

PAPER – II

PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Note : Attempt all the questions. Each question carries *two* (2) marks.

1. If $A \times B = ab \sin \theta$ then $B \times A$ is

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| 1) $-ab \sin \theta$ | 2) $ab \sin \theta$ |
| 3) $ab \cos \theta$ | 4) $-ab \cos \theta$ |

2. If ϕ and ψ are harmonic functions, then from Green's function $\int_s \phi \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial n} ds$ is

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| 1) $\int_s \psi \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial n}$ | 2) 0 |
| 3) $\int_s \phi \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial n}$ | 4) $\phi \psi$ |

3. The rank of matrix $\begin{bmatrix} a & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & a & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix}$ is 2 for a equal to

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| 1) 3 | 2) 1 |
| 3) 2 | 4) 4 |

4. The normalization of Hermite polynomial $H_n(x)$ yields,

- 1) $2^n \pi^{1/2} n!$
- 2) $\pi^{1/2} n!$
- 3) $2^n \pi n!$
- 4) $2 \pi^{1/2} n!$

5. Laplace transform of $(1 - e^t)/t$ is :

1) $\left(\frac{s-1}{s}\right)$

2) $\log\left(\frac{s}{s-1}\right)$

3) $\left(\frac{s}{s-1}\right)$

4) $\log\left(\frac{s-1}{s}\right)$

6. The expansion of $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z-1)(z-2)}$ in the region $|z| < 1$

1) $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{4}z + \frac{7}{8}z^2 \dots$

2) $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4}z + \frac{7}{8}z^2 \dots$

3) $\frac{1}{2}z + \frac{3}{4}z^2 + \frac{7}{8}z^3 \dots$

4) $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{4}z - \frac{7}{8}z^2 \dots$

7. If Cauchy-Riemann condition are satisfied then,

- 1) Partial derivatives are continuous
- 2) Partial derivatives are zero
- 3) Partial derivatives are discontinuous
- 4) Partial derivatives are not possible

8. The measure of spread of an arbitrary probability distribution from its mean value $\langle X \rangle$ is given by,

1) $P(|x - \langle X \rangle| \leq k\sigma) \leq 1/k^2$

2) $P(|x^2 - \langle X \rangle| \geq k\sigma) \leq 1/k^2$

3) $P(|x^2 - \langle X^2 \rangle| \leq k\sigma) \leq 1/k^2$

4) $P(|x - \langle X \rangle| \geq k\sigma) \leq 1/k^2$

9. If there exist holonomic constraints, expressed in k equation in the form $f(r_1, r_2, r_3, \dots, t) = 0$ then the system is said to have
- 1) $3N - K$ degrees of freedom
 - 2) $3N$ degrees of freedom
 - 3) K degrees of freedom
 - 4) $3N - f$ degrees of freedom
10. The conservation of linear momentum in the absence of applied force requires the validity of
- 1) Weak law of action and reaction
 - 2) Strong law of action and reaction
 - 3) Law of inertia
 - 4) Newton's second law
11. Which one of the following is true for ellipse?
- 1) $e > 1$
 - 2) $e = 1$
 - 3) $e < 1$
 - 4) $e = 0$
12. In neutron-proton scattering for which $m_1 = m_2$, the scattering angle in the laboratory system is equal to
- 1) twice the scattering angle in centre of mass system
 - 2) thrice the scattering angle in centre of mass system
 - 3) the scattering angle in centre of mass system
 - 4) half the scattering angle in centre of mass system

13. Atwood's machine is an example of
- 1) Conservative system with non- holonomic and scleronomic constraint
 - 2) Non-Conservative system with holonomic and scleronomic constraint
 - 3) Conservative system with holonomic and scleronomic constraint
 - 4) Conservative system with holonomic and Rheonomic constraint
14. The path followed by a particle in sliding from one point to another in the absence of friction in the shortest time is a
- 1) Sphere
 - 2) Sigmoid
 - 3) Cycloid
 - 4) Catenary of revolution
15. A massless spring having force constant k has masses m_1 and m_2 attached at its two ends. The frequency of oscillation is
- 1) $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k(m_1 + m_2)}{m_1 m_2}}$
 - 2) $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k(m_1 - m_2)}{m_1 m_2}}$
 - 3) $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{m_1 m_2}{k(m_1 - m_2)}}$
 - 4) $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{m_1 m_2}{k(m_1 + m_2)}}$
16. When only one single frequency is involved in the solution of equations of motion then the coordinate appearing in it will be called
- 1) Normal coordinate
 - 2) Generalized coordinate
 - 3) Single coordinate
 - 4) Normal coordinate of system

