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Second Semester

INTEGRATED MSC BASIC SCIENCE-CHEMISTRY

COMPLEMENTARY - ICH2CM06 - PHYSICS II - MECHANICS AND RELATIVITY

2020 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions. Weight **1** each.

- 1. What you mean by equivalent simple pendulum?
- 2. What is a compound pendulum?
- 3. Define angular velocity. What is its unit?
- 4. State law of conservation of angular momentum.
- 5. Write a note on Beats.
- 6. What are the conditions for an oscillatory motion to be simple harmonic ?
- 7. Plot the acceleration versus time graph of a simple harmonic oscillator.
- 8. What is the difference between inertial frame of reference and non-inertial frame of reference?
- 9. What is the difference between Galilean transformation and Lorentz transformation?
- 10. What is minkowski matric?

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight 2 each.

- 11. An object moves around a circular track of radius 4m. The object makes one revolution in ten seconds. Determine (i) speed of the car and(ii) its centripetal acceleration.
- 12. State and explain parallel axis theorem and perpendicular axis theorem.





- 13. Derive the expression for moment of inertia of a straight rod about an axis passing through its centre and perpendicular to the length of the rod.
- 14. Distinguish between longitudinal and transverse wave and obtain general wave equation
- 15. Prove that energy density of plane progressive wave is half kinetic and half potential .
- 16. Write a note on superposition of waves.
- 17. What is the mean lifetime of a burst of π^{+} mesons travelling with a velocity 0.7c. The proper life time is 2.5X10⁻⁸.
- 18. Explain length contraction.

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. Derive expressions for moment of inertia of a solid sphere(1)about its diameter,(2)about a tangent.
- 20. What is a flywheel? Explain the working and theory of a flywheel.
- 21. Discuss the orgin of damping. Set up the differential equation for damped harmonic oscillator. Discuss different terms involved. Obtain the condition for over damped, under damped and critically damped cases
- 22. Explain the consequences of Lorentz transformation equations.

(2×5=10 weightage)