

CMR ENGINEERING COLLEGE: : HYDERABAD

UGC AUTONOMOUS

I-B.TECH-II-Semester End Examinations (Supply) - December- 2025

APPLIED PHYSICS

(Common for CSM, ECE, MECH, AI&DS)

[Time: 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 70]

Note: This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 20 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

PART-A**(20 Marks)**

1. a) Give physical significance of wave function. [2M]
- b) Explain the concept of effective mass of electron. [2M]
- c) What is Hall Effect? Mention few applications. [2M]
- d) Explain I-V characteristics of a PN junction diode. [2M]
- e) Mention different types of polarization mechanisms in dielectrics. [2M]
- f) What is Bohr magneton? How is it related to magnetic moment of electron? [2M]
- g) State the important characteristics of laser radiation? [2M]
- h) Distinguish between step index and graded index fibers. [2M]
- i) What is meant by quantum confinement? [2M]
- j) State the principle of X-ray diffraction (XRD). [2M]

PART-B**(50 Marks)**

2. Derive Schrodinger's time- independent wave equation for a free particle. [10M]
- OR**
3. Explain the classification of solids into conductors, semiconductors and insulators on the basis of band theory. [10M]
 4. Derive an expression for the carrier concentration in p-type extrinsic semiconductor. [10M]
- OR**
5. Explain with a neat sketch the principle, construction and working of solar cell. [10M]
 6. Explain the concept of internal field in solids and hence obtain an expression for elemental solid dielectric. [10M]
- OR**
7. Discuss domain theory of ferromagnetism on the basis of hysteresis curve. [10M]
 8. Explain with a neat diagrams (i) absorption (ii) spontaneous emission and (iii) stimulated emission of radiation. [10M]
- OR**
9. Describe different types of optical fibers by giving the refractive index profiles and propagation details. [10M]
 10. What is the origin of nanotechnology? Why do nanomaterials exhibit different properties explain in detail? [10M]
- OR**
11. Describe the principle, construction and working of Transmission electron microscope (TEM) and give its applications. [10M]
