

Meghalaya Board
Class XI
Physics
Sample Paper 1

Time allowed: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 70

General Instructions:

- (i) All questions are compulsory.
- (ii) Marks for each question are indicated against it.
- (iii) There is no overall choice. However, an internal choice has been provided in two questions of two marks each, two question of three marks each and two questions of five marks.
- (iv) Use of ordinary calculator is allowed.
- (v) Mobile phones are not allowed in the examination Hall.
- (vi) Use the following values of physical constants wherever necessary:

Mass of the earth, $M = 6.00 \times 10^{24}$ kg

Radius of the earth, $R_e = 6.4 \times 10^6$ m

Acceleration due to gravity, $g = 9.8$ m/s²

Gravitational constant, $G = 6.673 \times 10^{-11}$ Nm²/kg²

Universal gas constant, $R = 8.314$ J / mole /K

Mechanical equivalent of heat, $J = 4.186$ J/cal

Avogadro number, $N = 6.022 \times 10^{23}$ /mole

Boltzmann constant, $k = 1.381 \times 10^{-23}$ J/mole/K

Choose and write the correct answer in the answer script: **$\frac{1}{2} \times 8 = 4$** **GROUP-A**
(Multiple Choice Type Questions)

- 1.** The number of antinodes in the standing wave shown in the diagram below is $\frac{1}{2}$
 - (i) 6
 - (ii) 7
 - (iii) 14
 - (iv) 10

- 2.** The amplitude of a simple harmonic oscillator is doubled; then period of oscillator would $\frac{1}{2}$
 - (i) double
 - (ii) remain same
 - (iii) four times
 - (iv) become half

- 3.** A coordinate system that enables us to describe the position of a body in space at any instant of time is called $\frac{1}{2}$
 - (i) origin
 - (ii) reference point
 - (iii) intersection point
 - (iv) reference frame

- 4.** Refrigerator transfers heat from the cold cooling coils to warm surroundings. Which law of thermodynamics favours this process? $\frac{1}{2}$
 - (i) Zeroth law of thermodynamics
 - (ii) First law of thermodynamics
 - (iii) Second law of thermodynamics
 - (iv) Third law of thermodynamics

- 5.** A decrease in temperature in a liquid would change it to which of the following? $\frac{1}{2}$
 - (i) Solid
 - (ii) Liquid
 - (iii) Gas
 - (iv) Plasma

- 6.** Kepler's law of areas can be understood as a consequence of $\frac{1}{2}$
 - (i) conservation of angular momentum
 - (ii) conservation of linear momentum

- (iii) conservation of energy
- (iv) conservation of mass

7. The external force for the Earth-Moon system is due to 1/2
- (i) gravitational attraction between Earth and Moon
 - (ii) gravitational attraction due to Sun
 - (iii) internal forces within the Earth
 - (iv) internal forces within Moon
8. Raindrops fall on the earth with certain kinetic energy on the earth. From where do they get this energy? 1/2
- (i) Gravitational Potential Energy
 - (ii) Energy between molecules of water
 - (iii) Chemical Energy
 - (iv) Heat Energy

GROUP-B
(Very Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer the following questions in a few words/sentences. 1x8=8

9. Find the dimension of a in the following equation:
 $F = a/x + v$
Where, F = force applied, x = distance covered, a and v are constants. 1
10. Can a body undergo change in speed or direction due to internal forces? 1
11. An impulse is applied to a moving object with a force at an angle of 20° w.r.t velocity vector. What is the angle between the impulse vector and change in momentum vector? 1
12. In a tug of war, one team is slowly giving way to the other. What work is being done and by whom? 1
13. What are the factors on which the position of centre of mass of a body depends? 1
14. Will Bernoulli's principle be applicable in case of a parachute falling through atmosphere? 1
15. What is thermal conductivity of a perfect heat conductor and a perfect heat insulator? 1
16. Write the differential equation for SHM. 1

GROUP-C
(Short Answer Type-I Questions)

Answer the following questions within 30 words each: 2x8=16

17. The nearest star to our solar system is 4.29 light year away. How much is this distance in terms of parsecs? **2**

18. Define speed. How is it different from velocity?

Or

Distinguish between damped and forced oscillations. What do you mean by resonant oscillations? **2**

19. A bomb is released from a horizontally flying bomber when it is vertically above the target. Will it hit the target? **2**

20. A 120 g mass has a velocity of $\vec{v} = (2\hat{i} + 5\hat{j})$ m/s at a certain instant t. What is its K.E.? **2**

21. A wheel rotates with a constant angular acceleration of 3.6 rad/s^2 . If the angular velocity of the wheel rotate is 4.0 rad/s^2 at $t_0=0$, what angle does the wheel rotate in 1s? What will be its angular velocity at $t = 1\text{s}$? **2**

22. If a planet existed whose mass and radius were both half that of the earth, what would be the value of the acceleration due to gravity on its surface as compared to what it is on the earth's surface? **2**

23. Define efficiency of a heat engine. Also draw the symbolic representation of a heat engine. **2**

24. **2**

(a) In equation, $PV = RT$, what does V stand for?

(b) In the equation, $PV/2 = RT$, what does V stand for?

