# MAR THOMA RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL, TIRUVALLA 

FIRST ASSESSMENT EXAMINATION -2020

PART - I
TIME:30min

## Question 1

a) Which of the following is not a unit of time?

1) nanosecond
2) parsec
3) solar day
4) leap year
b) Write the order of magnitude of 0.000428 kg .
c) How many significant figures in $2.00 \times 10^{19} \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$.
d) Write the dimensional formula of pressure.
e) Name one physical quantity having no dimension.
f) How many significant figures are there in the product $1.2 \times 2.56 \times 3.62$ ?

## Question 2

a) State the principle of homogeneity of dimensions.
b) Using this principle find the dimensional formula of the constants A and B in the equation $\boldsymbol{\mu}=\mathbf{A}+\mathbf{B} / \lambda^{2}$ where $\mu$ is the refractive index of glass and $\lambda$ is the wavelength of light.
c) Find the dimension of $(\mathbf{a x b})$ in the equation $\mathrm{P}=\left(\mathbf{a}-\mathbf{t}^{2}\right) / \mathbf{b x}$, where P is the power, x is the distance and t is the time.

## Question 3

a) Write the advantages of SI units. (any four)
b) Convert 25J into a new system where the base units are $250 \mathrm{~g}, 200 \mathrm{~cm}$ and 30 min . [3]
c) The critical velocity ' $\mathbf{v}$ ' of the flow of a liquid through a pipe depends on 1) radius $\mathbf{r}$ of the pipe, 2) density $\boldsymbol{\rho}$ and coefficient of viscosity $\boldsymbol{\eta}$ of the liquid. Derive an expression for $\mathbf{v}$.
d) Write any three limitations of dimensional analysis.

