Quadrant IV- Assessment

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Paper Title : Optics and Modern Physics

Name of the Unit: 6 – X-Rays

Module Name: Coolidge tube generator, Continuous X-ray

spectra and its dependance on voltage, Duane and Hunt's law.

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Short answer (20 to 50 words):

- 1) What are X-rays?
- 2) What is Bremsstrahlung radiation and characteristic radiation?.
- 3) Sate Duane Hunt's law.

Short Answer – II (extended – say 50 to 100 words)

1) Describe the construction and working of Coolidge tube for generation of X-rays.

Numerical problem:

1) The Potential difference applied to cathode and the target in Coolidge tube is 35KV. Find the minimum wavelength of X-rays generated from this.