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## JEE (ADVANCED) 2025 PAPER-2

[PAPER ANSWER KEY WITH SOLUTION]

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### PHYSICS

### SECTION 1 (Maximum Marks : 12)

- This section contains FOUR (04) questions.
- Each question has **FOUR** options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **ONLY ONE** of these four options is the correct answer.
- For each question, choose the option corresponding to the correct answer.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme:
   Full Marks : +3 If ONLY the correct option is chosen;

Zero Marks : 0 If none of the options is chosen (i.e. the question is unanswered);

Negative Marks : -1 In all other cases.

[:Q.1] A temperature difference can generate e.m.f. in some materials. Let S be the e.m.f. produced per unit temperature difference between the ends of a wire,  $\sigma$  the electrical conductivity and  $\kappa$  the thermal conductivity of the material of the wire. Taking M, L, T, I and K as dimensions of mass, length, time, current and temperature, respectively, the dimensional formula of the quantity  $Z = \frac{S^2 \sigma}{\kappa}$  is : [:A]  $[M^0 L^0 T^0 I^0 K^0]$  [:B]  $[M^0 L^0 T^0 I^0 K^{-1}]$ 

 $[:D] [M^{1}L^{2}T^{-4}I^{-1}K^{-1}]$ 

[:C]  $[M^{1}L^{2}T^{-2}I^{-1}K^{-1}]$ 

[:ANS]

В



[:SOLN] given,

$$S = \frac{\text{emf}}{\text{temp}} = [ML^2T^{-3}I^{-1}K^{-1}] \qquad \sigma = \left[\frac{J}{E}\right] = \left[\frac{I/\text{Area}}{F/Q}\right] = [M^{-1}L^{-3}T^3I^2]$$
$$K = \frac{\left[\frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t}\right]}{\left[A \cdot \frac{\Delta \theta}{L}\right]} = [MLT^{-3}K^{-1}]$$

Hence

$$\left[Z\right] = \left[\frac{S^2\sigma}{K}\right] = \left[M^0L^0T^0l^0K^{-1}\right]$$

**[:Q.2]** Two co-axial conducting cylinders of same length  $\ell$  with radii  $\sqrt{2}R$  and 2R are kept, as shown in Fig. 1. The charge on the inner cylinder is Q and the outer cylinder is grounded. The annular region between the cylinders is filled with a material of dielectric constant K = 5. Consider an imaginary plane of the same length  $\ell$  at a distance R from the common axis of the cylinders. This plane is parallel to the axis of the cylinders. The cross-sectional view of this arrangement is shown in Fig. 2. Ignoring edge effects, the flux of the electric field through the plane is ( $\epsilon_0$  is the permittivity of free space):



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#### [:ANS] C





only in the plane of the diagram, the value of  $\frac{t_1}{f}$  is:



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As frequency  $f = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K'}{I}} \alpha \sqrt{K'}$ Ratio  $\frac{f_1}{f_2} = \sqrt{\frac{5/4}{1/2}K\ell^2} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$ 





