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V Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, March/April - 2024

## PHYSICS

Elements of Atomic, Molecular and Laser Physics

(NEP Scheme Freshers 2021-22 Onwards)

Paper : PHY. DSCT6



Time : 2½ Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

*Instructions to Candidates:*

1. Answer the number of questions as cited in each part.
2. Non-programmable scientific calculator is allowed.

## PART - A

Answer any **FOUR** questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

(4×2=8)

1. The energy of the electron in the  $n^{\text{th}}$  orbit of hydrogen atom is negative. Explain.
2. State Ritz combination principle.
3. What is Larmor precession? Write the expression for Larmor frequency.
4. What is Born - Oppenheimer approximation? Explain.
5. Distinguish between spontaneous and stimulated emission of radiation.
6. Mention any two characteristic properties of Laser light.

## PART - B

Answer any **FOUR** questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

(4×5=20)

7. The kinetic energy of an  $\alpha$  - particle is 5 MeV. Find the distance of closest approach to a Uranium nucleus of  $Z = 92$ . Given  $\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ Fm}^{-1}$ .
8. The wavelength of  $H_\alpha$  line of the Balmer series is  $6563 \text{ \AA}$ . Calculate the wavelength of the first member of the Lyman series.
9. The experimental value of Bohr magneton is  $9.21 \times 10^{-24} \text{ JT}^{-1}$  and  $h = 6.625 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$ . Calculate the specific charge of the electron.

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10. The spacing between the vibrational levels of CO molecule is 0.076 eV. Calculate the force constant.

Given mass of  $C^{12} = 1.99 \times 10^{-26} \text{ kg}$  and that of  $O^{16} = 2.66 \times 10^{-26} \text{ kg}$ .

11. Find the ratio of population of two energy levels, if the wavelength of light emitted at 330K is 632.8 nm, Given  $k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ JK}^{-1}$ ,  $h = 6.625 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$ ,  $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .
12. A laser source emits wavelength of 694nm and has an output power of 5mW. How many photons are emitted per second?

Given  $h = 6.625 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$ ,  $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .

### PART - C

Answer any **FOUR** questions. Each question carries 8 marks.

(4×8=32)

13. a. Define impact parameter.  
b. Assuming the expression for the distance of closest approach, deduce the relation between impact parameter and scattering angle. (2+6)
14. a. What are L-S and j-j coupling schemes?  
b. Arrive at the expression for magnetic dipole moment due to orbital motion. (3+5)
15. a. What is Zeeman effect? Mention the types of Zeeman effect.  
b. Describe the experimental set up for the study of Zeeman effect. (3+5)
16. a. Explain the different types of molecules based on their moment of inertia.  
b. Give the theory of rigid rotator and arrive at the expression for energy. (3+5)
17. a. What is Raman effect? Outline the quantum theory of Raman effect.  
b. Mention any two applications of Raman effect. (6+2)
18. a. Derive the relation between transition probabilities of spontaneous and stimulated emissions in terms of Einstein coefficients.  
b. Distinguish between Ruby laser and He - Ne laser. (6+2)
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