## **Exam questions - 2019-2020**

- 1. The unit of measurement for equivalent dose is:
  - a) Roentgen
  - b) Curie
  - c) Becquerel
  - d) Sievert
  - e) Gray
- 2. The unit of measurement for absorbed dose is:
  - a) Roentgen
  - b) Curie
  - c) Becquerel
  - d) Sievert
  - e) Gray
- 3. Radiographic image quality criteria include:
  - a) image contrast
  - b) image noise
  - c) spatial resolution
  - d) patient positioning according to image projection
  - e) film dimensions
- 4. X-ray hardness ratio increases when:
  - a) X-ray wavelength increases
  - b) X-ray wavelength decreases
  - c) exposure time increases
  - d) exposure time decreases
  - e) the distance between the X-ray tube and the detector is reduced
- 5. Ultrasound is the name given to sound waves that have frequencies greater than:
  - a) 15 kHz
  - b) 20000 Hz
  - c) 1 MHz
  - d) 30 Hz
  - e) 100 Hz
- 6. If the wave frequency increases, the wavelength:
  - a) decreases
  - b) increases
  - c) does not change
  - d) changes according to the wave intensity
  - e) changes according to the wave amplitude
- 7. Ultrasound propagation speed is the highest in:
  - a) air
  - b) water
  - c) fat
  - d) vacuum
  - e) carbon bioxide

- 8. Sound represents:
  - a) an electromagnetic wave
  - b) a mechanical acoustic wave
  - c) ionizing radiation
  - d) an array of photons
  - e) an array of gamma rays
- 9. The most important factor causing ultrasound wave reflections at the interface between tissues represents the difference in:
  - a) acoustic impedance
  - b) concentration of hydrogen protons
  - c) tissue elasticity
  - d) distance from body surface
  - e) oxygen concentration
- 10. A pregnant employee should be transferred to work which does not expose her to ionizing radiation:
  - a) starting from the day she has declared her pregnancy
  - b) when the first signs of pregnancy appear
  - c) since the moment of medical confirmation of pregnancy
  - d) the time of transfer is flexible and depends on employee desire
  - e) there is no need for any change related to her work environment
- 11. The units of measurement for absorbed dose are:
  - a) Grav
  - b) Rad
  - c) Roentgen
  - d) Curie
  - e) Becquerel
- 12. The units for measuring the radioactivity of a radiopharmaceutical are:
  - a) Curie
  - b) Becquerel
  - c) Gray
  - d) Sievert
  - e) Roentgen
- 13. Which of the following methods of investigation refer to radiological or medical imaging modalities?
  - a) radioscopy
  - b) ultrasonography
  - c) endoscopy
  - d) laparoscopy
  - e) scintigraphy

- 14. Which of the following are electromagnetic waves?
  - a) X-rays
  - b) Gamma rays
  - c) Ultrasound
  - d) Radio waves
  - e) Infrared waves
- 15. Which of the following represent ionizing radiation?
  - a) X-rays
  - b) Gamma rays
  - c) Ultrasound
  - d) Radio waves
  - e) Infrared waves
- 16. Which of the following imaging modalities use X-rays?
  - a) Scintigraphy
  - b) Radioscopy
  - c) Echo Doppler
  - d) Computed tomography
  - e) Orthopantomography
- 17. Which of the following imaging modalities use Gamma-rays?
  - a) Scintigraphy
  - b) Single Photon Emission Computed Tomography (SPECT)
  - c) Computed tomography angiography (CTA)
  - d) Radiography
  - e) Ultrasonography
- 18. Which of the following imaging modalities uses radio waves?
  - a) Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)
  - b) Computed tomography (CT)
  - c) Orthopantomography
  - d) Ultrasonography
  - e) Scintigraphy
- 19. Which of the following imaging modalities use ultrasound?
  - a) Two-dimensional ultrasound (B-Mode)
  - b) Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)
  - c) Cone-beam computed tomography (CBCT)
  - d) Echo-Doppler
  - e) Sialography
- 20. Which of the following imaging modalities use contrast agents?
  - a) Orthopantomography
  - b) Sialography
  - c) Angiography
  - d) Scintigraphy
  - e) Positron emission tomography (PET)

- 21. Which of the following represents a source of X-rays in medical imaging?
  a) Piezoelectric crystal
  b) X-ray tube
  c) Radionuclide
  d) Magnet
- 22. Which of the following represents a source of gamma rays in medical imaging?
  - a) Piezoelectric crystal
  - b) X-ray tube
  - c) Radionuclide

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  - d) Magnet
  - e) Human body
- 24. Which of the following represents a source of radio waves (radiofrequency pulses) in medical imaging?
  - a) Piezoelectric crystal
  - b) X-ray tube
  - c) Radionuclide
  - d) Radio frequency coils / antenna (in magnetic resonance imaging)
  - e) Human body
- 25. Which of the following are radionegative contrast media?
  - a) Barium sulfate
  - b) Air
  - c) Radiopharmaceuticals
  - d) Carbon dioxide
  - e) Gadolinium
- 26. Which of the following are radiopositive contrast media?
  - a) Barium sulfate
  - b) Iodinated contrast agents
  - c) Radiopharmaceuticals
  - d) Carbon dioxide
  - e) Gas microbubbles
- 27. X-ray absorption depends on:
  - a) Structure elasticity
  - b) Structure density
  - c) Structure localization
  - d) Structure thickness
  - e) The quantity of hydrogen protons in the tissue

- 28. Linear tomography represents:
  - a) Imaging a single plane (anatomical slice) of a body region in a certain projection
  - b) The 3-dimensional reconstruction of an organ
  - c) The planar summary image of an anatomical region of the body
  - d) The 3-dimensional reconstruction of the whole body
  - e) Imaging body sections using endoscopy
- 29. Which of the following imaging modalities are using tomographic techniques of image acquisition or reconstruction?
  - a) Orthopantomography
  - b) Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)
  - c) Cone beam computed tomography (CBCT)
  - d) Conventional radiography
  - e) Sialography
- 30. The structures with high density on radiographic images are called:
  - a) opaque
  - b) hyperechoic
  - c) transparent
  - d) hyperdense
  - e) hyperintense
- 31. The structures with low density on radiographic images are called:
  - a) opaque
  - b) hypodense
  - c) hypointense
  - d) hyperlucent
  - e) hypoechoic
- 32. The structures with high density on computed tomography (CT) are called:
  - a) opaque
  - b) hyperdense
  - c) hypodense
  - d) hyperechoic
  - e) hyperintense
- 33. The structures with low density on computed tomography (CT) are called:
  - a) hyperlucent
  - b) hyperdense
  - c) hypodense
  - d) hypoechoic
  - e) hypointense
- 34. The structures associated with strong (high degree of) wave reflections on ultrasound imaging are called:
  - a) hypoechoic
  - b) hyperechoic
  - c) hypointense
  - d) hyperlucent
  - e) hyperdense

- 35. The structures associated with weak (low degree of) wave reflections on ultrasound imaging are called:
  - a) hypoechoic
  - b) hyperechoic
  - c) hypointense
  - d) hyperlucent
  - e) hypodense
- 36. Contraindications for radiological investigation include:
  - a) Lactation period
  - b) Pregnancy
  - c) The presence of metallic foreign bodies in the human body
  - d) Obesity
  - e) Advanced age of the patient
- 37. Contraindications for MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging) investigation include:
  - a) Pregnancy
  - b) The presence of metallic foreign bodies in the human body
  - c) The presence of skin lesions within the area of investigation
  - d) Small age (pediatric patients)
  - e) Advanced age (geriatric patients)
- 38. Contraindications for CT (Computed Tomography) investigation include:
  - a) Lactation period
  - b) Pregnancy
  - c) The presence of metallic foreign bodies in the human body
  - d) Advanced age of the patient
  - e) Edentulous patients (lacking teeth)
- 39. Contraindications for Ultrasonography (USG) investigation include:
  - a) Lactation period
  - b) Pregnancy
  - c) The presence of metallic foreign bodies in the human body
  - d) Edentulous patients (lacking teeth)
  - e) The are no absolute contraindications
- 40. Sialography is performed using a contrast agent that is:
  - a) Radiopositive hydrosoluble
  - b) Radiopositive insoluble
  - c) Radiopositive liposoluble
  - d) Radionegative
  - e) A radiopharmaceutical
- 41. X-ray properties and effects include:
  - a) Ionizing effects
  - b) Photochemical effects
  - c) Luminescent effects
  - d) Tissue magnetization effects
  - e) Lowering tissue density

