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**P.E.S. College of Engineering, Mandya - 571 401**  
*(An Autonomous Institution affiliated to VTU, Belgaum)*  
**Second Semester, B.E. - Semester End Examination; June - 2016**  
**Engineering Physics**  
**(Common to all Branches)**

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

**Note:** Answer **FIVE** full questions, selecting **ONE** full question from each unit.

**Physical Constants:** Electron mass =  $9.11 \times 10^{-31}$  kg, Planck's constant =  $6.63 \times 10^{-34}$  Js,  
 Electron charge =  $1.602 \times 10^{-19}$  C, Boltzmann constant =  $1.38 \times 10^{-23}$  J/K,  
 Avogadro number =  $6.025 \times 10^{26}$ /k mole, Permittivity of free space =  $8.854 \times 10^{-12}$  F/m,  
 Velocity of light =  $3 \times 10^8$  m/s.

**UNIT - I**

- 1 a. Explain stream line flow and conservation of mass. Obtain the expression for equation of continuity for a fluid. 8
- b. Explain Bernoulli's equation in a fluid. Mention the applications of venturi tube. 7
- c. A solid elemental dielectric has a density  $3.08 \times 10^{28}$  atoms/m<sup>3</sup> and its relative permittivity is 4. Calculate electronic polarizability. 5
- 2 a. Explain four types of polarizations. 8
- b. Derive the equation for internal field in solids for one dimensional array of atoms. 7
- c. The radius of the aorta is about 0.01 m and the blood flowing through it has a speed of about  $0.3 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ . Calculate the average speed of the blood in the capillaries using the fact that although each capillary has a diameter of about  $8 \times 10^{-6}$  m, there are literally millions to them so that their total cross section is about  $0.2 \text{ m}^2$ . 5

**UNIT - II**

- 3 a. Explain Planck's law, Wien's law, Rayleigh-Jeans law and Stefan-Boltzmann law. 8
- b. Explain group velocity. Derive the expression for deBroglie wavelength using the concept of group velocity. 7
- c. An electron is bound in a one dimensional box of width  $4 \times 10^{-10}$  m. Compute the energy and deBroglie wavelength of ground and first excited states. 5
- 4 a. Explain the significance of wave function. Setup time independent Schrodinger's wave equation. 8
- b. State and explain Heisenberg's uncertainty principle. Show that the electron does not exist inside the nucleus. 7
- c. Calculate the deBroglie wavelength of a 1000 kg automobile travelling at 100 m/s and a 0.1 kg bullet travelling at 500 m/s. 5

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**UNIT - III**

- 5 a. What are the merits of chemical free electron theory? Explain the failures of it. 8
- b. Obtain an expression for density of energy states in metals. 7
- c. Find the relation between Fermi level and energy gap of an intrinsic semiconductor. 5
- 6 a. Distinguish between conductors, semiconductors and insulators on the basis of band theory. Explain the Fermi level in an intrinsic semiconductor. 8
- b. Derive an expression for density of charge carriers in an intrinsic semiconductor. 7
- c. Find the temperature at which there is 10% probability that a state with energy 0.5 eV above Fermi level will be occupied. 5

**UNIT - IV**

- 7 a. Explain 0 - D, 1 - D, 2 - D and 3 - D nano systems with examples. 8
- b. Explain the types, properties and applications of carbon nano tube. 7
- c. Write a note on SQUIDS. 5
- 8 a. Explain Meissner's effect and discuss magnetic levitation. 8
- b. Define critical current and isotopic effect for superconductors. Discuss BCS theory of superconductors. 7
- c. Describe working of scanning tunnelling electron microscope. 5

**UNIT - V**

- 9 a. Explain the term 'Stimulated emission' and obtain an expression for energy density of radiation in terms of Einstein's coefficients. 8
- b. Discuss different types of optical fibres. 7
- c. The volume of a room is  $600 \text{ m}^3$ . The total area of a room is  $460 \text{ m}^2$  and the average absorption coefficient is 0.24. Calculate the reverberation time. 5
- 10 a. Explain the terms 'reverberation time' and 'absorption coefficient'. Discuss the various factors affecting the acoustics of an auditorium. 8
- b. How ultrasonics is used to determine the flows in a material by non destructive method of testing? 7
- c. Find attenuation in optical fibre of length 500 m, when a light signal of power 100 mW emerges out of fibre with 90 mW. 5

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