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END SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATION

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Branch : Common to All

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APPLIED PHYSICS-I

Full Marks – 60

Time –Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions.

Instruction :

- All questions are compulsory.

1. Fill in the blanks : $1 \times 5 = 5$

(a) The dimensional formula of Impulse is _____.

(b) Electric Potential is a _____ quantity.
(scalar/vector)

(c) The value of acceleration due to gravity is _____ at center of Earth.

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(d) Moment of momentum is called _____.

(e) Conductivity of a semiconductor diode is _____ in reverse bias than in forward bias.
(more/less)

2. Write True or False : $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) The significant figure of 1.205×10^6 is 4.
- (b) Nm/s is the unit of Impulse.
- (c) The escape velocity of a satellite from earth's surface is $\sqrt{2}$ times greater than orbital velocity of a near-surface satellite.
- (d) A free charged particle in an electric field always moves along/opposite an electric field line.
- (e) A primary cell converts chemical energy to electrical energy.

3. Choose the correct answers : $1 \times 5 = 5$

(b) If the momentum of a body is doubled, the kinetic energy

- (i) increases 4 times
- (ii) decreases by half
- (iii) is doubled
- (iv) remains unchanged

(c) Two resistors each of resistance 20Ω are connected once in parallel and then connected in series with another resistor of resistance 15Ω . The net resistance is

- (i) 25Ω
- (ii) 30Ω
- (iii) 35Ω
- (iv) 40Ω

(d) In case of a transistor, the central portion has to be

- (i) N-type
- (ii) P-type
- (iii) May be N-type or P-type
- (iv) None of the above

(e) The direction of induced emf is given by

- (i) Kirchoff's law
- (ii) Newton's law
- (iii) Lenz law
- (iv) Coulomb's law

4. (a) What is random error ? The percentage errors in measurement of mass and velocity are 2% and 3% respectively. How much will be the maximum error in estimate of Kinetic energy obtained by measuring mass and velocity.

1+2=3

(b) What is dot product and cross product of two vectors ? Give examples. 1+1+1=3

(c) State and prove the principle of conservation of linear momentum. 1+2=3

5. (a) A car moving with a speed of 126 km/hr is brought to stop within 200m. What is its retardation and how long it takes for the car to stop ? 3

(b) (i) Define work, power and energy. Write their S.I units. 3

Or

(ii) Show that work done on a body is equal to the net change in its Kinetic energy. 3

(c) (i) State and explain Newton's law of gravitation. 3

Or

(ii) Define angular velocity (ω). Establish the relation between v (linear velocity) and ω (angular velocity). 3

6 Answer any *three* questions : 3×3=9

(a) State Coulomb's law of force in electrostatics. Define unit charge from it. 2+1=3

(b) Define electric field intensity. Write its unit. State Gauss' Law. 1+1+1=3

(c) Define 1 farad. Find the expression for capacitance of a parallel plate capacitor. 1+2=3

(d) Define electric power. An electric bulb is marked 250 V – 100W. What will be the current flowing through the filament of the bulb if it is connected across 220 V line ? 1+2=3

(e) State and explain Kirchoff's laws. 3

7 Answer any *three* questions : 3×3=9

(a) A transformer has efficiency of 75%. It works at 4kW and 100V. If the secondary voltage is 240 V, calculate the primary and secondary currents. 3

(b) State and explain Faraday's law of Electromagnetic Induction. 3

(c) State Fleming's left-hand rule. Find the expression for force on a current carrying conductor placed in a magnetic field. 1+2=3

(d) Explain the causes of power loss in a transformer. 3

8. (a) Define specific resistance and conductivity. Write their units. 1+1+1=3

(b) What is the difference between intrinsic and extrinsic semiconductor. Explain how a P-type semiconductor is formed. 1+2=3

(c) (i) Explain a p-n junction diode as a half-wave rectifier. 1+2=3

Or

(ii) Write a short note on LED. 3