

**II B.Tech II Semester Examinations, April/May 2012**  
**MASS TRANSFER AND SEPARATION**  
**Bio-Technology**

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 80

**Answer any FIVE Questions**  
**All Questions carry equal marks**

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