

National University of Computer & Emerging Sciences, Karachi Fall-2023 CS-Department



MID – II Exam

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Section:		

Instructions:

Time: 60 minutes.

- Attempt all questions.
- Return the question paper with your answer sheet.
- Read each question completely before answering it. There are 3 questions and 2 pages.
- All the answers must be solved according to the sequence given in the question paper.

Max Marks: 30 points **Ouestion 1: Oscillations CLO - 5** [10]

- a. An oscillator consists of a block attached to a spring (k = 400 N/m). At some time, t, the position (measured from the system's equilibrium location), velocity, and acceleration of the block are x = 0.2 m, v = -15.5 m/s, and a = -145 m/s² Calculate (i) the frequency of oscillation. (ii) the of the block mass [4]
- b. In a mass-spring system placed horizontally, the mass has a kinetic energy of 3 J and the spring has an elastic potential energy of 2 J when the block is at x=2.0 cm. (i) What is the kinetic energy when the block is at x = 0? What is the elastic potential energy when the block -2.0 is at (ii) cm and (c) \boldsymbol{x} \boldsymbol{x} [2]
- a. For a damped oscillator, m = 260 g, k = 84 N/m, and b = 75 g/s. (i) what is the period of the motion? (ii) How long does it take for the amplitude of the damped oscillations to drop to one-fourth of its initial value? [4]

CLO - 6 Ouestion 2: Wave Motion [10]

- a. The linear density of a string is 1.6 x 10⁻⁴ kg/m. A transverse wave on the string is described by the equation $y = (0.021 \text{ m}) \sin[(2.0 \text{ m}^{-1})x + (30 \text{ s}^{-1})t]$.
 - What are (i) the wave speed and (ii) the transverse velocity, and (iii) the transverse acceleration? [4]
- b. What phase difference between two identical traveling waves, moving in the same direction along a stretched string, results in the combined wave having an amplitude 1.5 times that of the common amplitude of the combining two waves?
- c. Discuss the motion of water particles and type of water waves.(not more than 5 lines) [3]

- a. Initially, sphere A has a charge of =50e and sphere B has a charge of = -20e. The spheres are made of conducting material and are identical in size. If the spheres then touch, what is the resulting charge on sphere A?
- **b.** In Fig-1 particles 1 and 2 of charges $q1=q2=+3.2 \times 10^{-19}C$ are on a y axis st ad istance d=17cm from the origin. Particle 3 of charge $q3=6.4 \times 10^{-19}C$ is moved gradually the x axis from x=0 to x=+5m. At what values of x will the magnitude of the electroststice force on the third particle be (i) Minimum and (ii) Maximum? What are the (iii)minimum and (iv) maximum magnitudes ? [4]

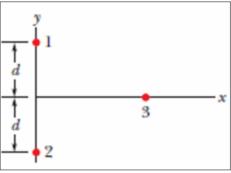


Fig -1

c. In Fig-2., the four particles are fixed in place and have charges q1 = q2 = 5e, q3 = 3e, and q4 = 12e. Distance d = 5.0 mm. What is the magnitude of the net electric field at point P due to the particles? $(e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{C}, \text{k} = 9 \times 10^9)$

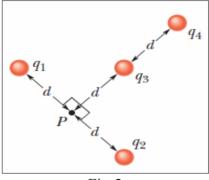


Fig-2

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