

- (b) What is Born – Oppenheimer approximation? Discuss briefly about molecular orbital theory of Hydrogen molecule.
10. (a) Describe Hartree – Fock SCF method for the calculation of electronic configuration.

Or

- (b) Discuss the important features of density functional theory and Moller – Plesset many body perturbation theory.
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QUANTUM MECHANICS – II

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

1. (a) Discuss the transitions in the first order under constant perturbation.

Or

- (b) Give the dipole approximation. How are selection rules worked out based on it?

2. (a) Show that an attractive potential leads to positive phase shifts whereas a repulsive potential to negative phase shifts.

Or

- (b) Briefly explain the scattering process using Green's function.

3. (a) Derive expressions for an probability density and probability current density in the Dirac's theory.

Or

- (b) Write a short note on "creation and annihilation operators of photons.

4. (a) Discuss the effect of magnetic field in hydrogen atom.

Or

- (b) What is Vanderwaal's force? Describe the Vanderwaal's interaction between the two hydrogen atoms in their ground state.

5. (a) What are restricted and unrestricted HF. Calculations? Explain shortly.

Or

- (b) Describe a method to find the solution of Roothan's equations.

PART B — (5 × 10 = 50 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

6. (a) Develop the time dependent perturbation theory for a system subjected to harmonic perturbation and hence obtain what is known as Fermi Golden rule.

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- (b) From a semi - classical treatment of radiations, obtain expressions for induced emission and absorption and for spontaneous emission.

7. (a) Find the different scattering cross - section for a real potential  $V(r) = -V_0 e^{-r/a}$ , using the Born approximation. What is the validity criterion in this case?

Or

- (b) Explain resonance scattering and derive the expression for the resonance scattering cross - section.

8. (a) Show that  $L_x$  is not a constant of motion in Dirac's theory. Introduce a suitable operator so that the total angular momentum is a constant of motion. Interpret a new operator.

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- (b) Derive the expression for energy of a charged particle obeying Schroedinger's relativistic equation in a coulomb potential.

9. (a) Give an account of Thomas - Fermi statistical model of the atom.

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