

**NRT/KS/19/2010**

**Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) Semester-I Examination**  
**PHYSICS (PROPERTIES OF MATTER AND MECHANICS)**

**Optional Paper-1**

Time : 3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 50

- N.B. :—** (1) All questions are compulsory.  
(2) Draw neat diagrams wherever necessary.

**EITHER**

1. (A) Define Poisson's ratio and give limiting values of Poisson's ratio. If  $Y$ ,  $K$  and  $\sigma$  represents Young's modulus, Bulk modulus and Poisson's ratio, then, show that,  $Y = 3K(1-2\sigma)$ . 5
- (B) (i) Obtain an expression for time period of torsional pendulum. 3
- (ii) A wire of length 1m and diameter 1 mm is damped at one end. Calculate the torque required to twist other end by  $90^\circ$ . If modulus of rigidity of material of wire is  $2.8 \times 10^{10}$  N/m<sup>2</sup>. 2

**OR**

- (C) Derive an expression for work done in stretching a wire. 2½
- (D) Show that for a homogeneous isotropic medium,  $Y = 2\eta(1 + \sigma)$ , where constants have their usual meaning. 2½
- (E) Derive an expression for the bending of a beam supported at two ends and loaded in the middle. 2½
- (F) A beam of square cross section 1cm<sup>2</sup> and 1m long is clamped horizontally at one end. When the load of 1kg is applied to the free end, the depression of the free end is  $4 \times 10^{-2}$ m. Calculate Young's modulus of the material of the cantiliver. ( $g = 9.8\text{m/s}^2$ ) 2½

**EITHER**

2. (A) State and prove the Stoke's law by method of dimensions. Deduce an expression for terminal velocity of a spherical body, through a viscous medium. 5
- (B) (i) State and prove Bernoulli's Theorem. 3
- (ii) Calculate the mass of water per second initially flowing out of the hole. If the depth of water in an open tank is 2.5m and a small hole of cross-section 3cm<sup>2</sup> is made at the bottom of tank. ( $\rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$ ) 2

**OR**

- (C) What is the effect of temperature on coefficient of viscosity ? Explain. 2½
- (D) State Newton's law of viscous force. Obtain an expression for coefficient of viscosity. State its unit. 2½
- (E) Distinguish between streamline and turbulent flow. 2½

- (F) Calculate the mass of water flowing in 10 minutes through a tube 0.1 cm in diameter and 40cm long under a constant pressure head of 20cm of water. The coefficient of viscosity of water at room temperature is  $8.2 \times 10^{-3}$  poise. 2½

**EITHER**

3. (A) Define surface tension. State its units and dimensions. Derive an expression for the height of liquid column in a capillary tube of radius 'r'. 5
- (B) (i) Define Coriolis force. Discuss the applications of the Coriolis force. 3
- (ii) Find the polar coordinates corresponding to the following Cartesian coordinates :
- (a) (1, 0)
- (b) (1, 1) 2

**OR**

- (C) Distinguish between inertial and non-inertial frame of reference with example. 2½
- (D) State Newton's law's of motion. Derive an expression for Newton's third law from the second law. 2½
- (E) What is surface energy ? Show that the surface tension of a liquid is equal to its surface energy per unit area. 2½
- (F) Calculate the height to which a liquid will rise in a capillary tube of radius 0.2 mm when surface tension of liquid is  $20 \times 10^{-3}$  N/m and density  $800 \text{ kg/m}^3$ . (assuming angle of contact  $0^\circ$ ) 2½

**EITHER**

4. (A) What is elastic and inelastic collision ? Derive the equations for final velocities of two particles when the collision between them is perfectly one dimensional elastic. 5
- (B) (i) Deduce an expression for the moment of inertia of solid cylinder about an axis passing through its centre and perpendicular to its length. 3
- (ii) Mass of earth is  $6 \times 10^{24}$  kg and its radius is 6400 km. Find the moment of Inertia of earth about its axis of rotation. 2

**OR**

- (C) State and prove the law of conservation of energy. 2½
- (D) Explain the need of multistage rocket to launch the satellite. 2½
- (E) Explain the term moment of inertia and give its physical significance. 2½
- (F) Calculate the radius of gyration of solid sphere rotating about its diameter if its radius is 5.0 cm. 2½

5. Attempt any **ten** questions :

- (i) Define angle of twist
- (ii) Define compressibility.
- (iii) Calculate the bulk modulus of brass. ( $Y = 10 \times 10^{10} \text{N/m}^2$  and  $\eta = 3.7 \times 10^{10} \text{N/m}^2$ )
- (iv) What is Critical Velocity ?
- (v) What is Reynold's number ?
- (vi) The critical velocity of fluid flows in capillary tube of radius 0.02 mm is 4 cm/s, what will be the critical velocity of the same fluid in capillary of radius 0.01 mm ?
- (vii) State any two applications of Newton's laws of motion.
- (viii) Mention conditions for the validity of the Stoke's law.
- (ix) Calculate the work done in blowing a soap bubble of radius 10cm and surface tension 30 dyne/cm.
- (x) Define centre of mass.
- (xi) What do you mean by radius of gyration ?
- (xii) The position vectors of two particles of masses 1kg and 3kg at any instant are  $(2\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 13\hat{k})$  m and  $(-6\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 2\hat{k})$  m respectively. Calculate the position vector of centre of mass at that instant. 1×10=10