



Answer all the following questions: [100 Marks]

Q.1 (A) Define Quantum mechanics and some applications on it? [25]
 (B) By using Lagrangian formulation find:
 i) Equations of motion
 ii) Momentum equation
 iii) Force equation
 (C) Derive Hamiltonian formulation from Lagrangian formulation then find the total variation of the Hamiltonian

Q.2 (A) Define Bloch-Floquet Waves? [25]
 (B) The wave propagating periodic structure as shown Figure (1). By using $\varphi(k, x) = e^{ikx} u_p(x)$, find the solution of this wave.

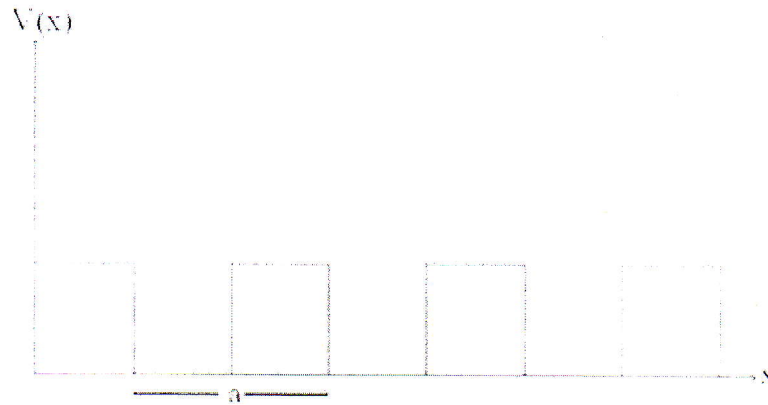


Figure 1: A 1D periodic structure of a potential profile for $V(x)$ where a Bloch-Floquet wave can travel on it.

Q3 A non-relativistic particle of mass m is held in a circular orbit around the origin by an attractive force $f(r) = -k r$ where k is a positive constant [25]
 i) Show that the potential energy can be written

$$U(r) = \frac{1}{2} kr^2$$

Assuming $U(r) = 0$ when $r = 0$

- ii) Assuming the Bohr quantization of the angular momentum of the particle, show that the radius r of the orbit of the particle and speed v of the particle can be written

$$v^2 = \left(\frac{n \hbar}{m} \right) \left(\frac{k}{m} \right)^{0.5}, \quad r^2 = \left(\frac{n \hbar}{k} \right) \left(\frac{k}{m} \right)^{0.5},$$

where n is an integer

- iii) Hence, show that the total energy of the particle is

$$E_n = n \hbar \left(\frac{k}{m} \right)^{0.5}$$

- iv) If $m = 3 \times 10^{-26} \text{ kg}$ and $k = 1180 \text{ N m}^{-1}$, determine the wavelength of the photon in nm which will cause a transition between successive energy levels.

Q4 Consider the time-independent Schrodinger equation in three dimensions [25]

- i) Write $\Psi(r, \theta, \phi) = \Psi_r(r) Y(\theta, \phi)$ as a separable solution and split Schrodinger's equation into two independent differential equations, one depending on r and the other depending on θ and ϕ .
- ii) Further separate the angular equation into θ and ϕ parts
- iii) Combine the angular part and the potential part of the radial equation and write them as an effective potential V_e . Then make the substitution $\chi(r) = r \Psi_r(r)$ and transform the radial equation into a form that resembles the one-dimensional Schrodinger equation.

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