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UPES End Semester Examination, May 2024			
Course: Mathematical Physics II Program: BSc Physics (H) Course Code: PHYS1034		Semester: II Time : 03 hrs. Max. Marks: 100	
Instructions: All questions are compulsory (Q9 and Q11 have internal choice)			
SECTION A (5Qx4M=20Marks)			
S. No.		Marks	CO
Q 1	Convert the given ordinary polynomial into Hermite polynomial $12x^2 + 14x + 3$	4	CO1
Q 2	Discuss briefly 'isomorphism' and 'homomorphism' in group theory	4	CO1
Q 3	Calculate propagation error for $F = x+y$ and $F = x-y$. Consider $x = 9.51 \pm 0.10$, $y = 5.90 \pm 0.10$	4	CO2
Q 4	Evaluate, $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{\cot\theta} d\theta$	4	CO3
Q 5	From the given data find out 'n' (order of Hermite polynomial) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} H_n^2(x) dx = 384\sqrt{\pi}$	4	CO4
SECTION B (4Qx10M= 40 Marks)			
Q 6	What is probable error? Calculate standard error and probable error for a measurement with correlation coefficient of 0.6 and total observations of 20.	10	CO2

Q 7	A square membrane (2.5 cm × 2.5 cm) is under tension of 200 dynes/cm and is executing vibration with (4,3) normal modes. Calculate its velocity and frequency if the membrane has areal density of 0.02 g/cm ² .	10	CO4
Q 8	Show that, $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x^4} x^2 dx \times \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{-x^2}}{\sqrt{x}} dx = \frac{\pi}{4\sqrt{2}}$ [Consider: $\Gamma\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = \pi\sqrt{2}$]	10	CO3
Q 9	Solve, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + xy = 0$ OR Solve, $(x^2 + 1)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x\frac{dy}{dx} - xy = 0$	10	CO1
SECTION C (2Qx20M=40 Marks)			
Q 10	(a) Solve 1D vibrating string to find out V (x, t). (b) Show that deflection of a vibrating string of length π fixed at both ends takes the form, $V(x, t) = \lambda (\cos t \sin x - \cos 2t \sin 2x)$ [Consider initial deflection, $F(x) = \lambda(\sin x - \sin 2x)$, $v^2 = 1$ and initial velocity = 0]	15 5	CO3
Q 11	Derive the general solution for Laplace equation in cylindrical coordinates system. OR Solve steady state heat flow equation to find out temperature distribution, T (x, y) at any point P (x, y). Assume, plate is finite (length, a) along x and infinite (∞) along y.	20	CO2