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PHYSICS

Paper – 1

(THEORY)

(Three hours)

*(Candidates are allowed additional 15 minutes for only reading the paper.
They must NOT start writing during this time)*

*Answer all questions in Part I and six questions from Part II, choosing two questions
from each of the Sections A, B and C.*

*All working, including rough work, should be done on the same sheet as, and adjacent to,
the rest of the answer.*

The intended marks for questions or parts of questions are given in brackets [].

(Material to be supplied: Log tables including Trigonometric functions)

A list of useful physical constants is given at the end of this paper.

PART I

Answer all questions

Question 1

A Choose the correct alternative A, B, C or D for each of the questions given below: [5]

(i) Two point charges (+e) and (–e) are kept inside a large metallic cube without touching its sides. Electric flux emerging out of the cube is:

(A) $\frac{e}{\epsilon_0}$

(B) $\frac{-e}{\epsilon_0}$

(C) Zero

(D) $\frac{2e}{\epsilon_0}$

(ii) In current electricity, Ohm's law is obeyed by all:

(A) solids

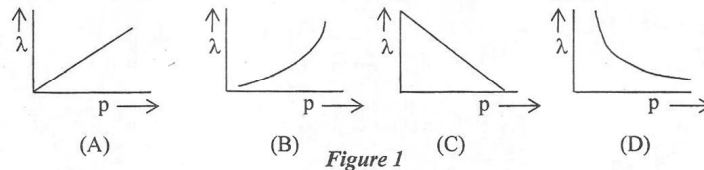
(B) metals

(C) liquids

(D) gases

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- (iii) When a charged particle is projected perpendicular to a uniform magnetic field, it describes a circular path in which:
- (A) its speed remains constant.
 (B) its velocity remains constant.
 (C) its momentum remains constant.
 (D) its kinetic energy increases.
- (iv) Refractive index of a transparent material is:
- (A) same for all colours.
 (B) maximum for violet colour.
 (C) minimum for violet colour.
 (D) maximum for red colour.
- (v) Which one of the following graphs in *Figure 1* represents variation of de Broglie wavelength (λ) of a particle having linear momentum p :



B. Answer all questions briefly and to the point:

[15]

- (i) How much work is done in taking an electron around a nucleus in a circular path?
- (ii) A 10 m long potentiometer wire carries a steady current. A standard cell of emf 1.018 V is balanced against a length of 254.5 cm of the wire. What is the potential gradient across the potentiometer wire?
- (iii) Name any **one** instrument which works on the principle of Tangent law in magnetism.
- (iv) An inductor L and a resistor R are connected in series to a battery, through a key/switch. Show graphically, how current decreases with time when the key/switch is opened.
- (v) An ideal inductor does not consume any power even though both V and I are non zero. Explain in brief.

- (vi) In Fraunhofer's single slit diffraction experiment, how does semi-angular width θ of the central bright fringe depend on slit width 'a'?
- (vii) State one use of a polaroid.
- (viii) A ray of light LM incident **normally** on the surface AC of an isosceles right angled prism ABC (where $AB = BC$) emerges along PQ, parallel to LM, as shown in **Figure 2** below:

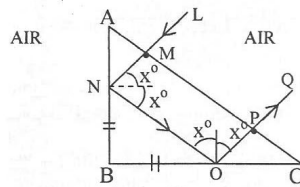
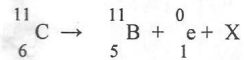


Figure 2

What can you say about refractive index μ of the material of the prism?

- (ix) State one condition for obtaining a sustained interference of light.
- (x) State any one postulate of **Huygen's** wave theory.
- (xi) How can an **n** type semiconductor be obtained from a pure crystal of germanium?
- (xii) In the following nuclear reaction



what does X stand for?

- (xiii) In photoelectric effect, what is meant by the term '**threshold frequency**'?
- (xiv) Find angular momentum of an electron when it is in the second Bohr orbit of hydrogen atom.
- (xv) What is the symbol of a **NOT** gate?

PART II

Answer six questions in this part, choosing two questions from each of the Sections A, B and C.

SECTION A

Answer any two questions

Question 2

- (a) Obtain an expression for intensity of electric field in end on position, i.e. axial position of an electric dipole. [4]
- (b) Three capacitors each of capacitance C are connected in series. Their equivalent capacitance is C_s . The same three capacitors are now connected in parallel. Their equivalent capacitance becomes C_p . Find the ratio $\left(\frac{C_p}{C_s}\right)$. (Working must be shown) [3]
- (c) A galvanometer with a resistance of 75Ω produces a full scale deflection with a current of 5 mA . How can this galvanometer be converted into an ammeter which has a range of $0 - 5\text{ A}$? [2]

Question 3

- (a) In the circuit shown below in **Figure 3**, E_1 and E_2 are batteries having emfs 4.0 V and 3.5 V respectively and internal resistance 1Ω and 2Ω respectively. Using Kirchoff's laws, calculate currents: I_1 , I_2 and I_3 . [4]

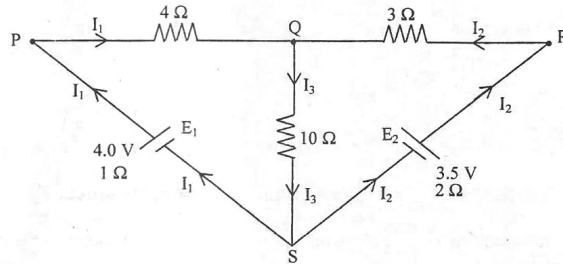


Figure 3

- (b) Show, with the help of a labelled graph, how thermo emf 'e' developed by a thermocouple varies with θ , the temperature difference between the two junctions. On the graph, mark neutral temperature as θ_N and temperature of inversion as θ_I . [2]
- (c) (i) What is meant by a **paramagnetic** substance? State **Curie's law**. [3]
- (ii) What is the value of **magnetic susceptibility** of Aluminium if its relative permeability is 1.000022 ?

