

F.E. Semester – I (RC 2019-20) Examination, Nov/Dec 2019

PHYSICS

Duration: 03 hours

Total Marks: 100

- Instructions:** 1) Answer **any two** questions from Part-A and Part-B **each** and **any one** question from Part-C.
2) **Assume** additional data, if required.
3) **Draw** diagrams **wherever** required.

Physical constants:

Planck's constant	=	6.626×10^{-34} J-s
Electron charge	=	1.6×10^{-19} C
Boltzmann's constant	=	1.38×10^{-23} J/K
Electron mass	=	9.1×10^{-31} kg
Rydberg constant	=	1.097×10^7 /m
Velocity of light	=	3×10^8 m/s

Part – A

Answer **any two** questions:

- With a neat ray diagram explain interference in a parallel thin film for reflected light and obtain the conditions for maximas and minimas. (5)
 - Explain paramagnetism. Give 5 properties of paramagnetic materials. (5)
 - Based on the band theory of solids distinguish between the different types of materials. Give two examples of each. (5)
 - What is magnetostriction? Calculate the natural frequency of an iron rod of length 8 cm and comment on whether it can be used to generate USW using magnetostriction oscillator. Given, density of iron = 7.8×10^3 kg/m³, Young's modulus of iron = 11.5×10^{10} N/m². (5)
- With neat circuit diagram explain working of piezoelectric oscillator for production of ultrasonic waves. (5)
 - With diagram explain hysteresis loop. What is retentivity and coercivity? (5)
 - Explain interference in wedge shaped film and hence derive expression for fringe width. Draw diagrams where necessary. (5)
 - A pure germanium semiconductor has carrier concentration of electrons as 2.5×10^9 /m³. The mobilities of electrons and holes are 0.36 m²/V.s and 0.17 m²/V.s respectively. Calculate its conductivity. Also calculate the current density if an electric field of 1000 V/m is applied across it. (5)
- What is Hall Effect? Obtain expression for Hall voltage and Hall Coefficient. (5)
 - Explain the following applications of US waves: (5)
 - Detection of flaws in metals
 - SONAR
 - Draw a neat block diagram of CRO. Explain the purpose of the time base circuit in the CRO. (5)
 - A parallel beam of monochromatic light of wavelength 6000 Å is incident on a thin glass plate of refractive index 1.5 such that the angle of refraction into the plate is

45°. Calculate the smallest thickness of the plate which would appear dark by reflection. (5)

Part – B

Answer **any two** questions:

4. a) Explain the process of stimulated emission of radiation and how it can be used for light amplification. (5)
 - b) Derive Bragg's Law of X-ray diffraction. Draw necessary diagram. (5)
 - c) What is Compton effect? With neat diagram describe the experiment used to study Compton effect. (5)
 - d) For a step-index fibre, core R.I. is 1.5 and cladding R.I. is 1.48. Calculate its critical angle, acceptance angle and numerical aperture. (5)
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5. a) Derive expression for Acceptance Angle of an optical fibre. What is acceptance cone? (5)
 - b) Explain the origin of characteristic and continuous X-ray spectra. (5)
 - c) State de Broglie's hypothesis. What is de Broglie's wavelength? State properties of matter waves. (5)
 - d) What is population inversion? Determine the ratio of population of two energy levels out of which one corresponds to a metastable state if the wavelength of light emitted at 57°C is 6328 Å. (5)
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6. a) With neat diagram explain construction & working of Ruby laser. What are its drawbacks? (5)
 - b) With neat diagrams explain the different types of optical fibres. (5)
 - c) State Moseley's Law and explain its significance. (5)
 - d) A photon of 2 Å strikes an electron at rest and is scattered at an angle of 90°. Find the wavelength of the photon after collision. Also calculate Compton shift. (5)

Part – C

Answer **any one** question:

7. a) Show that the diameter of dark rings in Newton's Rings for reflected light is proportional to the square root of natural numbers. (5)
 - b) What is an optical resonator and why is it required in a laser? (5)
 - c) With block diagram explain the use of optical fibres in communication. Give any two advantages of optical fibres over copper wires for communication. (5)
 - d) Identify the target element used in the x-ray tube if the wavelength of the $K\alpha$ line emitted is 1.55 Å. Take nuclear screening constant as unity. (5)
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8. a) Derive an expression for conductivity of a semiconductor in terms of mobility of charge carriers. (5)
 - b) What are soft and hard magnetic materials? Give their properties and applications. (5)
 - c) Give an explanation of the Compton effect with respect to modified and unmodified component. (5)

d) Calculate the velocity of ultrasonic waves in a liquid used in an acoustic diffraction experiment using the following data: (5)

Wavelength of light used = 6000 \AA

Frequency of ultrasonic transducer = 1 MHz

Angle of diffraction for 2nd order maxima = $5^{\circ}36'$

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