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[Total Marks : **70**

- Instructions :** (i) Give answer of all the questions in given answer sheet.
(ii) All questions are compulsory.
(iii) Symbols have their usual meaning.
(iv) Figure on right hand side indicates full mark.

1 Select true answer from the given options : **20**

(1) What is Fourier coefficient b_n ?

(A) $\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos mx \, dx$ (B) $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin mx \, dx$

(C) $\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin mx \, dx$ (D) $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos mx \, dx$

(2) What are Fourier coefficient of a series ?

$$\frac{h}{2} + \frac{2h}{\pi} \left(\sin \pi + \frac{\sin 3x}{3} + \frac{\sin 5x}{5} + \dots \right) ?$$

(A) $a_0 = \frac{h}{2}, a_n = \frac{2h}{m\pi}, b_n = \frac{2}{m\pi}$

(B) $a_0 = h, a_n = 0, b_n = \frac{2h}{m\pi}$

(C) $a_0 = \frac{1}{2}, a_n = 0, b_n = \frac{h}{m\pi}(1 - \cos m\pi)$

(D) $a_0 = \frac{h}{2}, a_n = 0, b_n = \frac{h}{m\pi}(1 - \cos m\pi)$

(3) If $f(x)$ is an odd function in interval $(-\pi, \pi)$, then what will be the a_0 , a_n and b_n ?

(A) $a_0 = 0, a_n = 0, b_n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin mx \, dx$

(B) $a_0 = 0, a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos mx \, dx, b_n = 0$

(C) $a_0 = 0, a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \cos mx \, dx, b_n = 0$

(D) $a_0 = 0, a_n = 0, b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \sin mx \, dx$

(4) What is Fourier coefficient b_n for a piecewise monotonic periodic function :

$$F(x) = \frac{\pi^2}{12} - \frac{\pi^2}{4}, \text{ for } -\pi < x < \pi ?$$

(A) 1 (B) 0

(C) $\frac{\cos n\pi}{n^2}$ (D) $\frac{-3 \cos n\pi}{n}$

(5) If $L = \frac{1}{2}(m_1 + m_2)x^2 + m_1gx + m_2g(l - x)$, then $\frac{\partial L}{\partial x} = ?$

(A) $(m_1 + m_2)g$ (B) $(m_1 - m_2)g$

(C) $(m_1 + m_2)x$ (D) $(m_1 - m_2)x$

(6) Which equation of constraint belongs to class holonomic ?

(A) $F_i(r_j, t) = 0$ (B) $F_i(r_j, t) > 0$

(C) $F_i(r_j, t) < 0$ (D) $F_i(r_j, t) \neq 0$

(7) A bob moves on the surface of a sphere. The radius of the sphere is l . The bob is restricted to move in xy-plane only, what will be the generalized coordinates ?

(A) $q = \sin^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$

(B) $q = \cos^{-1} \frac{z}{l}$

(C) $q = \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$

(D) $q = \tan^{-1} \frac{z}{l}$

(8) What is the Lagrange's equation of motion for a conservative holonomic system ?

(A) $\frac{d}{dt} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} = Q$

(B) $\frac{d}{dt} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_j} = 0$

(C) $\frac{d}{dt} \cdot \frac{\partial T}{\partial q_j} - \frac{\partial T}{\partial q_j} = Q$

(D) $\frac{d}{dt} \cdot \frac{\partial V}{\partial q_j} - \frac{\partial V}{\partial q_j} = Q$

(9) What is the equation of constraint of a simple pendulum, if (r, θ) be the coordinates of the bob and l be the length of the pendulum ?

(A) $T = \frac{1}{2}mr^2$

(B) $V = mgr \cos \theta$

(C) $L = T - V$

(D) $r = l$

(10) If $H = 2ml(\theta p_z - mlz \sin \theta) \sin \theta - mgz$; then $\frac{\partial H}{\partial \theta} = ?$

(A) $-mg$

(B) $2ml \theta \sin \theta$

(C) $2ml p_z \sin \theta$

(D) $2ml \sin \theta$

(11) A particle move from $r_1(t_1)$ to $r_2(t_2)$. According to Hamilton's principle, work done in passing from the true path to the virtual path is $\delta w = F \cdot \delta r$. The total force F acting on the particle is the vector sum of the applied force F_a and the force of constraint f_c . The varied consider here is such that no work is done by the force of constraint. With which comment you may agree ?

- (A) Force of constraint and the displacement consider to obtain variation in path are at zero angle to each other.
- (B) Force of constraint and the displacement consider to obtain variation in path are at 45 angle to each other.
- (C) Force of constraint and the displacement consider to obtain variation in path are at 180 angle to each other.
- (D) Force of constraint and the displacement consider to obtain variation in path are at right angle to each other.

