

- (D) What is Ruby Laser ? Explain the typical arrangement of a Ruby Laser System.  $2\frac{1}{2}$
- (E) Explain the terms temporal coherence and spatial coherence.  $2\frac{1}{2}$
- (F) The coherence time for sodium light is  $10^{-10}$  sec. and wavelength is  $5890 \text{ \AA}$ . Find the half width ( $\Delta\lambda$ ) of the sodium spectral line.  $2\frac{1}{2}$
5. Attempt any **TEN** questions (1 mark each) :
- Why is the melting point of crystalline solid fixed ? Explain.
  - Define Bravais Lattices.
  - For fcc crystal structure show that the cube edge is given by  $a = \frac{4r}{\sqrt{2}}$ , where  $r$  is the radius of each atom.
  - What are soft and hard X-rays ?
  - Calculate the frequency of X-rays of wavelength  $0.1 \text{ \AA}$ . Given  $C = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$ .
  - Give the importance of Moseley's law.
  - What is reciprocal lattice ?
  - In terms of three Laue equation write the condition for constructive interference.
  - What is lattice spacing ? Write its general value.
  - What is Laser ?
  - Define population inversion in Laser.
  - The coherence length of a red cadmium line of wavelength  $6.438 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$  is  $30 \text{ cm}$ . Calculate the number of oscillations corresponding to the coherence length.  $10 \times 1 = 10$

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**Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) Semester-IV (C.B.S.)**

**Examination**

**PHYSICS**

**(Solid State Physics, X-Ray and Laser)**

**Paper—I**

Time—Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks—50

- N.B. :—** (1) **ALL** questions are compulsory.  
 (2) Draw neat diagrams wherever necessary.

**EITHER**

- (A) What do you mean by symmetry operations ? Explain briefly the various symmetry operations of a lattice.  $5$
- (B) (i) What are Miller Indices ? State procedure to obtain Miller Indices.  $3$   
 (ii) Obtain the Miller Indices of planes having intercepts  $(a, b/2, 3c)$  in simple cubic structure.  $2$

**OR**

- What is meant by coordination numbers and packing fraction for a crystal.  $2\frac{1}{2}$
- If lattice parameter for an fcc crystal is  $2.14 \text{ A.U.}$ . Find the radius of the atom.  $2\frac{1}{2}$
- Distinguish between crystalline solid and amorphous solid.  $2\frac{1}{2}$

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- (F) Show that the five-fold rotation symmetry is not consistent with translational periodicity of crystal.

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**EITHER**

2. (A) Explain the origin of continuous X-ray spectrum and give its significant features. State and explain Moseley's law. 5
- (B) (i) Obtain an expression for minimum wavelength,  $\lambda_{\min}$  of X-rays obtain from an X-ray tube. 3
- (ii) What is the minimum wavelength of X-rays produced when the potential difference between cathode and target is 12.40 kV ? What is the corresponding maximum frequency ? 2

**OR**

- (C) Discuss the characteristic absorption X-ray spectra. 2½
- (D) Explain the energy level diagram of characteristic X-ray spectra with diagram. 2½
- (E) Explain the production of X-rays in X-ray gas tube with diagram. 2½
- (F) The P.D. applied between the cathode and the target of an X-ray tube is 150 kV and the current through it is 10 mA. Calculate the number of electrons striking the target per second and also find their maximum speed. 2½

**EITHER**

3. (A) Explain briefly the geometrical construction of reciprocal lattice. 5

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- (B) (i) Give the explanation of Bragg's X-ray spectrometer with diagram. 3

- (ii) When X-rays wavelength  $1.6 \text{ \AA}$  are incident on a crystal, the first order maxima is obtained at an angle of  $14.2^\circ$ . Find the distance between adjacent planes [ $\sin 14.2^\circ = 0.2453$ ]. 2

**OR**

- (C) Draw and explain Wigner Seitz cell. 2½
- (D) Derive the Bragg's relation for the diffraction of X-rays. 2½
- (E) The angles corresponding to first and second order of Bragg's reflections are  $27.9^\circ$  and  $69.65^\circ$ . Find the wavelength of X-ray in both cases if the interplanar spacing is  $1.6 \text{ \AA}$ . 2½
- (F) Explain the use of Bragg's spectrometer for the determination of X-ray wavelengths. 2½

**EITHER**

4. (A) Explain the spontaneous and stimulated emission of radiation with energy level diagram. 5
- (B) (i) Explain the terms :  
(a) Coherence length and  
(b) Coherence time. 3
- (ii) Coherence length of sodium  $D_2$  line  $2.5 \text{ cm}$  and its wavelength is  $5892 \text{ \AA}$ . Calculate the coherence time and purity of the spectral line. 2

**OR**

- (C) Explain why the three levels are necessary for Laser action. 2½

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