- 42. Which types of ionizing radiations are produced in nuclear reactions (nuclear fusion and fission reactions)?
  - a) gamma rays
  - b) alpha particles
  - c) beta radiation
  - d) X-rays
  - e) infrared light
- 43. A radionuclide represents:
  - a) a radiopositive contrast agent
  - b) a radionegative contrast agent
  - c) a radiopharmaceutical
  - d) a paramagnetic contrast agent
  - e) a radioactive isotop
- 44. A radiopharmaceutical represents:
  - a) a radiopositive contrast media
  - b) a radionegative contrast media
  - c) complex molecules that have tropism to a particular tissue, marked with a radionuclide
  - d) a paramagnetic contrast agent
  - e) a substance containing gas microbubbles
- 45. The units for measuring ionizing radiation according to the International System of Units include:
  - a) Becqueral (Bq)
  - b) Gray (Gy)
  - c) Sievert (Sv)
  - d) Rad
  - e) Curie (Ci)
- 46. Doppler investigation is based on:
  - a) ultrasound reflection from soft tissue
  - b) ultrasound reflection from moving particles
  - c) ultrasound absorption in the bones
  - d) ultrasound reflection from structures containing air
  - e) ultrasound scattering
- 47. Which of the X-ray properties is directly related to image formation in radioscopy?
  - a) the photographic / chemical effect on the X-ray film
  - b) the luminescent effect of X-rays
  - c) the ionizing effects of X-rays
  - d) X-ray spreading in all directions
  - e) X-ray spreading with the speed of light

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  - e) X-ray spreading in a vacuum tube
- 49. Which tissue (organ) is associated with the lowest X-ray absorption?
  - a) tooth enamel
  - b) dentine
  - c) adipose (fat) tissue
  - d) bones
  - e) muscle tissue
- 50. Which tissue (organ) is associated with the highest X-ray absorption?
  - a) tooth enamel
  - b) dentine
  - c) adipose (fat) tissue
  - d) blood
  - e) muscle tissue
- 51. Radiation protection methods / types include:
  - a) physical (mechanical)
  - b) chemical
  - c) biological
  - d) psychological
  - e) universal
- 52. Which of the following statements about dosimetry are correct?
  - a) it measures doses of ionizing radiation
  - b) it measures doses of ultrasound waves
  - c) it represents an integral part of radiation protection
  - d) it represents an integral part of magnetic resonance imaging
  - e) it aims at estimating the doses of ionizing radiation in a certain area and/or the radiation dose absorbed by the human body
- 53. On radiographic images an opacity appears in case of:
  - a) increased density
  - b) decreased density
  - c) decreased spatial resolution
  - d) increased contrast
  - e) decreased contrast
- 54. Hyperlucency on radiographic images appears in case of:
  - a) increased density
  - b) decreased density
  - c) decreased spatial resolution
  - d) increased contrast
  - e) decreased contrast

- 55. Measures directed at radiation protection of patients include:
  - a) selecting the lowest radiation dose that yields an adequate image quality
  - b) shielding and protecting critical organs such as thyroid gland and gonads
  - c) administration of a standard radiation dose for all patients and types of radiological investigations
  - d) selecting optimal techniques and imaging projections to avoid repeated investigations
  - e) performing the investigation at the patient's own request
- 56. What are the advantages of Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) investigation?
  - a) Better visualization of soft tissue structures
  - b) Better visualization of bony structures
  - c) Pregnant women can be investigated
  - d) Patients with metallic foreign bodies can be investigated
  - e) Short duration of the scan
- 57. What are the disadvantages of MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging) investigation?
  - a) High radiation dose
  - b) Patients with metallic foreign bodies cannot be investigated
  - c) Pregnant women cannot be investigated
  - d) Long duration of the scan
  - e) Absence of ionizing radiation
- 58. The most informative imaging modality for visualizing cranial bone fractures is:
  - a) Skull radiography in 3 projections
  - b) CT (Computed Tomography)
  - c) MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging)
  - d) Cerebral angiography
  - e) Orthopantomography
- 59. Advantages of ultrasonography include:
  - a) high dose of ionizing radiation
  - b) it can be performed in pregnant women
  - c) it can be performed in patients with metallic implants
  - d) it is highly operator dependent
  - e) it is not using ionizing radiation
- 60. The specific radiographic signs of fracture include:
  - a) hyperostosis
  - b) osteonecrosis
  - c) fracture line
  - d) displacement of bone fragments
  - e) bone osteoporosis
- 61. Displacement of fracture segments along the longitudinal axis:
  - a) can be related to sliding fracture segments
  - b) can be related to interlocked fracture segments
  - c) is commonly associated with an elongated extremity
  - d) is commonly associated with a shortened extremity
  - e) is usually related to the longitudinal migration of the proximal fracture component

- 62. The earliest term a bone callus can be detected on radiographic images is commonly:
  - a) 3 days post fracture
  - b) 7 days post fracture
  - c) 21 days post fracture
  - d) 2 months post fracture
  - e) 6 months post fracture
- 63. Pathological fractures are fractures that occur as a result of:
  - a) action of a strong external force
  - b) action of a low intensity force over a bone already affected by a pathological process
  - c) repetitive action of a low intensity force over a healthy bone
  - d) excessive external compression over a healthy bone
  - e) a viral infection
- 64. Stress fractures are fractures that occur as a result of:
  - a) action of a strong external force
  - b) action of a low intensity force over a bone already affected by a pathological process
  - c) bone overuse and repetitive activity of a low intensity force over a healthy bone
  - d) firearm injuries
  - e) bone viral infections
- 65. Radiographic features of joint luxation (complete dislocation) include:
  - a) total incongruence (absence of joint congruence) of articular surfaces of the affected joint
  - b) partial incongruence of articular surfaces of the affected joint
  - c) narrowed intra-articular space
  - d) irregular, cogwheel intra-articular space
  - e) periarticular osteoporosis
- 66. Radiographic features of joint subluxation (partial dislocation) include:
  - a) total incongruence (absence of joint congruence) of articular surfaces of the affected joint
  - b) partial incongruence of articular surfaces of the affected joint
  - c) asymmetric, wedge-shaped intra-articular space
  - d) complete absence of intra-articular space
  - e) periarticular osteoporosis
- 67. The most sensitive modalities for early diagnosis of acute osteomyelitis are:
  - a) radiography
  - b) computed tomography (CT)
  - c) scintigraphy
  - d) magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
  - e) ultrasonography (USG)

- 68. Indirect fractures represent:
  - a) fractures that occur at the point of impact or injury
  - b) fractures that occur at a point other than the point of impact or injury (some distance away from the point of impact)
  - c) fractures resulting from the action of a low intensity force over a bone already affected by a pathological process
  - d) fractures resulting from bone overuse and repetitive activity of a low intensity force over a healthy bone
  - e) fractures of different bones occurring at the same time
- 69. Simultaneous fractures represent:
  - a) fractures associated with multiple bone fragments
  - b) multiple fractures within one single bone
  - c) fractures of a bone already affected by a pathological process
  - d) bone fractures associated with joint dislocations
  - e) fractures of different bones occurring at the same time
- 70. Which of the following imaging modalities allows the best visualization of bone structures?
  - a) computed Tomography (CT)
  - b) radiography with contrast
  - c) radiography standard (without contrast)
  - d) MRI
  - e) scintigraphy
- 71. The fracture line can be:
  - a) transverse
  - b) longitudinal
  - c) spiral
  - d) oblique
  - e) lateral
- 72. Radiological report of a bone fracture should include the following information:
  - a) fracture line
  - b) displacement of bone fragments
  - c) fracture age (fresh / old)
  - d) fracture location
  - e) the cause of the fracture
- 73. Which of the following statements related to the bone callus are true?
  - a) Bone callus formation precedes the appearance of conjunctive (fibrocartilage) callus
  - b) Bone callus formation follows the appearance of conjunctive (fibrocartilage) callus
  - c) Bone callus is radiographically visible after 1 week
  - d) Bone callus is radiographically visible after 3 weeks
  - e) Pseudoarthrosis is a normal stage in the process of fracture healing

