

HCU (Ph.D-Physics-2014)
SECTION - A

Q1. The value of the line integral of the vector $\vec{A} = (2x\hat{i} + 3x\hat{j} - z\hat{k})$ from the point $P(5,0,0)$ to $Q(0,5,0)$ along the straight line path PQ is

- (a) 12.5 (b) 25 (c) 0 (d) 50

Q2. The equation $\left| \frac{z-3}{z+3} \right| = 2$ (where z is a complex variable) represents

- (a) a straight line passing through the point $(-3,3)$
 (b) a pair of straight lines
 (c) a circle of radius 4
 (d) an ellipse with a major axis of length 3 and minor axis of length 2

Q3. The singularities of the function

$$\frac{\ln(z-2)}{(z^2 - 2z + 2)^2}$$

are:

- (a) Second-order poles at $z = 1 \pm i$ and a branch point singularity at $z = 2$
 (b) Second-order poles at $z = -1 \pm i$ and a branch point singularity at $z = 2$
 (c) Second-order poles at $z = -1 \pm i$ and a branch point singularity at $z = -2$
 (d) Second-order poles at $z = 1 \pm i$ and a branch point singularity at $z = -2$

Q4. The value of the integral $\int_0^{\infty} x^3 e^{-x} dx$ is given by

- (a) 3 (b) 6 (c) $\sqrt{\pi}$ (d) $\sqrt{\pi}/3$

Q5. Consider a classical particle of mass m moving in a central field of force which can be derived from a potential $V(r)$. If we consider the radial motion only, then what is the effective potential in which the radial motion with angular momentum l occurs?

- (a) $V(r) + \frac{l}{2mr}$ (b) $V(r) + \frac{l^2}{2mr}$ (c) $V(r) + \frac{2l^2}{mr^2}$ (d) $V(r) + \frac{l^2}{2mr^2}$

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Q6. A rigid body consists of 8 point masses sitting at the vertices of a regular octagon. How many degrees of freedom does the system have in a three-dimensional space?

- (a) 24 (b) 16 (c) 11 (d) 6

Q7. The Lagrangian of a system is given by

$$L = \frac{1}{2} m_1 \dot{x}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 \dot{x}_2^2 + k(x_1^2 x_2 - x_1 x_2^2)$$

If the canonical momenta corresponding to x_1 and x_2 are p_1 and p_2 respectively, then the Hamiltonian corresponding to L is given by

- (a) $\frac{p_1^2}{2m_1} + \frac{p_2^2}{2m_2} + k(x_1^2 x_2 - x_1 x_2^2)$ (b) $\frac{p_1^2}{2m_1} + \frac{p_2^2}{2m_2} + k(x_1^2 x_2 + x_1 x_2^2)$
 (c) $\frac{p_1^2}{2m_1} + \frac{p_2^2}{2m_2} - kx_1^2 x_2 + kx_1 x_2^2$ (d) $\frac{p_1^2}{2m_1} + \frac{p_2^2}{2m_2} - kx_1^2 x_2 - kx_1 x_2^2$

Q8. It is given that the potential at a point \vec{r} due to a charge distribution is

$$\psi = \frac{qe^{-kr}}{r}$$

The electric field $\vec{E}(\vec{r})$ is then given by

- (a) $\frac{q}{r^2} e^{-kr} \left(\frac{1}{r} + k \right) \vec{r}$ (b) $\frac{q}{r^2} e^{-kr} \left(\frac{2}{r} + k \right) \vec{r}$
 (c) $\frac{q}{r^2} e^{-kr} \left(r + \frac{k}{r} \right) \vec{r}$ (d) $\frac{q}{r} e^{-kr} \left(1 + \frac{k}{r^2} \right) \vec{r}$

Q9. The ratio of skin depth in copper at 1000 Hz to that at 10^8 Hz is approximately equal to

