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FACULTY OF SCIENCE

B.Sc. (Sixth Semester) EXAMINATION

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MATHEMATICS

Paper-XVII

(Mechanics-II)

(Thursday, 16-06-2022)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Time— 2½ Hours

Maximum Marks—40

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

(ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. (a) Find the expressions for velocity and acceleration in terms of vector derivatives. 15

Or

(b) Prove that the necessary and sufficient condition for a force F to be conservative is that the line integral over a closed path C in a conservative field is zero, that is $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = 0$. 8

(c) A shell of mass $m_1 + m_2$ is fired with a given velocity in a given direction. At the highest point of the path, the shell explodes into two portions of masses m_1 and m_2 . The explosion produces an additional K.E. = E and the portions separate out in a horizontal direction. Show that the

portions strike the ground at a distance $\frac{v}{g} \sqrt{2E \left(\frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_2} \right)}$, where v

is the vertical component of the velocity of projection. 7

2. (a) Prove that the kinetic energy of particle of mass m moving with velocity \vec{V} is $\frac{1}{2}mV^2$. Also, show that change in K.E. of the particle is equal to the work done. 15

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Or

- (b) Derive the range of a projectile on an inclined plane. 8
- (c) A boy sitting on the top of a tower 96 ft. per sec. at an elevation of 30° to the horizon. 7

Calculate :

- (i) The time the stone takes to reach the horizontal plane through the foot of the tower.
- (ii) The horizontal distance of the stone from the foot of the tower when it strikes this plane.

3. Attempt (any two) : 5 each

- (i) Find the tangential and normal components of acceleration.
- (ii) Prove that the sum of the work done by any number of forces is equal to the work done by their resultant.
- (iii) A particle of mass m moving with velocity \vec{v} picks up a mass M at rest. Find the velocity of the combined mass, the kinetic energy of the combined mass and the loss in K.E.
- (iv) A man can throw a cricket ball upto 160 metres and no more. With what speed, in meter per sec., must it be thrown ?

Take $g = 980 \text{ cm/sec}^2$.