

CHAPTER 19
DAWN OF MODERN PHYSICS

1. Encircle the correct answers.

- i.** Which one of the following physical quantities change with relativistic speed?
- Length
 - Time
 - Mass
 - All of above
- ii.** For a black body, the product of λ_m and T known as:
- Wien's constant
 - Planck's constant
 - Davison constant
 - Lumber's constant
- iii.** The photoelectric effect predicts that light is made of:
- Photons
 - Neutrons
 - Protons
 - None of these
- iv.** The unit of work function is:
- Electron
 - Ampere
 - Volt cell
 - Hz
- v.** If the energy of photon is 10 eV and work function is 5 eV. Then the a value of stopping potential will be:
- 50 V
 - 2 V
 - 5 V
 - 15 V
- vi.** Einstein photoelectric equation is:
- $hf = \phi + \frac{1}{2}mV_{\max}^2$
 - $\phi = hf + \frac{1}{2}mV_{\max}^2$
 - $hf + \phi = \frac{1}{2}mV_{\max}^2$
 - None of these
- vii.** The Compton effect is associated with:
- X-rays
 - γ -rays
 - Positive rays
 - β -rays
- viii.** The numerical value of Compton wavelength is equal to:
- $3.43 \times 10^{-12} m$
 - $1.43 \times 10^{-12} m$
 - $2.43 \times 10^{-12} m$
 - $0.43 \times 10^{-12} m$
- ix.** Unit of Stephen's constant is:
- $W m K^{-2}$
 - $W m^{-2} K^{-4}$
 - $W m K^{-4}$
 - None
- x.** Compton shift is maximum for scattering angle of photon:
- 0°
 - 90°
 - 180°
 - 45°

- As a solid is heated and begins to glow, why does it first appear red?
- What happens to total radiation from a blackbody if its absolute temperature is doubled?
- Which photon, red, green, or blue carries the most (a) energy and (b) momentum?
- Which has the lower energy quanta? Radio waves or X-rays?
- Will bright light eject more electrons from a metal surface than dimmer light of the same colour?
- Will higher frequency light eject greater number of electrons than low frequency light?
- When light shines on a surface, is momentum transferred to the metal surface?
- Can pair production take place in vacuum? Explain?
- When does light behave as a wave? When does it behave as particle?

Note: Long questions:

Q.3 (a) State and prove the Heisenberg uncertainty principle.

(b) What is the mass of a 70 kg man in a space rocket traveling at 0.8 c from us as measured from Earth?

Q.4 (a) What is Compton effect. Find expression for Compton shift.

(b) What is the maximum wavelength of the two photons produced when a positron annihilates an electron? The rest mass energy of each is 0.51 Mev.

Q.2 Write the short answers.