



Jordan University of Science and Technology
Faculty of Applied Medical Sciences
Radiologic Technology Department

RA218 Principles Of Diagnostic Imaging 1 Lab

Second Semester 2022-2023

Course Catalog

1 Credit Hours. This course introduces the student to the radiologic technology science and explains the process of image formation including radiographic film structure, latent image formation, and processing of the x-ray film. In addition, it describes the factors which affect and image quality.

Text Book

Title	Radiologic Science for Technologists.
Author(s)	Bushong S.
Edition	9th Edition
Short Name	1
Other Information	

Course References

Short name	Book name	Author(s)	Edition	Other Information
2	LXi tutorials on medical X-ray imaging physics	Cowen A.	1st Edition	

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Section 1:
Lecture Time: Thu : 08:30 - 10:30
Room: LAB

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Room: LAB

Section 3:
Lecture Time: Thu : 12:30 - 14:30
Room: LAB

Section 4:
Lecture Time: Thu : 14:30 - 16:30
Room: LAB

Section 5:
Lecture Time: Wed : 09:30 - 11:30
Room: LAB

Teaching Assistant

Rasha Elshayib(Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)

Tentative List of Topics Covered

Weeks	Topic	References
Week 1	X-ray room components and design X-ray tube construction	From 1, From 2
Week 2	X-ray room components and design X-ray tube construction	From 1, From 2
Week 3	X-ray tube construction	From 1, From 2
Week 4	Production of X-ray	From 1, From 2
Week 5	Anode heel effect	From 1, From 2
Week 6	X-ray interactions with matter 1	From 1, From 2
Week 7	Imaging artefacts	From 1, From 2
Week 8	Basics of conventional radiography	From 1, From 2
Week 9	Radiographic film and Intensifying screen	From 1, From 2

Week 10	Automatic Exposure control	From 1, From 2
Week 11	Image processing	From 1, From 2
Week 12	Properties of screen-film systems	From 1, From 2
Week 13	Scatter radiation	From 1, From 2
Week 14	Beam restricting devices	From 1, From 2
Week 15	Radiographic grids	From 1, From 2
Week 16	Exposure factors	From 1, From 2

Mapping of Course Outcomes to Program Outcomes	Course Outcome Weight (Out of 100%)	Assessment method
1. Describe the effect of scattered radiation	20%	
2. Describe the structure of x-ray film, intensify screen and the process of image formation	20%	
3. Radiography equipment and radiation safety procedures	20%	
4. kVp and mAs effects	20%	
Technique charts	20%	

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