- (a) 3.1×10^4 (b) 2.1×10^2 (c) 3.1×10^2 (d) 10^5

Q10. The vector potential in a certain region of space is given by

$$\vec{A}(\vec{r}, t) = K(y \cos \omega t \hat{i} + x \sin \omega t \hat{j})$$

The magnetic field $\vec{B}(\vec{r}, t)$ is then given by

- (a) $K[\sin(\omega t) + \cos(\omega t)] \hat{k}$ (b) $K[\sin(\omega t) - \cos(\omega t)] \hat{k}$
 (c) $K[\sin(\omega t) - \cos(\omega t)] \hat{j}$ (d) $K[\sin(\omega t) + \cos(\omega t)] \hat{i}$

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- Q11. What is the magnitude of the magnetic induction B at the centre of a current loop of radius a carrying a current I ?
- (a) $\frac{\mu_0 I}{2a}$ (b) $\frac{\mu_0 I}{2a^2}$ (c) $\frac{\mu_0 a}{2I}$ (d) $\frac{\mu_0 a^2}{2I}$
- Q12. For the wave function $\psi = Ae^{-ax^2 - i\frac{E}{\hbar}t}$, the probability current density \vec{J} is such that
- (a) $\vec{J} = 0$ (b) $\vec{J} \neq 0$ but $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J} = 0$
(c) $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J} \neq 0$ but $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{J} + \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = 0$ (d) \vec{J} is non-zero but constant
- Q13. The total probability $P = \int d^3x \psi^*(\vec{x}, t)\psi(\vec{x}, t)$ is conserved
- (a) for all states and under unitary time evolution
(b) only for stationary states and under unitary time evolution
(c) for all states and under both unitary and non-unitary time evolution
(d) only for stationary states and under both unitary and non-unitary time evolution
- Q14. For what value of ϵ does $e^{i\epsilon kx - i\omega t}$ (where $k > 0, \omega > 0$) represent a plane wave travelling along the negative x -axis?
- (a) $\epsilon = 1$ (b) $\epsilon = -1$ (c) $\epsilon = i$ (d) $\epsilon = -i$
- Q15. If ψ_0 is the ground state wave function of the Hamiltonian H belonging to the eigenvalues E_0 and ϕ is any arbitrary normalized wave function (different from ψ_0) then $\langle \phi | H | \phi \rangle$
- (a) is always lower than E_0
(b) can never be higher than E_0
(c) may be higher or lower than E_0 depending on ϕ
(d) is always higher than E_0
- Q16. The specific heat of a non-magnetic metal can be expected to behave at low temperature as
- (a) $AT + BT^3$ (b) $AT + Be^{-\frac{k_B T}{E}}$ (c) $AT + BT^2$ (d) $AT^2 + BT^3$

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- Q17. The paramagnetic susceptibility of a free electron gas at low temperature is
- (a) proportional to temperature T (b) proportional to $\frac{1}{T}$
- (c) proportional to T^2 (d) independent of T
- Q18. Consider a system of a particle in a two-level system with energy levels as 0 and E . The average energy of the system is
- (a) $\frac{E}{2}$ (b) $\frac{E}{2}k_B T$ (c) $\frac{Ee^{\frac{-E}{k_B T}}}{1+e^{\frac{-E}{k_B T}}}$ (d) $E\left(1+e^{\frac{-E}{k_B T}}\right)$
- Q19. How many branches of elastic (phonon) model of vibration are possible along the $[111]$ direction of a Germanium crystal that crystallizes in diamond structure?
- (a) 3 acoustic branches only
- (b) 3 optical branches only
- (c) 3 acoustic branches and 3 optical branches
- (d) 3 acoustic branches and 6 optical branches
- Q20. The harmonic approximation for thermal vibration of atoms in crystal lattice cannot explain the following property of solids:
- (a) Thermal expansion (b) Electrical conductivity
- (c) Dulong and Petit law (d) Debye specific heat
- Q21. A spectrum for a molecule was recorded in the infrared region. This has to do with
- (a) transition between two electronic levels
- (b) transition between the vibrational levels of one electronic state to the vibrational state of another electronic level
- (c) transition between the vibrational levels of one electronic state to another vibrational state of the same electronic level
- (d) transition between the rotational levels of one vibrational state to a rotational state of the same vibrational state

