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## SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

February (2019)

## AP-101: PHYSICS-I

Time: 3 Hours

Note: Attempt any FIVE questions. Question No. 1 is compulsory.

Assume suitable missing data, if any.

1. Answer all the following questions.

(2x6)

- (a). What do you mean by inertial frame of reference? Is earth an inertial frame of reference?
- (b). Why quartz is a doubly refracting substance but not glass? Explain.
- (c). Distinguish between plane polarized and circular polarized light.
- (d). Find the velocity with which a body should travel so that its length becomes half of the rest length.
- (e). Define 'attenuation' in optical fibre. Write the relation for signal attenuation per unit length in decibel for optical fibre.
- (f). Explain "metastable state" and 'stimulated emission' in LASER.
- 2(a). Explain the objective of Michelson- Morley experiment and also derive the expression for the fringe shift. Discuss the merits and demerits of this experiment. (4)
- (b). Prove that  $E^2 p^2c^2 = m_0^2c^2$  is invariant under Lorentz transformation. (3)
- 3(a). State and explain Brewster law. Show that when light is incident on a transparent substance at polarizing angle, the reflected and refracted rays are at right angle to each other. (4)
- (b). Discuss Fresnel's diffraction at a straight edge and obtain the expressions for the locations of the bright and dark bands. (3)

- 4(a). Write the equation of motion for a forced mechanical oscillator. Derive the expression for the displacement of a particle in a forced harmonic oscillator and discuss the variation of velocity amplitude and displacement amplitude with the driving force frequency (ω) for different value of damping constant.
  - (b). Quality factor (Q) of a sonometer wire is  $2 \times 10^4$ . On plucking, it executes 240 vibrations per second. Calculate the time in which the amplitude decreases to  $\frac{1}{e^2}$ .
- 5(a). Explain the term 'population inversion' in laser. Discuss the principle and working of Ruby laser with the help of suitable energy level diagram.
- (b). A laser source of wavelength 6000 Å, coherence width 4 mm and power 10 mW shines on a surface 100 m away. Deduce the (i): angular spread and (ii): areal spread.
- 6(a). What is material dispersion? Prove that in case of material dispersion  $\Delta \tau = -\frac{\lambda_0 l}{c} \frac{d^2 n}{d\lambda_0^2} \Delta \lambda_0$ , where the symbols have their usual meaning.
- (b). Find the diameter of the core for single mode transmission at 8500 Å whose refractive indices for core and cladding are 1.48 and 1.47, respectively.
- 7(a). Explain 'impedance matching; and its significance. Mention the conditions for energy reflection between two strings with an intervening string.
- (b). Define quality factor Q of a damped harmonic oscillator and obtain expression in terms of relaxation time. (3)