- 74. Which of the following statements about the radiological aspects of osteoporosis are true?
  - a) the bone loss in osteoporosis affects both trabecular and cortical layers
  - b) the affected bones become more transparent on radiography
  - c) the affected bones become more opaque on radiography
  - d) osteoporosis is commonly associated with periosteal reaction (associated periostitis of the affected bones)
  - e) as a result of progressive bone loss, osteoporosis is commonly associated with areas of complete absence of bone tissue
- 75. The radiological manifestations of tubular bone osteosclerosis include:
  - a) radiological changes are related to abnormal hardening of the affected bone and an elevation in bone density
  - b) the affected bones become more transparent on radiography
  - c) radiological changes are related to bone thinning
  - d) the affected bones become more opaque on radiography
  - e) the mineral deposition in the affected region does not follow the normal architecture of the bone

#### 76. Osteodestruction refers to:

- a) Demineralization of bone matrix
- b) Bone resorption and its replacement by fibrous tissue
- c) Bone resorption and its replacement by pathological tissue
- d) The process of bone sequestrum formation
- e) Increase of bone matrix mineralization

## 77. Osteolysis refers to:

- a) Demineralization of bone matrix
- b) Bone resorption and its replacement by fibrous tissue
- c) Bone resorption and its replacement by pathological tissue
- d) The process of bone sequestrum formation
- e) Bone deformation

### 78. Bone sequestrum formation is usually a result of:

- a) osteodestruction
- b) osteolysis
- c) osteonecrosis
- d) osteoporosis
- e) osteosclerosis

### 79. Absence of the intra-articular space is a radiological sign of;

- a) arthritis
- b) ankylosis
- c) intra-articular fracture
- d) joint dislocation (luxation)
- e) osteomyelitis

- 80. Articular surface erosion is usually encountered in:
  - a) Arthritis
  - b) Osteoporosis
  - c) Ankylosis
  - d) Osteomyelitis
  - e) joint dislocation (luxation)
- 81. The radiological changes in osteomyelitis include:
  - a) Loss of bony trabecular architecture with appearance of irregular transparent areas on the bone background
  - b) Periosteal reaction/thickening (periostitis)
  - c) Periarticular osteoporosis
  - d) Thickening of the cortical layer
  - e) Eventual formation of a bone sequestrum in chronic or untreated cases
- 82. Bone pathology related to changes in bone dimensions include:
  - a) hyperostosis
  - b) bone atrophy
  - c) scoliostosis
  - d) osteoporosis
  - e) bone destruction
- 83. Which of the following periosteal changes are suggestive of very aggressive malignant tumors?
  - a) acicular (spiculated) periostitis
  - b) linear periostitis
  - c) periosteal interruption with a raised edge (Codman triangle)
  - d) solid periostitis
  - e) periosteal reaction with a thick, wavy, dense and uniform appearance
- 84. Complications of bone fractures include:
  - a) pseudarthrosis
  - b) osteomyelitis
  - c) bone healing in an abnormal position
  - d) osteonecrosis
  - e) early consolidation
- 85. Sialography can be better described as:
  - a) radiological investigation of the salivary glands with contrast media
  - b) radiological investigation of the salivary glands without contrast media
  - c) radiological investigation of the parotid glands with contrast media
  - d) radiological investigation of the parotid glands without contrast media
  - e) panoramic investigation of the oral cavity
- 86. Common indications for sialography include:
  - a) sialadenitis (inflammation of the salivary glands)
  - b) traumas of the salivary ducts
  - c) sialolithiasis (salivary gland stones)
  - d) sialectasis (cystic dilation of the ducts of salivary glands)
  - e) strictures of the salivary ducts

- 87. Intraoral (endo-oral) radiographic techniques are distinguished from the extraoral techniques by:
  - a) positioning of the X-ray tube in the oral cavity
  - b) orientation of the central X-ray beam directly into the oral cavity through the open mouth
  - c) administration of oral contrast agents prior to the investigation
  - d) positioning of the patient's oral cavity perpendicular to the X-ray tube
  - e) positioning of the X-ray film in the oral cavity
- 88. Which of the following are intraoral (endo-oral) radiographic techniques?
  - a) periapical radiography
  - b) interproximal radiography
  - c) occlusal radiography
  - d) targeted x-ray of the mandible
  - e) orthopantomography
- 89. The first-line imaging modality in suspected odontogenic sinusitis is?
  - a) skull radiography in nose-forehead position
  - b) skull radiography in nose-chin position with an open mouth
  - c) skull radiography in nose-chin position with a closed mouth
  - d) lateral skull radiography
  - e) orthopantomography
- 90. Normal radiographic features of maxillary sinuses include:
  - a) radiopaque
  - b) radio-transparent
  - c) containing an air-fluid level
  - d) blurred walls
  - e) clear walls with well defined contours
- 91. Which of the following fractures usually involve the orbital wall?
  - a) Le Fort I
  - b) Le Fort III
  - c) mandibular fractures
  - d) Le Fort IV
  - e) fractures of the zygomatic bone
- 92. Total (complete) opacification of a maxillary sinus can be usually caused by:
  - a) mucocele
  - b) hematoma
  - c) large fluid-filled cyst
  - d) rhinitis
  - e) chronic sinusitis in remission phase
- 93. Partial opacification of a maxillary sinus can be usually caused by:
  - a) acute sinusitis
  - b) chronic sinusitis in remission phase
  - c) chronic sinusitis in acute recurrent phase
  - d) rhinitis
  - e) alveolar ridge atrophy (atrophy of the alveolar bone)

- 94. Which of the following are extraoral radiographic techniques?
  - a) occlusal radiography
  - b) orthopantomography
  - c) skull radiography in nose-forehead position
  - d) skull radiography in nose-chin position
  - e) sialography
- 95. Special methods of radiological investigations that are used in dental practice include:
  - a) orthopantomography
  - b) skull radiography in frontal projection (frontal skull radiography)
  - c) lateral skull radiography
  - d) cone beam computed tomography (CBCT)
  - e) sialography
- 96. Which of the following statements related to periapical radiographs are correct?
  - a) are designed to show individual teeth, including the crown, root structures and the tissues around the apices in a certain region
  - b) must include the apical regions of the teeth that are being investigated
  - c) should include at least 2 mm of the periapical bone
  - d) should include more than 4 teeth
  - e) should include the apical region of temporomandibular joint
- 97. Which of the following techniques are commonly used for performing periapical radiography?
  - a) the paralleling technique
  - b) the bisected angle technique
  - c) the panoramic technique
  - d) Belot technique
  - e) Simpson technique
- 98. Which of the following statements related to paralleling technique in periapical radiography are correct?
  - a) the radiographic film (image receptor) is placed in a holder and positioned in the mouth parallel to the long axis of the tooth under investigation
  - b) the radiographic film (image receptor) is placed in a holder and positioned in the mouth parallel to the short axis of the tooth under investigation
  - c) the center of the X-ray beam is directed parallel to the radiographic film
  - d) the center of the X-ray beam is directed perpendicular to the radiographic film
  - e) the periphery of the X-ray beam should be perpendicular to the radiographic film
- 99. Which of the following statements related to the bisected angle technique in periapical radiography are correct?
  - a) the Pythagorean theorem is applied for estimating radiographic film packet positioning
  - b) the film packet is positioned as close as possible to the lingual surface of the tooth under investigation
  - c) the film packet is positioned as close as possible to the buccal surface of the tooth under investigation
  - d) the film packet is positioned as close as possible to the occlusal surface of the tooth under investigation

