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**B.E. / B.TECH. (EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2023)**

Second Semester

**PH16251 – ENGINEERING PHYSICS II***(Common to all branches)***(Regulation 2016)****TIME: 3 HOURS****MAX. MARKS: 100****PART- A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)**

(Answer all Questions)

1. Find the drift velocity of the copper wire whose cross-sectional area is  $1\text{mm}^2$  when the wire carries a current of 10A. Given density of electrons is  $8.5 \times 10^{28} \text{m}^{-3}$ .
2. Define the terms (i) Relaxation time and (ii) Mobility
3. What are the differences between n-type and p-type semiconductors?
4. Mention few properties of Semiconductor.
5. Define: Retentivity and coercivity.
6. The transition temperature for a superconducting material is 3.7 K at zero magnetic field and critical field is 0.0306 A/m at zero Kelvin. Calculate the critical field at 2 K.
7. Give the relation between Dielectric constant and electronic polarisability.
8. State the properties of Ferroelectric materials.
9. What are Shape Memory Alloys?
10. Define the term birefringence.

**PART- B (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)****Marks**

11. (a) Derive an expression for electrical and thermal conductivity of a metal; hence deduce Wiedemann-Franz law. (16)

**(OR)**

- (b) Define density of states and derive an expression for density of energy states. Calculate the carrier concentration in metals. (16)

**12. (a)** Obtain an expression for the carrier concentration in an Intrinsic semiconductor. **(16)**

**(OR)**

**(b)** Derive an expression for Hall coefficient in n-type and p-type semiconductor. Describe an experimental setup for the measurement of Hall coefficient. **(16)**

**13. (a) (i)** State the origin of magnetic moment and hence define Bohr Magneton. **(4)**

**(ii)** How magnetic materials are classified? Compare their properties and give examples. **(12)**

**(OR)**

**(b) (i)** Distinguish between Type I and Type II superconductors. **(8)**

**(ii)** Briefly explain the following: 1. BCS Theory 2. High TC Superconductors. **(8)**

**14. (a) (i)** Derive an expression for electronic and ionic polarisability. **(10)**

**(ii)** Explain the frequency and temperature dependence of polarisation. **(6)**

**(OR)**

**(b)** What is meant by local field in a dielectric and how it is calculated for a cubic structure? Deduce Clausius – Mosotti relation. **(16)**

**15. (a)** What are metallic glasses? Explain the preparation, properties and applications of metallic glasses. **(16)**

**(OR)**

**(b)** What are nanomaterials? Explain with necessary diagram to synthesize nanomaterials by chemical vapour deposition method. Write any two applications of nanomaterials. **(16)**

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