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SECTION 2 (Maximum Marks : 16)		
•	This section contains FOUR (04) questions.	
•	Each question has FOUR options (A), (B), (C) and (D). ONE OR MORE THAN ONE of these	
	four option(s) is (are) correct answer(s).	
•	For each question, choose the option(s) corresponding to (all) the correct answer(s).	
•	Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme:	
	Full Marks : +4 ONLY if (all) the correct option(s) is(are) chosen;	
	Partial Marks : +3 If all the four options are correct but ONLY three options are chosen;	
	Partial Marks : +2 If three or more options are correct but ONLY two options are chosen, both	
	of which are correct;	
	Partial Marks : +1 If two or more options are correct but ONLY one option is chosen and it is	
	a correct option;	
	Zero Marks : 0 If none of the options is chose (i.e. the question is unanswered);	
	Negative Marks : -2 In all other cases.	
•	For example, in a question, if (A), (B) and (D) are the ONLY three options corresponding to correct answers, then	
	choosing ONLY (A). (B) and (D) will get +4 marks:	
	choosing ONLY (A) and (B) will get +2 marks;	
	choosing ONLY (A) and (D) will get +2 marks;	
	choosing ONLY (B) and (D) will get +2 marks;	
	choosing ONLY (A) will get +1 mark;	
	choosing ONLY (B) will get +1 mark;	
	choosing ONLY (D) will get +1 mark;	
	choosing no option (i.e. the question is unanswered) will get 0 marks; and	
	choosing any other combination of options will get -2 marks.	
[:Q.5]	A positive point charge of $10^{-8}$ C is kept at a distance of 20 cm from the center of a neutral	
	conducting sphere of radius 10 cm. The sphere is then grounded and the charge on the	
	sphere is measured. The grounding is then removed and subsequently the point charge is	
	moved by a distance of 10 cm further away from the center of the sphere along the radial	
	direction. Taking $\frac{1}{4\pi \epsilon_0} = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$ (where $\epsilon_0$ is the permittivity of free space), which	
	of the following statements is/are correct:	
	[:A] Before the grounding, the electrostatic potential of the sphere is 450 V.	
	[:B] Charge flowing from the sphere to the ground because of grounding is $5 \times 10^{-9}$ C.	
	[:C] After the grounding is removed, the charge on the sphere is $-5 \times 10^{-9}$ C.	
	[:D] The final electrostatic potential of the sphere is 300 V.	
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$$= \frac{Kq}{R} + \frac{KQ}{r}$$
$$= \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times (-5 \times 10^{-9})}{0.1} + \frac{9 \times 10^9 \times 10^{-8}}{0.3}$$
$$= -450 + 300 = -150V$$

**[:Q.6]** Two identical concave mirrors each of focal length f are facing each other as shown in the schematic diagram. The focal length f is much larger than the size of the mirrors. A glass slab of thickness t and refractive index n<sub>0</sub> is kept equidistant from the mirrors and perpendicular to their common principal axis. A monochromatic point light source S is embedded at the center of the slab on the principal axis, as shown in the schematic diagram. For the image to be formed on S itself, which of the following distances between the two mirrors is/are correct:



[:ANS] A, B







[:Q.7] Six infinitely large and thin non-conducting sheets are fixed in configurations I and II. As shown in the figure, the sheets carry uniform surface charge densities which are indicated in terms of  $\sigma_0$ . The separation between any two consecutive sheets is 1  $\mu$ m. The various regions between the sheets are denoted as 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. If  $\,\sigma_{_0}$  = 9  $\,\mu C\,/m^2$ , then which of the following statements is/are correct: (Take permittivity of free space  $\epsilon_0 = 9 \times 10^{-12}$  F/m)  $+\frac{\sigma_0}{2}$   $-\sigma_0$   $+\sigma_0$   $-\sigma_0$   $+\sigma_0$   $\frac{-\sigma_0}{2}$  $+\sigma_0$   $-\sigma_0$   $+\sigma_0$   $-\sigma_0$   $+\sigma_0$   $-\sigma_0$ 1 2 3 4 5 1 2 3 4 5 Configuration I Configuration II [:A] In region 4 of the configuration I, the magnitude of the electric field is zero. [:B] In region 3 of the configuration II, the magnitude of the electric field is  $\frac{\sigma_0}{2}$ . [:C] Potential difference between the first and the last sheets of the configuration I is 5 V. [:D] Potential difference between the first and the last sheets of the configuration II is zero. [:ANS] Α [:SOLN] electric field in region (4) in configuration I  $=\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}-\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}+\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}-\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}-\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}+\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}=0$ Electric field in region (3) in configuration II  $=\frac{\sigma_0}{2(2\varepsilon_0)}-\frac{\sigma}{2\varepsilon_0}+\frac{\sigma}{2\varepsilon_0}-\frac{\sigma}{2\varepsilon_0}+\frac{\sigma}{2\varepsilon_0}+\frac{\sigma_0}{2(2\varepsilon_0)}$  $=\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}$ Potential diff<sup>n</sup> b / w 1<sup>st</sup>& last Config-I is  $\Delta V = \frac{2\sigma}{2\varepsilon_0} d + 0 + \frac{2\sigma}{2\varepsilon_0} d + 0 + \frac{2\sigma d}{2\varepsilon_0}$  $=\frac{3\sigma d}{\epsilon_{0}}=\frac{3\times 9\times 10^{-6}\times 1\times 10^{-6}}{9\times 10^{-12}}=3\,V$ Potential diff<sup>n</sup> b / w 1<sup>st</sup>& last Config-II is  $\Delta V = \frac{\sigma d}{2\epsilon_0} + \left(-\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}d\right) + \frac{\sigma d}{2\epsilon_0} + \left(-\frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}\right)d + \frac{\sigma d}{2\epsilon_0} = \frac{\sigma d}{2\epsilon_0}$ 



