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# INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING

(Autonomous)

B.Tech I Semester End Examinations (Regular) - July, 2021

Regulation: UG-20

ENGINEERING PHYSICS

(ECE|EEE|AE|ME|CE)

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 70

**Answer all questions in Module I and II**  
**Answer ONE out of two questions from Modules III, IV and V**  
**All questions Carry Equal Marks**  
**All parts of the question must be answered in one place only**

## MODULE – I

1. (a) Enumerate the application of Schrodinger wave equation in one-dimensional potential well. [7M]
- (b) Calculate the velocity and kinetic energy of an electron having wavelength of 0.21nm. [7M]

## MODULE – II

2. (a) What are acceptor type of impurities and what is a P-type semiconductor? Explain how phosphorous atoms donate electrons to the conduction band. [7M]
- (b) The intrinsic carrier density at room temperature in Ge is  $2.37 \times 10^{19}/\text{m}^3$ . If the electron and hole mobilities are 0.38 and  $0.18 \text{m}^2 \text{V}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1}$  respectively. Calculate the resistivity. [7M]

## MODULE – III

3. (a) Discuss the different mechanisms involved to produce laser emission. [7M]
- (b) The  $\text{CO}_2$  laser is one of the most powerful lasers. The energy difference between the two levels is 0.117eV. Determine the frequency and wavelength of radiation. [7M]
4. (a) Explain the different types of optical fibers and their properties. [7M]
- (b) Draw the conditions for the light propagation through optical fibers and hence explain the following terms  
 i) Critical incident angle ii) Acceptance angle iii) Numerical aperture. [7M]

## MODULE – IV

5. (a) Explain how Newton's rings are formed and describe the method for the determination of wavelength of light with their use. [7M]
- (b) In Young's double slit experiment the separation of the slits is 1.9 mm and the fringe spacing is 0.31 mm at a distance of 1 metre from the slits. Calculate the wavelength of light.
6. (a) Describe and explain the Fraunhofer single diffraction pattern obtained with a narrow slit and illuminated by a parallel beam of monochromatic light. [7M]
- (b) Calculate the least width of a plane diffraction grating having 500 lines/cm, which will just resolve in the second order the sodium lines of wavelengths  $5890 \text{ \AA}$  and  $5896 \text{ \AA}$ . [7M]

## MODULE – V

7. (a) Derive the differential equation of a damped harmonic oscillator and discuss the different cases of damping. [7M]
- (b) Deduce the expression for the velocity of transverse waves on a long stretched string. [7M]
8. (a) What do you understand by wave motion? What are transverse and longitudinal waves? Give examples of each. [7M]
- (b) A massless spring of spring constant  $10\text{Nm}^{-1}$  is suspended from a rigid support and carries a mass of  $0.1\text{kg}$  at its lower end. The system is subjected to a resistive force  $pv$ , where  $p$  is a constant and  $v$  is the velocity. It is observed that the system performs damped oscillatory motion and its energy decays to  $1/e$  of its initial value in  $50\text{s}$ .
- i) What is the value of  $p$ ?
- ii) What is the  $Q$  value of the oscillator? [7M]

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