- e) the angle formed between the long axis of the tooth and the long axis of the film packet is assessed and mentally bisected
- 100. Which of the following techniques are commonly used for performing occlusal radiography?
  - a) Belot
  - b) Simpson
  - c) Dieck
  - d) Raper
  - e) Waters
- 101. Common indications for performing occlusal radiography include:
  - a) necessity to evaluate more than 4 teeth at a time
  - b) necessity to evaluate periapical changes
  - c) detection of dental dystopia
  - d) detection of submandibular or sublingual salivary gland stones (sialolithiasis)
  - e) investigation of patients with traumatic injuries of the maxilla or mandible
- 102. Which intraoral radiographic technique is preferred in children?
  - a) periapical radiography using the paralleling technique
  - b) periapical radiography using the bisected angle technique
  - c) interproximal radiography
  - d) occlusal radiography
  - e) a combination of 2 or 3 techniques
- 103. Common indications for performing periapical radiography include:
  - a) caries detection and assessment
  - b) evaluation of the periapical region
  - c) periodontal disease
  - d) detection of dystopic teeth
  - e) intraradicular (root canal) treatment evaluation
- 104. Common indications for performing interproximal (bite wing) radiography include:
  - a) evaluation of homonymous teeth
  - b) detection and determination of depth of caries or other defects of the coronal twothirds (the crown portion) of opposing teeth
  - c) detection of interproximal caries
  - d) detection of dystopic teeth
  - e) locating and diagnosing fractures, salivary duct stones, and impacted teeth
- 105. Which of the following are indications for performing periapical radiography?
  - a) evaluation of dental root morphology
  - b) is the method of choice for caries detection in children
  - c) evaluation of apical root canal surgery results
  - d) diagnosing and locating salivary duct stones
  - e) endodontic therapy evaluation

- 106. The principles of computed tomography (CT) include:
  - a) linear movement of the X-ray tube along the patient's body
  - b) circular movement of the X-ray tube around the patient's body
  - c) circular movement of the patient's table around the X-ray tube
  - d) image acquisition of a body section
  - e) image acquisition by a Gamma camera
- 107. Common radiological signs in odontogenic maxillary sinusitis include:
  - a) periapical changes of the affected tooth causing the sinus infection
  - b) maxillary sinus opacification
  - c) local resorption of alveolar bone separating dental root from maxillary sinus
  - d) unaffected alveolar bone separating dental root from maxillary sinus
  - e) normal transparency of the affected maxillary sinus
- 108. Which of the following situations present difficulties for performing periapical radiography?
  - a) the need to evaluate the mandibular 3rd molar
  - b) excessive vomiting reflex of the patient
  - c) children and pediatric patients less than 10 years of age
  - d) the patient's age between 50-60 years
  - e) patients with disabilities
- 109. Which of the following statements about orthopantomography are correct?
  - a) uses a series of periapical radiographs
  - b) "ortho" means the central X-ray beam that is perpendicular to the film
  - c) "ortho" means the central X-ray beam that is parallel to the film
  - d) "pan" means the panoramic technique
  - e) "tomo" means section
- 110. Steps of performing an orthopantomography include:
  - a) sitting/standing completely upright
  - b) head positioned on a chin rest
  - c) bitting down on a radiolucent bite block
  - d) positioning the patient's forehead on a radiolucent bite block
  - e) positioning the patient in a supine position
- 111. Which of the following statements related to orthopantomography are true?
  - a) the patient remains in a stationary seated or standing position during image acquisition
  - b) both the x-ray source and film / detector rotate in combination around the patient
  - c) the image acquisition is usually performed following injection of an intravenous contrast agent
  - d) the image acquisition is usually performed following administration of an oral contrast agent
  - e) the patient is bitting down on a radiolucent bite block

- 112. Which of the following statements related to orthopantomography images are true?
  - a) anatomical structures appear slightly elongated and distorted
  - b) anatomical structures correspond entirely to their real dimensions and shape
  - c) failure to place the tongue close to the palate may lead to the presence of radiolucent airspace obscuring the roots of the maxillary teeth
  - d) image acquisition can be associated with ghost artifacts
  - e) ghost artifacts are never encountered in orthopantomography
- 113. Which of the following statements about orthopantomography images are true?
  - a) the soft tissues structures in the imaged area are not visualized
  - b) the soft tissues structures in the imaged area are visualized
  - c) air and air-filled structures in the imaged area are not visualized
  - d) air and air-filled structures in the imaged area are visualized
  - e) the results of image acquisition in orthopantomography are usually presented as one single image
- 114. The advantages of cone-beam computed tomography (CBCT) compared to "classic" computed tomography (CT) include:
  - a) lower dose of irradiation
  - b) higher dose of irradiation
  - c) shorter scaning time
  - d) compact size of imaging equipment
  - e) improved image contrast
- 115. The disadvantages of cone-beam computed tomography (CBCT) compared to "classic" computed tomography (CT) include:
  - a) lower image contrast
  - b) more image artifacts
  - c) lower image quality
  - d) longer scaning time
  - e) higher dose of irradiation
- 116. Common indications for cone-beam computed tomography (CBCT) include:
  - a) evaluation of children
  - b) evaluation of bone structures in orthodontics
  - c) evaluation of bone trauma in patients with head injuries
  - d) evaluation of bone structures in oro-maxillofacial surgery
  - e) tumor evaluation
- 117. The main features related to image acquisition in cone-beam computed tomography (CBCT) compared to "classic" computed tomography (CT) include:
  - a) the X-rays are divergent, forming a cone
  - b) the detector is semicircular, forming a cone
  - c) the detector is flat
  - d) the are multiple X-ray tubes placed around the patient, forming a cone
  - e) the are multiple detectors placed around the patient, forming a cone

- 118. Which of the following are odontogenic tumors of the head and neck region:
  - a) ameloblastoma
  - b) odontoma
  - c) cementoma
  - d) hemangioma
  - e) osteoma
- 119. Which of the following are non-odontogenic tumors of the head and neck region:
  - a) ameloblastoma
  - b) osteochondroma
  - c) cementoma
  - d) hemangioma
  - e) osteoma
- 120. Which of the following features are more likely to be encountered in benign oral and maxillofacial tumors?
  - a) slow growth
  - b) rapid growth
  - c) invasion of adjacent tissues
  - d) compression of adjacent tissues
  - e) resorption of the root of the teeth in the area of tumor growth
- 121. Which of the following features are more likely to be encountered in malignant oral and maxillofacial tumors?
  - a) slow growth
  - b) rapid growth
  - c) invasion of adjacent tissues
  - d) compression of adjacent tissues
  - e) large dimensions with irregular borders
- 122. Radiological features of benign oral and maxillofacial tumors include:
  - a) destruction of the alveolar bone, producing the appearance of teeth "floating in space"
  - b) resorption of the root of the teeth
  - c) regular, well defined margins
  - d) irregular, poorly defined borders
  - e) acicular periostitis or periosteal disruption with a raised edge (Codman triangle) in the affected bone segment
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  - d) irregular, poorly defined borders
  - e) acicular periostitis or periosteal disruption with a raised edge (Codman triangle) in the affected bone segment

- 124. Imaging features of ameloblastomas include:
  - a) most frequent location is the mandible
  - b) most frequent location is the maxilla, near the maxillary sinus
  - c) clear, well-demarcated borders
  - d) commonly present as expansile lesions with a "soap-bubble" or "honeycomb" appearance
  - e) unclear, poorly delimited borders
- 125. The radiological appearance of "soap bubbles" or "honeycombs" is more likely to be encountered in:
  - a) ameloblastoma
  - b) cementoma an odontogenic cyst
  - c) complex odontoma
  - d) compound odontoma
- 126. Types of odontogenic cysts include:
  - a) radicular cysts
  - b) nasopalatine cysts
  - c) follicular (dentigerous) cysts
  - d) residual cysts
  - e) median mandibular cysts
- 127. Which of the following are generally considered nonodontogenic cysts?
  - a) radicular cysts
  - b) nasopalatine cysts
  - c) follicular (dentigerous) cysts
  - d) median mandibular cysts
  - e) globulomaxillary cysts
- 128. Which of the following statements about periapical cysts are correct?
  - a) usually result from tooth infection leading to apical periodontitis and periapical granuloma
  - generally appear as a round- or pear-shaped, unilocular, lucent lesion in the periapical region
  - c) generally appear as a round opacity in the periapical region
  - d) commonly have clear, well-defined borders
  - e) commonly have blurred, poorly defined borders
- 129. Which of the following statements about follicular (dentigerous) cysts are correct?
  - a) generally, there is no communication between the cyst's cavity and periodontal space
  - b) in most cases the cysts communicate with the periodontal space
  - c) may contain tooth material or tooth-like structures
  - d) are commonly associated with the crown of an unerupted (or partially erupted) tooth
  - e) usually result from tooth infection leading to apical periodontitis and periapical granuloma