(12) An electrical circuit containing an inductance L , resistance R and capacitance C in series with an external electromotive force $\epsilon(t)$. Which statement is relevant with it ?

- (A) Voltage across each element is same.
- (B) Current flowing through R , L and C are different.
- (C) $\text{emf } \epsilon(t)$ is equal to the sum of voltage across each elements.
- (D) Current through R and L is finite but through C is zero.

(13) What is the Hamilton's equation of motion ?

- (A) $\frac{\partial L}{\partial t} = 0, \frac{\partial H}{\partial t} = 0$
- (B) $\frac{\partial H}{dt} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial t}$
- (C) $H = \text{constant}$
- (D) $q_k = \frac{\partial H}{\partial P_k}, P_k = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q_k}$

(14) A particle limited to the x-axis has the wave function $\psi = ax$ between $x = 0$ and $x = l$. $\psi = 0$ elsewhere, what is the expectation value, $\langle x \rangle$, of the particle's position ?

- (A) $\frac{a^3}{3}$ (B) $\frac{a^2}{4}$
 (C) $\frac{a^2}{2}$ (D) $\frac{a^4}{4}$

(15) The kinetic energy is given as $T = \frac{p^2}{2m}$. What is the kinetic energy operator ?

- (A) $ih \frac{\partial}{\partial t}$ (B) $\frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$
 (C) $\frac{\hbar}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ (D) $\frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2}$

(16) $[p, x^3] = ?$

- (A) $-3i \hbar x$ (B) $-3i \hbar x^2$
 (C) $-3i \hbar x^3$ (D) $-3i \hbar x^4$

(17) When a wave function ψ is said to be normalized ?

- (A) $\int_0^\infty |\psi|^2 d^3r = 0$ (B) $\int_{-\infty}^0 |\psi|^2 d^3r = 0$
 (C) $\int_{-\infty}^\infty |\psi|^2 d^3r = 1$ (D) $\int_{-\infty}^\infty |\psi|^2 d^3r \neq 1$

(18) Which of the following is not appropriate to the wave function ?

- (A) ψ must be continuous
 (B) ψ must be single valued everywhere
 (C) ψ must be non normalizable
 (D) ψ must be normalizable

2 (C) Answer any **two** in detail.

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- (1) Expand $F(x) - x \sin x$, for $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$, in Fourier series.

$F(x)$ is piecewise monotonic and periodic function.

- (2) Expand the following function in Fourier series in the interval $(-\pi, \pi)$.

$$f(x) = -\frac{\pi+x}{2} \quad \text{for } -\pi < x < 0$$

$$= \frac{\pi+x}{2} \quad \text{for } 0 < x < \pi$$

- (3) Expand the function $y = \cos 2x$ in a series of sines in the interval of $(0, \pi)$.
- (4) Obtain Lagrange's equations of motion.
- (5) Explain velocity dependent potential of electromagnetic field.

3 (A) Answer any **three** in brief :

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- (1) What is the time dependent form of Schrodinger's equation in three dimensions ?
- (2) Explain operator correspondence.
- (3) When a wave function ψ is said to be normalized ?
- (4) A wave function $\psi(x) = A.e^{ikx}$ is normalized over a region $-\alpha \leq x \leq \alpha$, then $A = ?$
- (5) Evaluate : $[x, p^n]$.
- (6) Show that product of two self-adjoint operators is not necessarily self-adjoint.

3 (B) Answer any **three** :

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- (1) Write fundamental postulates of wave mechanics.
- (2) Show that $(A + B)^\dagger = A^\dagger + B^\dagger$
- (3) Give general features of a particle in a square well potential.
- (4) What is expectation value ? Give expression in case of a non-normalized wave function.
- (5) A particle limited to the x -axis has the wave function $\psi = ax$ between $x=0$ and $x=1$; $\psi = 0$ elsewhere, what is the probability that the particle can be found between $x=0.45$ and $x=0.55$?
- (6) Explain the penetration into classical forbidden region in square well potential.

3 (C) Answer any **two** in detail :

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- (1) Explain even and odd parity of an Eigen functions in case of a square well.
- (2) Show that the Schrodinger's wave equation leads to the satisfaction of classical (Newton's) law of motion on the average.
- (3) Describe theory of Hamilton's equation with help of a simple pendulum with moving support.
- (4) Prove that $[L_z, L_x] = i\hbar L_y$.
- (5) Describe Eigen value problem and degeneracy.