





# **PHYSICS**

# **BOOKS - BEIITIANS**

# SOUND



**1.** An object oscillates at the rate of 2 oscillations per second. What is its time period



# **Formative Worksheet**

**1.** A police officer, who is investigating a robbery in a locality, presses the door bell of house number 211.To alert people, a door bell emits

A. heat energy

B. light energy



D. potential energy

#### Answer:



2. Kevin touches four objects, I, II, III, and IV. He

makes the following conclusions:

Object I is hot.

Object II is vibrating.

Object III is cold.

Object IV is sticky.

Among the given objects, the object producing sound is

A. I

B. II

C. III

D. IV

**Answer:** 

# 3. Which of the following musical instruments

# is not matched with its vibrating part?

•	Musical instrument	Vibrating part
А.	Guitar	Stretched string
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	Musical instrument	Vibrating part
<b>^</b>	Dhol	Stretched
(		membrane

Musical instrument	Vibrating part
Ghatam	Air column

#### **Answer:**

**4.** The plucking of a stretched metal wire produces sound because

A. of change in atmospheric pressure around the wire

B. it is made up of a good conductor of

electricity

C. of generation of heat

D. it starts vibrating

#### **Answer:**





5. Which part of the human body vibrates to

produce sounds?

A. Windpipe

B. Eardrum

C. Vocal cord

D. Nasal cavity

#### Answer:

6.  $v_s$ =Speed of sound in solid medium  $v_l$ = Speed of sound in liquid medium  $v_g$ = Speed of sound in gaseous medium When arranged in the descending order of their magnitudes, the speed of sound in the three different media is

A. 
$$v_s > v_l > v_g$$

B. 
$$v_s > v_q > v_l$$

C. 
$$v_g > v_s > v_l$$

D. 
$$v_l > v_g > v_s$$

#### Answer:

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# 7. The sound coming from an alarm clock cannot be heard if it is kept inside a box that is

## A. filled with liquid only

B. filled with both solid and liquid

C. made up of iron with air inside it

D. devoid of any material medium inside

#### Answer:



8. What should a hearing-impaired person wear in order to enhance his hearing power by amplifying sound?

A. Ear-horn

# B. Stethoscope

C. Mobile headset

D. Jackhammer's headphone

## Answer:

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9. Vibration can be defined as the

A. stretching of a membrane

B. roughness of a membrane

C. circular motion of a membrane

D. to and fro motion of a membrane

#### **Answer:**



**10.** Ivan shakes one end of a rope attached to a wall. This produces a wave motion in the rope. He observes that the first peak of the wave reaches the wall in 5 seconds, and a total of 15 peaks are produced in the vibrating rope in 5 seconds. The length of the rope is 3 meters.

What is the wavelength of the wave produced

in the rope?

A. 10cm

B. 15cm

C. 20cm

D. 25cm

#### Answer:

11. What is the time period of a pendulum if its

bob oscillates 100 times in two seconds?

A. 0.01 s

B. 0.02 s

C. 0.1 s

D. 0.2 s

**Answer:** 

12. Eric throws a stone in a river. The stone travels a distance that is 100 m away from the river bank. He observes that the first wave comes to the bank 2 seconds after the stone touches the water surface. He counts that a total of 20 waves are created in 2 seconds. What is the distance between two consecutive waves?

A. 2m

B. 5m

C. 20m

#### D. 50 m

#### Answer:

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**13.** The maximum displacement of a sound wave on either side of the mean position of its vibration is the measure of its

A. amplitude

B. frequency

C. period

D. speed

#### Answer:



# 14. The intensity of sound waves is measured

in

A. hertz

B. joules

C. meters

D. decibel

#### **Answer:**



**15.** The famous band of Beetles has used an ultrasonic whistle in one of their songs. The sound produced by the whistle cannot be heard by humans, but it can be heard by dogs. From the given information, it can be inferred

that the sound produced by the whistle may

have a frequency, which

A. is less than 5 Hz

B. is less than 80 Hz

C. lies between 20 kHz to 25 kHz

D. lies between 20 Hz to 20 kHz

Answer:

**16.** Humans cannot hear all the sounds produced in their surroundings. The sounds whose frequencies fall in the audible range can only be heard by humans. The lower limit of the audible range for human ears is 20 Hz and the upper limit is  $a \times 10^{b}$  Hz. What are the respective values of a and b?