17. According to the Gauss's theorem the electrostatic field E at a point r due to a point charge q is defined as

1) $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{r^2} \vec{r}$

2) $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{r} \vec{r}$

3) $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{r^3} \hat{r}$

4) $\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{r^2}$

18. If a long straight conductor carries a current of λ per unit length, then the electric field at a distance r from the centre of the conductor is

1) $\frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 r}$

2) $\frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$

3) $\frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$

4) $\frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$

19. If current in a conductor increases, then according to Lenz's law self-induced voltage will

- 1) aid the increasing current
- 2) tend to decrease the amount of current
- 3) produce the current opposite to the increasing current
- 4) aid the applied voltage

20. The force between two straight parallel wires carrying currents I_a and I_b is proportional to (where r is the distance between the wires)

1) $\frac{I_a I_b}{r^2}$

2) $\frac{I_a I_b}{r}$

3) $\frac{I_a I_b}{r^3}$

4) $\left(\frac{I_a I_b}{r}\right)^2$

21. The wave equation for electric field in vacuum is

1) $\nabla^2 E - \mu_o \epsilon_o \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2} = 0$

2) $\nabla^2 E + \mu_o \epsilon_o \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2} = 0$

3) $\nabla^2 E - \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2} = 0$

4) $\nabla^2 E - c^2 \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial t^2} = 0$

22. When EM wave is incident on a dielectric, it is

1) fully transmitted

2) fully reflected

3) partially reflected and partially transmitted

4) fully polarized

23. Refractive index of a material is approximately equal to square root of

1) ϵ_o

2) μ_o

3) $\epsilon_o \mu_o$

4) ϵ_o / μ_o

24. Which is a valid description of a linearly polarized wave with a diagonal orientation?

- 1) two linearly polarized waves that are orthogonal and in phase
- 2) two linearly polarized waves that are orthogonal and out of phase by 90°
- 3) two out-of-phase elliptically polarized waves with opposite rotations
- 4) none of these

25. The de-Broglie wavelength of a material particle which is in thermal equilibrium at temperature T is :

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| 1) $\lambda = \frac{h^2}{\sqrt{2mkT}}$ | 2) $\lambda = \frac{h}{\sqrt{3mkT}}$ |
| 3) $\lambda = \frac{2h^2}{\sqrt{3mkT}}$ | 4) $\lambda = \frac{h^3}{\sqrt{2mkT}}$ |

26. Every moving particle is associated with a wave packet, which

- 1) travels with the speed of light
- 2) has equal size as the particle
- 3) travels with the same speed of the particle
- 4) is imaginary

27. If E_1 is the energy of the lowest state of a one dimensional potential box of length l and E_2 is the energy of the lowest state when the length of the box is doubled. Then,

- 1) $E_2 = 2E_1$
- 2) $E_2 = \frac{E_1}{2}$
- 3) $E_2 = \frac{E_1}{4}$
- 4) $E_2 = 4E_1$

28. The commutation relation $[\hat{H}, \hat{p}_x]$ is

1) $-i\hbar \frac{\partial V(x)}{\partial x}$

2) $-\frac{\hbar}{i} \frac{\partial V(x)}{\partial x}$

3) $-i \frac{\partial V(x)}{\partial x}$

4) $-\frac{\hbar^2}{i} \frac{\partial V(x)}{\partial x}$

29. The eigenvalue of the operator $\hat{J}_z$ is

1) $m\hbar$

2) $m^2\hbar$

3) $m\hbar^2$

4) $\hbar$

30. The wave function of a hydrogen atom is denoted by $\psi(r, \theta, \phi)$. Then the shape of the atomic orbital is determined by

1) the angular part of $\psi(r, \theta, \phi)$

2) the radial part of $\psi(r, \theta, \phi)$

3) both 1 and 2

4) linear part of $\psi(r, \theta, \phi)$

31. Which of the following relations gives the upper limit to the energy of n^{th} state using variational principle?

1) $\langle \psi | H | \psi \rangle$

2) $\langle \psi | H | \psi^* \rangle$

3) $\langle \psi | \hat{p} | \psi \rangle$

4) $\langle \psi | \hat{x} | \psi \rangle$

32. Which one of the following particles is described by a symmetric wave function?

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| 1) Proton | 2) Neutron |
| 3) Muon | 4) π -meson |

33. The transition probability $W_{n \rightarrow k}$ by constant perturbation using time dependent perturbation theory is

