

திருவள்ளூர் மாவட்டம்

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## SECOND MID TERM TEST - 2024

Standard XII

Reg.No.

### PHYSICS

Part - I

Time : 1.30 hrs

Marks : 50  
10 x 1 = 10

I. Choose the correct answer:

- The transverse nature of light is shown in  
a) interference    b) diffraction    c) scattering    d) polarisation
- Light transmitted by Nicol prism is  
a) partially polarised    b) unpolarised  
c) plane polarised    d) elliptically polarised
- Type of material which emits white light in LED:  
a) GaInN    b) SiC    c) AlGaP    d) GaAsP
- First diffraction minimum due to a single slit of width  $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  cm is at  $30^\circ$ . Then wavelength of light used is  
a)  $400 \text{ \AA}$     b)  $500 \text{ \AA}$     c)  $600 \text{ \AA}$     d)  $700 \text{ \AA}$
- In Bohr atom model when the principal quantum number (n) increases the velocity of electron  
a) increases and then decreases    b) increases  
c) decreases    d) remains constant
- The wavelength  $\lambda_e$  of an electron and  $\lambda_p$  of a photon of same energy E are related by  
a)  $\lambda_p \propto \lambda_e$     b)  $\lambda_p \propto \sqrt{\lambda_e}$     c)  $\lambda_p \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_e}}$     d)  $\lambda_p \propto \lambda_e^2$
- The threshold wavelength for a metal surface whose photoelectric work function is 3.313 eV is  
a)  $4125 \text{ \AA}$     b)  $3750 \text{ \AA}$     c)  $6000 \text{ \AA}$     d)  $2062 \text{ \AA}$
- Emission of electrons by the absorption of heat energy is called \_\_\_\_\_ emission.  
a) photoelectric    b) field    c) thermionic    d) secondary
- The charge of cathode rays particle is  
a) positive    b) negative    c) neutral    d) not defined
- A light of wavelength 500 nm is incident on a sensitive metal plate of photo electric work function 1.235 eV. The kinetic energy of the photo electrons emitted is ( $h = 6.6 \times 10^{-34}$  JS)  
a) 0.58 eV    b) 2.48 eV    c) 1.24 eV    d) 1.16 eV

Part - II

II. Answer any 5 questions. (Q.No.14 is compulsory)

5 x 2 = 10

- State Brewster's law.
- Mention the difference between interference and diffraction.

13. Define : Work function of a metal. Give its unit.
14. Calculate the momentum of an electron with kinetic energy 2 eV.
15. State Malus law.
16. Define : Stopping potential
17. What is meant by excitation energy?
18. Calculate the radius of  $^{197}_{79}\text{Au}$

## Part - III

III. Answer any 5 questions. (Q.No.20 is compulsory)

5 x 3 = 15

19. Differentiate between Fresnel and Fraunhofer diffraction.
20. The ratio of maximum and minimum intensities in an interference pattern is 36:1. What is the ratio of the amplitude of the two interfering waves?
21. List of uses of polaroids.
22. Derive an expression for de-Broglie wavelength of electrons.
23. List out the characteristics of photons.
24. Write a note in applications of X-ray in
  - i) Industries
  - ii) Scientific research
25. Discuss the alpha decay process with an example.
26. Write the properties of cathode rays.

## Part - IV

IV. Answer all the questions.

3 x 5 = 15

27. a) Obtain the law of radioactivity.  
(OR)
- b) Obtain Einstein's photo electric equation with the necessary explanation.
28. a) Discuss the spectral series of hydrogen atom.  
(OR)
- b) Obtain the equation for bandwidth in Young's double slit experiment.
29. a) Describe briefly Davisson-Germer experiment which demonstrated the wave nature of electrons.  
(OR)
- b) Explain about compound microscope and obtain the equation for magnification.

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