A. 1 and 2

B. 2 and 4

C. 3 and 2

## D. 1 and 3

#### Answer:

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17. I. The amplitude determines the pitch of sound. III. Sound can travel through water.Among the given statements, only

A. I is correct

B. III is correct

C. I and II are correct

D. II and III are correct

#### Answer:

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18. Objects that produce sound:

I Fire crackers

II Siren

III Mouth organ

IV Fire alarm

V Factory machines

Which of the given objects does not produce

sound that is harmful to the human ear?

A. I

B. II

C. III

D. V

**Answer:** 

19. Nowadays, government and local bodies are taking initiatives in roadside plantation. This helps in

A. reducing noise pollution

B. reducing traffic congestion

C. increasing the durability of roads

D. increasing the visibility of drivers

Answer:

**1.** Sound is produced by

A. burning a candle

B. beating a drum

C. photosynthesis

D. a battery

#### **Answer:**

 When two people talk with each other, energy is transferred through

A. electric currents

B. the movement of mouth

C. sound waves

D. wind force

### Answer:

3. One end of a ruler is fixed on a table and the

other end is struck

The vibration of the ruler produces

A. heat

B. light

C. sound

D. electrical

Answer:

**4.** Tom spreads some sand particles on a drum-head. He strikes the drum with a hammer. The striking of the drum will cause the sand particles to

A. cut through the drum-head

- B. get stuck to the drum-head
- C. move to and fro on the drum-head
- D. move up and down on the drum-head

#### Answer:



The information in which alternative

completes the given statements?







	i	ii
D.	vibrating	drum

#### Answer:



**6.** Justin and his friend Daniel stand at the two ends of a large empty hall. Justin makes a sound with a tuning fork by hitting the wall at his end. His friend Daniel puts his ear against the wall at the other end. He hears two sounds at an interval. Daniel hears two sounds because



Answer:

7. Two fishing boats are at mid sea. One of the boats sends two sound signals (to the other boat) at the same time, one through air and the other through water. The second boat will receive

A. the sound signal sent through water first

B. the sound signal sent through air first

C. only the sound signal sent through air

D. both the sounds signals at same time





# 8. Longitudinal waves cannot travel through

A. wood

B. glass

C. gasoline

D. vacuum

**Answer:** 





#### Answer:



**10.** With reference to sound, the number of to and fro motions of a membrane in per unit time is expressed in the unit of

A. angstrom

B. second

C. meter

D. hertz

#### Answer:



**11.** Julie hears the ringing of a bell at a nearby church. She hears the bell ring 24 times in one minute. The ringing frequency of the bell is

A. 0.2 Hz

B. 0.3 Hz

C. 0.4Hz

D. 0.5 Hz
#### Answer:



**12.** A membrane is vibrating at a rate of 20 oscillations in two seconds. The sound produced by the membrane is

A. loud

B. shrill

C. of good quality

D. out of the audible range





**13.** The loudness of sound is determined by the

A. the amplitude of the vibrations of the sound

B. how fast the source is moving to and fro

C. the size of the source of the sound

## D. how it is reflected from a surface

#### Answer:

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**14.** Cruz is standing in a pond. He throws a stone in the pond at some distance away from him. A wave is produced on the water surface. He observes that 30 peaks reach him in 5 seconds. What is the frequency of the produced wave?

A. 5 HZ

B. 6HZ

C. 30 HZ

D. 150 HZ

Answer:

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**15.** The bob of a simple pendulum is oscillating with a frequency of 25 Hz. How much time will the pendulum take to make 100 oscillations?

A. 1s

B. 2s

C. 4s

D. 6s

### Answer:



# **16.** Which of the following frequencies of sound is not heard by humans?

A. 18Hz

B. 180Hz

C. 1800Hz

D. 18000Hz

Answer:

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**17.** High noise levels can injure the ear drum and cause deafness. Which of the following

devices can lead to the production of high

noise?

A. Fan

B. Alarm clock

C. Refrigerator

D. Leaf-blowing machine

Answer:

18. Which of the following effects is unlikely to

occur because of noise pollution?

A. Loss of hearing

B. Breathing problem

C. Sleeping disorder

D. High blood pressure

#### Answer:

1. Sound can travel through

A. gases only

B. solids only

C. liquids only

D. solids, liquids and gases.

Answer:

**2.** Which of the following voices is likely to have minimum frequency?

A. Baby girl

B. Baby boy

C. A man

D. A woman

Answer:

Summative Worksheet In The Following Statements Tick T Against Those Which Are True And F Against Those Which Are False

# 1. Sound cannot travel in vacuum

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# 2. The number of oscillations per second of a

vibrating objects is called its time period



3. If the amplitude of vibration is large, sound

is feeble.



