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Bsc Physic Sem - V

Paper 2 (Quantum mechanics, Nanomaterials and Nanotechnology)

Question Bank

- 1) State de-Broglie's hypothesis for matter waves. Explain Davission and Germer experiment.
- 2) What is comptoneffect? On what factors do Compton shift depend?
- 3) An X-ray photon of initial energy 90 keV under-goes compton
- 4) scattering at angle of 60^o, find energy of recoiled electron.
- 5) Calculate the de-Broglie wavelength of an electron accelerated through a potential difference of 1.25 kV.
- 6) How the classical mechanics failed to explain black body radiation spectrum?
- 7) Give analytical treatment for the formation of wave packet.
- 8) What is free particle ? Obtain an expression for eigen energy and
- 9) eigen wave function of free particle in one dimensional box.
- 10) What is operator ? Obtain an expression for momentum operator.
- 11) Show that the function f(x) = sin ax is Eigen function corresponding to the operator 22 dx
- 12) Give physical significance of wave function y.
- 13) Obtain Schrodinger's time dependent equation.
- 14) What are the postulates of quantum mechanics?
- 15) Find the lowest energy of an electron confined to move in one-
- 16) dimensional potential box of length 5Å.
- 17) Explain top down approach and bottom up approach for the
- 18) synthesis of nanomaterials.
- 19) What are physical and chemical properties of nanomaterials?



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- 20) What would be the surface to volume ratio of a nanosphere of radius 2 nm?
- 21) Differentiate nanomaterials from bulk materials.
- 22) What are quantum dots? Enlist their properties.
- 23) The surface to volume ratio of nanocubes is 0.5 per nanometer.
- 24) What would be the side length of nanocubes ?
- 25) What are fullerences? State their properties.
- 26) What is transmission electron microscopy? Explain the working
- 27) of TEM with the help of neat diagram. State its dis-advantages.
- 28) Explain synthesis of nanoparticles by ball milling method.
- 29) Calculate the FWHM XRD pattern of Ni with crystallite size of 20
- 30) nm diffracting angle of 38.2° with X-rays of wavelength 1.54 Å.
- 31) Explain sol-gel method for synthesis of nanomaterials.
- 32) What are the different methods for determination of size of
- 33) nanoparticles? State Schever's formula with symbols.
- 34) How nanotechnology is useful in home appliances?
- 35) X-rays of wavelength 1.54Å are diffracted from nanoparticles at
- 36) Diffracting angle 27^o with full width at half maxima of 1^o. Calculate
- 37) the size of nanocrystals.
- 38) State Planck's quantum hypothesis.
- 39) Define wave packet.
- 40) An electron has a speed of 300 m/sec accurate to 0.01% with what fundamental accuracy can we locate the position of electron.
- 41) Define expectation value.
- 42) If wave function y(x) = e 3x, find eigen value for the operator dx/d
- 43) What is probability density?
- 44) What is quantum well?



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- 45) State two examples of two dimensional nanomaterials.
- 46) If radius of quantum dot is 1.5 pm. Calculate surface to volume ratio.
- 47) What are the limitations of SEM?
- 48) What is aero gel?
- 49) Convert F.W.H.M. of 0.7 radian into degree.
- 50) State de-Broglie's hypothesis for matter waves and establish the
- 51) relation.
- 52) Calculate the de-Broglie wavelength of an electron accelerated
- 53) through potential difference of 5 kV. (Given : $e = 1.6 \times 10-19 c$, m
- 54) = $9.1 \times 10-31$ kg, h = $6.63 \times 10-34$ J-S)
- 55) What is black body radiation ? How has classical mechanics failed
- 56) to explain it?
- 57) An electron and a bullet of mass 150 gms give travel with velocity of 220 m/s, measured to an accuracy of 0.005 %. Calculate and compare uncertainty in position of each.
- 58) Explain, how Davison and Germer's experiment process the wave nature of particle.
- 59) Describe the concept of wavepacket.
- 60) Obtain an expression for eigen function and eigen value for energy of a particle in three dimensional box.
- 61) Derive Schrodinger's time independent equation for the matter wave.
- 62) What are non-degenerate and degenerate energy levels? Explain with examples.
- 63) Obtain an expression for guantum mechanical operator for linear



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- 64) momentum of a particle.
- 65) An electron is combined in a one dimensional box of length 1Å.
- 66) Find the values of momentum and energy for the ground state.
- 67) State the postulates of quantum mechanics.
- 68) Explain how the reduction of dimensions 3D, 2D, 1D and 0D
- 69) materials take place. Explain diagrammatically density of states for
- 70) 0D, 1D, 2D and bulk materials.
- 71) What are the induced effects due to increase in surface area of
- 72) nanoparticles?
- 73) What would be the surface to volume ratio of a nanosphere of
- 74) radius 2 nm ?
- 75) Explain various morphologies of nanomaterials with examples
- 76) Explain top down approach for synthesis of nanomaterials.
- 77) The surface to volume ratio of a nanocube is 1.5/nm. Calculate the side length of a nanocube.
- 78) Explain optical and electrical properties of nanomaterials.
- 79) Explain the construction and working of Transmission Electron
- 80) Microscope (TEM).