



Q.1. Answer the following short questions: (6x5=30)

- i. Describe diffraction grating and derive an expression for the resolution of the diffraction-grating spectrograph.**
- ii. What are damped oscillations and different conditions under varying damping parameter? Also derive an expression for the damping power.**
- iii. Discuss simple harmonic motion of a body and find mathematical expressions for amplitude and phase.**
- iv. Elaborate the construction and operation of a Michelson interferometer, which is used to make precise measurements of wavelengths and of very small distances.**
- v. Discuss a simpler magnifier and derive an expression for its angular magnification.**
- vi. Give construction, operation and angular magnifications of typical telescope and microscope.**

Q.2. Answer the following questions. (3x10=30)

- a. Discuss Doppler effect of sound waves.**
- b. Describe Fraunhofer diffraction and diffraction from multiple slits.**
- c. Discuss and apply Huygens's principle to derive Snell's law.**