



THE ANSWERS MUST BE ATTEMPTED ON THE ANSWER SHEET PROVIDED

Q.1. Answer the following short questions. (15x2=30)

- (i)- Is there a net force on an electric dipole placed in a non-uniform electric field?
- (ii)- Is \vec{E} necessarily zero inside a charged rubber balloon, which is spherical? Assume that charge is uniformly distributed over the surface.
- (iii)- Why can an isolated atom not have a permanent electric dipole moment?
- (iv)- How many electrons will be produced by charge of 1C?
- (v)- A parallel plate capacitor is charged by using a battery which is then disconnected. A dielectric slab is slipped between the plates. Describe quantitatively what happens to charge, the electric field, the potential difference and capacitance?
- (vi)- On what factors, the capacitance of a parallel plate capacitor depends upon?
- (vii)- If positive and negative connections to terminals of an automobile battery were reversed, would you expect the automobile light to function?
- (viii)- Differentiate between electric and magnetic dipoles.
- (ix)- Discuss the difficulties of testing whether the filament of light bulb obeys Ohm's law?
- (x)- Discuss similarities and difference between electrostatic and magnetic fields.
- (xi)- Discuss the analogies and differences between Biot-Savart law and Coulomb's law.
- (xii)- Describe briefly difference between self-induction and mutual induction.
- (xiii)- Suppose that, in a series RLC circuit, the frequency of the applied voltage is changed continuously from a very low value to a very high value. How does the phase constant change?
- (xiv)- Do pure semiconductors obey Ohm's law?
- (xv)- What are bias conditions of base emitter and base collector junctions for a transistor to operate as an amplifier?

Answer the following questions.

Q. 2: (a)-What is linear charge density? Derive an expression for electric field due to an infinitely long uniformly charged straight wire using Coulomb's law. (05 + 05)

(b)-Calculate capacitance of a capacitor consisting of two concentric spheres (spherical plate capacitor) of radii a & b respectively separated by air and a dielectric of dielectric constant k_e or relative permittivity ϵ_r .

Q. 3: (a)-State and explain Kirchhoff's rules. Apply the Kirchhoff's rules to find current in a single loop containing two resistances and two batteries. (05 + 05)

(b)-Derive an expression for force acting on a small element placed in a uniform magnetic field. Hence find force on a long straight conductor carrying current and show that,

$$\vec{F} = \oint_C i \vec{dl} \times \vec{B}$$

What is value of force for a closed loop carrying current?

Q. 4: (a)-Calculate energy stored in an inductor. Show that energy stored in magnetic field per unit volume is,

$$u_B = \frac{B^2}{2\mu_0}$$

(b)-State Ampere's law. How Maxwell generalize it? Why modification was needed? (06 + 04)