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B.Sc. EXAMINATION, 2024

(Second Semester)

PHYSICS

Code : PHY 201 Paper I

Properties of Matters, Kinetic Theory And
Relativity

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 45

Before answering the question-paper candidates should ensure that they have been supplied to correct and complete question-paper. No complaint, in this regard, will be entertained after the examination.

Note : Attempt *Five* questions in all, selecting at least *one* question from each Unit. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Define Poisson's ratio. Derive relation $\sigma = \frac{3K - 2\eta}{6K - 2\eta}$, where K is bulk modulus, σ is Poisson's ratio and η is modulus of Rigidity. 5
- (b) Prove that hollow shaft is much stronger than solid shaft of same length mass and material. 4
2. (a) Define Elasticity. Derive an expression for work done per unit volume in elongation strain. 7
- (b) A wire 0.5 m long and 1 mm^2 in cross-section has Young's Modulus $1.24 \times 10^{11} \text{ Nm}^{-2}$. How much work is done in stretching it through 1mm ? 2
3. Define Cantilever. Derive an expression for depression in cantilever loaded at the free end, considering cantilever has negligible weight. 9

Unit II

4. Discuss transport phenomenon in gases. Deduce an expression for coefficient of viscosity on the basis of kinetic theory of gases. 9
5. (a) Derive an expression for mean free path in terms of absolute temperature and pressure of the gas. 7
- (b) The diameter of the molecule of a gas is 4×10^{-10} m. Calculate the mean free path. 2
7. (a) Derive an expression for variation of mass with velocity. Show that no material body can move with a velocity greater than that of light in vacuum. 7
- (b) If the total energy of a particle is exactly twice its rest energy, calculate the velocity of the particle. 2
8. What are Galilean transformations ? Show that under Galilean transformations, velocity is variant while acceleration is invariant. 9

Unit III

6. (a) Describe Michelson Morley's Experiment. What inferences can we draw from the results obtained from this experiment ? 7
- (b) Discuss the postulates of special theory of relativity. 2