GROUP-D

(Short Answer Type-II Questions)

Answer the following questions in 30-40 words each:

3x9=27

25. State with reasons, whether the following algebraic operations with scalars and vectors are meaningful:

(a) adding any two scalars,

(b) adding a scalar to a vector of same dimension,

(c) multiplying any vector by any scalar,

(d) multiplying any two scalars,

(e) adding any two vectors, and

(f) adding a component of a vector to the same vector. **3**

26. Two masses m_1 and m_2 are connected at the ends of a light inextensible string that passes over frictionless pulley. Find the acceleration, tension in the string and thrust on the pulley when the masses are released. **3**

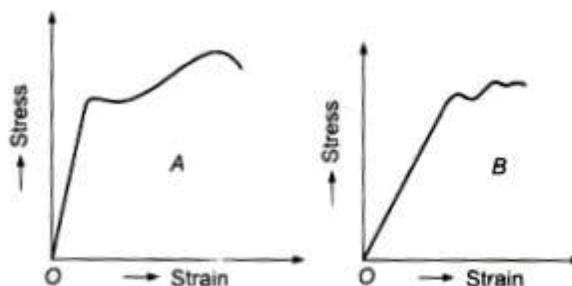
27. Does the expression $K.E = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$ hold for a variable force? Prove it. **3**

28. Assume that the thermal conductivity of copper is four times that of brass. Two rods of copper and brass, of the same length and cross section are joined end to end. The free end of the copper rod is kept at 0°C and the free end of the brass rod at 100°C . Calculate the temperature at junction of the two rods at equilibrium. Ignore radiation losses

Or

Show that for small oscillations the motion of a simple pendulum is simple harmonic. Derive an expression for its time period. Does it depend on the mass of the bob? **3**

29. Calculate the work done in blowing a soap bubble of radius 10 cm, surface tension being 0.06 Nm^{-1} . What additional work will be done in further blowing it so that its radius is doubled? **3**



30.

The stress versus strain graphs for two materials A and B are shown in fig. The graphs are to the same scale.

- Which material has greater Young's modulus?
- Which material is more ductile?
- Which is more brittle?

Which of the two is the stronger material? **3**

31. State a few statements for second law of thermodynamics. **3**

32. State:

- Avogadro's law
- Graham's law of diffusion
- Dalton's law of partial pressure.

3

33. The motion of a car along y-axis is given by $v(t) = -12t + 12$ where velocity v is in m/s and time t in seconds. Find the instantaneous position of the car as a

function of time if at $t = 0$ it was at 5 m. Also find its acceleration at $t = 2$ second. **3**

GROUP-E
(Long Answer Type Questions)

Answer the following questions in 70-80 words each: 5x3=15

34. Explain why:

- (i) A body with large reflectivity is a power emitter.
- (ii) A brass tumbler feels much colder than a wooden tray on a chilly day.
- (iii) An optical pyrometer (for measuring high temperatures) calibrated for an ideal black body radiation gives too low a value for the temperature of a red hot piece in the open, but gives a correct value for the temperature when the same piece is in the furnace.
- (iv) The earth without its atmosphere would be inhospitably cold.
- (v) Heating systems based on circulation of steam are more efficient in warming a building than those based on circulation of hot water. **5**

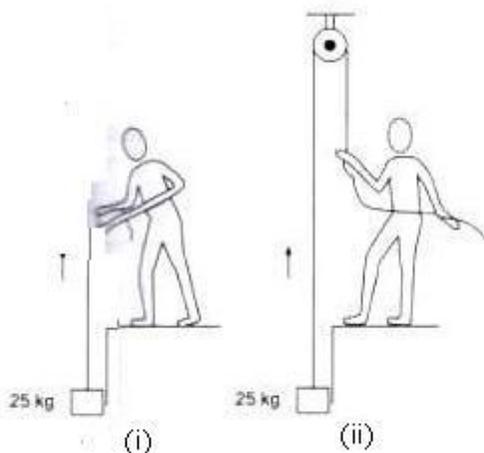
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Two identical springs each of force constant K are connected in (a) series (b) parallel, so that they support a mass m . Find the ratio of the time periods of the mass in the two systems.

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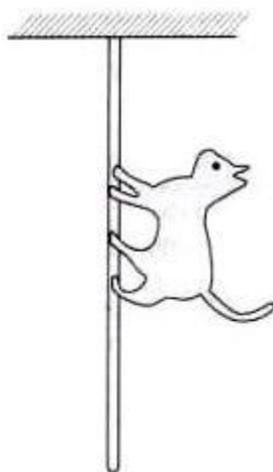
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(i)



A block of mass 25 kg is raised by a 50 kg man in two different ways as shown in figure. What is the action on the floor by the man in the two cases? If the floor yields a normal force of 700 N, which mode should the man prefer?

(ii)



An animal of mass 40 kg climbs on a rope which can stand a maximum tension of 600 N. In which of the following cases will the rope break. The animal

- (a) climbs up with an acceleration of 6 ms^{-2}
- (b) climbs down with an acceleration of 4 ms^{-2}
- (c) climbs up with a uniform speed of 5 ms^{-1}
- (d) falls down the rope nearly under gravity?

Take $g = 10 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ and ignore the mass of the rope.

Or

What do you understand by 'laminar flow' and 'streamlined flow'? Water is flowing with a speed of 2 m/s in a horizontal pipe with cross sectional area $2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^2$ at pressure $4 \times 10^4 \text{ Pa}$. What will be the pressure at a smaller cross section where the area decreases to 0.01 m^2 ?

36. Having seen a big stone falling from the top of a tower Ravi pulled his friend Kiran away. The stone hit Ravi slightly and he got hurt. But he was saved from a major accident.

- i. What can you say about values of Ravi?
- ii. From the top of a tower 100 m in height, a ball is dropped and at the same time another ball is projected vertically upwards from the ground with a velocity of 25 m/s. Find when and where the two balls meet. Take $g = 9.8 \text{ m/sec}^2$.

Or

State Hooke's law. Draw a stress-strain curve for a metal and mark the proportional limit, elastic limit and fraction point.
Define each of the terms: proportional limit, elastic limit and fraction point. **5**