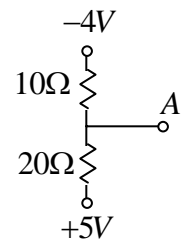
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- Q22. The normal and anomalous Zeeman effect refer to transitions between
- two electronic levels and their vibration levels respectively in the presence of an external electric field
 - atomic states where only singlet and non-singlet states respectively are involved in the presence of an external magnetic field
 - two electronic levels and their vibrational levels respectively in the presence of an external magnetic field
 - transitions between vibrational and rotational levels respectively in the presence of an external magnetic field.
- Q23. Among the following, which particles do not undergo strong interaction?
- Baryons
 - Mesons
 - Hadrons
 - Leptons
- Q24. In the figure given, what is the voltage at the point marked A? (All voltages are referenced to ground):
- +0.5 V
 - +2.0 V
 - 1.0 V
 - 0.5 V
- Q25. When the voltage gain of an amplifier is decreased, the band-width
- increases
 - decreases
 - is not affected
 - becomes discrete



SECTION - B

- Q26. The coefficient of $(x-2)^3$ in the Taylor expansion of e^x around $x = 2$ is
- $\frac{1}{3!}$
 - $\frac{2^3}{3!}$
 - $\frac{e^{-2}}{3!}$
 - $\frac{e^2}{3!}$
- Q27. The differential equation $x \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$
- Under the change of variable from x to t with $x = t^2$ becomes
- $t^2 \frac{dy}{dt} + 6y = 0$
 - $t \frac{dy}{dt} + 12y = 0$
 - $\frac{dy}{dt} + 6t^2 y = 0$
 - $t \frac{dy}{dt} + 3y = 0$

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Q28. The operator defined as

$$\nabla = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \text{ is equal to}$$

- (a) $\frac{\partial}{\partial z}$ (b) $\frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z^*}$ (c) $2 \frac{\partial}{\partial z^*}$ (d) $2 \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$

Q29. What is the residue of

$$f(z) = \frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z+1)^2(z^2+4)} \text{ at } z = 2i ?$$

- (a) $\frac{-4-4i}{(2i+1)^2 i}$ (b) $\frac{7+i}{25}$ (c) $\frac{7-2i}{25}$ (d) $\frac{-4-4i}{(2i+1)^2}$

Q30. The value of $\nabla^2 \left[\vec{\nabla} \cdot \left(\frac{\vec{r}}{r^2} \right) \right]$ is equal to

- (a) $\frac{1}{r^4}$ (b) $\frac{4}{r^4}$ (c) $\frac{3}{r^4}$ (d) $\frac{2}{r^4}$

Q31. The value of the integral $\oint \frac{e^z}{(z^2 + \pi^2)^2} dz$ over a closed contour which is a circle $|z| = 4$ is:

- (a) $\frac{i}{\pi}$ (b) $i\pi$ (c) $2\pi^2 i$ (d) $\pi^2 i$

Q32. The Jacobian of the transformations:

$$x = \frac{u+v}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad y = \frac{u-v}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ is equal to}$$

- (a) 1 (b) 0 (c) $\sqrt{2}$ (d) 2

Q33. Which of the following equations:

(i) Newton's equations; (ii) Maxwell's equations is/are invariant under the transformations: $\vec{x} = \vec{x} - \vec{v}t, t' = t$?

- (a) Both (i) and (ii) (b) Neither (i) and (ii)
(c) Only (i) (d) Only (ii)

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- Q34. A particle of mass m moves in a circular orbit of radius a under the action of a central force whose potential is $V(r) = b^2mr^4$, where b is positive constant. For what angular momentum will the orbit be a circle of radius a ?
- (a) $4bma^3$ (b) $2ma^2\sqrt{b}$ (c) $2mb^2a^3$ (d) $2bma^3$

