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Physics (PH 1201)

Full Marks: 50

Time: 90 mins

Answer all the questions

Please submit Group A and Group B as separate pdf file

Group-A

1. (a) $\{[(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{\nabla})\varphi - (\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A})\varphi]\} = ?$ (b) State the mathematical form of Divergence Theorem. (c) Evaluate $\oint_S \vec{R} \cdot \hat{N} ds$ where S is the surface of a sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$ and \vec{R} is the position vector.

[1+2+2]

2. (a) Find out the value of $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E}$ for a time-independent magnetic field. (b) State Gauss's law for electrostatics in differential form. (c) Find the charge density (in S.I units) at (2, 0) and at (7, 0) if the electric field in a region is given by, $\vec{E} = 4x^2\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j}$ for $0 < x < 3$

$$= 4b^2\hat{i} \text{ for } x > 3.$$

[1+1+3]

3. (a) The mean lifetime of a μ meson when it is at rest is $\tau_0 = 2.2 \times 10^{-6}$ sec. Calculate the average distance it travels in vacuum before decaying, if its velocity be 0.99c. (b) The measured volume of a cube is l_0^3 when kept at rest. One side of the cube is aligned to x-axis. Find its volume measured by an observer who is moving with a constant speed of v ($v \sim c$) along positive x-axis with respect to it. (c) Write down energy-momentum relation in relativistic mechanics. (d) An electron of energy 10 MeV ($>>$ greater than rest energy, 0.511 MeV). Calculate its momentum and corresponding de-Broglie wave length.

[2+3+1+3]

4. (a) Calculate the change in the wavelength of an x-ray of wave length 0.04 nm that undergoes a 90° Compton scattering from an electron. (b) Find out the energy eigenvalue of the given wave function: $\psi = Ae^{-i\omega t}$, where A is a constant. (c) Find out the expectation value of momentum operator of a wave function given as $\varphi = \sqrt{\frac{2}{L}} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{L}x\right)$ in the range (0, L).

[1+2+3]

Group-B

4. (a) Show that the average power in forced oscillation is $F^2 R / 2Z_m^2$, and at resonance it is: $F^2 / 2R$. Here the notations have their usual meanings. (b) Find out the normal frequencies and normal coordinates of a stiffness coupled system of two simple harmonic oscillators.

[3+(4+2)]

5. (a) Derive the expression of intensity distribution of Fraunhofer N-slit diffraction pattern. Find the conditions of maxima and minima. What is meant by a plane polarized light?
(b) Draw the energy level diagram of a four-level laser system. Obtain the frequency of oscillation of a wave in an optical resonator.

[(4+4+2) + (3+3)]