- 130. Which of the following statements about non-odontogenic cysts are correct?
  - a) frequently develop from the midline of the maxilla or mandible
  - b) usually result from tooth infection leading to apical periodontitis and periapical granuloma
  - c) are commonly associated with the crown of an unerupted (or partially erupted) tooth
  - d) may develop at the sites of bone foramina and fissures
  - e) cysts arising from the ductal epithelium of the incisive canal (nasopalatine duct) may appear "heart-shaped" on radiographic images when the anterior nasal spine is superimposed
- 131. Which of the following statements related to the differential diagnosis of periapical cysts and periapical granulomas is true?
  - a) periapical granuloma is a relatively small lucent lesion with ill-defined borders, whereas a periapical cyst is typically larger
  - b) periapical granulomas usually have a diameter larger than 1 cm
  - c) periapical cysts usually communicate with the periodontal space
  - d) periapical cysts are radiolucent, while granulomas are radiopaque
  - e) periapical cysts are radiopaque, while granulomas are radiolucent
- 132. Which of the following structures appears most radiopaque on radiographic images?
  - a) enamel
  - b) dentine
  - c) alveolar bone
  - d) pulp chamber
  - e) lamina dura (i.e. compact bone that lies adjacent to the periodontal ligament and surrounds the tooth socket)
- 133. A cyst can be best characterized as:
  - a) a sac-like pocket or pathological cavity that contains fluid, air, or other substances and is covered by a thin epithelial layer
  - b) a sac-like pocket or pathological cavity that contains fluid, air, or other substances, but lacks an epithelial outer layer
  - c) a pathological cavity containing fluid, semisolid material or gas
  - d) a pathological cavity that developed following local pus accumulation in the tissues
  - e) a normal cavity encountered in certain anatomical regions
- 134. The most common locations of cysts include:
  - a) the angle of the mandible (gonial angle)
  - b) the third molar areas in the maxilla
  - c) the canine areas
  - d) maxillary sinuses
  - e) the incisive foramen
- 135. Macrodontia can be best described as:
  - a) an increased number of teeth on a dental arch
  - b) enlargement of one or several teeth with preserved tooth morphology
  - c) dental root thickening
  - d) enlarged pulp chamber associated with apical displacement of the pulpal floor and shortened dental roots
  - e) a condition in which one or more teeth appear smaller than normal.

- 136. Microdontia can be best described as:
  - a) a reduced number of teeth on a dental arch
  - b) reduction in size of one or several teeth with preserved tooth morphology
  - enlarged pulp chamber associated with apical displacement of the pulpal floor and shortened dental roots
  - d) reduced pulp chamber associated with elongated dental roots
  - e) complete absence of all teeth on a dental arch

# 137. Oligodontia can be best described as:

- a) congenital absence of more than six teeth
- b) complete congenital absence of all teeth on a dental arch
- c) total or partial edentation in elderly patients
- d) congenital absence of 1 or 2 teeth on a dental arch
- e) hypoplasia of dental roots

## 138. Anodontia can be best described as:

- a) congenital absence of all primary or permanent teeth
- b) congenital absence of at least six teeth
- c) total edentation in elderly patients
- d) congenital absence of 1 or 2 teeth on a dental arch
- e) total edentation after traumatic head injuries

### 139. An impacted tooth represents:

- a) the bud of a permanent tooth in a child
- b) a tooth that fails to erupt into the dental arch (i.e. that does not break through the gum) within the expected developmental window
- c) a supernumerary tooth
- d) an inclusion into a follicular cyst
- e) a tooth erupted in an abnormal position

#### 140. Tooth dilaceration represents:

- a) tooth eruption on the dental arch
- b) an angulation, or a sharp bend or curve, in the root or crown of a formed tooth
- c) change in the position of two adjacent teeth within the same quadrant
- d) union of two adjacent teeth by forming a common root complex
- e) a tooth that fails to erupt into the dental arch

### 141. Synodontia represents:

- a) union between dentin and/or enamel of two or more separate developing teeth
- b) tooth eruption on the dental arch
- c) change in the position of two adjacent teeth within the same quadrant
- d) an angulation, or a sharp bend or curve, in the root or crown of a formed tooth
- e) division of a tooth into one or more separate teeth

- 142. The most important radiological finding for differential diagnosis between periapical cysts and periapical granulomas is:
  - a) the size of periapical lucency
  - b) dental caries extension
  - c) thickening of the lamina dura
  - d) periodontal space widening
  - e) periodontal space disappearance
- 143. Which statement about the "burn-out" aftifact is most accurate?
  - a) at higher kV values, overpenetration of thinner cervical tooth regions produces radiolucent areas that have rounded, diffuse inner borders, but show intact tooth edges
  - b) it has a shape resembling the flames of fire visible in the dental root area and is commonly related to local bone destruction
  - c) it is commonly related to an incorrect positioning of the radiological film
  - d) it commonly appears as a radiolucent area on the occlusal teeth surface
  - e) it commonly appears as a radiopaque area in the pulp chamber region
- 144. Radiological classification of facial bone fractures include:
  - a) traumatic injuries to the teeth and supporting tissues
  - b) mandibular fractures
  - c) maxillary fractures
  - d) fractures of the cervical vertebrae
  - e) fractures of the odontoid process
- 145. Traumatic injuries of teeth and supporting tissues include:
  - a) temporomandibular joint (TMJ) dislocations
  - b) tooth fractures
  - c) traumatic dental dislocation / traumatic dental subluxation
  - d) alveolar bone fractures
  - e) fractures of the coronoid process
- 146. Distinct radiological signs of maxillofacial fractures are:
  - a) fracture line
  - b) displacement of fractured bone fragments
  - c) deformation of contours of anatomical bone structures
  - d) soft tissue swelling
  - e) paranasal sinus opacification
- 147. The radiographic evaluation of maxillofacial fractures is generally limited by the:
  - a) fracture site
  - b) degree of displacement of fracture fragments
  - c) X-ray beam focus and film positioning in relation to the fracture line
  - d) fracture age
  - e) degree of damage of adjacent tissues and anatomical structures

- 148. How many radiographic images are necessary for correct interpretation of dental fractures?
  - a) at least 2 images obtained from different angles
  - b) at least 3 images obtained from different angles
  - c) at least 4 images obtained from different angles
  - d) one radiography in frontal projection
  - e) an orthopantomography
- 149. Which of the following imaging investigations can be indicated for diagnosing mandibular fractures?
  - a) orthopantomography
  - b) computed tomography (CT)
  - c) magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
  - d) postero-anterior (frontal) skull radiography
  - e) lateral skull radiography
- 150. According to Le Fort classification, the facial bone fractures are divided into:
  - a) 1 type
  - b) 2 types
  - c) 3 types
  - d) 4 types
  - e) 5 types
- 151. Le Fort type I fracture is also called:
  - a) lower level horizontal fracture (also known as "floating palate")
  - b) mid level horizontal fracture (also known as pyramidal fracture or "floating maxilla")
  - c) upper level horizontal fracture (also known as transverse fracture or "floating face")
  - d) longitudinal skull fracture
  - e) simultaneous skull fracture
- 152. Le Fort type II fracture is also called:
  - a) lower level horizontal fracture (also known as "floating palate")
  - b) mid level horizontal fracture (also known as pyramidal fracture or "floating maxilla")
  - c) upper level horizontal fracture (also known as transverse fracture or "floating face")
  - d) longitudinal skull fracture
  - e) simultaneous skull fracture
- 153. Le Fort type III fracture is also called:
  - a) lower level horizontal fracture (also known as "floating palate")
  - b) mid level horizontal fracture (also known as pyramidal fracture or "floating maxilla")
  - c) upper level horizontal fracture (also known as transverse fracture or "floating face")
  - d) longitudinal skull fracture
  - e) simultaneous skull fracture
- 154. In Le Fort fractures type I, the fracture line typically passes through:
  - a) hard palate
  - b) alveolar ridge of the maxillary bone and related teeth
  - c) orbits
  - d) lateral walls of maxillary sinuses
  - e) alveolar ridge of the mandible and related teeth