Question 4

- (a) Using Ampere's circuital law or Biot and Savart's law, show that magnetic flux density 'B' at a point 'P' at a perpendicular distance 'a' from a long current carrying conductor is given by: [3]

$$B = \left(\frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \right) \frac{2I}{a}$$

(Statement of the laws - not required)

- (b) A current of 4A flows in a coil when it is connected to a 12V dc source. When the same coil is connected to an ac source (12 V, 8 Hz), a current of 2.4 A flows in the coil. Calculate coefficient of self inductance (L) of the coil. [4]
- (c) How much force per unit length acts on a long current carrying conductor X due to a current flowing through another similar conductor Y, kept parallel to it in vacuum? [2]

Use this equation to define an Ampere, the fundamental unit of current.

SECTION B

Answer any two questions

Question 5

- (a) (i) Arrange all the seven types of electro-magnetic radiations in increasing order of their frequencies. (You must begin with a radiation with lowest frequency and end with the one having the highest frequency.) [3]
- (ii) State how electric vector \vec{E} , magnetic vector \vec{B} and velocity vector \vec{C} are oriented in an electromagnetic wave.
- (b) In Young's double slit experiment, using monochromatic light L_1 of wavelength 700 nm, 10th bright fringe was obtained at a certain point P on a screen. Which bright fringe will be obtained at the same point P if monochromatic light of wavelength 500 nm is used in place of L_1 . (No other alterations were made in the experimental set up.) [3]
- (c) A certain monochromatic light travelling in air is incident on a glass plate at a polarising angle. Angle of refraction in glass is found to be 32°. Calculate: [2]
- (i) the polarising angle;
- (ii) refractive index of glass.

Question 6

- (a) Calculate angle of minimum deviation (δ_m) for a **regular** glass prism. (Refractive index of glass = 1.6) [2]
- (b) Obtain an expression for refraction at a single convex spherical surface, i.e. the relation between μ_1 (rarer medium), μ_2 (denser medium), the object distance u , image distance v and radius of curvature R . [4]
- (c) Where should an object be kept on the principal axis of a convex lens of focal length 20 cm, in order to get an image, which is double the size of the object? [2]

Question 7

- (a) (i) What is the use of a spectrometer? [3]
- (ii) In a spectrometer, what is the function of:
 (1) Collimator?
 (2) Telescope?
- (b) Draw a labelled diagram of an image formed by a compound microscope with image at **least distance of distinct vision**. [3]
- (c) An astronomical telescope consists of two thin convex lenses having focal lengths of 140 cm and 5 cm. The telescope is adjusted to be in **normal adjustment**. [2]
- (i) What is the angular magnification, i.e. magnifying power of the telescope in this set up?
- (ii) What is the distance between the two lenses equal to?

SECTION C*Answer any two questions***Question 8**

- (a) State two important conclusions that can be drawn from **Millikan's oil drop experiment** to determine the charge of an electron. [2]
- (b) A monochromatic source of light emits light of wavelength 198 nm. Calculate: [3]
- (i) energy of each photon;
- (ii) Momentum of the photon.
- (c) (i) Name a series of lines of hydrogen spectrum which lies in: [3]
- (1) Visible region
- (2) Ultra violet region
- (ii) Write **Bohr's formula** to calculate wavelength (λ) of visible light, emitted by hydrogen, and explain the meaning of each and every symbol used.

Question 9

- (a) Starting with the law of radioactive disintegration, show that: $N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$, where the terms have their usual meaning. [3]
- (b) What is meant by **Pair Production**? Explain with the help of an example and a balanced equation. [2]
- (c) An X ray tube is operated at a tube potential of 40,000 V. Calculate: [3]
- Kinetic energy of an electron emitted by the filament when it reaches the target/anode.
 - Wavelengths of all the X rays emitted by the X ray tube.

Question 10

- (a) (i) In the following nuclear reaction, calculate the energy released in MeV: [3]
- $${}^1_1\text{H} + {}^1_1\text{H} \rightarrow {}^3_2\text{He} + {}^1_0\text{n}$$
- Given that:
- Mass of ${}^1_1\text{H} = 2.015\text{u}$
- Mass of ${}^3_2\text{He} = 3.017\text{u}$
- Mass of ${}^1_0\text{n} = 1.009\text{u}$
- (ii) What is the name of this reaction?
- (b) What is meant by the terms: [3]
- a full wave rectifier?
 - an amplifier?
 - an oscillator?
- (c) Using several **NAND** gates, how can you obtain an **AND** gate? Draw a labelled diagram in support of your answer. [2]

Useful Constants and Relations:

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| 1. Speed of Light in vacuum | (c) | $= 3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ |
| 2. Planck's constant | (h) | $= 6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$ |
| 3. Permeability of vacuum | (μ_0) | $= 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ Hm}^{-1}$ |
| 4. Charge of an electron | (-e) | $= -1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ |
| 5. Unified Atomic Mass Unit | (1u) | $= 931 \text{ MeV}$ |
| 6. | (1nm) | $= 10^{-9} \text{ m}$ |

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