

Topic :- WAVE OPTICS

- 1 **(a)**
The number of fringes shifting is decided by the extra path difference produced by introducing the glass plate. The extra path difference is $(\mu - 1)t = n\lambda$
Or $(1.5 - 1) \times 0.1 \times 10^{-3} = n \times 500 \times 10^{-9}$
 $\Rightarrow n = 100$
- 2 **(b)**
The rings observed in reflected light are exactly complementary to those seen in transmitted light. Corresponding to every dark ring in reflected light there is a bright ring in transmitted light. The ray reflected at the upper surface of the air-film suffers no phase change while the ray reflected internally at the lower surface suffers a phase change of π .
- 3 **(d)**
 $\lambda = 600 \text{ nm} = 6 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$
 $a = 1 \text{ mm} = 10^{-3} \text{ m}, D = 2 \text{ m}$

Distance between the first dark fringes on either side of central bright fringe = width of central maximum
$$= \frac{2\lambda D}{a} = \frac{2 \times 6 \times 10^{-7} \times 2}{10^{-3}}$$
$$= 24 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m} = 2.4 \text{ mm}$$
- 4 **(a)**
 $\mu_v = 1$ and $\mu_a = 1.003$

 $\therefore \frac{\lambda_v}{\lambda_a} = \frac{\mu_a}{\mu_v} = 1.0003$

 $x = \lambda_v n = \lambda_a (n + 1)$

$$\frac{n+1}{n} = \frac{\lambda_v}{\lambda_a} = 1.0003$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{n} = 1.0003, \frac{1}{n} = 0.0003$$

$$n = \frac{1}{0.0003} = \frac{10^4}{3}$$

$$\therefore x = \lambda_a n = 6000 \times 10^{-7} \text{mm} \times \frac{10^4}{3} = 2 \text{mm}$$

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(c)

Limit of resolution of the telescope

$$a = \frac{1.22\lambda}{a} = \frac{d}{x}$$

$$\text{Or } d = \frac{1.22\lambda x}{a}$$

$$= \frac{1.22 \times 5 \times 10^{-7} \times 8 \times 10^{16}}{0.25} = 1.95 \times 10^{11} \text{m}$$

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(d)

$$v = \frac{c}{\sqrt{\mu_r \epsilon_r}} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{\sqrt{1.3 \times 2.14}} = 1.8 \times 10^8 \text{m/s}$$

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(b)

$$\text{Fringe width } (\beta) \propto \frac{1}{\text{prism Angle } (\alpha)}$$

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(a)

$$\text{Angular spread on either side is } \theta = \frac{\lambda}{a} = \frac{1}{5} \text{rad}$$

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(a)

Photoelectric effect explain the quantum nature of light while interference, diffraction and polarization explain the wave nature of light

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(b)

$$\beta = \frac{\lambda D}{d} = \frac{6000 \times 10^{-10} \times 2}{4 \times 10^{-3}}$$

$$= 0.3 \times 10^{-3} \text{m} = 0.3 \text{mm}$$

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(a)

If maximum electron density of the ionosphere is N_{\max} per m^3 then the critical frequency

$$f_c \text{ is given by } f_c = 9(N_{\max})^{1/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \times 10^6 = 9(N)^{1/2} \Rightarrow N = 1.2 \times 10^{12} m^{-3}$$

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(d)

Phase difference = $\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \times$ path difference

$$\text{ie, } \phi = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \times \frac{\lambda}{6} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{As, } I = I_{\max} \cos^2\left(\frac{\phi}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{Or } \frac{I}{I_{\max}} = \cos^2\left(\frac{\phi}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{Or } \frac{I}{I_0} = \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{3}{4}$$

14 **(c)**

Two coherent source must have a constant phase difference otherwise they can not produce interference

15 **(d)**

$$\beta = \frac{\lambda D}{d} = \frac{600 \times 10^{-9} \times 2}{1 \times 10^{-3}} = 12 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$$

So, distance between the first dark fringes on either side of the central bright fringe

$$X = 2\beta$$

$$= 2 \times 12 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$$

$$= 24 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m} = 2.4 \text{ mm}$$

16 **(a)**

As the two bright fringes coincide

$$\therefore n\lambda_1 = (n + 1)\lambda_2$$

$$\frac{n + 1}{n} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{7500}{6000} = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{n} = \frac{5}{4}, n = 4$$

17 **(a)**

When spherical waves are incident on a plane refracting surface, separating two media, the reflected waves have spherical wave fronts

18 **(d)**

Refractive index of a medium

$$n = \tan i_p$$

Where i_p = Brewster's angle

$$\Rightarrow i_p = \tan^{-1}[n]$$

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(a)

$\beta \propto \lambda, \therefore \lambda_v = \text{minimum}$

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Q.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A.	A	B	D	A	C	D	B	A	A	B
Q.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
A.	A	A	D	C	D	A	A	D	A	C

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