- 155. In Le Fort fractures type II, the fracture line typically passes through:
  - a) hard palate
  - b) zygomatic arch
  - c) alveolar ridge of the mandible and related teeth
  - d) maxillary sinus
  - e) inferior orbital rim (inferior orbital floor)
- 156. In Le Fort fractures type III, the fracture line typically passes through:
  - a) hard palate
  - b) orbital wall
  - c) alveolar ridge of the maxillary bone and related teeth
  - d) zygomatic arch
  - e) alveolar ridge of the mandible and related teeth
- 157. Relevant radiological investigations that are commonly used for evaluation of suspected Le Fort type I fractures include:
  - a) orthopantomography (OPT)
  - b) computed tomography (CT)
  - c) radiography of nasal bones
  - d) postero-anterior (frontal) skull radiography
  - e) lateral skull radiography
- 158. Relevant radiological investigations that are commonly used for evaluation of suspected Le Fort type II fractures include:
  - a) orthopantomography (OPT)
  - b) computed tomography (CT)
  - c) skull radiography in axial (transverse) view
  - d) skull radiography in postero-anterior (frontal) view
  - e) lateral skull radiography
- 159. Relevant radiological investigations that are commonly used for evaluation of suspected Le Fort type III fractures include:
  - a) orthopantomography (OPT)
  - b) computed tomography (CT)
  - c) skull radiography in axial (transverse) view
  - d) skull radiography in postero-anterior (frontal) view
  - e) lateral skull radiography
- 160. In uncomplicated fractures of the mandible with normal healing of bone fragments, the radiographic control is usually performed:
  - a) immediately after immobilization
  - b) following 24 hours after immobilization
  - c) at 5-7 days post fracture
  - d) at 2 weeks post fracture
  - e) at 1.5 months post fracture

- 161. Radiographic images obtained 5-7 days after uncomplicated mandibular fractures commonly show:
  - a) widening of the fracture line
  - b) the disappearance of the fracture line
  - c) regional osteoporosis
  - d) blurring of the contour of bone fragments
  - e) shapening of the contour of bone fragments, with well-defined cogwheel margins
- 162. Mandibular fractures most commonly occur at the level of:
  - a) mandibular neck
  - b) angle of the mandible
  - c) body of the mandible at the level of molars and canines
  - d) body of the mandible at the level of mandibular symphysis (symphysis menti)
  - e) coronoid process
- 163. Relevant radiologic investigations in suspected mandibular fracture include:
  - a) orthopantomography
  - b) occlusal radiography
  - c) mandibular radiography in lateral oblique projection
  - d) radiography in axial projection
  - e) periapical radiography
- 164. Requirements for radiographic investigation of dental trauma include:
  - a) obtaining periapical radiographs of the affected region
  - b) obtaining radiographic images that include the opposite dental arch
  - c) obtaining at least 2 radiographic images with different horizontal angulation
  - d) performing posteroanterior skull radiography in forehead-nose position
  - e) obtaining interproximal (bite-wing) radiographs
- 165. The radiological diagnosis of dental fractures is usually most difficult in case of:
  - a) a vertical fracture line
  - b) a transverse fracture line without displacement of fractured fragments
  - c) a transverse fracture line with displacement of fractured fragments
  - d) an oblique fracture line
  - e) concomitant tooth dislocation
- 166. Which of the indicated radiological signs is considered relevant in the diagnosis of dental fractures with a vertical (longitudinal) fracture line?
  - a) widening of the periodontal ligament space along its entire length
  - b) periapical hyperlucency
  - c) enlargement of the pulp chamber
  - d) deformation of the pulp chamber
  - e) narrowing of the periodontal ligament space along its entire length
- 167. In the late period after mandibular fractures, it is necessary to perform the radiographic investigation of:
  - a) temporo-mandibular joint
  - b) opposing dental arch
  - c) paranasal sinuses
  - d) orbits
  - e) body of the mandible

- 168. Which of the listed imaging modalities are relevant for assessment of dental caries?
  - a) periapical radiography
  - b) interproximal radiography
  - c) occlusal radiography
  - d) cone beam computed tomography (CBCT)
  - e) mandibular radiography in lateral oblique projection
- 169. Which of the listed imaging modalities are commonly used and considered costeffective for assessment of occult or hidden dental caries?
  - a) retrodentoalveolar radiography
  - b) interproximal radiography
  - c) orthopantomography
  - d) cone beam computed tomography (CBCT)
  - e) sialography
- 170. In which of the listed conditions the radiological diagnosis is most informative?
  - a) middle stage dental caries (caries media)
  - b) deep dental caries (caries profunda)
  - c) incipient dental caries in macular stage (caries incipience)
  - d) acute pulpitis
  - e) acute periodontitis
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  - c) incipient dental caries in macular stage (caries incipience)
  - d) acute pulpitis
  - e) recurrent chronic periodontitis in acute phase
- 172. Local complications of dental caries include:
  - a) pulpitis
  - b) pulp necrosis
  - c) periapical lesions
  - d) osteomyelitis of the maxilla or mandible
  - e) infectious endocarditis
- 173. Regional complications of dental caries include:
  - a) osteomyelitis of the maxilla or mandible
  - b) odontogenic maxillary sinusitis
  - c) infectious endocarditis
  - d) periapical granulomas
  - e) acute pulpitis
- 174. On radiographic images, enamel caries usually presents as:
  - a) a small cone-shaped groove on the enamel surface with its base towards the periphery
  - b) a small protuberance bulding over the enamel surface
  - c) widening of the periodontal ligament space
  - d) a radiolucent area
  - e) a radio-opaque area

- 175. Distant (systemic) complications of dental caries include:
  - a) arthritis
  - b) sepsis
  - c) infectious endocarditis
  - d) periapical abscess
  - e) odontogenic maxillary sinusitis
- 176. In which of the listed conditions the radiological diagnosis is least informative?
  - a) acute pulpitis
  - b) chronic pulpitis
  - c) chronic periodontitis
  - d) periapical abscess
  - e) periapical granuloma
- 177. The radiographic signs encountered in periapical inflammation include:
  - a) widening of periapical space
  - b) destruction of the lamina dura
  - c) destruction of adjacent alveolar bone
  - d) appearance of a radiolucent area in the dental crown
  - e) opacification of the maxillary sinus
- 178. The main radiographic feature for differentiating the penetration of a dental root into the maxillary sinus and the superimposition of dental root shadow over the sinus is:
  - a) integrity of lamina dura
  - b) number of roots of the penetrating tooth
  - c) opacification of the affected maxillary sinus
  - d) presence of tooth caries
  - e) the structure of the adjacent alveolar bone
- 179. Radiographic features suggestive of post-therapy changes of interproximal caries with radiolucent filling material that are helpful for differentiation from untreated or new caries cavities include:
  - a) well-defined regular borders
  - b) irregular poorly defined borders
  - c) preserved shape of dental crown with relatively symmetric contours
  - d) distorted shape of dental crown with asymmetric contours
  - e) crown deformations of the adjacent teeth
- 180. The purpose of radiographic investigation in dental caries is to assess:
  - a) the depth of the caries cavity
  - b) the risk of caries development in adjacent teeth
  - c) treatment quality and results
  - d) the presence of local complications
  - e) the presence of distant (systemic) complications

