C. ABDUL HAKEEM COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), MELVISHARAM - 632 509. SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, APRIL - 2018

B.Sc., PHYSICS SEMESTER VI U15MPH602 / U14MPH602 - RELATIVITY, QUANTUM MECHANICS AND MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION - A (10 X 2 = 20 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions.

- 1. Explain Newtonian relativity.
- 2. Explain gravitational red shift.
- 3. What is meant by matter waves?
- 4. Write the postulates of wave mechanics.
- 5. What is zero point energy?
- 6. What is rigid rotator?
- 7. What are spherical polar coordinates?
- 8. Explain the curl of vector field.
- 9. What is Beta function?
- 10. Write Laguere's differential equation.

SECTION - B (5 X 5 = 25 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions.

11. a) Derive an expression for time dilation.

(Or)

b) Explain law of addition of velocities.

12. a) Discuss about Heisenberg's uncertainty principle.

(Or)

b) Explain the properties of wave functions.

13. a) Derive time dependent Schodinger equation.

(Or)

b) Derive the eigen function and eigen value of linear harmonic oscillator.

14. a) Derive Green's theorem.

(Or)

- b) Explain the application of vectors to orthogonal curvilinear coordinates.
- 15. a) Write the properties of Dirac delta function.

(Or)

b) Derive a relation between Beta and gamma function.

SECTION - C $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

Answer ANY THREE Questions.

- 16. With a neat diagram, describe Michelson Morley experiment and significance of negative result.
- 17. Explain operator formalism in detail.
- Obtain the eigen value and eigen function of a particle in a one dimensional box.

- 19. State and prove Stoke's theorem.
- 20. Obtain the series solution for Hermite's differential equation.