UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL
B.Sc. Honours 1st Semester Examination, 2023

## GE1-P1-PhYSICS

Time Allotted: 2 Hours
Full Marks: 40
The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

# The question paper contains GE-1A and GE-1B. Candidates are required to answer any one from the two courses and they should mention it clearly on the Answer Book. 

## GE-1A

## Mechanics

## GROUP-A

1. Answer any five questions from following: $1 \times 5=5$
(a) What is Solenoid Vector?
(b) What is epoch of a SHM?
(c) What do you mean by elastic limit?
(d) If $\vec{A}=2 \hat{i}-3 \hat{j}+6 \hat{k}$ and $\vec{B}=a \hat{i}+\hat{j}+\hat{k}$ are perpendicular to each others, then find the value of $a$.
(e) Draw the graph how Gravity of hollow sphere is changed with distance.
(f) Write down the unit and dimension of strain.
(g) Define the term initial frame of reference.
(h) Define centre of mass of a system.

## GROUP-B

## Answer any three questions from the following

2. What is S.H.M.? Show that total energy of a S.H.M. is conserved.
3. (a) If $|\vec{A}+\vec{B}|=|\vec{A}-\vec{B}|$, prove that $\vec{A}$ and $\vec{B}$ are perpendicular to each other.
(b) Find $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A}$ at point $(1,1,1)$, where $\vec{A}=x^{2} y \hat{i}-2 y^{3} z^{2} \hat{j}+x y^{2} z \hat{k}$.
4. (a) Weightlessness in Artificial Satellite. Explain. 3+2
(b) Why Noble gases are not found in Earth?
5. Solve the following differential equations.

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y^{2} y^{1}-x^{2}=0 \text { given that } y(1)=0
$$

6. (a) Write down the principle of conservation of angular momentum.
(b) Establish the relation between torque and angular acceleration.

## GROUP-C

## Answer any two questions from the following

7. (a) Establish the differential equation of S.H.M. and find the solution of the equation.
(b) Show that a particle executing simple harmonic motion obeys the relationship $\omega^{2} v^{2}+f^{2}=a^{2} \omega^{2}$ where $a, \omega, v, f$ are amplitude, frequency of the oscillator and velocity and acceleration of the particle respectively.
8. (a) Define Young's Modulus. Find its dimension.
(b) Deduce an expression for the amount of energy stored in an elastic body due to longitudinal strain.
(c) If radius of a cylindrical wire is made to be half and the length has been made double, calculate the change in Young's modulus of the wire.
9. (a) Prove that $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}=\operatorname{grad} \operatorname{div} \vec{A}-\nabla^{2} A$.
(b) Show that the vectors $\vec{A}=3 \hat{i}-2 \hat{j}+\hat{k}, \vec{B}=\hat{i}-3 \hat{j}+5 \hat{k}$ and $\vec{C}=2 \hat{i}+\hat{j}-4 \hat{k}$ form a right angled triangle.
(c) What do you mean by scalar triple product?
10.(a) State Kepler's laws of planetary motion.
(b) Show that areal velocity of a particle moving in a central force field is always constant.
(c) Determine the gravitational field at a point
(i) outside
(ii) inside
(iii) on the surface of a hollow and thin spherical shell.

## GE-1B

## GROUP-A

1. Answer any five questions from the following:
(a) What is the dimension of Boltzmann constant?
(b) Pauli's exclusion principle applies to the particles which follow:
(i) MB-statistics
(ii) BE-statistics
(iii) F-D statistics
(iv) Both BE and FD statistics

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(c) Define quasi-static process.
(d) What is ultraviolet catastrophe in Blackbody radiation?
(e) What do you understand by principle of equipartition of energy?
(f) What is reflection coefficient for a perfect blackbody?
(g) Define Fermi temperature.
(h) Name two particles which follows Bose-Einstein statistics.

## GROUP-B

Answer any three questions from the following $\quad 5 \times 3=15$
2. Calculate the efficiency of Carnot's engine. 5
3. (a) Show that an adiabatic curve is steeper then the isothermal curve. 3
(b) What do you understand by isentropic process? Give one example. 2
4. Find the number of possible arrangement of 3-particles in two states assuming the particles obey
(i) MB-statistics
(ii) BE-statistics, and
(iii) FD-statistics
5. (a) Write down the Maxwell's velocity distribution law and show the graphical representation.
(b) Calculate the most probable speed from the distribution law.
6. (a) Define entropy of a system.
(b) 50 gm of water of $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ is mixed with 100 gm of ice. Calculate the temperature of the mixture.

## GROUP-C

## Answer any two questions from the following

7. (a) Show that heat cannot flow from a colder body to a hotter body naturally. 3
(b) The temperature of a blackbody is 5450 K . Find out the wavelength corresponding to maximum energy in radiated spectrum.
(c) Calculate the degrees of freedom of a linear triatomic molecule.
(d) At what temperature will average speed of molecule of hydrogen gas be double the average speed of oxygen at 300 K .
8. (a) Explain the first law of thermodynamics. What are the limitations of this law?
(b) Show that the change in entropy in reversible process vanishes.
(c) Using kinetic theory of gas, show that $P=\frac{1}{3} \rho c^{2}$, where $\rho=$ density of the gas $c=\mathrm{rms}$ speed.

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9. (a) Derive Maxwell's thermodynamic relation $\left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial V}\right)_{S}=-\left(\frac{\partial P}{\partial S}\right)_{V}$.
(b) Show that for van der Waal's gas

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C_{P}-C_{V}=R\left(1+\frac{2 a}{R T V}\right)
$$

Where, symbols have their usual meaning.
10.(a) What is electron gas? Give example.
(b) Show that from the probability distribution of BE and FD statistics, the MB statistics is the limiting case of both BE and FD statistics.
(c) Calculate the probability of finding an electron with energy 6 eV in an electron gas at $1000^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ when the Fermi energy of the gas is 6 eV .