- 181. Radiographic signs worrisome for pulpitis include:
  - a) deep carious cavity communicating with the pulp chamber
  - b) superficial carious cavity
  - c) changes of the periodontal space at the site of radicular furcation in multiradicular teeth
  - d) apical periodontal changes
  - e) unremarkable periodontal space with no distinct periodontal abnormalities
- 182. The radiological sign favoring the diagnosis of chronic gangrenous pulpitis is:
  - a) altered translucency in the tooth with hyperlucent intra-radicular space
  - b) opacification of the adjacent maxillary sinus
  - c) periapical hypercementosis
  - d) caries affecting the occlusal surface of the tooth
  - e) thickening of adjacent alveolar bone
- 183. Radiological signs favoring chronic pulpitis include:
  - a) volume reduction of the pulp chamber
  - b) root canal narrowing
  - c) radio-opaque inclusions in the pulp chamber and root canal
  - d) formation of "internal granuloma" (intradental hard tissue resorption, adjacent to the pulp chamber)
  - e) periodontal space widening
- 184. Radiological signs favoring the diagnosis of periapical abscess include:
  - a) erosion of the cortical layer of the alveolar bone of the affected tooth
  - b) unaffected cortical layer of the adjacent alveolar bone
  - c) widening of the periodontal space
  - d) periapical radiolucency with blurred, poorly defined borders
  - e) periapical radiolucency with clear well-defined borders
- 185. Indicate the types of teleradiography used in dental practice:
  - a) axial
  - b) frontal
  - c) sagittal
  - d) lateral
  - e) oblique
- 186. Anatomical structures of temporo-mandibular joint include:
  - a) articular tubercle (eminentia articularis)
  - b) mandibular (glenoid) fossa
  - c) mandibular condyle
  - d) articular disc
  - e) ramus of the mandible
- 187. Anatomical structures of dental crown include:
  - a) enamel
  - b) dentine
  - c) cementum
  - d) pulp chamber
  - e) apex

- 188. Anatomical structures of dental root include:
  - a) enamel
  - b) dentine
  - c) cementum
  - d) root canal
  - e) apex
- 189. Which of the following statements are correct?
  - a) Enamel is the most radio-opaque structure
  - b) Cement is the most radio-opaque structure
  - c) Dentine is more radio-opaque than enamel
  - d) Dentin is less radio-opaque than enamel
  - e) Dentine density is relatively similar to bone density
- 190. Component structures of teeth include:
  - a) enamel
  - b) dentine
  - c) cementum
  - d) periodontium
  - e) bone matrix
- 191. List the tooth supporting structures:
  - a) periodontal ligament
  - b) dental apex
  - c) lamina dura
  - d) dura mater
  - e) alveolar process (alveolar crest)
- 192. The tooth supporting structures include:
  - a) lamina dura
  - b) alveolar process (alveolar crest)
  - c) crista galli
  - d) alveolar bone
  - e) periodontal ligament
- 193. The radiological sign suggestive of chronic granulomatous periodontitis is:
  - a) widening of periodontal space in the periapical region
  - b) widening of periodontal space adjacent to dental neck region
  - c) widening of periodontal space with uneven and fuzzy contours in the form of "tongues of flame" in the periapical region
  - d) appearance of a round defect in the periapical region
  - e) appearance of a round defect in the furcation area of multiradicular teeth
- 194. The radiological sign that is most suggestive of periapical granuloma is:
  - a) widening of periodontal space in the periapical region
  - b) widening of periodontal space adjacent to dental neck region
  - c) widening of periodontal space with uneven and fuzzy contours in the form of "tongues of flame" in the region of dental apex
  - d) appearance of a round well-defined lucent lesion in the periapical region
  - e) appearance of a round defect in the furcation area of multiradicular teeth

- 195. The radiological sign suggestive of chronic fibrous periodontitis is:
  - a) widening of periodontal space in the periapical region
  - b) widening of periodontal space adjacent to dental neck region
  - c) widening of periodontal space with uneven and fuzzy contours in the form of "tongues of flame" in the periapical region
  - d) appearance of a round defect in the periapical region
  - e) appearance of a round defect in the furcation area of multiradicular teeth
- 196. Periodontal ligament space widening is most commonly seen in patients with:
  - a) chronic fibrous periodontitis
  - b) periapical granulomas
  - c) chronic granulomatous periodontitis
  - d) periapical cysts
  - e) acute periodontitis
- 197. Tooth transposition represents:
  - a) change in the position of two adjacent teeth within the same quadrant
  - b) tooth eruption before term
  - c) bending of the crown of the tooth
  - d) tooth eruption from dental arch
  - e) tooth eruption in a malocclusion / "subocclusion" position
- 198. Tooth gemination can be best described as:
  - a) the union of two embryologically separate developing teeth
  - b) incomplete division of a single tooth bud, typically presenting as an abnormally shaped tooth that seems to be comprised of two teeth (with a cleft in dental crown, but one pulp chamber and root canal)
  - c) the process of tooth eruption from dental arch
  - d) change in the position of two adjacent teeth within the same quadrant
  - e) shortening of the root(s) of a tooth
- 199. Tooth concrescence can be best described as:
  - a) change in the position of two adjacent teeth within the same quadrant
  - b) fusion of the entire length of two adjacent teeth (enamel, dentin, and cementum)
  - c) union of two adjacent teeth by cementum alone (the cementum overlying the roots of two adjacent teeth joins together, resulting in a common dental root complex)
  - d) the separation of a tooth into two teeth
  - e) elongation of the pulp chamber
- 200. Natal / neonatal teeth represent:
  - a) teeth that are present above the gumline (have already erupted) at birth or during neonatal period (first month of life)
  - b) unerupted teeth
  - c) pluriradicular (multi-rooted) incisors
  - d) teeth with a curved dental root
  - e) teeth with a curved dental crown

- 201. The most common radiographic sign of incipient periodontal disease is:
  - a) presence of periodontal pockets with a width of 3.5 mm
  - b) resorption of interdental septum
  - c) periodontal space widening
  - d) resorption of the tips (crests) of the interdental septum
  - e) radiolucency of the affected dental roots
- 202. The depth of periodontal pockets in moderate periodontitis is about:
  - a) 1-2 mm
  - b) 3.5-4 mm
  - c) 6-7 mm
  - d) 1/2 of dental root length
  - e) 2/3 of dental root length
- 203. The depth of periodontal pockets is measured from:
  - a) the occlusal surface of the tooth
  - b) enamel-cement border
  - c) the tip of the preserved interdental septum
  - d) pulp horn
  - e) entry into the root canal
- 204. In parodontopathies, the radiographic investigation provides information related to:
  - a) the state of interdental septum and alveolar crest
  - b) the width of the desmodontal space
  - c) extension of the alveolysis process
  - d) alveolysis features and characteristics
  - e) the condition of the gingival mucosa
- 205. Which of the listed imaging modalities are considered relevant in the diagnosis and evaluation of paradontal abnormalities?
  - a) ortopantomography
  - b) periapical radiography
  - c) bite-wing radiography
  - d) teleradiography
  - e) cone-beam computed tomography (CBCT)
- 206. The incipient lesions of paradontal disease include:
  - a) marginal halisteresis
  - b) marginal triangulation
  - c) marginal bone resorption
  - d) staircase-shaped bone resorption ("stair-step" sign)
  - e) small defects in the interdental septum
- 207. Indicate the pitfalls of radiological investigations in parodontopathies:
  - a) the resorption at the level of radicular furcation can be masked by the dental root
  - b) previous dental restorations may prevent the visualization of bone resorption
  - c) previous dental restorations improve the visualization of bone resorption
  - d) bone loss is usually visible radiologically only at a certain degree of bone demineralization
  - e) bone loss is visible radiologically at any degree of bone demineralization