[ 10 ]	PHYSICS_JEE ADVANCED 2025 (PAPER-2)
[:Q.8]	The efficiency of a Carnot engine operating with a hot reservoir kept at a temperature of
	1000 K is 0.4. It extracts 150 J of heat per cycle from the hot reservoir. The work extracted
	from this engine is being fully used to run a heat pump which has a coefficient of
	performance 10. The hot reservoir of the heat pump is at a temperature of 300 K. Which of
	the following statements is/are correct:
	[:A] Work extracted from the Carnot engine in one cycle is 60 J.
	[:B] Temperature of the cold reservoir of the Carnot engine is 600 K.
	[:C] Temperature of the cold reservoir of the heat pump is 270 K.
	[:D] Heat supplied to the hot reservoir of the heat pump in one cycle is 540 J.
[:ANS]	A, B, C
[:SOLN]	(A) $n_{carnot} = 1 - \frac{T_C}{T_H} = \frac{W}{QH}$
	$W = n_{carnot} \times Q_{H} = 0.4 \times 150 = 60 \text{ J}$
	(B) $1 - \frac{T_{C}}{T_{H}} = 0.4$
	$\Rightarrow 0.6 = \frac{T_{C}}{T_{H}}$
	$T_{C} = T_{H} \times 0.6$
	$T_{\rm C} = 600  {\rm K}$
	(C) Now, $(COP)_P = \frac{Q_H}{W} = \frac{T_H}{T_H - T_C}$
	$\Rightarrow 10 = \frac{300}{300 - T_{C}}$
	$\Rightarrow$ 300 - T <sub>C</sub> = 30
	$T_{C} = 270 \text{ K}$
	$(D)  \frac{Q_{H}}{W} = 10$
	$\Rightarrow$ &W = 60 J
	So, $Q_{H} = 600 J$

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$$M_{net} = \omega R^4 \pi \frac{Q}{4\pi R^2} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos^3 \theta d\theta = \frac{Q \omega R^2}{4} \times \frac{4}{3} = \frac{Q \omega R^2}{3}$$
Now, 
$$\frac{M_{net}}{L} = \frac{Q \omega \frac{R^2}{3}}{\frac{2}{5} M R^2 \omega} = \frac{5Q}{6M} = \frac{\alpha Q}{2M}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{10}{6} = 1.67$$

**[:Q.10]** A hydrogen atom, initially at rest in its ground state, absorbs a photon of frequency  $v_1$  and ejects the electron with a kinetic energy of 10 eV. The electron then combines with a positron at rest to form a positronium atom in its ground state and simultaneously emits a photon of frequency  $v_2$ . The center of mass of the resulting positronium atom moves with a kinetic energy of 5 eV. It is given that positron has the same mass as that of electron and the positron orbit around their center of mass. Considering no other energy loss during the whole process, the difference between the two photon energies (in eV) is\_\_\_\_

