

TVL12P

Tirunelveli District  
Common Second Mid Term - 2024



Standard 12

PHYSICS

Part - I

Time: 1.30 Hours

Marks: 35

Choose the correct answer:

10×1=10

- The transverse nature of light is shown in
  - interference
  - diffraction
  - scattering
  - polarisation
- The momentum of electron beam having wavelength  $2\text{Å}$  is
  - $6.626 \times 10^{-24} \text{ kgms}^{-1}$
  - $6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ kgms}^{-1}$
  - $3.315 \times 10^{-24} \text{ kg}$
  - $3.313 \times 10^{24} \text{ kgms}^{-1}$
- Emission of electrons by the absorption of heat energy is called ..... emission
  - Photoelectric
  - Field
  - Thermionic
  - Secondary
- Two radiations with photon energies 0.9eV and 3.3 eV respectively are falling on a metallic surface successively. If the work function of the metal is 0.6eV, then the ratio of maximum speeds of emitted electrons in the two cases will be
  - 1 : 4
  - 1 : 3
  - 1 : 1
  - 1 : 9
- If the mean wavelength of light from sun is taken as 550 nm and its mean power as  $3.8 \times 10^{26} \text{ W}$  then the average number of photons received by the human eye per second from sunlight is of the order of
  - $10^{45}$
  - $10^{42}$
  - $10^{54}$
  - $10^{51}$
- The radius of atomic nucleus  ${}_{13}^{27}\text{Al}$  is
  - 1.2 F
  - 2.6 F
  - 3.6 F
  - 3.2 F
- The ratio of energies of hydrogen atom in the first three orbits is
  - $1 : \frac{1}{4} : \frac{1}{9}$
  - 1 : 4 : 9
  - 1 : 9 : 4
  - $\frac{1}{2} : \frac{1}{4} : \frac{1}{8}$
- A radio active element has  $N_0$  number of nuclei at  $t=0$ , The number of nuclei remaining after half of a half life (that is at time  $t = \frac{1}{2} \pi / 2$ )
  - $N_0 / 2$
  - $N_0 / \sqrt{2}$
  - $N_0 / 4$
  - $N_0 / 8$
- The density of atomic nuclei is nearly
  - $2.3 \times 10^{17} \text{ kgm}^{-3}$
  - $3.2 \times 10^{17} \text{ kgm}^{-3}$
  - $2.3 \times 10^{-17} \text{ kgm}^{-3}$
  - $2.3 \times 10^{19} \text{ kgm}^{-3}$
- A radio active nucleus (initial mass number A and atomic number Z) emits two  $\alpha$  particles and 2 positrons. The ratio of number of neutrons to that of proton in the final nucleus will be
  - $\frac{A-Z-4}{Z-2}$
  - $\frac{A-Z-2}{Z-6}$
  - $\frac{A-Z-4}{Z-6}$
  - $\frac{A-Z-12}{Z-4}$

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## Part - II

Answer any three of the following. Q.No. 14 is compulsory.

3×2=6

- 11) What is presbyopia?
- 12) Define : stopping potential
- 13) List any four characteristics of photons
- 14) The radius of the 5<sup>th</sup> orbit of hydrogen atom is  $13.25\text{\AA}$ . Calculate the de-broglie wavelength of the electron orbiting in the fifth orbit
- 15) Define: 1 curie.

## Part - III

Answer any three of the following. Q.No. 17 is compulsory.

3×3=9

- 16) Give the applications of photocells
- 17) Calculate the cutoff wavelength and cutoff frequency of X rays from an X ray tube of accelerating potential 20,000V.
- 18) Write note on Nicol prism
- 19) Explain in detail the nuclear force.
- 20) Discuss the spectral series of hydrogen atom.

## Part - IV

2×5=10

Answer all the questions.

- 21) Obtain the law of radioactivity

(OR)

- 22) Obtain Einsteins photoelectric equation with necessary explanation
- 22) Explain J.J. Thomson experiment to determine the specific charge of electron

(OR)

Describe briefly Davission - Germer experiment which demonstrated the wave nature of electrons.

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(ANSWER KEY)I) Choose the correct answer:

1) d) Polarisation.

2) c)  $3.815 \times 10^{-24} \text{ kg m s}^{-1}$ .

3) c) Thermionic

4) b) 1:3

5) a)  $10^{45}$ 

6) c) 3.6 F

7) b) 1:4:9

8) b)  $\frac{N_0}{\sqrt{2}}$ 9) a)  $2.3 \times 10^{17} \text{ kg m}^{-3}$ 10) b)  $\frac{A-2-2}{2-6}$ II

14) Given data:

$$n = 5$$

$$r = 13.25 \text{ \AA} = 13.25 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}$$

$$\lambda = ?$$

Solution:

$$2\pi r = n\lambda$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2 \times 3.14 \times 13.25 \times 10^{-10}}{5}$$

$$\lambda = 16.64 \text{ \AA}$$

III

14) Given data:

Accelerating potential,  $V = 20000V$ cut-off wavelength,  $\lambda_0 = ?$ cut-off frequency,  $\nu_0 = ?$ 

Solution:

cut-off wavelength of x-rays is given by,

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{12,400}{V} \text{ \AA}$$

$$= \frac{12400}{20000}$$

$$\lambda_0 = 0.62 \text{ \AA}$$

cut-off frequency is,

$$\nu_0 = \frac{c}{\lambda_0}$$

$$= \frac{3 \times 10^8}{0.62 \times 10^{-10}}$$

$$= 4.84 \times 10^{18}$$

$$\nu_0 = 4.84 \times 10^{18} \text{ Hz}$$