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FIRST SEMESTER DIPLOMA EXAMINATION IN ENGINEERING/  
TECHNOLOGY—OCTOBER, 2011

**APPLIED SCIENCE — I**  
(Common-Except DCP & CABM)

[Time : 3 hours

(Maximum marks : 100)

[Note : Section-I Physics and Section-II Chemistry to be answered  
in separate answer books.]

SECTION – I

**Physics**

(Maximum marks : 50)

PART–A

(Answer the following questions in one or two sentences.  
Each question carries 2 marks)

	Marks
I (a) What are peta and pico ?	2
(b) Why are springs made of steel and not of copper ?	2

PART– B

(Answer any two full questions. Each question carries 8 marks)

II (a) When a body is thrown up, show that time of ascent is equal to time of descent.	4
(b) State and explain parallel and perpendicular axes theorem.	4
III (a) Derive the equation for the displacement of a body during the $n^{\text{th}}$ second of its motion.	4
(b) Derive an expression for the moment of inertia of a uniform circular disc about an axis passing through its centre and perpendicular to its plane.	4
IV (a) Explain why the outer edge of the road bed is raised over the inner on the curved portion of the road.	4
(b) When the diameter of the earth is reduced to half, its mass will become $1/8^{\text{th}}$ of its present value. What will be the value of 'g' for the new earth ?	4

## PART – C

(Answer *one* full question from each unit. Each question carries 15 marks)

## UNIT – I

- V (a) Obtain the dimensional formula for Plank's constant from the equation  $E=h\nu$ . 3
- (b) A boy can throw a ball 40 M vertically upwards, find the greatest horizontal distance he can throw. 6
- (c) If a gun of mass 20 Kg fires 4 bullets per second each of mass  $35 \times 10^{-3}$  Kg with a velocity of 400 m/s, calculate the force required to stop the recoil of the gun. 6

OR

- VI (a) What are the causes of friction? Why is it difficult to move a cycle with its brake on? 3
- (b) Assuming that the moon completes one revolution in a circular orbit around the earth in 27.3 days, calculate the centripetal acceleration of the moon towards the earth. Radius of orbit =  $3.85 \times 10^5$  km. 6
- (c) A stone is dropped into a well and the sound of the splash is heard after 3.91s. If the depth of the well is 67.6M, find the velocity of sound. 6

## UNIT – II

- VII (a) Define moment of inertia of a rigid body and radius of gyration. 3
- (b) A stone of mass 5 Kg is tied to one end of a string of length 1 M and is rotated in a horizontal circle at the rate of 5 revolutions per second. What are the moment of inertia and kinetic energy of rotation? 6
- (c) An artificial satellite is moving in a definite circular orbit near earth. Prove that its time period is given by  $T = \sqrt{(3\pi/G\rho)}$  where  $\rho$  is the density of earth and G the gravitation constant. 6

OR

- VIII (a) Where should the force be applied on a wrench to produce the best screwing effect? 3
- (b) What are geostationary satellites? Deduce its orbital velocity.  
( $G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \text{ Nm}^2\text{kg}^{-2}$ , mass of the earth =  $6 \times 10^{24}$  kg and radius of the earth = 6400 km, h = 36,000 km) 6
- (c) A metal wire of length 4 M and diameter 2 mm is stretched by a mass of 8 Kg. Find the extension produced if  $Y = 11 \times 10^{10} \text{ Nm}^{-2}$ . 6