- Q35. The Lagrangian

$$L = e^{\gamma t} \left[\frac{1}{2} m \dot{q}^2 - \frac{1}{2} k q^2 \right]$$

describes a

- (a) simple harmonic oscillator of amplitude γ
 (b) damped-driven oscillator of damping factor γ and driving force $\sin \gamma t^2$
 (c) driven oscillator of driving force $\sin \gamma t$
 (d) damped harmonic oscillator of damping factor γ
- Q36. A sphere of mass m moves in a tube that rotates in the $x-y$ plane about the z -axis with a constant angular velocity ω . The Lagrange equation for the system is given by
- (a) $\ddot{r} + \omega^2 r = 0$ (b) $\ddot{r} - \omega^2 r = 0$
 (c) $\ddot{r} + \omega^2 r \sin \omega t = 0$ (d) $\ddot{r} - \omega^2 r \cos \omega t = 0$
- Q37. For what value of α , the transformations: $q = \sqrt{(2\alpha P)} \sin Q$, $p = \sqrt{(2\alpha P)} \cos Q$
- (a) 1 (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ (c) 2 (d) 0

- Q38. The Hamiltonian for a three dimensional isotropic harmonic oscillator is given by

$$\frac{1}{2} \left[p_1^2 + p_2^2 + p_3^2 + \mu^2 (q_1^2 + q_2^2 + q_3^2) \right]$$

$G = \mu q_1 \cos(\mu t) + \epsilon p_1 \sin(\mu t)$, is a constant of motion when

- (a) $\epsilon = 0$ (b) $\epsilon = 1$ (c) $\epsilon = -1$ (d) $\epsilon = \frac{1}{2}$

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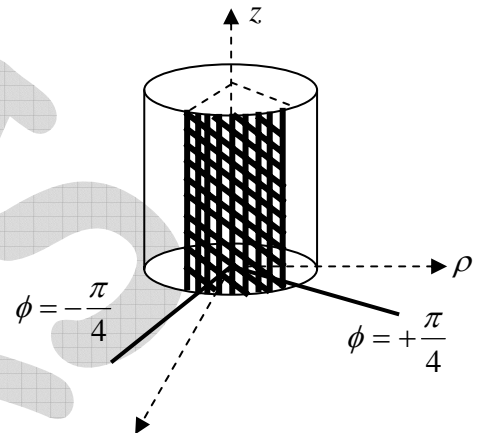
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Q39. Assume that our space contains a positive unit charge distributed uniformly over the surface of a sphere of a radius a . The corresponding electrostatic energy in Gaussian units is given by

- (a) $\frac{1}{a}$ (b) $\frac{1}{\pi a^2}$ (c) $\frac{1}{2a}$ (d) $\frac{1}{4\pi a}$

Q40. A radius field $\vec{B} = \frac{3}{\rho} \cos \phi \hat{\rho}$ exists in free space. What is the magnetic flux ϕ (in Wb) crossing a cylindrical surface (shown in figure) defined by $-\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \phi \leq \frac{\pi}{4}, 0 \leq z \leq 1m$?

- (a) 0.0 (b) 4.24
(c) 42.4 (d) 424.0

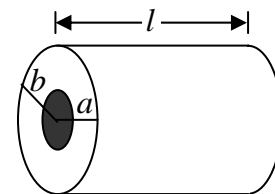


Q41. Consider two concentric spherical shells of inner radius $0.1 m$ and outer radius $1.0 m$. The inner shell is maintained at potential $1 V$ while the outer shell is grounded. The potential in the free space between the two shells is given (in Volt) by

- (a) $-\frac{1}{9} \left(\frac{1}{r} - 1 \right)$ (b) $-\frac{1}{9} \left(\frac{1}{r} + 1 \right)$ (c) $\frac{1}{9} \left(\frac{1}{r} + 1 \right)$ (d) $\frac{1}{9} \left(\frac{1}{r} - 1 \right)$

Q42. What is the resistance of insulation (of conductivity σ) in a length l of a coaxial cable as shown in the figure below?

- (a) $\frac{1}{2\pi\sigma} \ln \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)$ (b) $\frac{1}{2\pi l\sigma} \ln \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)$
(c) $\frac{1}{l\sigma} \ln \left(\frac{2\pi b}{\sigma a} \right)$ (d) $\frac{2\pi}{l\sigma} \ln \left(\frac{ab}{l^2} \right)$



Q43. It is given that the electric field in $\vec{E} = E_0 \sin(\omega t - \beta z) \hat{j}$ in free space. What is the magnetic field \vec{H} at $t = 0$?