[:ANS] 11.80

#### [:SOLN] hv = 13.6ev + 10ev = 23.6ev it is the energy of absorbed photon

Total initial energy of electron-positron system

 $\frac{mec^{2} + mec^{2} + 10ev}{_{electron}} = 2mec^{2} + 10ev$ 

& according to bohr postulate

$$e_{\eta} = -\left(\frac{m_1m_2}{m_1 + m_2}\right)\frac{2^2e^4}{8\epsilon_0^24^2\eta^2}$$

For electron-position  $\frac{m_1m_2}{m_1 + m_2} = \frac{me}{2}$ 

For ground state,

$$E_{\text{ground}} = \frac{1}{2}(-13.6) = -6.8 \,\text{ev}$$

Now,  $hv_f = \Delta E = (2mec^2 + 10ev) - (2mec^2 + 5ev - 6.8)ev$ 

now, 
$$\Delta E_P = |hv_f - hv_i| = 11.8ev$$



[:Q.11] An ideal monatomic gas of n moles is taken through a cycle WXYZW consisting of consecutive adiabatic and isobaric quasi-static processes, as shown in the schematic V-T diagram. The volume of the gas at W, X and Y points are, 64 cm<sup>3</sup>, 125 cm<sup>3</sup> and 250 cm<sup>3</sup>, respectively. If the absolute temperature of the gas  $T_W$  at the point W is such that  $nRT_W = 1$  J (R is the universal gas constant), then the amount of heat absorbed (in J) by the gas along the path XY is\_\_\_\_



[:ANS] 1.60

**[:SOLN]** heat absorbed by the gas along the path xy is  $= nC_P(T_y - T_x)$ 

$$=n\frac{5}{2}R(T_y - T_x)$$

Also

 $w - x \& y - z) \rightarrow adiabotic$ 

 $x - y \& z - w) \rightarrow Isobaric$ 

So, the relations

$$\frac{P_w}{P_x} = \left(\frac{V_x}{V_w}\right)^{5/3} = \left(\frac{125}{64}\right)^{5/3} = \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^5$$
  
& also  $\frac{P_w}{P_y} = \frac{T_w \times V_x}{V_w \times T_x} = \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^5$   
so,  $T_x = T_w \times \frac{V_x}{V_w} \times \frac{45}{55}$   
 $T_x = T_w \times \frac{125}{64} \times \frac{1024}{3125} = \frac{16}{25} T_w$ 



$$\Rightarrow nRT_{x} = \frac{16}{25}nRT_{w} = \frac{16}{25}J$$

and for x to y it is Isobaric

$$\Rightarrow \mathsf{T}_{\mathsf{y}} = \mathsf{T}_{\mathsf{x}} \frac{\mathsf{V}_{\mathsf{y}}}{\mathsf{V}_{\mathsf{x}}} = \mathsf{T}_{\mathsf{x}} \frac{250}{125} = \mathsf{T}_{\mathsf{x}} \times 2 = \frac{32}{25} \mathsf{T}_{\mathsf{w}}$$

now 
$$\Delta Q = \frac{5}{2} \left[ \frac{32}{25} - \frac{16}{25} \right] = \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{16}{25} = \frac{8}{5} = 1.6 \text{ J}$$

[:Q.12] A geostationary satellite above the equator is orbiting around the earth at a fixed distance  $r_1$  from the center of the earth. A second satellite is orbiting in the equatorial plane in the opposite direction to the earth's rotation, at a distance  $r_2$  from the center of the earth, such that  $r_1 = 1.21 r_2$ . The time period of the second satellite as measured from the geostationary satellite is  $\frac{24}{p}$  hours. The value of p is\_\_\_\_



$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega} = 24 \text{ hr}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{T_1}{T_2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\omega_2}{\omega_1}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\omega^1}{\omega}\right) = (1.21)^{3/2}$$

$$\omega^1 = (1.21)^{3/2\omega}$$

Now, time period of second satellite as measured from the geostationary satellite is  $\frac{24}{P}$ 

$$\Rightarrow T_{\text{rel}} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_{\text{rel}}} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega + \omega^{1}} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega(1 + (1.21)^{3/2})} = \frac{24}{\left[1 + (1.21)^{3/2}\right]}$$

$$P = 2.332$$



[ 14 ]











