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IIT-JEE 2010

## Pattern of Question Paper :

- ✓ The format of questions was same as that of JEE 2009.
- ✓ Two papers of Three Hour duration
- ✓ Each paper contains three parts ,viz , Chemistry , Mathematics and Physics
- ✓ Detailed break up question type-wise for every subject is as follows:

	One Ans MCQ	Multiple Ans MCQ	Passage	Matrix Match	Integer Answer
Paper 1 ( MM : 84)	8 Q ; ( 3.-1)	5 Q; (3,0) Partial Marking	5 Q (3,-1)		10 Q ( 3 ,0)
Paper 2 ( MM : 79)	6 Q ; ( 5.-2)		6 Q (3,-1)	8 Q ( 2,0 )	5 Q ( 3,0)

- ✓ Total Marks : 489 ( 163 per subject )
- ✓ Partial marks to be allotted for Multiple answer questions. The mechanism has not been clarified/explained.

## Difficulty Level and Cut offs:

### Physics :

The paper – II was evidently tougher or more precisely lengthier than paper I.

The questions were simpler in application of concepts but lengthier in computations.

Overall , both the papers can be given a tag of moderate difficulty.

The lowest marks in common merit list of JEE 2010 for this section is expected to be in the range of 12 to 15 in comparison to last year of 15.



## **Chemistry :**

Chemistry can be termed as easiest of all the three subjects ., with paper II being easier than paper – I.

The lowest marks in common merit list of JEE 2010 for this section is expected to be in the range of 15 to 18 in comparison to last year of 11.

## **Mathematics:**

Mathematics can be termed as toughest of all the three subjects. Both the paper had four to five tricky questions and further the paper was lengthy and hence was also difficult to attempt in given time.

The lowest marks in common merit list of JEE 2010 for this section is expected to be in the range of 9 to 12 in comparison to last year of 11.

Barring a few exceptions, the successful candidate might find chemistry easier to score and mathematics a party spoiler.

***Overall, A score of 160 out of 489 ( Max Marks) could be the last successful candidate in JEE 2010 comparison to that of 178 out of 480 ( Max Marks) in IITJEE 2009.***

