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# INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES :

- 1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

## **SECTION-A**

#### 1. Answer briefly :

- a) What do you mean by Hermition and Unitary operator?
- b) What do you mean by change of basis?
- c) Write a short note on matrix representation of wave function.
- d) What do you mean by 'eigen value' and 'eigen vector'?
- e) Define scattering amplitude and scattering length.
- f) What is variation method?
- g) Define the term 'anti-symmetric wave function'.
- h) When you will prefer to use the perturbation theory as compared to variational method for solving quantum mechanics problem?
- i) State and write Optical Theorem.
- j) State selection rules for emission and absorption processes. Define stimulated emission process.

### **SECTION-B**

- 2. What is difference between Schrodinger, Heisenberg and Interaction representation? Derive the equation of motion for wave function and operator in the interaction picture.
- 3. Calculate the ground state energy of the one dimensional simple harmonic oscillator using the uncertainty principle.
- 4. Derive the commutation relations of angular momenta. Prove that  $[L^2, L] = 0$ .
- 5. Derive the expression for Fermi Golden rule using time dependent perturbation theory.
- 6. Estimate the ground state energy of simple harmonic oscillator using the variational method.

### **SECTION-C**

- 7. Using the matrix mechanics find the energy eigenvalues and eigenstates of simple harmonic oscillator. Express the eigenstates of ground state and first two excited states in the position basis also.
- 8. What do you mean by Clebsch-Gordan coefficients in connection with addition of angular momenta? Calculate Clebsch-Gordan coefficients for  $J_1 = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $J_2 = \frac{1}{2}$ .
- 9. Using non-degenerate perturbation theory, derive the expression for first order correction to the energy and wave function and also 2nd order correction to the energy of a system. Discuss its validity also.

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