P₁A

[:Q.14] In a Young's double slit experiment, a combination of two glass wedges A and B, having refractive indices 1.7 and 1.5, respectively, are placed in front of the slits, as shown in the figure. The separation between the slits is d = 2 mm and the shortest distance between the slits and the screen is D = 2 m. Thickness of the combination of the wedges is t = 12 μm. The value of *l* as shown in the figure is 1 mm. Neglect any refraction effect at the slanted interface of the wedges. Due to the combination of the wedges, the central maximum shifts (in mm) with respect to 0 by \_\_\_\_\_



1.20

[:ANS]



[:Q.15] A projectile of mass 200 g is launched in a viscous medium at an angle  $60^{\circ}$  with the horizontal, with an initial velocity of 270 m/s. It experiences a viscous drag force  $\vec{F} = -c\vec{\upsilon}$  where the drag coefficient c = 0.1 kg/s and  $\vec{\upsilon}$  is the instantaneous velocity of the projectile. The projectile hits a vertical wall after 2 s. Taking e = 2.7, the horizontal distance of the wall from the point of projection (in m) is \_\_\_\_\_

[:SOLN]



given  $\vec{F} = -C\vec{V}$ C = 0.1kg/s e = 2.7

 $V_x=270\cos 60^\circ$ 

 $= 135 \, \text{m/s}$ 

For horizontal range

$$F_{x} = -CV_{x}$$

$$ma_{x} = -CV_{x}$$

$$m\frac{dV_{x}}{dt} = -CV_{x}$$

$$\int_{135}^{V} \frac{dV_{x}}{dt} = -\frac{C}{m}\int_{0}^{t} dt$$

$$ln[V_{x}]_{135}^{V} = \frac{-C}{m}t$$

$$ln\frac{V_{x}}{135} = -\frac{Ct}{m}$$

$$V_{x} = 135e^{-\frac{Ct}{m}}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 135e^{-\frac{Ct}{m}}$$

$$x = 135\int_{0}^{2} e^{-\frac{C}{m}t} dt$$

$$x = 135\left[\frac{e^{-\frac{C}{m}t}}{-\frac{C}{m}}\right]_{0}^{2}$$

$$x = 135\left(\frac{-m}{C}\right)(e^{-1} - 1)$$

$$x = 135\left(\frac{0.2}{0.1}\right)\left(1 - \frac{1}{e}\right)$$

$$270 \times 0.63$$

$$170 \text{ metre}$$

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[:Q.16] An audio transmitter (T) and a receiver (R) are hung vertically from two identical massless strings of length 8 m with their pivots well separated along the X axis. They are pulled from the equilibrium position in opposite directions along the X axis by a small angular amplitude  $\theta_0 = \cos^{-1}(0.9)$  and released simultaneously. If the natural frequency of the transmitter is 660 Hz and the speed of sound in air is 330 m/s, the maximum variation in the frequency (in Hz) as measured by the receiver (Take the acceleration due to gravity  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ ) is \_\_\_\_\_ g $\theta_0$ R [:ANS] 32 \_\_\_\_\_ [:SOLN] R т  $V_{s} = 330 m / s$  $\cos\theta_0=0.9$  $f_0 = 660$  $\Delta f = ?$ Maximum frequency heard by receiver case. R



using work-energy  

$$V = \sqrt{2g(1 - 1\cos\theta)}$$

$$= \sqrt{2 \times 10 \times 8(1 - 0.9)}$$

$$= 4 \text{ m/s}$$

$$f_{max} = f_0 \left(\frac{330 + 4}{330 - 4}\right) = 660 \times \frac{334}{326}$$

$$= 676.19$$
 Hz

Similarly for

$$f_{min} = f_0 \left( \frac{330 - 4}{330 + 4} \right) = 660 \times \frac{326}{334}$$
$$= 644.19 \text{ Hz}$$

$$\therefore \Delta f = \left| f_{max} - f_{min} \right|$$

= |676.19 - 644.19|

= 32Hz

