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Topic	1 mark questions	2 marks questions	3 marks questions	5 marks questions	Total Marks
Laws of Motion	-	1	1	1	10

One mark questions

- Why uniformly moving body comes to rest?**
Answer: Due to opposing force / frictional force.
- What is the measure of inertia?**
Answer: Gravitational mass
- State Newton’s first law of motion.**
Answer: Everybody continues to be in the state of rest or of uniform motion in a straight line unless compelled by an external force to act otherwise.
- What is the acceleration of a body having uniform linear motion?**
Answer: zero
- State Newton’s second law of motion**
Answer: The rate of change of momentum of a body is directly proportional to the applied force and takes place in the direction in which the force acts

Two marks questions

- A net external force of 5 N is acting on a body of mass 10 Kg. What is the acceleration produced?**
Answer: $F = ma \Rightarrow a = \frac{F}{m} = \frac{5}{10} = 0.5 \text{ N}$
- Write the S.I unit and dimensional formula for force.**
Answer: newton---S.I unit
 $M^1L^1T^{-2}$ ---- dimensional formula
- Define newton the S.I unit of force.**
Answer: Force is said to be one newton if it causes an acceleration of 1 ms^{-2} to a mass of 1 Kg.
- What is impulsive force?**
Answer: A large force acting for a short time to produce a finite change in momentum is called an impulsive force.

Five marks questions

- Write the important points to be noted about the Newton’s third law of motion with regard to the usage of the terms ‘action & reaction’.**
Answer: 1. Action and reaction are nothing but force.
2. Forces always occur in pairs. $F_{AB} = -F_{BA}$ that is force on A by B is equal to negative force on B by A .
3. There is no cause and effect relation implied in third law.
4. The force on B by A and the force on A by B act at the same instant.
5. Action and reaction forces act on different bodies and not on the same body.
6. By considering system of two bodies as a whole F_{AB} & F_{BA} are internal forces of the system (A + B) . They add up to give a null force.
- When do we say that the particle is in equilibrium under the action of ‘n’ number of forces say F_1, F_2, F_3 ----- F_n**
Answer: A particle is said to be in equilibrium under the action of ‘n’ number of forces say F_1, F_2, F_3 ----- F_n if they can be represented by the sides of a closed n-sided polygon with arrows taken in order.



12. Write the steps to be followed to solve problems in mechanics.

- Answer:
- (a) Using the given data a free body diagram should be drawn.
 - (b) One of the convenient part should be chosen as one system
 - (c) A separate diagram which shows this system and the forces acting on it is written
 - (d) The magnitude and the directions of all the forces are represented.
 - (e) The rest should be treated as unknown to be determined using Newton's laws of motion
 - (f) The remaining part of the problem can be solved by considering another part of the diagram and Newton's third law of motion.