- (a) $\frac{\beta E_0}{\omega \mu_0} \sin(\beta z) \hat{i}$ (b) $\frac{\beta E_0}{\omega \mu_0} \sin(\beta x) \hat{k}$
(c) $\frac{\beta E_0}{\omega \mu_0} \cos(\beta z) \hat{i}$ (d) $\frac{\beta E_0}{\omega \mu_0} \cos(\beta x) \hat{k}$

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Q44. It is given that the electric field is $\vec{E}(z,t) = 50 \cos(\omega t - \beta z) \hat{i} \left(\frac{V}{m} \right)$ in free space. What is the average power crossing a circular area of radius 2.5 m in the plane $z = \text{constant}$?

(Given that $\sqrt{\frac{\mu_0}{\epsilon_0}} = 120\pi\Omega$)

- (a) 56.2 W (b) 65.2 W (c) 12.6 W (d) 24.6 W

Q45. If a and a^\dagger are the lowering and rising operators respectively in the case of a harmonic oscillator, and $U = e^S$, where $S = aa^\dagger - \alpha^* \alpha$, α being a constant, then $U^\dagger a U$ is given by

- (a) $a - \alpha$ (b) $a^\dagger + \alpha$ (c) $a - a^* \alpha$ (d) $a + \alpha$

Q46. A spin $\frac{1}{2}$ particle is at rest with spin s_z pointing “up” (i.e. $s_z = +\frac{1}{2}$). After a rotation of the coordinates by an angle θ about y -axis, the probability that s_z will be pointing “down” (i.e., $s_z = -\frac{1}{2}$) is

- (a) $\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$ (b) $\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$ (c) $\sin^2 \theta$ (d) $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$

Q47. Consider the gravitational force between the proton and the electron in the hydrogen atom as a perturbation. It is given that the mass of the electron is m the mass of the proton is M and the ground state wave function of the hydrogen atom is $\psi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi a^3}} e^{-\frac{r}{a}}$,

where a is constant. What is the first order perturbative correction to the ground state energy?

- (a) $\frac{-GMm}{2a}$ (b) $\frac{-2GMm}{a}$ (c) $\frac{-GMm}{a}$ (d) $\frac{GMm}{a}$

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Q48. A particle is acted on by a force $F = -kx$ along the x -axis. the energy (E_n) for this particle in *WKB* approximation depends on the quantum number n as; $E_n \propto n^x$, where x is equal to

- (a) $-\frac{1}{2}$ (b) -2 (c) $+1$ (d) $+\frac{1}{2}$

Q49. Which of the operators \hat{A}_1 and \hat{A}_2 defined by

$$\hat{A}_1\phi(x) \equiv \phi^2(x) \quad ; \quad \hat{A}_2\phi(x) \equiv \sin[\phi(x)]$$

is/are linear?

- (a) \hat{A}_1 (b) \hat{A}_2
(c) Both \hat{A}_1 and \hat{A}_2 (d) Neither \hat{A}_1 nor \hat{A}_2

Q50. Two identical spin 0 particles are in an infinite square well potential of length a . One of them is in the ground state and the other in the first excited state. The wave function ψ for the system is given by

- (a) $\psi(x_1, x_2) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x_1}{a}\right) + \sin\left(\frac{2\pi x_2}{a}\right)$
(b) $\psi(x_1, x_2) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x_1}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{2\pi x_2}{a}\right)$
(c) $\psi(x_1, x_2) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x_1}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{2\pi x_2}{a}\right) + x_1 \leftrightarrow x_2$
(d) $\psi(x_1, x_2) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x_1}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{2\pi x_2}{a}\right) - x_1 \leftrightarrow x_2$

Q51. The state of a one-dimensional harmonic oscillator at time $t = 0$ is given by

$$|\psi(t=0)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle + |2\rangle)$$

where $|n\rangle$ is the n^{th} energy eigenstate. Then the expectation value of its energy at time t is