4. For human ears, the audible range is 20 Hz

to 20,000 Hz.

5. The lower the frequency of vibration, the

higher is the pitch.

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6. Unwanted or unpleasant sound is termed as

music.



7. Noise pollution may cause partial hearing

impairment.

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Summative Worksheet Fill In The Blanks With Suitable Words

1. Time taken by an object to complete one

oscillation is called.....



**4.** Lightning and thunder take place in the sky at the same time and at the same distance

from us. Lightning is seen earlier and thunder

is heard latter. Can you explain why?



## **Summative Worksheet**

**1.** A pendulum oscillates 40 times in 4 seconds.

Find its time period and frequency.

2. The sound from a mosquito is produced when it vibrates its wings at an average rate of 500 vibrations per second. What is the time period of the vibration?

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3. Identify the part which vibrates to produce

sound in the instruments.

Dholak



**4.** Identify the part which vibrates to produce sound in the instruments.

Sitar



5. Identify the part which vibrates to produce

sound in the instruments.

Flute

6. What is the difference between noise and

music? Can music become noise sometimes?



7. List sources of noise pollution in your surroundings.



**8.** Explain in what way noise pollution is harmful to humans.

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**9.** Your parents are going to buy a house. They have been offered one on the roadside and another three lanes away from the roadside. Which house would you suggest your parents should buy? Explain your answer.



10. Sketch larynx and explain its function in

your own words.

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## Hots Worksheet

**1.** John places an alarm clock inside a box as shown in the given figure. He then creates a vacuum inside the box. When the alarm goes

on, John does not hear the alarm-sound.

John does not hear the alarm sound because

A. the walls of the box block the sound

- B. sound cannot travel through vacuum
- C. there is no medium between John and

the box

D. the inside wall of the box reflects the

sound back

Answer:



**2.** Which part of a tabla vibrates to produce sound?

A. Wooden shell

B. Stretched membrane

C. Stretched side strings

D. Ring holding the strings

### Answer:

**3.** Which of the following effects cannot be produced by a force?

A. Striking a stretched metal cord

B. Beating a stretched membrane

C. Blowing into a narrow pipe

D. Heating a stretched string

#### **Answer:**

**4.** Hearing impiarment is caused by either excessive noise or injury, disease, age, or by a combination of any of them. Many devices are used by the hearing impaired persons. Earhorn is one of them. Ear-horn is a device that is used to

- A. cure any infection in ear
- B. cancel the noise pollution
- C. protect ear from external agents
- D. amplify and enhance the hearing power

#### Answer:



**5.** Jackhammer is an electric device that is used to drill on hard surface. It produces unwanted sound that is very loud and irritating. The person who works with a Jackhammer generally wears a headphone known as Jackhammer's Headphone. What does the Jackhammer's Headphones do? A. Prevents the worker from brain

hemorrhage

B. Connects the worker with his manager

C. Absorbs and cancels the noise

D. Entertains the person

**Answer:** 

**6.** In medical sciences, doctors use ultrasound devices to investigate and track the affected internal parts of the body that are not visible directly. The technique is called sonography. These devices use sound to observe internal human parts and work at a frequency greater than 20 KHz.

The sound emitted by ultrasound equipments are

A. inaudible

B. audible

C. louder

D. feeble

#### Answer:



7. Jackhammer is an electric device that is mainly used for drilling on a hard surface. In this process, a large sound is produced. The person who works With jachhammer generally wears a 'protection with jackhammers' to avoid this. With reference to the given information, what does the 'protection with jackhammers' device do?

A. Protects ear from noise

B. Protects eye from dust

C. Protects from electric shock

D. Protects from wind and rain

### Answer:

8. Telephone operators answer the calls on telephones. A sound is easily transmitted and clearly heard over a telephone conversation if it is of high frequency
Mostly women are recruited as telephone operators because they can

A. do hard work

B. produce louder sound

C. produce high pitched sound

D. work continuously for many hours

#### Answer:



**9.** Humans are able to hear because of the vibration of a stretched thin membrane. This membrane is called eardrum.

If elasticity of the eardrum is loosened, then

A. it will vibrate rapidly

B. it will not vibrate properly

C. inaudible sound can be heard

## D. sound cannot be heard at all

#### Answer:

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**10.** There is a hollow glass partition in a room. It divides the room in two compartments. Two brothers X and Y are sitting in each compartment. An alarm clock, which is placed inside the glass partition, is producing sound, as shown in the given figure. Both brothers are able to hear the sound. All the air from within the glass partition is removed with the help of a vacuum pump.



