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B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MAY 2019

Second Semester

ELECTRIC AND MAGNETIC PHENOMENA THERMODYNAMICS AND ELEMENTARY SOLID STATE PHYSICS

(Complementary Physics for B.Sc. Chemistry, B.Sc. Geology and B.Sc. Chemistry and Water Management)

[2013 to 2016 Admissions]

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 60

Part A (Very Short Answer Questions)

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Define dielectric susceptibility.
- 2. Explain the significance of permittivity of a medium.
- 3. Compare diamagnetism and paramagnetism.
- 4. What is a crystal?
- 5. Define a unit cell.
- 6. What is Bragg's law?
- 7. State Carnot's theorem.
- 8. State first law of thermodynamics.

 $(8 \times 1 = 8)$

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 9. Briefly discuss on ferroelectricity.
- 10. Give the mathematical form of Gauss's law in dielectrics and explain the concept.
- 11. Explain the different sources of polarizability in dielectrics.
- 12. How does a crystal differ from a lattice? Explain.
- 13. What are Miller indices? How are they determined?

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- 14. Briefly explain the crystal structure of sodium chloride.
- 15. Distinguish between Reversible and Irreversible processes.
- 16. What are the factors on which the efficiency of Carnot engine depend?
- 17. When is a system said to be in the state of thermodynamic equilibrium?
- 18. Explain the principle of increase of entropy.

 $(6 \times 2 = 12)$

Part C

Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 19. The magnetic susceptibility of a medium is 948×10^{-11} . Calculate the permeability and relative permeability of the medium.
- 20. The capacity of a capacitor with dielectric is 10 μ F. Find the ratio of plate area to distance between the plates if the value of dielectric is 5.
- 21. Copper has fcc structure with lattice constant a = 0.361 nm. Calculate the radius of copper atom.
- 22. In a single cubic crystal, find the ratio of (i) spacing of the (110) and (111) planes; and (ii) the nearest neighbour distance to the next nearest neighbour distance.
- 23. A Carnot engine works between 27°C and 127°C. What is the thermal efficiency of the engine?
- 24. A Carnot engine with efficiency 0.6 drives a Carnot refrigerator with co-efficient of performance 5. Determine the energy absorbed from the cold body by the refrigerator for each kilo joule of energy absorbed from the source by the engine.

 $(4 \times 4 = 16)$

Part D

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 12 marks.

- 25. Discuss on ferromagnetism, ferrimagnetism and antiferomagnetism. Describe the salient features and applications of each one.
- 26. Using the laws of thermodynamics, derive Maxwell's thermodynamic relations.
- 27. Explain all the seven systems of crystals with salient features.
- 28. What are the requirements for heat engine? Describe Carnot cycle and obtain the expression for efficiency.

 $(2 \times 12 = 24)$