

U.G. 4th Semester Examination - 2024

# PHYSICS

[HONOURS]

Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)

Course Code : PHY-H-SEC-T-2(A-D)

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hours

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

**Answer all the questions from Selected Option.**

## OPTION-A

PHY-H-SEC-T-2A

(Weather Forecasting)

### GROUP-A

1. Answer any five questions: 2×5=10
- a) What is particulate matters?
  - b) What is Global warming potential?
  - c) How satellites are useful in weather forecasting?
  - d) What are Van Allen Belts?
  - e) Define acid rain.

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- f) What is catabetic wind?
- g) Define Easterly Jet Stream.
- h) Define lapse rate.

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### GROUP-B

2. Answer any **two** questions: 5×2=10
- a) Draw a diagram of temperature variation up to 100 km altitude.
  - b) Describe the forces acting to produce wind.
  - c) Explain the Electron density profile of ionosphere. How would you do the mapping of wind speed? 3+2
  - d) What is climate change? Describe how climate is changed over a period of time in a particular region. 2+3

### GROUP-C

3. Answer any **two** questions: 10×2=20
- a) What is the importance of measuring meteorological parameters? Describe medium range weather forecasting. 5+5
  - b) What is DALR? Compute the relation between DALR and SALR.

- c) What are the different methods of weather forecasting? Explain.
- d) Give a schematic diagram of the cloud structure of a typical thunderstorm. Highlight the charge separation zone.

**OPTION-B**

**PHY-H-SEC-T-2B**

**(Renewable Energy & Energy Harvesting)**

**GROUP-A**

1. Answer any **five** questions:  $2 \times 5 = 10$
- a) What is solar module?
  - b) What are the basic applications of geothermal energy?
  - c) Define solar constant and declination angle.
  - d) What are clean energy sources?
  - e) Define geothermal drilling.
  - f) How does a tide originate?
  - g) What is wind turbine?
  - h) State Lambert's Law.

**GROUP-B**

2. Answer any **two** questions:  $5 \times 2 = 10$
- a) Write note on fossil fuel and its limitations.
  - b) Wind turbine produces electromagnetic interference. – Discuss.
  - c) Discuss the production of electricity by dry stream power plant.
  - d) Briefly discuss the working of solar water heater.

## GROUP-C

3. Answer any **two** questions:  $10 \times 2 = 20$

- a) Discuss the mathematical models of devices to harvest electromagnetic energy.
- b) What is wind turbine? Discuss construction and working of a turbine.  $2+4+4$
- c) What is Hydroelectricity? Explain the origin of hydroelectricity and its advantages.  $2+4+4$
- d) Write short notes on (any **two**):  $5+5$ 
  - i) Ocean energy
  - ii) Solar pond
  - iii) Geothermal energy

**OPTION-C**  
**PHY-H-SEC-T-2C**  
**(Radiation Safety)**

**GROUP-A**

1. Answer any **five** questions:  $2 \times 5 = 10$
- a) Distinguish between nuclear fission and fusion with example.
  - b) What is Bremsstrahlung Process?
  - c) Write down main characteristics of X-ray.
  - d) Write two biological effects of ionizing radiation.
  - e) Define range of  $\alpha$  particle. On what factor does range depend?
  - f) What are long-range  $\alpha$ -particle? What is their origin?
  - g) What are Auger Electron?
  - h) Can an Auger electron be emitted when a metal is bombarded with visible light?

**GROUP-B**

2. Answer any **two** questions:  $5 \times 2 = 10$
- a) Explain how the stability of a nucleus can be studied with the help of graph drawn between the binding energy per nucleon and mass number.



- b) What is KERMA? How KERMA is different from absorbed dose? 2+3
- c) i) The mass of hydrogen atom and neutron are 1.008142 and 1.008982 amu respectively. Calculate binding energy per nucleon of Boron -10 ( mass=10.01612 amu)
- ii) Explain the term 'mass defect' and 'binding energy' of a nucleus. 3+2
- d) Briefly explain operation of Geiger-Muller Counter (GM). What is meant by 'dead time' of a GM counter. 4+1

### GROUP-C

3. Answer any two questions: 10×2=20

- a) i) Explain the terms absorbed dose, effective dose and equivalent dose.

2+2+2

- ii) Calculate the mass defect, binding energy and binding energy per nucleon for nickel nuclei. Given:

Mass of  ${}_{28}^{64}\text{Ni}$  nucleus = 63.9126 a.m.u.,

$m_p = 1.007285$  a.m.u.,  $m_n = 1.008665$

a.m.u. and 1 a.m.u. = 931 MeV. 1+2+1

- b) i) Explain principle, construction and working of ionization chamber.
- ii) Differentiate between ionization chamber and GM counter.
- iii) Explain, Dead time and Recovery time of a GM counter.  $(2+2+2)+2+2$
- c) Explain briefly (with one example) for application nuclear techniques in
- i) Archaeology
- ii) Medical science
- iii) Crime detection
- iv) Art
- v) Mining  $2+2+2+2+2$
- d) i) What is Compton effect? Deduce the relation between the increase in wavelength and the angle scattering.
- ii) Write down Einstein's photoelectric equation and explain photoelectric effect.  $(1+4)+(1+4)$



## OPTION-D

PHY-H-SEC-T-02D

### (Technical Drawing)

1. Answer any **five** questions: 2×5=10

- a) Draw the projections of a point A Which is at 40 mm above HP and 25 mm in front of V.P.
- b) What is RF?
- c) Define directing circle.
- d) What is a conic section?
- e) Name drawing instrument and accessories required for technical drawing.
- f) What is full form of CAD? Define AutoCAD?
- g) Write name of two terms each, used in projection of line and planes.
- h) What is the application of diagonal scale?

2. Answers any **two** questions: 5×2=10

- a)
  - i) Draw an ellipse using Eccentricity Method if distance of focus from the directrix is 70 mm and eccentricity is  $\frac{3}{4}$ .
  - ii) Name different methods used to construct ellipse. 3+2

- b) i) Define Plane of Projection (POP)  
ii) Explain Isometric and oblique parallel projection of solid. 1+4

- c) What do you mean by cone and conic sections?  
Define : Circle, Ellipse, Parabola. 2+3

- d) Draw a parabola whose focus is at a distance of 50 mm from the directrix. Draw a tangent and normal at any point on it. 5

3. Answer any **two** questions: 10×2=20

- a) i) How do you make a 3d drawing in 2d in AutoCAD?

- ii) Mention the function of following eight AutoCAD command

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- iii) What are dimensioning tools in AutoCAD?

- iv) Draw following circle using AutoCAD command. Centre (95,52) and radius = 16 units. 2+4+2+2

- b) i) Explain Orthographic projection of solids.

- ii) Write down principle of projection in technical drawing.

- iii) Name different method used in technical drawing for construction of Parabola and Hyperbola.
- iv) Define Cycloidal curves  $2+2+4+2$
- c) Write down the advantages of CAD. Name two systems of projection. Draw a vernier scale of meters when 1mm represents 25cm and mark on it a length of 24.4cm and 23.1mm. Define vertical trace of a line.  $(3+2)+(3+2)$
- d) Draw a straight line of length 7.5 cm. Divide the line into five equal parts. Explain the concept of precision drawing and why it is important CAD.  $4+2+2+2$
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