- 208. Select the correct answers about the periodontal ligament:
  - a) its matrix consists of fibrin
  - b) its matrix consists of collagen
  - c) it appears radiographically as a radiolucent space
  - d) it appears radiographically as a radiopaque space
  - e) it covers the entire surface of the tooth
- 209. Select the correct projections and patient positioning for performing teleradiography:
  - a) lateral projection with the patient in upright (orthostatic) position
  - b) frontal projection with the patient in upright (orthostatic) position
  - c) lateral projection with the patient in dorsal decubitus position
  - d) frontal projection with the patient in dorsal decubitus position
  - e) axial projection with the patient in upright (orthostatic) position
- 210. Which of the listed statements about teleradiography are correct?
  - a) it represents a cephalometric study of the skull used to evaluate the relations of the jaws and teeth as well as the facial profile
  - b) it helps to establish or clarify the diagnosis in orthodontics and maxillofacial surgery
  - c) it is commonly used to establish the diagnosis of facial bones fractures
  - d) it is commonly used for diagnosis and follow-up of tumors of the maxillofacial region
  - e) it is used in the diagnosis and evaluation of dental caries
- 211. Indicate the types of teleradiography:
  - a) lateral teleradiography
  - b) frontal teleradiography
  - c) axial teleradiography
  - d) oblique teleradiography
  - e) spiral teleradiography
- 212. Which of the listed statements related to lateral teleradiography are correct?
  - a) highlights the developmental abnormalities of the facial skeleton in vertical and sagittal planes
  - b) provides information related to the nature, direction and degree of development of bone structures
  - c) it is used in the diagnosis and evaluation of dental caries
  - d) it is commonly used to establish the diagnosis of facial bones fractures
  - e) it is commonly used for diagnosis and follow-up of tumors of the maxillofacial region
- 213. Which of the listed imaging modalities are considered relevant for evaluation of temporo-mandibular joint (TMJ)?
  - a) orthopantomography
  - b) magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
  - c) computed tomography (CT)
  - d) skull radiography in frontal view
  - e) lateral skull radiography

- 214. Which of the listed imaging findings can be detected by imaging investigations of patients with arthritis of the tempororo-mandibular joint (TMJ)?
  - a) non-uniform articular space
  - b) irregular contour of the affected bone structures
  - c) regular contour of the affected bone structures
  - d) sclerosis of the affected bone structures
  - e) crepitations during movements of the mandible
- 215. In temporo-mandibular joint dislocation (joint luxation), the imaging investigation reveals:
  - a) unchanged articular space without visible abnormalities
  - b) uneven / non-uniform articular space
  - c) total loss of contact of joint surfaces
  - d) partial loss of contact of joint surfaces
  - e) crepitations during movements of the mandible
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  - e) lateral skull radiography
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  - c) computed tomography (CT)
  - d) skull radiography in frontal view
  - e) lateral skull radiography
- 218. According to the radiological classification, benign tumors of the jaws and teeth are divided into:
  - a) odontogenic tumors
  - b) non- odontogenic tumors
  - c) mixed tumors
  - d) mesenchymal tumors
  - e) pseudotumors
- 219. According to the radiological classification, odontogenic benign tumors of the jaws and teeth include:
  - a) ameloblastomas
  - b) odontomas
  - c) cementomas
  - d) osteosarcomas
  - e) metastases

- 220. Which of the following are considered benign non-odontogenic tumors?
  - a) osteoma
  - b) osteosarcoma
  - c) desmoid fibroma
  - d) ameloblastoma
  - e) cementoma
- 221. Common radiological features of benign tumors of jaws and teeth include:
  - a) presence of one or more space-occupying lesions
  - b) regular contours
  - c) well-defined borders with clear delimitation from adjacent anatomical structures
  - d) non-uniform (heterogeneous) structure
  - e) irregular contours
- 222. Common radiological features of ameloblastoma include:
  - a) expansile multilocular round lesions, uneven in size, with well-demarcated borders and regular contour
  - b) lesions having "honeycomb" or "soap bubble" appearance
  - c) commonly arise from the mandible and less frequently from the maxilla
  - d) commonly arise from the maxilla and less frequently from the mandible
  - e) multilocular irregular lesions, uneven in size, with poorly-defined borders
- 223. What are the types of ameloblastomas?
  - a) multicystic (multilocular)
  - b) unicystic (unilocular)
  - c) mesenchymal
  - d) mixed
  - e) secondary
- 224. Which of the listed statements related to odontomas are correct?
  - a) represent benign tumours linked to tooth development and may arise from regular or supernumerary dental follicles
  - b) are relatively common in children
  - c) are composed of dental tissue that has grown in an irregular way
  - d) have a "honeycomb" or "soap bubble" appearance
  - e) radiologically present as multilocular round lacunar lesions that are uneven in size
- 225. According to their radiological features, odontomas are commonly divided into:
  - a) compound odontomas
  - b) complex odontomas
  - c) mixed form odontomas
  - d) secondary odontomas
  - e) mesenchymal odontomas
- 226. The differential radiological diagnosis of cementoma is commonly required with:
  - a) cementifying fibroma
  - b) ossifying fibroma
  - c) ameloblastoma
  - d) odontoma
  - e) sarcoma

- 227. Which of the listed statements related to osteogenic exostoses are correct?
  - a) can be pediculated
  - b) commonly arise on a normal bone segment
  - c) commonly arise on a pathological bone segment
  - d) are usually associated with local thinning of bone cortex
  - e) are associated with local thickening of bone cortex or formation of new bone on the surface of a bone
- 228. Which of the listed space-occupying lesions represents a pseudotumor?
  - a) central reparative granuloma (giant-cell reparative granuloma)
  - b) angioma
  - c) myxoma
  - d) neurinoma
  - e) sarcoma
- 229. Common radiological features of malignant tumors of the jaws and teeth include:
  - a) presence of one or more space-occupying lesions
  - b) regular contours
  - c) well-defined borders with clear delimitation from adjacent anatomical structures
  - d) irregular contours
  - e) non-uniform (heterogeneous) structure
- 230. Which of the following are considered malignant odontogenic tumors of the jaws and teeth?
  - a) ameloblastoma
  - b) odontoma
  - c) cementoma
  - d) odontogenic carcinoma
  - e) ameloblastic sarcoma
- 231. Which of the listed imaging investigations is the most relevant (informative) in the diagnosis of malignancies of the facial region?
  - a) teleradiography
  - b) computed tomography (CT) with contrast enhancement
  - c) computed tomography (CT) without contrast enhancement
  - d) ultrasonography
  - e) sialography
- 232. Common radiological features of malignant tumors on contrast enhanced computed tomography (CECT) include:
  - a) contrast enhancement in arterial phase
  - b) absence of contrast enhancement in arterial phase
  - c) homogeneous structure, regular contours
  - d) heterogeneous structure, irregular contours
  - e) homogeneous structure, irregular contours

- 233. Odontogenesis imperfecta is characterized by:
  - a) simultaneous dysplasia (deficient formation) of enamel and dentine
  - b) dentine dysplasia without affecting enamel
  - c) enamel dysplasia without affecting dentine
  - d) cement hyperplasia in the periapical region
  - e) dental root elongation
- 234. Imaging signs of dentinogenesis imperfecta (type I and II) include:
  - a) narrowed dental neck region (bulbous crowns with apparent cervical constriction)
  - b) reduced dental root length with rounded apices
  - c) dilated dental crown (bulbous crowns)
  - d) dilated pulp chamber
  - e) reduced pulp chamber (obliteration of the pulp chamber and root canals due to deposition of dentine)
- 235. Common features of mandibular fractures (as opposed to maxillary fractures) include:
  - a) mandibular fractures are more frequent
  - b) mandibular fractures are less frequent
  - c) quite frequently have an indirect mechanism (indirect fractures)
  - d) double or triple fractures can result when significant force is applied
  - e) are always direct fractures
- 236. Common features of maxillary fractures (as opposed to mandibular fractures) include:
  - a) maxillary fractures are more frequent
  - b) maxillary fractures are less frequent
  - c) predominantly have a direct mechanism of production (direct fractures)
  - d) predominantly have an indirect mechanism of production (indirect fractures)
  - e) the fracture line quite frequently involves the alveolar process
- 237. Radiological features of post-traumatic osteomyelitis of the jaws (i.e. maxilla or the mandible) include:
  - a) relevant radiological signs can be detected 8-10 days after jaw fracture
  - b) relevant radiological signs can be detected within 2-3 days after jaw fracture
  - c) the edges of bone fragments appear erased
  - d) the fracture line appears widened, with no tendency for narrowing
  - e) the fracture line appears narrow and constricting
- 238. Which of the following conditions can be defined as hypodontia?
  - a) congenital absence of 1-2 teeth on the dental arch
  - b) complete congenital absence of all teeth
  - c) congenital absence of more than 6 teeth
  - d) complete edentation in an old patient
  - e) complete post-traumatic edentation