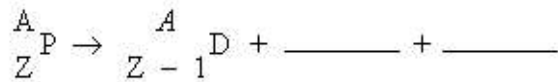


Sem VI

Sample Questions MCQ for Paper III(Nuclear Physics)

Unit I

- 1) In the following decay scheme, the blanks should contain .



- a) β^+ and n
b) β^- and ν
c) β^- and p
d) β^+ and ν
- 2) If during the Beta decay process, if , $M(A,Z) > M(A,Z+1)$, then -----
(where symbols have their usual meaning)
a) the emission of electron takes place.
b) the emission of positron takes place.
c) the emission of electron & positron takes place.
d) the electron capture process takes place.
- 3) The 'neutrino hypothesis' was postulated to solve the problem about -----
----- .
a) conservation of linear momentum
b) conservation of charge
c) conservation of energy & conservation of angular momentum
d) conservation of mass
- 4) Straggling of range of alpha particles with same initial energy is _____
a) due to statistical fluctuation about a mean value in the energy loss per collision
b) due to fluctuation in the energy loss
c) independent of number of collisions
d) due to ionization potential of the gas
- 5) Geiger Nuttall law is given by the equation:
a) $\log_{10} R_\alpha = A + B \log_{10} \lambda$
b) $\log_{10} \lambda = A + B \log_{10} R_\alpha$

- c) $\log_{10} \frac{1}{R_\alpha} = A + B \log_{10} \lambda$
 d) $\log_{10} R_\alpha = A + B \log_{10} \lambda^{-1}$

Unit II

- 1) In internal conversion process, the surplus energy of nucleus is directly transferred to _____
- nucleus
 - Proton
 - Neutron
 - Orbital electron
- 2) If the mean life for gamma decay is _____, then such excited states are called metastable state .
- From 10^{-10} sec to many years
 - From 10^{-10} sec to 1 sec
 - From 10^{-15} sec to few months
 - From 10^{-15} sec to few months
- 3) Nuclei with odd numbers of protons and odd number of neutrons are _____.
- Least stable
 - Most stable
 - unstable
 - different
- 4) In mass-parabolas, the mass of the most stable odd A isobar is _____.
- $M(Z_0, A) = \alpha A - \gamma Z_0$
 - $M(Z_0, A) = \alpha A - \gamma Z_0^2$
 - $M(Z_0, A) = \beta A - \gamma Z_0$
 - $M(Z_0, A) = \alpha A - \beta Z_0$
- 5) Effect of coulomb energy on the binding energy is given by $B_c =$
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- $\frac{a_c Z}{A^{1/3}}$
 - $\frac{-a_c Z^2}{A^{2/3}}$
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d) $\frac{a_c Z^2}{A^{1/3}}$

Unit III

1) Name the moderator used in the nuclear reactor?

- a) Plutonium
- b) Thorium
- c) Graphite
- d) Beryllium

2) Which type of reaction takes place in sun?

- a) Nuclear Fusion
- b) Nuclear Fission
- c) Spontaneous Fission
- d) Double Beta Decay

3) A uniform magnetic field of 2Wb/m^2 is used in a cyclotron to accelerate protons. The radius of the cyclotron is 0.32m . The electric field between the Dees should be reversed after every _____

Given: mass of the proton = $1.67 \times 10^{-27}\text{kg}$ and charge of the proton = $1.67 \times 10^{-19}\text{C}$

- a) 1.64 sec
- b) $1.64 \times 10^{-8}\text{sec}$
- c) $3.28 \times 10^{-8}\text{sec}$
- d) $1.64 \times 10^{-46}\text{sec}$

4) In betatron, if the electrons have to be kept on constant radius r_0 , then the following condition has to be satisfied

- a) $\Delta\phi = 2\pi r_0^2 \Delta B_0$
- b) $\Delta\phi = \pi r_0^2 \Delta B_0$
- c) $\Delta\phi = 2\pi r_0 \Delta B_0$
- d) $\Delta\phi = 2\pi r_0^2 B_0$

5) The number of neutrons that will be therein the hundredth generation if the fission process starts from 1000 neutrons and $k= 1.05$ is _____

- a) 1.25×10^2
- b) 1.25
- c) 1.25×10^5
- d) 12.5×10^5

Unit IV

1) The magnetic moment of proton is

- a) 2.7973 nuclear magneton
- b) 2.9773 nuclear magneton
- c) 2.7793 nuclear magneton
- d) 2.3779 nuclear magneton

2) Which of the following statement is incorrect about the photon?

- a) Photon is quantum of electromagnetic field
- b) Photon has no electrical charge
- c) Photon has no mass
- d) Photon is spin half particle

3) How many quarks make up a proton?

- a) 0
- b) 1
- c) 2
- d) 3

4) The rest mass of the meson is given by

- a) $\hbar/2R c$
- b) $h/R c$
- c) $\hbar/2 c$
- d) $h/2R c$

5) Which of the following about the nuclear force is true?

- a) It is an attractive force between electrons and protons in an atom
- b) It is an attractive force between electrons and neutrons in an atom.
- c) It is much weaker than the gravitational force.
- d) It is a strong, short-range, attractive force between the nucleons.