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Progra	amme	: B.Tech. [BCE] Semester : Fall 2021-22		
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Time		: 1 ½ hours Max. Marks : 50		
Answer all the Questions				
Q.No.	Sub. Sec.	Question Description	Marks	
1		A block A has a mass of 8 kg and is at rest on a frictionless horizontal surface. A 4-kg mass B is attached to a rope as shown in figure. Determine the acceleration of the mass B and the tension in the cord. The pulley is frictionless.	10	
2		Assume a large hand wheel as shown in the figure. The man, who operates it, exerts a force of 150 N on each side of a large wheel (80cm diameter) thus produces a force couple, as shown the second figure. Calculate the moment of the force couple.	10	
3		Replace the following classical mechanical expressions with their corresponding quantum mechanical operators. a. K.E. = 1/2*mv ² b. p = mv c. total energy E=K.E+P.E	10	

4	Consider an infinite square well with wall boundaries x=0 and x=L. Show the energy eigenvalues, wavefunction and its probability density distribution for the first five excited states of an electron.	10	
5	Explain why the surface area to volume ratio is important in nanophysics and calculate this ratio for a sphere of diameter 30 μ m.	10	
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