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SEMESTER - II

PAPER – 202: SOLID STATE PHYSICS

MODEL QUESTIONS

GROUP A

SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

- 1. Explain wave motion in Monoatomic and Diatomic Lattice vibrations.
- 2. What is semiconductor? Explain its types with band structure.
- 3. Explain diamagnetism and para magnetism in solids.
- 4. Discus the Fermi level and density of state in semiconductor.
- 5. Derive an expression for the carrier concentration in intrinsic semiconductor.
- 6. What are phonons? Explain phonon frequency and density of state?
- 7. What is Meissner effect? Explain type I and type II semiconductors.

GROUP B

LONG ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

- 1. Discuss the quantum theory of ferromagnetic solids.
- 2. a. Derive an expression for London's equation.
 - b. What is effective mass of e^- or hole derive its expression.
- 3. a. Explain BCS theory of superconductors and derive expression for superconductivity energy gap.
 - b. Derive and explain law of mass action in semiconductors.
- 4. Discuss the Debye's theory of solid state physics in detail.
- 5. Discuss the thermal expansion and thermal conductivity of solids
- 6. Discus the quantum theory of diamagnetism in solid state physics.
- 7. Explain Kronig-penny model and derive relation between energy and momentum.