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| 1) $W_{n \rightarrow k} = \frac{ H'_{kn} }{\hbar^2} t^2$ | 2) $W_{n \rightarrow k} = \frac{ H'_{kn} ^2}{\hbar^2} t^2$ |
| 3) $W_{n \rightarrow k} = \frac{ H'_{kn} }{\hbar^2} t$ | 4) $W_{n \rightarrow k} = \frac{ H'_{kn} }{\hbar} t$ |

34. Consider a proton moving at $2 \times 10^5 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ velocity. The uncertainty in measuring the position of the particle is :

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| 1) $2.5 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m}$ | 2) $1.6 \times 10^{-13} \text{ m}$ |
| 3) $2.9 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m}$ | 4) $1.2 \times 10^{-13} \text{ m}$ |

35. The entropy of a system S , is related to the accessible phase space volume Γ by $S = k_B \ln \Gamma(E, N, V)$ where E , N and V are the energy, number of particles and volume respectively. From this, one can conclude that Γ

- 1) does not change during evolution to equilibrium
- 2) oscillates during evolution to equilibrium
- 3) is a maximum at equilibrium
- 4) is a minimum at equilibrium

36. Velocity of molecules based on Maxwell's law of distribution is

- 1) greater than the mean velocity
- 2) equal to root mean square velocity
- 3) less than the root mean square velocity
- 4) equal to the mean velocity

37. A fluid at high pressure is throttled through a narrow porous opening in a region of lower pressure without any transfer of heat. In such process the
- 1) Entropy does not change
 - 2) Gibbs free energy does not change
 - 3) Enthalpy of fluid is constant
 - 4) Entropy is decreased
38. Three identical spin $\frac{1}{2}$ fermions are to be distributed in two non-degenerate distinct energy levels. The number of ways this can be done is
- 1) 6
 - 2) 4
 - 3) 10
 - 4) 2
39. An electric current of 3 amp flows through a resistance of 10 ohm. It is being cooled by running water and kept at temperature 300 K. The change in entropy per second of the resistance is
- 1) 1 J/deg
 - 2) 0.5 J/deg
 - 3) No change
 - 4) 2 J/deg
40. The change in internal energy of the gas is directly proportional to
- 1) change in volume
 - 2) change in pressure
 - 3) change in temperature
 - 4) change of pressure and volume
41. Which of the following is not an exact differential?
- 1) dQ (Q = heat absorbed)
 - 2) dU (U = internal energy)
 - 3) dS (S = entropy)
 - 4) dF (F = free energy)

42. Two stars A and B emit maximum radiation at $3500 \text{ \AA}$ and $4900 \text{ \AA}$, respectively. The temperature of two stars A and B are in the ratio
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| 1) 7:5 | 2) 1:7 |
| 3) 3:2 | 4) 2:5 |
43. In a voltage divider biased *npn* transistor. If the upper voltage-divider resistor (the one connected to V_{cc}) opens, which one of the following will occur?
- 1) The transistor into cutoff
 - 2) The transistor goes into saturation
 - 3) The transistor burns out
 - 4) The supply voltage is too high
44. When transistors are used in digital circuits they usually operate in the
- 1) active region
 - 2) breakdown region
 - 3) saturation and cutoff region
 - 4) linear region
45. An output which is proportional to the addition of two or more inputs is from which type of amplifier?
- 1) differentiator
 - 2) difference
 - 3) summing
 - 4) analog subtractor
46. The resolution of a D/A converter is approximately 0.4% of its full-scale range. It is a
- 1) 8-bit converter
 - 2) 10-bit converter
 - 3) 12-bit converter
 - 4) 16-bit converter

47. When a program is being executed in an 8085 microprocessor, its program counter contains
- 1) the number of instruction in the current program that have already been executed
 - 2) the total number of instructions in the program being executed
 - 3) the memory address of the instruction that is being currently executed
 - 4) the memory address of the instruction that is to be executed next
48. Power in a circuit is measured by measuring a current through the resistor. The current is measured with an accuracy of $\pm 1.5\%$ and the tolerance band of the resistor $\pm 0.5\%$. The errors are limiting or guarantee errors. The accuracy with which power is measured is
- 1) $\pm 1.125\%$
 - 2) $\pm 3.5\%$
 - 3) $\pm 2\%$
 - 4) $\pm 2.5\%$
49. A diode for which you can change the reverse bias, and thus vary the capacitance is called a
- 1) varactor diode
 - 2) tunnel diode
 - 3) zener diode
 - 4) switching diode
50. The principal of least squares states that
- 1) The sum of the residuals is minimum
 - 2) The average sum of two groups should be minimum
 - 3) The sum of the squares of the residuals should be minimum
 - 4) The sum of the squares of the residuals should be maximum
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