

Jhargram Raj College  
Internal Assessment 2022  
5th SEM Physics (Honours)  
Paper – C-11  
Full Marks: 10

*Answer any five Questions*

1. Which one of the following is not physical wave function and why?  
(i)  $3 \cos \pi x$       (ii)  $4 - |x|$       (iii)  $A \exp(-x^2)$       (iv)  $A \exp(-\alpha|x|)$
2. Consider a one-dimensional particle which is confined within the region  $0 \leq x \leq a$  and whose wave function is  $\psi(x, t) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{a}\right) \exp(-i\omega t)$ . Find the potential  $V(x)$  and calculate the probability of finding the particle in the interval  $a/4 \leq x \leq 3a/4$ .
3. Find the state  $\psi(x)$  for which  $\hat{A}\psi(x) = 0$  and normalize it.  
Where  $\hat{A} = i(\hat{x}^2 + 1) \frac{d}{dx} + i\hat{x}$
4. Consider the operator  $\hat{Q} = i \frac{d}{d\phi}$ , where  $\phi$  is the usual polar coordinate in two dimensions. Is  $\hat{Q}$  hermitian? Find its eigen function and eigen values.
5. Show that the eigen vectors corresponding to distinct eigen values of a Hermitian operator are mutually orthogonal.
6. Show that the expectation value of momentum(P) is real.
7. A particle of mass  $m$ , which moves freely inside an infinite potential well of length  $a$ , is initially in the state  $\psi(x, 0) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{5a}} \sin\left(\frac{3\pi x}{a}\right) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5a}} \sin\left(\frac{5\pi x}{a}\right)$ .  
Find  $\psi(x, t)$  at any later time  $t$ .
8. Prove that  $[\hat{H}, \hat{P}_x^2] = 2i\hbar \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \hat{P}_x + \hbar^2 \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2}$