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THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA
FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
EXAMINATION DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCES
ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020 – SEMESTER I



BACHELOR OF MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCES HONOURS
MDU4209 – GENERAL PATHOLOGY
FINAL EXAMINATION

DURATION: TWO HOURS

DATE: 11th SEPTEMBER 2020

TIME: 09.30 AM – 11.30 AM

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Part B: Structured Essay Questions (60 marks)

1.

1.1 List two (02) causes of metastatic calcification. (4 marks)

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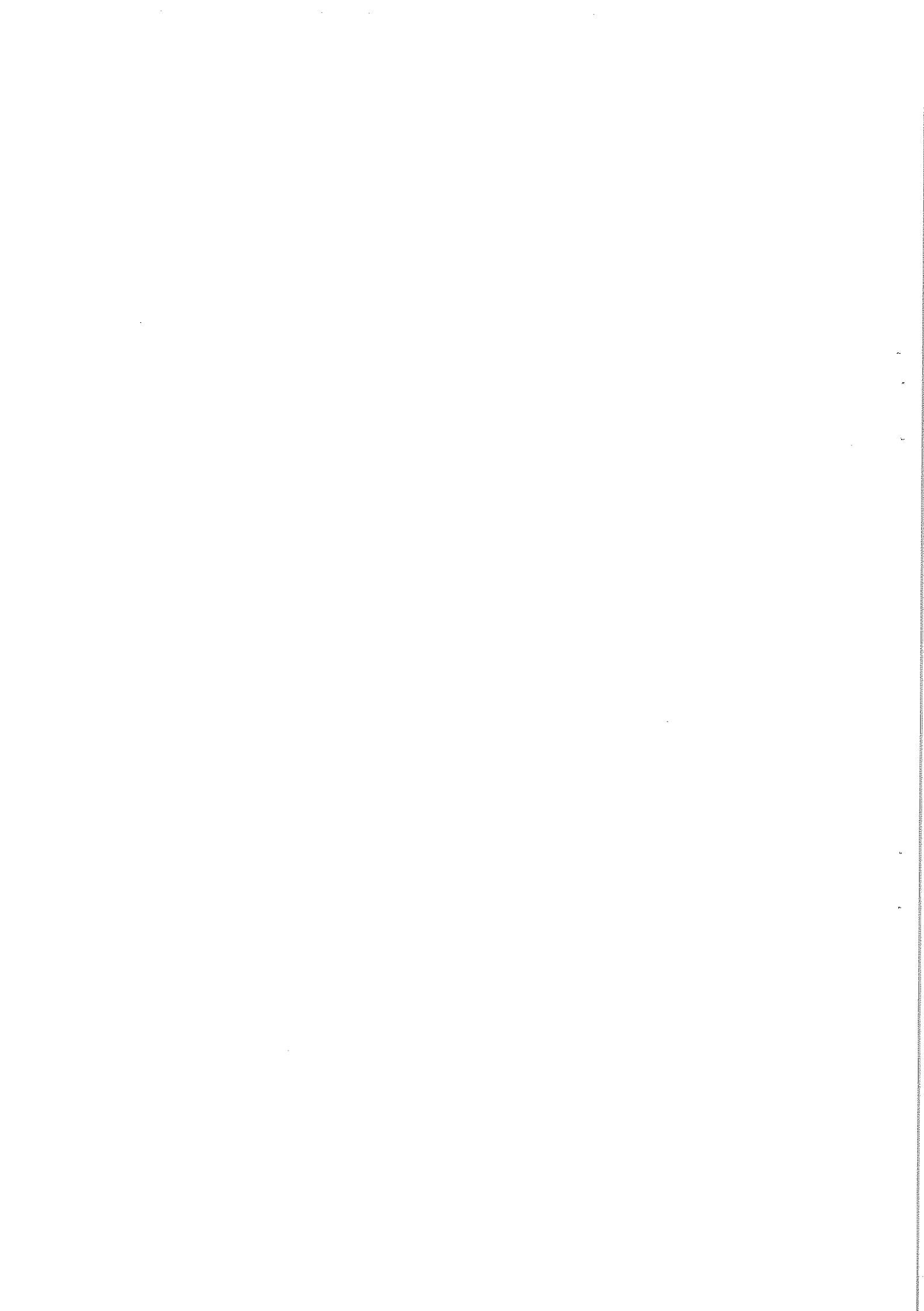
1.2 Briefly describe the differences between metastatic calcification and dystrophic calcification. (12 marks)

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1.3 Name two (02) common tissues where metastatic calcification is seen. (4 marks)

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2.1 Briefly discuss the differences between features of benign and malignant tumours.

(12 marks)

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2.2 State four (04) essential cellular changes required for malignant transformation.

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3.1 Define the term thrombosis. (4 marks)

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3.2 Briefly describe the Virchow's triad in thrombosis. (10 marks)

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3.3 State the fate of a thrombus. (6 marks)

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Part C: Essay Question (20 marks)

1. Write short notes on following topics.

- 1.1 Sequela of acute inflammation (10 marks)
1.2 Tumour suppressor genes. (10 marks)

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