- (a) $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}\hbar\omega$ (b) $\frac{3}{2}\hbar\omega$ (c) $3\hbar\omega$ (d) $\frac{3}{2}\hbar\omega e^{-2i\omega t}$

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- Q52. A particle of mass m is bound in one dimension by potential $F|x|$, where F is a positive constant. What would be the variational energy of the ground state of the system if you choose a trial function as

$$\psi = \left(\frac{2\alpha^2}{\pi} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} e^{-\frac{\alpha^2 x^2}{2}} ?$$

- (a) $\left(\frac{\hbar^2 F^2}{2m} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ (b) $\left(\frac{\hbar^2 F^2}{2\pi m} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ (c) $\left(\frac{\hbar^2 F^2}{\pi m} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ (d) $1.5 \left(\frac{\hbar^2 F^2}{2\pi m} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

- Q53. A classical system of N distinguishable non-interacting particles each of mass m is placed in a three-dimensional harmonic well: $V(r) = \frac{r^2}{2b}$. The canonical partition function per particle of the system is proportional to

- (a) T (b) T^2 (c) T^3 (d) T^4

- Q54. Consider an ideal gas of N identical particles held at temperature T . If E_k denotes the energy of a particle in state k , the Helmholtz free energy of the system is given by

- (a) $-Nk_B T \ln \left(\sum_k e^{\frac{-E_k}{k_B T}} \right)$ (b) $-Nk_B T \ln \left(\sum_k e^{\frac{-E_k}{k_B T}} \right) + k_B T \ln N$
 (c) $-Nk_B T \ln \left(\sum_k e^{\frac{-E_k}{k_B T}} \right) + k_B T \ln N!$ (d) $-Nk_B T \ln \left(\sum_k e^{\frac{-E_k}{k_B T}} \right) + Nk_B T \ln N!$

- Q55. An ideal gas of N particles, each of mass m , at temperature T is subjected to an external force whose potential energy has the form $V = Ax$, with $A > 0$, and $0 \leq x \leq \infty$. What is the average potential energy per particle?

- (a) $\frac{1}{2} k_B T$ (b) $k_B T$ (c) $\frac{3}{2} k_B T$ (d) $3k_B T$

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- Q56. A harmonic oscillator with energy levels $E_n = \left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right)\hbar\omega$ is in thermal contact with a heat bath at temperature T . What is the ratio of the probability of the oscillator being in the first excited state to the probability of its being in the ground state?
- (a) $e^{\frac{-\hbar\omega}{k_B T}}$ (b) $e^{\frac{-2\hbar\omega}{k_B T}}$ (c) $\frac{1}{2}$ (d) $e^{\frac{-\hbar\omega}{2k_B T}}$
- Q57. consider a system of N independent particles, each of spin $\frac{1}{2}$ and magnetic moment μ , located in a magnetic field B . The average energy of the system is given by
- (a) $-N\mu B \tanh\left(\frac{\mu B}{k_B T}\right)$ (b) $-N\mu B \tanh\left(\frac{\mu B}{2k_B T}\right)$
(c) $N\mu B \tanh\left(\frac{\mu B}{2k_B T}\right)$ (d) $-N\mu B \coth\left(\frac{\mu B}{k_B T}\right)$
- Q58. Which of the following lines does the diffraction pattern of metallic sodium likely to contain?
- (a) (111) (b) (110) (c) (220) (d) (200)
- Q59. It is given that the Fermi energy of Na is $3.1 eV$ and the average relaxation time for electron's collision in Na is 3.3×10^{-14} sec. What is the conductivity of Na in e.s.u.?
- (a) $2.1 \times 10^{12} \text{ sec}^{-1}$ (b) $2.1 \times 10^{17} \text{ sec}^{-1}$
(c) $2.1 \times 10^{19} \text{ sec}^{-1}$ (d) $2.1 \times 10^{14} \text{ sec}^{-1}$
- Q60. A beam of electrons with kinetic energy $1 keV$ is diffracted as it passes through a metal foil of cubic crystal structure with a spacing 1 \AA . What is the approximate value of the Bragg angle for the first-order diffraction maximum?
- (a) 5.7° (b) 30° (c) 17.5° (d) 11.2°
- Q61. consider a one-dimensional metal of length L with one free electron per atom and a lattice spacing d at $T = 0K$. The Fermi energy of this system is proportional to
- (a) d (b) d^{-1} (c) d^{-2} (d) $d^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

