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SEMESTER FINAL EXAMINATION
 DURATION: 3 HOURS

WINTER SEMESTER, 2022-2023
 FULL MARKS: 150

Phy 4141: Physics I

Programmable calculators are not allowed. Do not write anything on the question paper.
 Answer all **6 (six)** questions. Figures in the right margin indicate full marks of questions whereas corresponding CO and PO are written within parentheses.

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| 1. | a) State the relationship between electric field and electric potential. | 5
(CO1)
(PO1) |
| | b) For an electric dipole, demonstrate that if you double the distance of a point from a dipole center, the electric field at that point drops by a factor of 8. | 15
(CO2)
(PO1) |
| | c) The drum of a photocopying machine has a length of 42 cm and a diameter of 12 cm. The electric field just above the drum's surface is 2.3×10^5 N/C. | 2 ×
2.5 |
| | i. What is the total charge on the drum? | (CO3) |
| | ii. The manufacturer wishes to produce a desktop version of the machine. This requires reducing the drum length to 28 cm and the diameter to 8 cm. The electric field at the drum surface must not change. Compute the charge on this new drum. | (PO1) |
| 2. | a) Draw a graph of binding energy per nucleon, E versus atomic mass number, A . Identify the important features of the graph. | 5
(CO1)
(PO1) |
| | b) i. Distinguish between nuclear fission and fusion reactions. | 5 + |
| | ii. Energy released in the fission of a single Uranium-235 nucleus is 200 MeV. What is the source of such a huge amount of energy? Explain. | 7 + 3
(CO2) |
| | iii. Illustrate how a nuclear fission reaction can be controlled. | (PO1) |
| | c) Calculate the binding energy per nucleon of $^{30}_{15}P$ and $^{31}_{15}P$. Which one is more stable and why? (Given: Mass of proton = 1.0078 amu, Mass of neutron = 1.0087 amu, Mass of $^{30}_{15}P$ = 29.978 amu, and Mass of $^{31}_{15}P$ = 30.974 amu). | 3 + 2
(CO3)
(PO1) |
| 3. | a) Show diagrammatically the behavior of magnetic field lines in the presence of paramagnetic and diamagnetic substances. How does one explain this distinguishing feature? | 5
(CO1)
(PO1) |
| | b) Discuss and compare the properties of diamagnetic, paramagnetic, and ferromagnetic materials. | 15
(CO2)
(PO1) |
| | c) Applying Ampere's circuital law, derive a mathematical expression for the magnetic field due to current carrying wire. | 5
(CO3)
(PO1) |
| 4. | a) State the Faraday's laws of electromagnetic induction. | 5
(CO1)
(PO1) |

- b) Explain the growth and decay of current in an LR circuit. Discuss the term "inductive time constant" with a graphical representation for both cases. 12+3
(CO2)
(PO1)
- c) A network of four capacitors, each of $12\ \mu\text{F}$ capacitance is connected with a power supply of 500 V as shown in Figure 1. Determine the equivalent capacitance of the combination and charge on each capacitor. 5
(CO3)
(PO1)

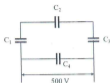


Figure 1: A network of four capacitors for Question 4.c)

5. a) Define diffraction of light. List five differences between Fresnel and Fraunhofer diffraction. 2+3
(CO1)
(PO1)
- b) Discuss the phenomena of diffraction produced by a single slit or aperture of thickness a , where a plane wave is incident on the aperture. Write down the trigonometric equation that gives the distance of the n^{th} dark fringe from the center based on Figure 2. Extend your answer to derive the width of the central bright fringe. 2+7+6
(CO2)
(PO1)

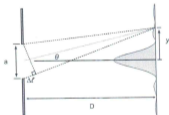


Figure 2: Single slit diffraction for Question 5.b)

- c) Unpolarized light in air is reflected from a glass surface in such a way that it is completely polarized. The angle of incidence is 51° . Calculate the refractive index of the glass and the angle of refraction. What will be the speed of light in glass? 5
(CO3)
(PO1)
6. a) Describe Newton's corpuscular theory. Why does this theory fail to explain the properties of light? 5
(CO1)
(PO1)
- b) Discuss Thomas Young's double-slit experiment with geometrical analysis. Summarize the conditions for observing the bright and dark fringes as a result of this experiment. 2+7.5
(CO2)
(PO1)
- c) Interference fringes are observed with a biprism of refracting angle 1° and refractive index 1.8 on a screen 120 cm away from it. The wavelength of light used is $5800\ \text{\AA}$. If the distance between the source and the biprism is 20 cm, compute the fringe width. 5
(CO3)
(PO1)