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# FIRST SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2019

(CBCSS—UG)

## Physics/Applied Physics

#### PHY 1C 01—PROPERTIES OF MATTER AND THERMO DYNAMICS

(2019 Admissions)

Time: Two Hours Maximum: 60 Marks

The symbols used in this question paper have their usual meanings.

### Section A (Short Answer Type)

(Answer all questions in two or three sentences. Each correct answer carries a maximum of 2 marks).

- 1. What do you mean by the term modulus of elasticity? What are the different types?
- 2. Distinguish between uniform and non-uniform bending of beams.
- 3. Why hollow cylinders are used in shafts?
- 4. What do you mean by surface tension? What is its unit?
- 5. Distinguish between streamline and turbulent flows of liquids.
- 6. Write down the Stokes's formula. What are the terms involved?
- 7. Distinguish between isochoric and isobaric processes.
- 8. Explain Carnot's theorem.
- 9. Give Kelvin's statement of the second law of thermodynamics.
- 10. Obtain the change of entropy of working substance in a Carnot cycle.
- 11. What is the effect of pressure on the melting point of a system? Give an example.
- 12. Explain the principle of increase of entropy.

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#### Section B (Paragraph/Problem Type)

(Answer all questions in a paragraph of about half a page to one page. Each correct answer carries a maximum of 5 marks).

13. Determine the work done in stretching a wire of length 2 m. and cross-section 1 mm<sup>2</sup> through 1 mm. Given, the Young's modulus of the material of the wire is 210 GPa.

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14. Determine the energy released when 8 droplets of water of radius 0. 5 mm. coalesce to form a single drop. Give, the surface tension of water is 0.072 Nm<sup>-1</sup>.

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- 15. Estimate the pressure inside a drop of a liquid of radius 2 mm. at room temperature. Given, the surface tension of the liquid at room temperature is  $4.65 \times 10^{-1} \,\mathrm{Nm^{-1}}$ .
- 16. In a Poiseuille's capillary flow method of determining the co-efficient of water, 50 ml of water is collected in 6 minutes. If the constant pressure used is 0.4 m., length of the capillary tube is 0.8 m. and the diameter of the capillary tube is 1 mm, what will be the viscosity value obtained in the experiment?
- 17. Using a suitable figure, explain the working principle of a Carnot's refrigerator.
- 18. Calculate the change of entropy when 100 g of water is heated from 0°C to 100°C. Given, the specific heat capacity of water is 4200 JKg<sup>-1</sup>K<sup>-1</sup>.
- 19. A Carnot engine whose cold reservoir is 300 K has an efficiency of 0.25. How much the temperature of the source be increased to increase the efficiency to 0.75?

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## Section C (Essay Type)

(Answer in about two pages, any one question. Answer carries 10 marks).

- 20. Determine the work done per unit volume when a body undergoes (i) Volume strain; and (ii) shearing strain.
- 21. Distinguish between isothermal and adiabatic processes. Obtain expressions for the work done in the two processes.

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