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JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD

B. Tech I Year I Semester Examinations, March/April - 2023

APPLIED PHYSICS

(Common to CE, ME, ECE, EIE, AE, BT, MIE, PCE, CSE(AI&amp;ML), CSE(IOT), AI&amp;DS, AI&amp;ML)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

**Note:** This question paper contains two parts A and B.i) **Part - A** for 10 marks, ii) **Part - B** for 50 marks.

- Part-A is a compulsory question which consists of ten sub-questions from all units carrying equal marks.
- Part-B consists of **ten questions** (numbered from 2 to 11) **carrying 10 marks each**. From each unit, there are two questions and the student should answer one of them. Hence, the student should answer five questions from Part-B.

**PART - A****(10 Marks)**

- 1.a) What is blackbody? [1]
- b) Define Symmetry in solids [1]
- c) State Hall effect. [1]
- d) List out applications of BJT. [1]
- e) State pyroelectric. [1]
- f) What are the applications of Energy Materials? [1]
- g) Define Nano. [1]
- h) Illustrate applications of nanomaterials. [1]
- i) What is acronym LASER? [1]
- j) What is total internal reflection? [1]

**PART - B****(50 Marks)**

- 2.a) Explain Stefan-Boltzmann's law.
  - b) Discuss Born interpretation of the wave function. [5+5]
- OR**
- 3.a) List out assumptions of Drude & Lorentz free electron theory.
  - b) Explain Fermi-Dirac distribution of electrons. [5+5]
- 4.a) Explain working principle of Zener diode.
  - b) Illustrate working mechanism of PIN diode in forward and reverse bias. [5+5]
- OR**
- 5.a) With a neat diagram, describe working principle of Avalanche Photo Diode (APD).
  - b) Distinguish between intrinsic and extrinsic semiconductors. [5+5]
- 6.a) What is ferroelectricity? Explain properties of ferroelectric materials.
  - b) Write a note on bubble memory devices. [5+5]

**OR**

- 7.a) Write a note on multiferroics.  
b) Explain construction and working principle of rechargeable ion batteries. [5+5]

- 8.a) Explain quantum confinement phenomenon.  
b) Discuss fabrication of nanomaterials using Physical Vapor Deposition (PVD). [5+5]

**OR**

- 9.a) Write a note on combustion methods.  
b) Discuss surface to volume ratio in nanomaterials. [5+5]

- 10.a) Describe construction and working mechanism of Nd:YAG laser.  
b) Write a note on optical fiber for communication system [5+5]

**OR**

- 11.a) Discuss construction and working principle of Argon ion Laser.  
b) Derive an expression for acceptance angle numerical aperture. [5+5]

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