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Ph.D. COURSE WORK EXAMINATION IN PHYSICS, OCTOBER 2022

Course II-THEORY AND CONCEPT—PHYSICS

(2020 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

Part A

Answer any ten of the following questions.

Each question carries 4 marks.

- 1. State and prove Bloch's theorem.
- 2. Explain the phenomenon of red shift.
- 3. Explain the mechanism of random movement of holes in a semiconductor crystal.
- 4. Discuss the charge conjugation of Klein-Gordon equation.
- 5. Give an account of second harmonic generation of non-linear optics.
- 6. Write a short note on electromagnetic field tensor.
- 7. What is the Hall effect? Obtain the formula to calculate the hall coefficient?
- 8. What are space-time diagrams? Explain.
- 9. Give the significance of covariance of Dirac equation.
- 10. Explain Noether's theorem.
- 11. Give the fundamental equations of cosmology.
- 12. Explain the propagation of electromagnetic wave through nonlinear media.

 $(10 \times 4 = 40 \text{ marks})$

Part B

Answer any one question.

The question carries 10 marks.

- 13. Derive an expression to show the effect of temperature on Fermi Dirac distribution function.
- 14. Explain how Klein-Gordon equation leads to positive and negative probability density values.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ marks})$