

# ELIZADE UNIVERSITY ILARA-MOKIN ONDO STATE

FACULTY: Basic and Applied Sciences
DEPARTMENT: Physical and Chemical Sciences
FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS
2016/2017 ACADEMIC SESSION

**COURSE CODE: PHY 101** 

**COURSE TITLE: GENERAL PHYSICS 1** 

**DURATION: 2 HOURS** 

HOD's SIGNATURE

# TOTAL MARKS:

Matriculation Number:

# **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Write your matriculation number in the space provided above and also on the cover page of the exam booklet.
- 2. This question paper consists of 2 pages with printing on both sides.
- 3. Answer all questions in the exam booklet provided.
- 4. More marks are awarded for problem solving method used to solving problems than for the final numerical answer.
- 5. Box your final answers.
- 6. Attempt any 4 questions, two from each section
- 7. Each question attracts 15 points.

### SECTION A.

- 1(a) Mention two important applications of Dimension analysis.
  - (b) The velocity, V, of transverse waves along a string depends on the tension, F, in the string ,its length l and its mass m.

$$V = kF^z l^y m^z$$
. Find  $x.y, z$ .

- (c) (i) What is uniform velocity.
  - (ii) A train accelerates steadily from 58 km/hr to 82 km/hr in 20s. Find its acceleration.
- 2(a) Differentiate between displacement and velocity
  - (b) A cricket ball is thrown vertically upwards with a velocity of 24.5m/s
    - (i) calculate the time it takes to reach the highest point?
    - (ii) What is the greatest height from the ground?
    - (iii) how long does it take to return to the ground
- 3 (a) What is centripetal force?
  - (b) A ball of radius 5.0 cm rolls down an inclined plane from rest. After 4.0s, its angular velocity is 8.0 rad/s. Find (i) its angular acceleration (ii) its linear velocity after 4.0s.
  - (c) If D = -5i + 6j 3k and E = 7i + 8j + 4k
    - (i) Calculate  $D \times E$
    - (ii) Find the angle between D and E
    - (iii) Show that  $D \times E$  is perpendicular to both D and E

## SECTION B

- 4(a) State and with mathematical illustration the second and third law of motion.
  - (b) A man stands on a scale in an elevator. If the scale reads 450 N when the elevator is stationary, what will it read when the elevator is
    - (i) ascending with an acceleration of 3ms<sup>-2</sup>
    - (ii) descending with acceleration of 3 ms<sup>-2</sup>
    - (iii) moving at a constant speed.
- 5(a) State the law of conservation of energy.
  - (b) A tall man walks under a mango tree, a ripe fruit drops on his head from a height of 15m. if the speed of the fruit on hitting his is 12 ms<sup>-1</sup>, determine how tall the man is.
- 6(a) Explain the following with suitable diagrams (i) Rolling Friction (ii) Fluid Friction.
  - (b) A 120 kg body moving at a speed of 20 ms<sup>-1</sup> collides with a body that is half its weight and which is moving at twice its speed along same direction. After collision, the 120 kg body continues in the same direction with a speed of 25 ms<sup>-1</sup> while the smaller body moves in in opposite direction. Find the final velocity of the smaller body.