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## **ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELD THEORY**

*Time Allotted*: 3 Hours Full Marks: 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

#### GROUP - A

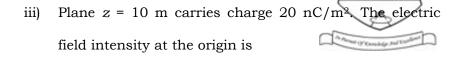
## (Multiple Choice Type Questions)

Choose the correct alternatives for any ten of the following: 1.

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- If a vector field Q is solenoidal, which of the following is i) true?
  - a)  $\oint Q \cdot dl = 0$  b)  $\oint Q \cdot ds = 0$
  - $\nabla \times Q = 0$
- d)  $\nabla^2 Q = 0$ .
- An electric potential field is produced by two point ii) charges  $1\mu C$  and  $4\mu C$  located at (-2, 1, 5) and (1, 3, -1). The energy stored in the field is
  - a) 2.57 mJ
- b) 5·14 mJ
- 10·28 mJ c)
- d) none of these.

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b) 
$$-18 \pi \hat{k} \text{ V/m}$$

c) 
$$-72\pi \hat{k} \text{ V/m}$$

d) 
$$-360\pi \hat{k} \text{ V/m}.$$

iv) Which of the following is zero?

For a Cartesian point (-3, 4, -1), which of the following v) is correct?

a) 
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 b)  $r = \sqrt{26}$ 

c) 
$$0 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{1}\right)$$

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 d)  $\varphi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)$ .

Which of the following potentials does not satisfy vi) Laplace's equations?

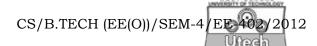
a) 
$$V = 2x + 5$$

b) 
$$V = \frac{10}{r}$$

c) 
$$V = r \cos \varphi$$

d) 
$$V = 10xy$$
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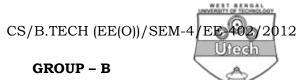


- vii) Two identical coaxial circular coils carry the current but in opposite directions. The magnitude of the field B at a point on the axis midway between the coils is
  - a) zero
  - the same as that produced by one coil b)
  - twice as that produced by one coil c)
  - half that produced by one coil. d)
- viii) Plane y = 0 carries a uniform current of 30k mA/m. At (1,10,-2) the magnetic field intensity is
  - a)  $-15\hat{i}$  mA/m b)  $15\hat{i}$  mA/m
  - $477 \cdot 5 \hat{j} \, \text{mA/m}$
- d) none of these.
- The electric field component of a wave in free space is ix)  $E = 10\cos(10^7 t + kz)^{\circ}$  V/m. It can be inferred that
  - the wave propagates along  $\hat{j}$ a)
  - b) the wavelength  $\lambda = 188 \cdot 5 \text{ m}$
  - the amplitude is 10 V/m c)
  - both (b) and (c) are correct. d)

- x) What is the major factor for determining whether the medium is a free space, lossless dielectric, lossy dielectric or a good conductor?
  - a) Attenuation constant
  - b) Constitutive parameters ( $\sigma, \varepsilon, \mu$ )
  - c) Loss tangent
  - d) Reflection coefficient.
- xi) Which of the following does not satisfy the wave equation?
  - a)  $50e^{i\omega(t-3z)}$
- b)  $\sin \omega (10z + 5t)$
- c)  $(x+2t)^2$
- d)  $\cos^2(y+5t)$ .
- xii) The poyting vector physically denotes the power density leaving or entering a given volume in a time varying field.
  - a) True

b) False.

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# (Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer any three of the following.

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- 2. An EM wave travels in free space with electric field component,  $E = 100e^{i(0.8669+0.5z)}$  i V/m. Determine
  - a)  $\omega$  and  $\lambda$
  - b) the magnetic field component
  - c) the time average power.

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- 3. a) A magnetostatic field never delivers energy to a charged particle moving in that field. Explain.
  - b) A charged particle of mass 2 kg and charge 3C starts at appoint (1, -2, 0) with velocity  $4\hat{i}+3\hat{k}$  m/s in an electric field  $12\hat{i}+10\hat{j}$  V/m. At time t=1 s, determine
    - i) the acceleration of the particle
    - ii) its velocity
    - iii) its K.E.

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4. State Ampere's circuital law and hence find out  $\nabla \times H$ . Find the magnetic field intensity due to an infinite sheet of current. 2+3

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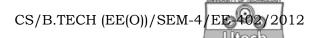
- a) What is uniqueness theorem ? Give the general procedures to find the solution for Laplace's and Poisson's equations.
  - b) In a one dimensional device, the charge density is given by  $\rho = \rho_0 x/a$ . If E = 0 at x = 0 & V = 0 at x = a. Find V and E.

## **GROUP - C**

## (Long Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following.  $3 \times 15 = 45$ 

- 6. a) Express gradient and divergence operator in cylindrical coordinate system.
  - b) Prove that  $\oint \nabla T \cdot dl = 0$ , where *T* is any scalar function.
  - c) State and explain the fundamental theorem of divergence and hence show  $\nabla . E = \rho / \epsilon_0$ . 5 + 5 + 5
- 7. a) Find out the expression for electric field intensity due to an infinite sheet of uniform charge density  $\sigma$  in the *x-y* plane and hence show that the intensity is independent of the distance from the sheet.
  - b) Derive the expression for electrostatic energy stored in a continuous distribution of charge. 8 + 7



- 8. a) Determine the charge densities due to each of the following electric flux densities :
  - i)  $D = (r \sin \varphi) \hat{r} (3r \cos \varphi) \hat{\varphi} + (z^2) \hat{k}$
  - ii)  $D = (2\cos\theta/r^3)\hat{r} + (\sin\theta/r^3)\hat{\theta} C/m^2$
  - b) A spherical charge distribution is given by

$$\rho = \begin{cases} \rho_0 r / \alpha & , r < \alpha \\ 0 & , r > \alpha \end{cases}$$

Find V and E everywhere.

- 7 + 8
- 9. a) Derive the boundary conditions for E and D for
  - i) Dielectric Dielectric interface
  - ii) Dielectric Conductor interface.
  - b) Derive the magnetic boundary conditions.
  - c) Using Biot-Savart law find the magnetic field intensity due to a straight filamentary conductor. Also find the value when the conductor is infinitely long. 5 + 4 + 6

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