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Q62. According to London's equation for a superconductor:

$$\frac{\partial \vec{j}}{\partial t} = \left(\frac{c^2}{4\pi\lambda_L^2} \right) \vec{E}$$

(a) $\lambda_L = \left(\frac{4\pi mc^2}{mq^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

(b) $\lambda_L = \left(\frac{nc^2}{4\pi mq^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

(c) $\lambda_L = \left(\frac{mc^2}{4\pi nq^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

(d) $\lambda_L = (mc^2 4\pi nq)^{\frac{1}{4}}$

Q63. In a certain reference frame, a particle has a total energy of 5 GeV and a momentum of $3 \frac{\text{GeV}}{c}$ ($c =$ velocity of light). What are the rest mass of the particle and its velocity respectively?

(a) $\frac{4\text{GeV}}{c^2}, \frac{3}{5}c$

(b) $\frac{4\text{GeV}}{c^2}, \frac{2}{5}c$

(c) $\frac{9\text{GeV}}{c^2}, \frac{1}{5}c$

(d) $\frac{4\text{GeV}}{c^2}, \frac{2}{5}c$

Q64. for two isospin $\frac{1}{2}$ particles $\vec{I}^{(1)}, \vec{I}^{(2)}$ in triplet and singlet states respectively are

(a) $\frac{3}{4}, -\frac{1}{4}$

(b) $\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{3}{4}$

(c) $-\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$

(d) $\frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}$

Q65. A 2 MeV neutron is emitted in a fission reactor. If it loses half its kinetic energy in each collision with a moderator atom, how many collisions must it undergo to reduce its energy to 0.039 eV ?

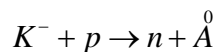
(a) 10

(b) 55

(c) 40

(d) 26

Q66. The following reaction



is forbidden. The reason is the non-conservation of

(a) strangeness

(b) isospin

(c) baryon number

(d) energy

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Q67. An atom is capable of exciting in two states: a ground state of mass M and an excited state of mass $M + \Delta$. If the transition from the ground to the excited state proceeds by the absorption of photon, the photon frequency ν in the laboratory, where the atom is initially at rest is

$$(a) \nu = \frac{c^2 \Delta}{h} \left(1 + \frac{\Delta}{2M} \right)$$

$$(b) \nu = \frac{c \Delta}{h} \left(1 + \frac{\Delta}{2M} \right)$$

$$(c) \nu = \frac{c^2 \Delta}{h} \left(1 - \frac{\Delta}{2M} \right)$$

$$(d) \nu = \frac{c^2 \Delta^2}{2Mh}$$

Q68. The full Doppler width of the emission line from argon atoms ($A = 40, z = 18$) (of wavelength $\lambda = 500 \text{ nm}$) at temperature $T = 300 \text{ K}$ is approximately

$$(a) 0.144 \text{ nm}$$

$$(b) 1.44 \text{ nm}$$

$$(c) 14.4 \text{ nm}$$

$$(d) 0.0144 \text{ nm}$$

Q69. An atomic level emitting photons is found to have a lifetime of 1 microsecond. The minimum linewidth of the emission is expected to be around

$$(a) 2 \times 10^{10} \text{ Hz}$$

$$(b) 2 \times 10^9 \text{ Hz}$$

$$(c) 2 \times 10^7 \text{ Hz}$$

$$(d) 2 \times 10^5 \text{ Hz}$$

Q70. Three methods are available for numerically solving a polynomial $f(x) = 0$ with the following convergence relations respectively:

