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Second Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, May/June 2019

(CBCS Scheme – Freshers)

Physics

Paper II — MECHANICS – 2, HEAT AND THERMODYNAMICS – 2

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 70

Instructions to Candidates :

1. Answer any **FIVE** questions from each Part.
2. Candidate is permitted to use non-programmable Scientific Calculator.

PART – A

Answer any **FIVE** questions. Each question carries **8** marks : (5 × 8 = 40)

1. (a) Arrive at the expression for the time period of a compound pendulum.
(b) Explain coupled oscillations. (6 + 2)
2. Obtain the relation between the three moduli of elasticity. (8)
3. (a) Arrive at the energy equation $\left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial V}\right)_T = T\left(\frac{\partial P}{\partial T}\right)_V - P$ where symbols have their usual meaning.
(b) Write the expressions for thermodynamic potentials and explain the symbols. (4 + 4)
4. (a) Explain porous plug experiment.
(b) Arrive at an expression for the Joule-Thomson coefficient of a gas. (3 + 5)
5. (a) Show that length is an invariant under Galileian transformation for inertial frames.
(b) Write the Lorentz transformation equations. (4 + 4)
6. (a) Explain the concept of time dilation with the necessary equation.
(b) Derive the expression for the relativistic addition of velocities. (3 + 5)

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7. (a) Arrive at an expression for the kinetic energy of rotation for a rigid body.
(b) Obtain an expression for the moment of inertia of a solid sphere about its diameter. (3 + 5)
8. (a) State and explain the law of conservation of angular momentum.
(b) Define group velocity and phase velocity and derive the relation between them. (2 + 6)

PART - B

Solve any **FIVE** problems. Each problem carries 4 marks. (5 × 4 = 20)

9. A block of mass 2.7×10^{-3} kg is designed to oscillate at a frequency of 25 Hz and amplitude 26 cm. What is the total mechanical energy of the system?
10. A wire of diameter 1.10 mm and 2 m long fixed at one end is stretched by 0.5 mm when a load of 4 kg is attached at the other end. Calculate Young's modulus of the material of the wire. Acceleration due to gravity = 9.8 ms^{-2} .
11. Calculate the change in pressure required to lower the melting point of ice by 0.5 K given
Latent heat of fusion of ice at $0^\circ\text{C} = 3.34 \times 10^5 \text{ JKg}^{-1}$
Specific volume of water at $0^\circ\text{C} = 1.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3 \text{ kg}^{-1}$
Specific volume of ice at $0^\circ\text{C} = 1.1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3 \text{ kg}^{-1}$
12. Van der Waals constants for oxygen are $a = 0.1382 \text{ Nm}^4 \text{ mol}^{-2}$, $b = 3.2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$. Calculate the temperature of inversion and critical temperature of oxygen given gas constant $R = 8.3 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$.
13. Calculate the fringe shift in Michelson-Morley experiment if effective length of each path is 8 m. Velocity of earth $3 \times 10^4 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ and wavelength of light is 625 nm.
14. A proton of rest mass 1.67×10^{-27} kg is moving with speed $0.92c$. What is its total energy?
15. A circular disc of mass 0.9 kg and radius 6 cm is oscillating about an axis (a) passing through its centre (b) about a diameter. Calculate moment of inertia of the disc in both the cases.
16. Calculate the speed of transverse wave on a wire stretched by a weight of 400 gm given mass per unit length of the wire is 0.0018 kg m^{-1} .

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PART - C

Answer any **FIVE** questions. Each question carries **2** marks : **(5 × 2 = 10)**

17. (a) A damped oscillator of mass m has a force constant ' k ' and damping coefficient ' b '. Does the decrease in mechanical energy depend on ' k '? Explain.
- (b) A hollow shaft is stronger than a solid shaft of same material, mass and length. Explain.
- (c) How the internal energy changes during isothermal expansion? Explain.
- (d) Does adiabatic demagnetization produce cooling in a specimen? Explain.
- (e) To whom does an object seem shorter in length, an observer moving with object or an observer moving relative to object? Explain.
- (f) Is law of inertia valid in linearly accelerated frame? Explain.
- (g) What happens to the kinetic energy, when a person on turn table out stretches her hands? Explain.
- (h) Does the velocity of sound in gaseous medium depend on pressure of the medium at constant temperature? Explain.
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