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Total Duration : 2 Hrs 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section A

Answer any **SIX** questions $(6 \times 5 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

- 1. Brief on normalization and box normalization on a wave function.
- 2. State and prove Heissenberg's uncertainty principle.
- 3. Obtain the radial equation for a particle in a central potential.
- 4. Write short notes on
 - (a) state vectors and their conjugates
 - (b)norm and scalar product.
- 5. Write a short note on self adjointness of an operator.
- 6. Prove the following:

(i)
$$[\mathsf{J}_z,\mathsf{J}_+] = \hbar J_+$$

(ii)
$$[J_+, \mathsf{J}_-] = 2\hbar J_z$$
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7. Write short notes on symmetric properties of Clebsh – Gordan coefficients.

8. Brief on WKB approximation.

Section B

Part A

Answer any **TWO** questions $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks})$

- 9. State and prove Ehrenfest theorem.
- 10. Obtain the energy eigen values and eigen functions of a hydrogen atom.
- 11. Discuss on unitary transformation induced by change of co-ordinate system involved with translation.
- 12. Describe the theory of spin angular momentum based on Pauli's spin matrices.

Part B

Compulsory question $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

13. Obtain the expression for the first order correction terms in eigen values and the eigen functions using time – dependent perturbation theory.
