

**B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2020**  
**I Year I Semester**  
**Properties of Matter**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Max.marks :60**

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Answer any **TEN** questions

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2. What is meant by latitude?
3. Define Hooke's law.
4. Define Poission's ratio.
5. What is couple?
6. Define moment of inertia.
7. Give the unit and dimensions of surface tension.
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9. Write any two applications of viscosity.
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11. What are the limiting values of poission's ratio?
12. What is Torsion pendulum?

**Section B** ( $5 \times 4 = 20$ ) Marks

Answer any **FIVE** questions

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14. Derive an expression for the bending moment of a beam.
15. Derive an expression for couple perunit twist of a cylinder.
16. Describe Jaegar's method to finding surface tension of a liquid.
17. Describe laboratory method for finding the coefficient of viscosity of a liquid.
18. Obtain an expression for poisson's ratio interms of elastic constants.
19. Explain the variation of surface Tension with temperature.

**Section C** ( $3 \times 10 = 30$ ) Marks

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21. Describe with relevant theory, an experiment to determine the Young's modulus of the material by Koenig's method.
22. Describe with necessary theory how the rigidity modulus of the wire and moment of inertia of the disc are determined experimentally using torsional pendulum.
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