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NOIDA INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY, GREATER NOIDA
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B.Tech

SEM: I - THEORY EXAMINATION (2025 - 2026)

Subject: Engineering Physics

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

General Instructions:

IMP: Verify that you have received the question paper with the correct course, code, branch etc.

1. This Question paper comprises of **three Sections -A, B, & C**. It consists of Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ's) & Subjective type questions.

2. Maximum marks for each question are indicated on right -hand side of each question.

3. Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.

4. Assume suitable data if necessary.

5. Preferably, write the answers in sequential order.

6. No sheet should be left blank. Any written material after a blank sheet will not be evaluated/checked.

SECTION-A

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1. Attempt all parts:-

1-a. Least count of an measuring instrument refers to: (CO1, K2)

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- (a) Maximum measurement
- (b) Minimum reading
- (c) Smallest measurable value
- (d) Zero value

1-b. Calibration eliminates which type of error: (CO1, K2)

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- (a) Random errors
- (b) Systematic errors
- (c) Gross errors
- (d) Parallax errors

1-c. Relative motion is best analyzed using: (CO2, K2)

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- (a) absolute reference frame
- (b) moving coordinate system
- (c) inertial frame
- (d) non-inertial frame

1-d. Rotational analogue of mass is: (CO2, K2)

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- (a) torque
- (b) angular velocity
- (c) moment of inertia
- (d) angular momentum

1-e. In isothermal process internal energy of the system (CO3, K2)

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- (a) Increases rapidly
 (b) remains constant
 (c) decreases rapidly
 (d) none
- 1-f. When the system is in equilibrium with the surroundings, it must be in (CO3, K2) 1
 (a) pressure equilibrium
 (b) temperature equilibrium
 (c) chemical equilibrium
 (d) All of the Above
- 1-g. Bravais lattice consists of _____ space lattices. (CO4, K1) 1
 (a) Eleven
 (b) Twelve
 (c) Thirteen
 (d) Fourteen
- 1-h. X-ray diffraction occurs in crystals because the wavelength of X-rays is of the order of (CO4, K2) 1
 (a) atomic radius
 (b) inter-atomic spacing
 (c) lattice constant squared
 (d) nuclear dimensions
- 1-i. The property of the cell membrane that allows it to regulate the movement of substances in and out of the cell is called: (CO5, K2) 1
 (a) Permeability
 (b) Impermeability
 (c) Selective permeability
 (d) None
- 1-j. Electrical bioinstrumentation is primarily based on measuring: (CO5, K1) 1
 (a) Temperature changes
 (b) Electrical activity from biological sources
 (c) Pressure fluctuations
 (d) Optical signals

2. Attempt all parts:-

- 2.a. What is uncertainty in measurement? (CO1, K1) 2
 2.b. What is relative motion? Give an example. (CO2, K1) 2
 2.c. State the Kelvin- Planck statement of the second law. (CO3, K2) 2
 2.d. Define atomic packing factor. (CO4, K1) 2
 2.e. How many types of molecular forces are there in biological molecules? (CO5, K1) 2

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3. Attempt all parts:-

- 3.a. Answer any one of the following:-

3.a.(i)	A voltage is measured four times as: 270 V, 269 V, 271 V, 268 V. Calculate mean voltage, absolute errors and percentage error from mean. Consider actual voltage to be 270V. (CO1, K3)	6
3.a.(ii)	A thermometer has accuracy $\pm 0.5\%$ of reading. It shows 75°C . Find actual temperature range. (CO1, K3)	6
3.b.	Answer any one of the following:-	
3.b.(i)	A car moves 100 m east and then 60 m west. Find the distance and displacement with direction. (CO2, K3)	6
3.b.(ii)	A hollow cylinder of mass 5 Kg having radius 0.10 m rolling without slipping with linear speed 2 m/s. Find rotational kinetic energy of the cylinder. (CO2, K3)	6
3.c.	Answer any one of the following:-	
3.c.(i)	A heat engine has an efficiency of 30%. If it absorbs 1200 J of heat, find (a) work done and (b) heat rejected. (CO3, K3)	6
3.c.(ii)	Find the thermal efficiency of a Carnot engine whose hot and cold bodies have temperatures of 154°C and 15°C respectively? (CO3, K3)	6
3.d.	Answer any one of the following:-	
3.d.(i)	Calculate the interplanar spacing for the (220) plane of a simple cubic crystal with a lattice parameter of 3.64 \AA . (CO4, K3)	6
3.d.(ii)	Copper has a density of 8.96 gm/cm^3 and an atomic weight of 63.5. Calculate the distance between the two nearest copper atoms in the FCC structure. The Avogadro number is 6.02×10^{23} per kg mole. (CO4, K3)	6
3.e.	Answer any one of the following:-	
3.e.(i)	Calculate the equilibrium potential for sodium ions (Na^+) in a neuron at 310 K, if the outside and inside concentrations of sodium ions (Na^+) are 145 mM and 15 mM, respectively. (CO5, K3)	6
3.e.(ii)	Discuss the concept of molecular machines and motors. (CO5, K2)	6
SECTION-C		50
4.	Answer any <u>one</u> of the following:-	
4-a.	What are systematic errors? Explain different sources of systematic errors and methods to reduce them. (CO1, K2)	10
4-b.	Explain the role of measuring instruments in engineering and technology. Discuss examples of any three instruments used. (CO1, K2)	10
5.	Answer any <u>one</u> of the following:-	
5-a.	State and prove Work–Energy Theorem. (CO2, K3)	10
5-b.	Define impulse and establish its relation with change in momentum. (CO2, K2)	10
6.	Answer any <u>one</u> of the following:-	
6-a.	Define entropy and explain its physical significance. What is the expression for change in entropy in a reversible process. (CO3, K2)	10
6-b.	Define the thermal efficiency of a heat engine. Can its efficiency be 100%? Justify your answer. (CO3, K2)	10
7.	Answer any <u>one</u> of the following:-	
7-a.	Explain the crystal structure of sodium chloride (NaCl). Discuss coordination	10

number, number of atoms per unit cell, and bonding nature. (CO4, K2)

- 7-b. Find the atomic radius for simple cubic, body centered cubic and face centered cubic structures. (CO4, K2) 10
8. Answer any one of the following:-
- 8-a. Describe the electrical properties of biological cells. How is electrical potential difference developed across the cell membrane? (CO5, K2) 10
- 8-b. Describe various molecular forces in biological molecules. (CO5, K2) 10

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