- (ii) Distinguish between ferromagnetic magnons and antiferromagnetic magnons.
- 5. (i) Explain the BCS theory of Superconductors and explain the existence of energy gap among superconductors on the basis of BCS theory.
 - (ii) Discuss the flux quantization in a superconducting ring.
- 6. (i) State and derive AC Josephson effect in superconductors.
 - (ii) Discuss the origin of Meissner effect in superconductors.
- 7. (i) Compare the optical properties of metals and non-metals.
 - (ii) Write a short note on exciton absorption and free carrier absorption.
- 8. (i) How the optical transitions take place in direct and indirect band gap materials ?

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(ii) Discuss the optical properties of thallium activated alkali halides.

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- **Note :—** There are **Eight** questions of equal marks. Candidates are required to attempt any **Four** questions.
- (i) How the cooling can be produced by adiabatic demagnetisation ? Also, write the minimum value of temperature that can be achieved with this method.
 - (ii) Why paramagnetic materials are used for producing low temperatures using process of adiabatic demagnetisation ?
- 2. (i) Explain the Gouy method to find the value of magnetic susceptibility of magnetic materials.
 - (ii) Compare the results of Classical and Quantum theory of Paramagnetism.
- 3. (i) Explain the temperature dependence of spontaneous magnetization.
 - (ii) Give comparison between the superexchange interaction and exchange interaction.
- 4. (i) Discuss the formation of Bloch wall and find an expression for energy associated with it.

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