LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **PHYSICS**

FOURTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2022

16/17/18UPH4MC01 – ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM

Date: 16-06-2022 Dept. No. Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

PART – A

Q. No. Answer ALL the Questions

- 1 What is electric field? Give its unit.
- 2 State Coulomb's law.
- 3 Show that $U = \frac{1}{2} \in_0 E^2$.
- 4 Write the relation between dielectric constant and susceptibility.
- 5 How does a rectangular loop carrying current kept in a magnetic field respond?
- 6 What is Lorentz force?
- 7 Calculate the induced emf in a coil of 10 H inductance in which the current changes from 8 to 3 A in 0.2 s.
- 8 An electron moving with velocity 5 x 10^7 m/s enters a magnetic field of 1 T at an angle of 90° to the magnetic field. Estimate the magnetic force acting on the electron.
- 9 Write any four characteristics of EM wave.
- 10 Show that EM waves travel at the speed of light.

PART – B

Answer any FOUR Questions

(4 x 7.5 = 30 Marks)

11 Find the electric field a distance z from the center of infinite straight wire, which carries a uniform linear charge density.

- 12 Three capacitors each of capacitance 9 pF are connected in series (i) What is the capacitance of the combination? (ii) What is the potential difference across each capacitor, if the combination is connected to 120 V supply?
- 13 Apply Ampere's circuital law to magnetic field inside a straight solenoid.
- 14 Obtain an expression for the force acting on a charge q moving with a velocity v in a magnetic field of uniform intensity
- 15 What is meant by mutual induction? Derive an expression for the mutual inductance of two long coaxial solenoids.
- 16 Write down all four Maxwell's equations in differential form. Solve them to get the wave equation in vacuum.

(10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

Max.: 100 Marks

PART – C

	Answer any FOUR Questions(4 x 12.5 =	= 50 Marks)
17	Define electric potential at a point. Derive an expression for electric potential and field due to an	
	electric dipole.	
18	(i) What is electronic polarization? Derive an expression for electronic polarizability of an atom. (7)	
19	(ii) Derive the relation between D, E and P. Use Biot-Savart's law to derive the expression for the magnetic field due to a circular of	(5.5) coil carrying
	circular at a point along the axis.	
20	Explain the construction and theory of Helmholtz galvanometer. Mention it merits.	
21	(i) Derive an expression for potential energy of a dipole in uniform magnetic field.	(7)
	(ii) Derive an expression for force on current in a magnetic field.	(5.5)
22	State and prove Poynting theorem for the flow of energy in an electromagnetic field.	

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