After evacuating the partition completely,

A. the alarm will produce a louder sound

B. both will be unable to listen to the

sound

C. only X will be able to listen to the sound

D. the alarm will produce a high pitch

sound

#### Answer:

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**11.** An electric drum is enclosed inside a specially designed closed glass chamber, as shown in the given figure. On switching the current, the hammer repeatedly strikes the

membrane of the drum. Hence, the membrane vibrates and produces sound that can be heard at a distance. Now, the chamber is evacuated by closing the switch of the vacuum

pump.



As the chamber is evacuated, the

A. frequency of hammering decreases
B. membrane stops vibrating

## C. hammer stops striking

D. sound cannot be heard

### Answer:

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**12.** Dolphins and whales communicate under water using sound. They can see each other with their eyes and also by producing sound.

Dolphins and whales are able to communicate

### in water because sound

A. can travel in water

B. travels fastest in water

C. does not scatter in water

D. does not lose energy in water

Answer:

**13.** Microphone is an electrical device that is used to amplify a human voice to be heard at a distance. It consists of a thin membrane called diaphragm that ....i... in response to ...



## The information in which alternative

## completes the given statement?









### Answer:



**14.** Astronauts in deep space use radio devices to communicate with each other. The radio device converts the sound produced by the first astronaut into radio signals that reach to the radio device of the second astronaut. There, this radio signal converts back into sound so that the second astronaut can hear the voice of the first. In outer space, astronauts use radio devices instead of direct sound to communicate because

A. sound cannot travel in vacuum

B. it is very difficult to speak in vacuum

C. radio devices are very cheap and easily

available

D. vocal cords do not vibrate to produce

sound in outer space.

**Answer:** 

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15. Underwater detection of objects is possible

in navigation because

A. underwater objects can also produce

sound

B. the speed of sound is the highest in

water

C. the energy of sound increases in water

D. sound can travel through water

**Answer:** 

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16. Astronauts use walkie-talkie to communicate to each other in deep space.
Walkie-talkie radiates radio waves to connect

with the respective pair. Astronauts use walkie-

talkie to communicate in deep space because

A. sound cannot travel through vacuum

B. range of the walkie-talkie is very large

C. walkie-talkie amplifies the sound

produced by astronauts

D. radio waves cannot be transmitted

without walkie-talkie

#### Answer:

**17.** When stretched thread is plucked, it starts a vibrating. The given information is used to make a

A. flute

B. veena

C. manjira

D. jaltarang

Answer:

**18.** The presence of excessive and the surroundings may cause

A. vision defects

B. mental problems

C. hearing impairment

D. breathing difficulty

Answer:

**19.** Which of the following preventive measures cannot be attributed to roadside noise pollution?

A. Plantation on the roadside

B. Installing silencers in vehicles

C. Regular servicing of engines

D. Smoothening of roads

Answer:

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- 1. Every source of sound is
  - A. Vibrating Body
  - **B. Stationary Body**
  - C. Moving Body
  - D. None

#### Answer:





2. Sound travels fastest in

A. Gases

B. Liquids

C. Solids

D. None

**Answer:** 

3. The frequency of ultrasonic vibrations is

A. < 20 Hz

 $\mathsf{B.}\,20Hz-20000Hz$ 

C. > 20,000Hz

D. none

**Answer:** 



4. Sound produced by irregular vibrations of a

material is

A. Music

B. Noise

C. Loudness

D. None

**Answer:** 

5. The conditions for hearing sound are

A. There must be a vibrating body to

produce sound

B. There must be a material medium to

propagate

C. There must be a receiver to receive the

sound vibrations

D. All

Answer:





**6.** Why the thunder is heard after the flash of lightning ?

A. Light travels very fast compared to sound

B. Sound travels very fast compared to light

C. Light and sound travel with same velocity

### D. None

### Answer:

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**7.** The Frequency of electric tuning fork is 8000

Hz. Will this sound be audible ?

A. The sound will be audible

B. The sound will not be audible

C. May or may not be audible

### D. None

### Answer:

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**8.** We differentiate between voices of two different persons without seeing them by ....... of sound produced ?

A. Pitch

**B.** Loudness

C. Quality

D. All

### Answer:



9. When a drum is hit softly, a soft sound is

produced. Because, the vibration of ......

A. Amplitude is large

B. Amplitude is less

C. Frequency is less

D. Frequency is more

### Answer:

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# **10.** Mosquitos produce high pitch sound, because ......

