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FACULTY OF SCIENCE

B.Sc. (Third Year) (Fifth Semester) EXAMINATION OCTOBER/NOVEMBER, 2017

(Old Course)

PHYSICS

Paper XIII-B (Phy.-303)

(Astrophysics)

(Friday, 17-11-2017)

Time: 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—40

N.B. := (i) All questions are compulsory.

- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- 1. Attempt any four of the following:

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- (a) On which factors does the luminosity classification of star depend?
- (b) Which is the largest and smallest planet in size in our solar system?
- (c) State the value of Hubble constant with unit.
- (d) Define sunspot.
- (e) State the main characteristics of earth responsible for existence of human life.
- (f) State Hubble's law.
- 2. Attempt any two of the following:

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- (a) Describe how the distance is measured by parallex method in astrophysics.
- (b) Explain in brief the Milkyway Galaxy.
- (c) What are different parts (layers) of sun's atmosphere? Describe in brief Carona.

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3. Attempt any *two* of the following:

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- (a) Describe structure, composition and atmosphere of mercury.
- (b) Explain the phenomenon of transmission of radiations through atmosphere.
- (c) Write a note on interstellar medium.
- 4. Attempt any *one* of the following:

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- (a) Discuss in detail Big Bang theory.
- (b) Derive an expression for the black body radiation and Wien's law.
- 5. Write short notes on any two:

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- (a) Spectral classification of stars
- (b) Condensation theory
- (c) Sunspot and sunspot cycle
- (d) Asteroids.