRI.
- 24. Discuss the concept of molecular imaging. What are the various modalities used in molecular imaging. Elaborate on the role of MRI in molecular imaging.

RECENT ADVANCES

- 1. MR Imaging of placenta
- 2. MRI in pelvic floor imaging
- 3. TRUS guided interventions
- 4. MR Enteroclysis
- 5. MRI hepatobiliary specific contrast agent
- 6. 3D & 4D ultrasound in foetal imaging
- 7. Extra CNS utility of diffusion weighted imaging
- 8. MR Tractography
- 9. Diffusion and perfusion weighted imaging in stroke
- 10. USG in Rheumatoid arthritis
- 11. MRI in Temporomandibular joint
- 12. Positional and kinematic imaging of spine
- 13. Comparison of CT & MR Arthrography
- 14. Cine MR imaging and its utility
- 15. Flat panel detector
- 16. Cartilage imaging
- 17. Carotid stenting
- 18. CT Cholangiography
- 19. Ultrasound contrast media
- 20. Post processing techniques in HRCT lung
- 21. Gradient echo imaging
- 22. Chemical shift imaging
- 23. Echoplanar imaging
- 24. Super paramagnetic MR contrast media
- 25. Imaging of the brachial plexus
- 26. Susceptability weighted imaging
- 27. Intrauterine foetal intervention
- 28. Recent advances in CT detector technology
- 29. Ultrasound elastography
- 30. Advantage and disadvantages of CR & DR

- 31. Dual source CT
- 32. SLAP and FLAP tear in shoulder joint
- 33. MR Pelvimetry
- 34. Denta CT and its clinical applications
- 35. Factors affecting SNR in MRI
- 36. Pharmacological agents used in cardiac CT & MRI
- 37. MR coronary angiography
- 38. Describe the principles of parallel imaging technology and its clinical applications
- 39. Imaging of breast implant
- 40. Intraluminal MR contrast Agents
- 41. CT dosimetry
- 42. Vascular and biliary variants in the liver implication for liver surgery
- 43. Steady state MR imaging sequences
- 44. Intraductal papillary mucinous tumour of pancreas
- 45. Whole body diffusion weighted imaging
- 46. Cardiac stress imaging
- 47. Carotid and vertebral artery dissection
- 48. MR perfusion weighted imaging
- 49. Nodal imaging on MR
- 50. Newer MR contrast media
- 51. MRI in endometrial pathologies
- 52. In phase and out of phase MRI imaging
- 53. MRI in bone marrow disease of the spine
- 54. PET in evaluation of lymphoma
- 55. PET in evaluation of GIT
- 56. Imaging in brain death
- 57. Digital Tomosynthesis in Breast Imaging.