A. Their frequency of vibration is high

B. Their frequency of vibration is low

C. Amplitude is low

D. Amplitude is high

### Answer:

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**1.** Which of the following produces sound?

A. Beating of drums

B. Heating an iron rod

C. Vibrating strings

D. Movement of charges

### Answer:

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 Through which of the following media, sound can propogate B. Water

C. Iron rod

D. Vaccum

### Answer:

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**3.** Which of the following are the parts of a

human ear?

A. Retina

## B. Cochlea

C. Cornea

D. Pinna

### Answer:

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# **4.** Which of the following statements are correct?

A. The unit of frequency is Hertz

B. The unit of time period is second.

C. The unit of wave velocity is metere per

second

D. Loudness of sound is expressed in

decibels.

Answer:

**5.** Which of the following sounds cause noise pollution?

A. The sound coming from factories.

B. The sound created by heavy vehicles.

C. Cry of a child.

D. Cutting of vegetables.

### Answer:

1. Velocity of sound is given by the expression,

 $v=f imes\lambda$ 

Where, v= velocity of the wave,

f = frequency,  $\lambda$  = wavelength

Using the above information answer the following questions The velocity of sound in air is  $344m/\sec$ . What is the wavelength of a sound wave of

frequency 32Hz?

A. 9.75m

B. 10.75m

C. 7.25m

D. 8.25m

### Answer:

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2. Velocity of sound is given by the expression,

 $v=f imes\lambda$ 

Where, v= velocity of the wave,

f = frequency,  $\lambda$  = wavelength

Using the above information answer the following questions A wave travels at a speed of 330m/s. If the wavelength is 2.2cm, what will be the frequency of the wave?

A. 15,000Hz

B. 14,500Hz

C. 15,500Hz

D. 14,000Hz

### Answer:





3. Velocity of sound is given by the expression,

 $v=f imes\lambda$ 

Where, v= velocity of the wave,

f = frequency,  $\lambda$  = wavelength

Using the above information answer the following questions

Calculate the wavelength of radio waves of frequency  $10^9$  Hz. The speed of radio waves is  $3 imes10^8m/s$ 

B. 35cm

C. 30 cm

D. 25 cm

### Answer:

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4. Velocity of sound is given by the expression,

 $v=f imes\lambda$ 

Where, v= velocity of the wave,

f = frequency,  $\lambda$  = wavelength

Using the above information answer the following questions The wavelength of the wave generated by a tuning fork of frequency 256 Hz. velocity of sound in air at ordinary conditions is 340m/s is

A. 1.33 m

B. 2.3m

C. 0.1m

D. 0.3m





5. Velocity of sound is given by the expression,

 $v=f imes\lambda$ 

Where, v= velocity of the wave,

f = frequency,  $\lambda$  = wavelength

Using the above information answer the

following questions

A tuning fork produces 256 waves in 2 seconds. The frequency of the tuning fork is

B. 125 Hz

C. 128Hz

D. 130Hz

### Answer:

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1. The time period of oscillation is 1 second. Its

frequency = .....Hz.


### 1. Matrix Matching

- (A) Audio vibrations of lower frequency
- (B) Audio vibrations of higher frequency
- (C) Frequencies up to 40,000 Hz can heard by
- (p) Audio Vibration
- (q) Bass Effect
- (r) Shrill Effect
- (s) Dogs
- (t) Dolphins

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## 2. Matrix Matching

(A) Frequency

- (B) Amplitude
- (C) Time period
- (D) Sound waves

- (t) Absorption of sound
- (p) Mechanical form
- (q) Reflected sound
- (r) Maximum displacement of vibrating body
- (s) Time taken to complete one vibration

### 3. Matrix Matching

- (A) Sounds which have pleasing effect on ears
- (B) Sounds which do not have pleasing effect on ear
- (C) In Musical sounds
- (D) Noise is produced due to

(p) Amplitude & frequency of vibration don't change suddenly

(q) Music

- (r) Irregular vibrations in a material
- (s) Noise
- (t) Sound from construction site

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### 4. Matrix Matching

- (A) Veena, Guitar
- (B) Mrudangam, Table
- (C) Flute, shahnai
- (D) Harmonium, Piano

- (p) Membrane instruments
- (q) Wind instruments
- (r) Keyboard instrument
- (s) Stringed Instruments

# 5. Matrix Matching

- (A) Pitch
- (B) Loudness
- (C) Two notes of same pitch and loudness are distinguished by
- (p) Amplitude
- (q) Frequency
- (r) Quality