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Assignment-Unit 4, May-2020

B. Tech. II (Div. A to Div. F) PH 113 S2: Physics of Materials and Nuclei

Instructions: 1. All questions are compulsory
2. Submit before 31st May 2020

Q.1 Write the answers of following questions.

- 1. Define: Magnetic fields, Magnetic Induction (B), Magnetic Moment (μ_m), Magnetic Field Intensity (H), Magnetisation (M), Permeability, Magnetic susceptibility (χ)
- 2. Discuss the properties and effect of external fields on the dia, para and ferromagnetic materials.
- 3. What are ferromagnetic domains? Draw B-H curve for ferromagnetic material and identify retentivity and coercive fields on the curve. What is the energy loss per cycle?
- 4. Distinguish between soft and hard magnetic materials.
- 5. Distinguish between Anti-ferro and Ferri magnetic materials.
- 6. A magnetic material has a magnetisation(M) of 3400Am⁻¹ and magnetic flux density (B) of 0.0048 Wbm⁻². Calculate the magnetic field strength (H) and the relative permeability of the material.
- 7. A magnetic field strength of 2×10^5 Am⁻¹ is applied to paramagnetic material with relative permeability of 1.01. Calculate the value of B and M.
- 8. What are the assumptions introduced by Drude-Lorentz to explain classical free electron theory of metals? Discuss the achievements and failures of this model.
- 9. State Wiedmann-franz Law. Deduce this law using the results of classical free electron theory.
- 10. If Widemann-Franz law is valid under quantum mechanical treatment, compute the electrical resistivity of copper at 20 0 C if the thermal conductivity at this temperature is 380 W m⁻¹ K⁻¹.
- 11. A copper wire of length 0.5 meter and diameter 0.3 mm has a resistance 0.12 Ω at 20°C. If the thermal conductivity of copper at 20°C is 390 W m⁻¹ K⁻¹, calculate Lorentz number. Compare this value with the value predicted by classical free electron theory.
- 12. What is Superconductivity? Give an elementary account of superconductivity.
- 13. Write a short note on Meissner Effect.
- 14. Explain Type I and II superconductors. Also briefly discuss the important property changes during the transition.
- 15. For a specimen of V_3Ga , the critical fields are respectively 1.4×10^5 and 4.2×10^5 A/m for 14K and 13 K. Calculate the transition temperature and critical fields at 0 K and 4.2 K.