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Name of the Paper : Engineering Physics - 1

Name of the Course : B. Tech. (IT and

Mathematical

Innovations)

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Instructions for Candidates

- 1. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
- 2. Question No. 1 is compulsory.
- 3. Answer any FOUR questions from Question No. 2 to Question No. 6.

- 1. Explain any **TWO** of the following experiments (theory, experimental set up, procedure, observations, calculations, errors). $(10\times2=20)$
 - (a) Use of least square method in measurement of g using simple pendulum
 - (b) Study of friction
 - (c) Spring constant by dynamic method
 - (d) Measurement of g by Kater's pendulum
- 2. What is a compound pendulum? Prove that there are four points of oscillation about which the time period of a compound pendulum is identical. How do we use this information to construct a bar pendulum and use it to measure g? (10)
- 3. Draw the diagram of a coupled pendulum and formulate the equations of motion. Solve the coupled equations using the method of normal modes. Draw

the symmetric, anti-symmetric and general behaviour, and explain the physics behind these specific oscillations. (10)

- 4. Derive the general equation of rocket motion and find the final velocity of the rocket after time t_f in the presence of earth's gravitational field. Why do we need to burn the fuel rapidly? Determine the centre of mass of a two-dimensional uniform right triangular plate of mass M, base b, height h, and small thickness t. (10)
- 5. Formulate and solve the equation of motion for the damped harmonic oscillator. Prove that the energy dissipates exponentially. Derive the expression for the Q-factor and state how it is useful. What is damping time and how can we measure it experimentally for a damped harmonic oscillator? (10)

6. Conceptualise a Start-up based on an innovation that uses Physics concepts from mechanics. State the novelty of the product/solution, how user will benefit from it, design, mass production, and commercialization plans. (10)