LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.Sc.DEGREE EXAMINATION -PHYSICS

FOURTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2018

16UPH4MC01– ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM

Date: 20-04-2018 Time: 09:00-12:00	Dept. No.	Max. : 100 Marks

<u>PART – A</u>

- 1. State Coulomb's law in electrostatics.
- 2. Show that curl of an electric field is zero.
- 3. What is meant by an electric dipole?
- 4. Define electrostatic energy.
- 5. State Ampere's circuital law.
- 6. What is a toroid?

Answer ALL questions:

- 7. Define self induction.
- 8. State Faraday's laws of electromagnetic induction.
- 9. Define Snell's law.
- 10. What is meant by displacement current.

<u>PART – B</u>

Answer any FOUR questions:

- 11. Obtain the Laplace and Poisson's equations from Gauss's law.
- 12. Show that the potential due to an electric at point & quadrupole is given by the relation: $(qa^2(3\cos^2\theta - 1)/4\pi\epsilon_0r^3).$
- 13. Give the theory and working of Helmholtz galvanometer.
- 14. Discuss the construction and working of a transformer.
- 15. State and prove Poynting theorem for the flow of energy in an electromagnetic field.
- 16. With a neat circuit diagram, describe the method to determine the absolute capacitance of a capacitor.

(10x2 = 20)

(4x7.5 = 30)

<u>PART –C</u>

Answer any FOUR questions:

(4x12.5 = 40)

17. Derive an expression for the force per unit area on the surfaces of a charged conductor.

- 18. Define electric potential. Deduce the equation for electric potential at a point on the axis of a uniformly charged disc.
- 19. Explain the principle, theory and construction of moving coil ballistic galvanometer.
- 20. Describe suitable methods to measure self inductance and mutual instance of the coil using BG.
- 21.Discuss the reflection and refraction of electromagnetic wave at an interface of a nonconducting medium.
- 22. a).Calculate the potential and field due to a dipole of moment 4.5×10^{-10} cm⁻¹ at a distance 1 m from it, (i) on its axis, (ii) on its perpendicular bisector.

b) Obtain the relation for the coefficient of coupling between two coils. (7.5+5)