$$(i) |\epsilon_{n+1}| = M_1 \epsilon_n^2$$

$$(ii) |\epsilon_{n+1}| = M_2 \epsilon_n, \text{ and}$$

$$(iii) |\epsilon_{n+1}| = M_3 \epsilon_n^\alpha$$

where $\alpha = 1.618$ and M_1, M_2, M_3 are constants. The order in which they converge from slowest to fastest, is

$$(a) 1, 2, 3$$

$$(b) 2, 3, 1$$

$$(c) 1, 3, 2$$

$$(d) 3, 2, 1$$

Q71. The load line of a transistor circuit is given by $2V_{CE} + I_C = 20$ where V_{CE} and I_C are measured in V and mA respectively. What are the values of V_{CC} and R_C for this circuit if $R_E = 0$?

$$(a) 10V, 500 \Omega$$

$$(b) 20V, 2 k\Omega$$

$$(c) 12V, 4.7 k\Omega$$

$$(d) 10V, 400 \Omega$$

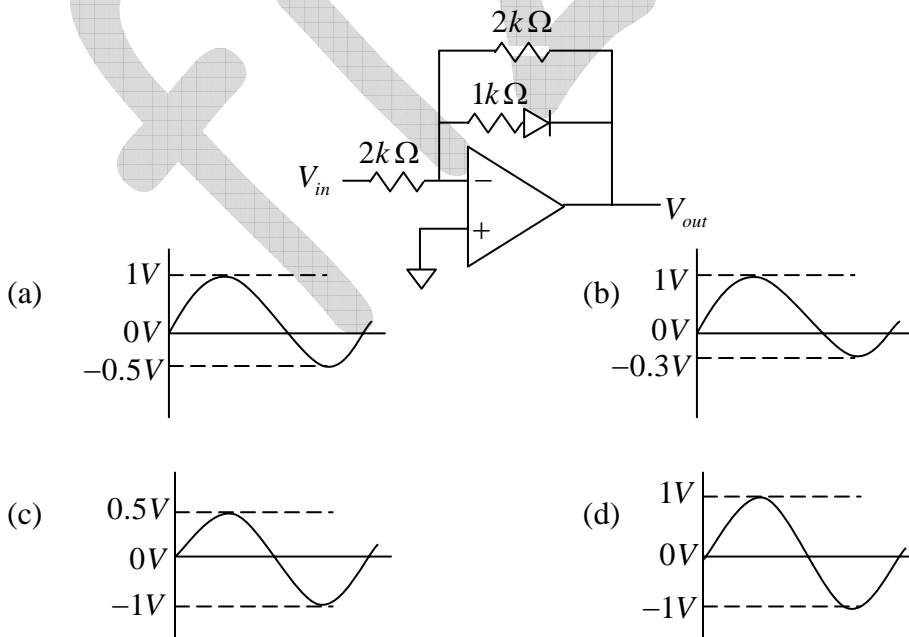
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- Q72. The minimum number of logic gates that are required to implement the following logic function $F(A, B, C) = \sum(0, 2, 4)$ with don't care condition $D(A, B, C) = \sum(3, 6)$ is
 (a) 5 (b) 3 (c) 2 (d) 1
- Q73. The small signal parameter h_{fc} of a bipolar transistor is 80. When the base current is increases by about $16 \mu A$, the collector current increases by
 (a) 15 mA (b) 1.3 mA (c) 15 μA (d) 0.2 μA
- Q74. An Operational Amplifier (Op -Amp) with open loop gain of $A_{OL} = 100,000$, input impedance of $Z_{in(OL)} = 1 M\Omega$ and output impedance of $Z_{out(OL)} = 50 \Omega$ is used to construct a voltage follower. What are the effective input impedance ($Z_{in[VF]}$) and output impedance ($Z_{out[VF]}$) of this voltage follower?
 (a) 1 M Ω and 50 M Ω (b) 100 G Ω and 500 $\mu\Omega$
 (c) 100 k Ω and 500 Ω (d) Infinity and zero
- Q75. A sinusoidal signal of amplitude 1 V is input to the following operational amplifier circuit, where the diode is an ideal one. What is the output?



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