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Time: 30 Minutes [for Answering and Scanning/Uploading the page of the Answer Sheet] per module
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INSTRUCTIONS

1. You have to be available in Google Meet Video Camera throughout the examination hours.
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MODULE - I

(Answer **ANY ONE** question)

- I(1). (a) Explain how X-rays are produced using Coolidge tube. (2)
(b) Derive an expression for the radius of n^{th} dark ring in Newton's rings. (4)
(c) Interference fringes are produced using monochromatic light of wavelength 600 nm falling normally on a wedge shaped film of refractive index 1.4. If the fringe width is 1.2 mm, calculate the angle of the wedge. (3)

OR

- I(2). (a) Explain the interference method for testing the optical plainness of a glass plate. (2)
(b) What are continuous and characteristic X-rays? Explain their origin. (4)
(c) Second order Bragg's reflection is found to occur at an angle 30° from the crystal planes having inter-planar spacing 1.6 Å. Determine the wavelength of X-rays. (3)

MODULE - II

(Answer **ANY ONE** question)

- II(1). (a) Explain the construction and working of a Nicol's prism. (2)
(b) Explain the phenomenon of diffraction of light. Distinguish between Fresnel and Fraunhofer diffraction. (4)
(c) Calculate the grating element of a grating which will just resolve the sodium lines 5890 \AA and 5896 \AA , in the second order of spectrum. (3)

OR

- II(2). (a) What are the differences between positive and negative crystals? (2)
(b) What is meant by resolving power of a plane diffraction grating? Obtain an expression for the resolving power of a grating. (4)
(c) Find the thickness of a quarter wave plate when the wavelength of light used is 5893 nm . Refractive index for ordinary light and extra ordinary light are 1.55 and 1.54 respectively. (3)

MODULE - III

(Answer **ANY ONE** question)

- III(1). (a) How is sound recorded and reproduced using magnetic tape? (2)
(b) With necessary diagrams, explain the structure and working of He-Ne laser. (4)
(c) What are the applications of laser? (3)

OR

- III(2). (a) Explain spontaneous emission and stimulated emission. (2)
(b) What is holography? Write a note on the recording and reconstruction of the hologram. (4)
(c) Explain the terms spatial coherence and temporal coherence. (3)

MODULE - IV

(Answer **ANY ONE** question)

- IV(1). (a) Explain the propagation of light through an optical fiber. (2)
(b) What are the applications of optical fiber? (4)
(c) Calculate the maximum value of the angle of incidence that a ray can make with the axis of a step index fiber placed in air, such that it gets guided through the fiber for the following fiber parameters: $n_1 = 1.6$, $n_2 = 1.5$. (3)

OR

- IV(2). (a) Write a short note on fiber optic sensors. (2)

- (b) Obtain an expression for the numerical aperture of an optical fiber. (4)
- (c) A step index fiber has the following parameters: $n_1 = 1.68$, $n_2 = 1.44$. Calculate the numerical aperture, acceptance angle and critical angle. (3)

MODULE - V

(Answer *ANY ONE* question)

- V(1). (a) Differentiate between type I and type II superconductors. (2)
- (b) Describe the magnetostriction method of producing ultrasonic waves. (4)
- (c) Explain any two applications of ultrasonic waves. (3)

OR

- V(2). (a) Explain the Meissner effect. (2)
- (b) What is superconductivity? Give the BCS theory of superconductivity. (4)
- (c) What is a gyroscope? (3)
