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Advanced Electrodynamics  
Course: PYL111  
Minor-1

Time: 1 hr

Marks: 20

Read before you start:

1. No need to show any systematic calculations in your answer sheet.
2. You have to only tick the right option(s) in the question paper itself and you must submit it at the end of the examination alongside of the rough work that you have done in the answer-sheet. If any calculations/rough works is done in the question paper, it will lead to cancelation of the paper.
3. There is negative marking for each wrong answer, which is  $1/4^{\text{th}}$  of the marks assigned to the respective questions.

Part-1

Answer ALL questions:  $10 \times 1 = 10$

1. To eliminate electric field interference, electronic devices are enclosed in

- A. wooden box ☒ B. metal box ☒ C. plastic box ☒ D. any box ☒

2. System international unit of electric flux is

- ☒ A.  $\text{NM}^2\text{C}^{-1}$  ☒ B.  $\text{NM}^2\text{C}$  ☒ C.  $\text{NM}^1\text{C}^{-1}$  ☒ D.  $\text{M}^2\text{C}^{-1}$

3. Lines of force between two plates are directed from

- ☒ A. negative to negative ☒ B. positive to positive ☒ C. negative to positive ☒ D. positive to negative

4. If charge particle  $2e$  falls at potential difference of 6 V, then energy required to fall will be

- A. 19 J ☒ B. 19.2 J ☒ C.  $19 \times 10^{-19}$  J ☒ D.  $19.2 \times 10^{-19}$  J ☒

5. Two potentials  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  satisfy Laplace's equation within a closed volume and assume the same values on its surface. Then

- ☒ A.  $V_1 = V_2$  ☒ B.  $V_1 - V_2 \neq 0$  ☒ C.  $V_1$  may or may not be equal to  $V_2$  ☒ D. none of these

6. The function  $P_n(x)$  is even if  $n$  is: (A)

- ☒ A. even ☒ B. odd ☒ C. zero only ☒ D. none of these

7. A point charge  $q$  is held at a distance  $2a$  from the centre of an isolated, uncharged, conducting sphere of radius  $a$ . The potential of the sphere is:

- A. zero ☒ B.  $q/4\pi\epsilon_0 a$  ☒ C.  $q/2\pi\epsilon_0 a$  ☒ D.  $q/8\pi\epsilon_0 a$  ☒

8. Two conducting planes are inclined at an angle of  $30^\circ$  to each other. A point charge is placed between them. The number of image charges required to evaluate the potential is: (Blank)

- A. 12 ☒ B. 11 ☒ C. 10 ☒ D. 9

9. Which of the following statement is true for electrical image?

- A. It's always equal and opposite to the real charge ☒

B. It may be real or virtual ☒

C. It's always virtual ☒

D. It's always equal in magnitude to the real charge ☒

10. Two equal charges  $q$  are placed a distance  $d$  apart in front of an infinite earthed conducting plane such that each charge is at a distance  $d/2$  from the plane. Magnitude of force on each charge is:

A.  $3q^2/16\pi\epsilon_0 d^2$  B.  $5q^2/32\pi\epsilon_0 d^2$

C.  $3q^2/2\pi\epsilon_0 d^2$

D.  $11q^2/12\pi\epsilon_0 d^2$

## Part-2

Answer ALL questions:

1. Two similar point charges are kept separated by a distance  $2d$  in air. Now an earthed conducting sphere of radius  $R$  is placed midway between them. Assuming  $d \gg R$ , if the introduction of the sphere just neutralizes the repulsive force existing between the point charges, the approximate value of  $R$  needs to be:

A.  $d/6$

B.  $d/9$

C.  $d/24$

D.  $d/32$

E.  $d/8$

F.  $d/64$

G.  $d/14$

H.  $d/2$

I.  $d/3$

2. Consider a spherical shell of radius  $a$  with a surface charge distribution  $\sigma(\theta) = \sigma_0 \cos\theta$ , where  $\sigma_0$  is a constant and  $\theta$  is the polar angle. The potential at any inside and outside point are:

A.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (\sigma_0/3\epsilon_0)r\cos\theta$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (\sigma_0 a^3/3\epsilon_0)(\cos\theta/r^2)$

B.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (\sigma_0/4\epsilon_0)(r^2\cos\theta/a)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (2\sigma_0 a^3/3\epsilon_0)(\sin\theta/r^2)$

C.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (3\sigma_0/4\epsilon_0)(r^3\cos\theta/a)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (4\sigma_0 a^3/\epsilon_0)(\sin\theta/r^3)$

D.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (3\sigma_0/4\epsilon_0)(11r^2\cos\theta/a^2)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (21\sigma_0 a^3/\epsilon_0)(33\sin\theta/r^4)$

E.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (3\sigma_0/\epsilon_0)(11r\cos\theta/a^2)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (21\sigma_0 a^5/\epsilon_0)(2\cos\theta/r^3)$

F.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (2\sigma_0/\epsilon_0)(r\cos\theta/a^4)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (9\sigma_0 a^5/\epsilon_0)(1/2)(\csc\theta/r^3)$

G.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (4\sigma_0/3\epsilon_0)(r\sin\theta/a^3)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (7\sigma_0 a^5/5\epsilon_0)(1/2)(\sec\theta/r^3)$

H.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (\sigma_0/\epsilon_0)(r\csc\theta/a)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (\sigma_0 a^5/\epsilon_0)(1/2)(\tan\theta/r^3)$

I.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (\sigma_0/\epsilon_0)(r\csc\theta/a^4)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (\sigma_0 a^5/\epsilon_0)(1/2)(\cot\theta/r^3)$

3. A charge density  $\sigma = A\sin 5\theta$  is glued over the surface of an infinite cylinder of radius  $R$ , where  $A$  is a constant. The potential at any inside and outside points are:

A.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (Ar^5\sin 5\theta/10\epsilon_0 R^5)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (AR^5\sin 5\theta/10\epsilon_0 r^5)$

B.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (A^5r^5\sin 5\theta/5\epsilon_0 R^5)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (R^5\sin 5\theta/A^5 10\epsilon_0 r^5)$

C.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (Ar\sin\theta/\epsilon_0 R)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (R\sin\theta/A\epsilon_0 r)$

D.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (Ar^2\sin 5\theta/10\epsilon_0 R^6)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (AR^5\sin 5\theta/10\epsilon_0 r^6)$

E.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (Ar^5\sin 5\theta/10\epsilon_0 R^4)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (AR^6\sin 5\theta/10\epsilon_0 r^5)$

F.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (Ar^5\sin 5\theta/25\epsilon_0 R^4)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (AR^5\sin 5\theta/25\epsilon_0 r^5)$

G.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (Ar^5\sin 5\theta/8\epsilon_0 R^5)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (AR^5\sin 5\theta/8\epsilon_0 r^5)$

H.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (Ar^5\sin 5\theta/10\epsilon_0 R^5)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (AR^6\sin 5\theta/10\epsilon_0 r^5)$

I.  $V_{\text{inside}} = (Ar^5\sin 5\theta/5\epsilon_0 R^4)$  and  $V_{\text{outside}} = (AR^6\sin 5\theta/5\epsilon_0 r^5)$

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