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**MAGNETIC EFFECTS OF ELECTRIC
CURRENT**

Ncert Intext Questions

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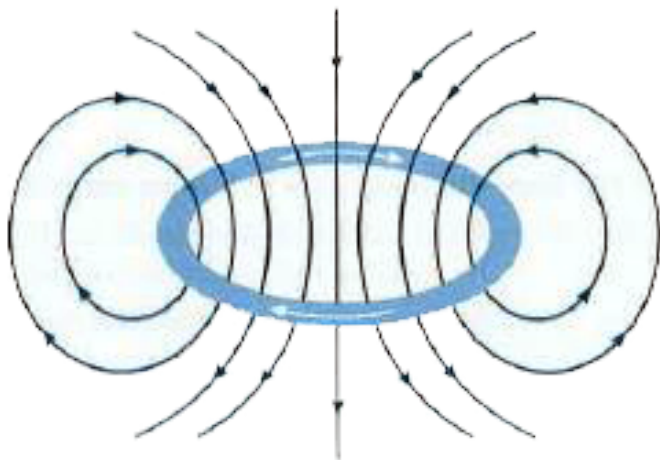
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(There may be more than one correct answer).

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(iii)

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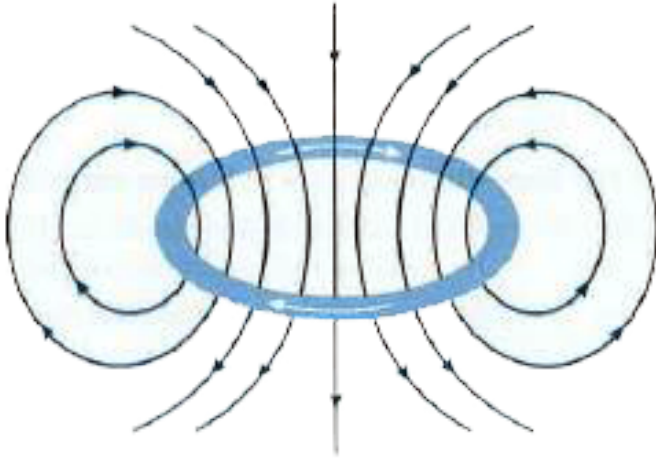
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B. Galvanometer

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D. Motor

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19. State Faraday's law of electromagnetic induction.



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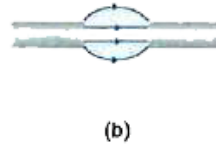
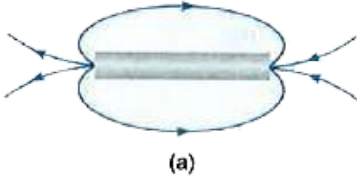
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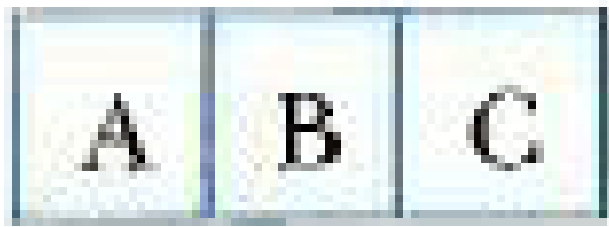
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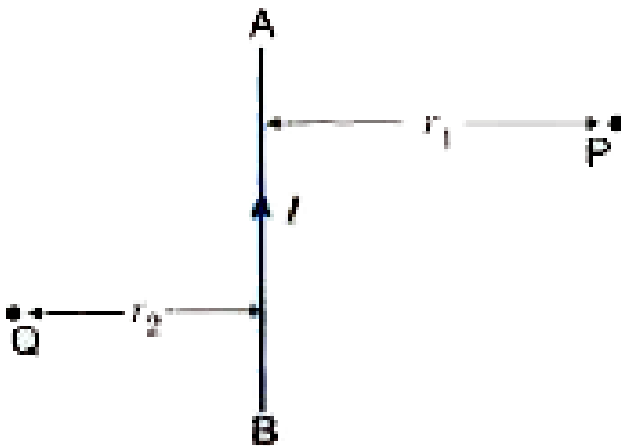
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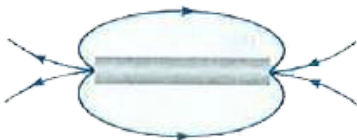


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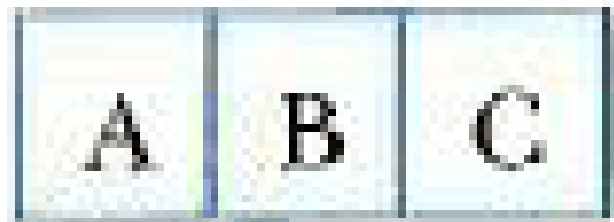
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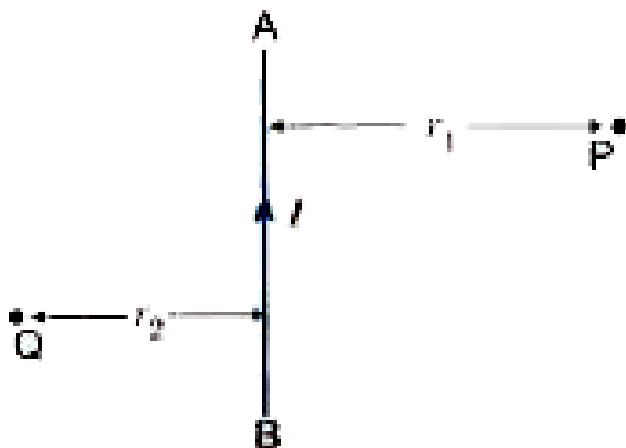
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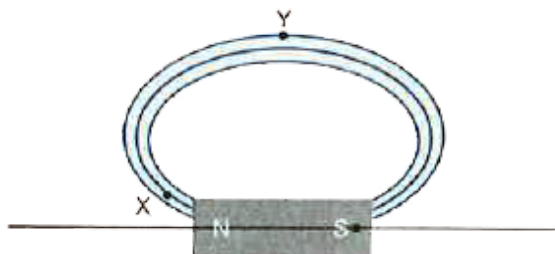


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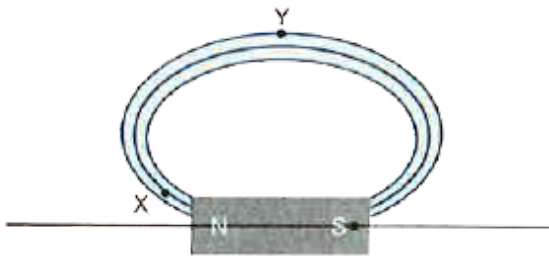
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A region A has magnetic field lines relatively closer than another region B. Which region has stronger magnetic field. Give reason to support your answer.



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2. Briefly explain an activity to plot the magnetic field lines around a straight current carrying conductor. Sketch the field pattern for the same, specifying current and field

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(a) if the strength of the current is decreased?

(b) if the direction of the current is reversed?



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3. (a) With the help of a labelled diagram, explain the distribution of magnetic field due to a current through a circular loop. Why is it that if a current carrying coil has n turns the field produced at any point is n times as large as that produced by a single turn?

(b) Draw a pattern of magnetic field formed around a current carrying solenoid. What happens to the magnetic field when the current through the solenoid is reversed?



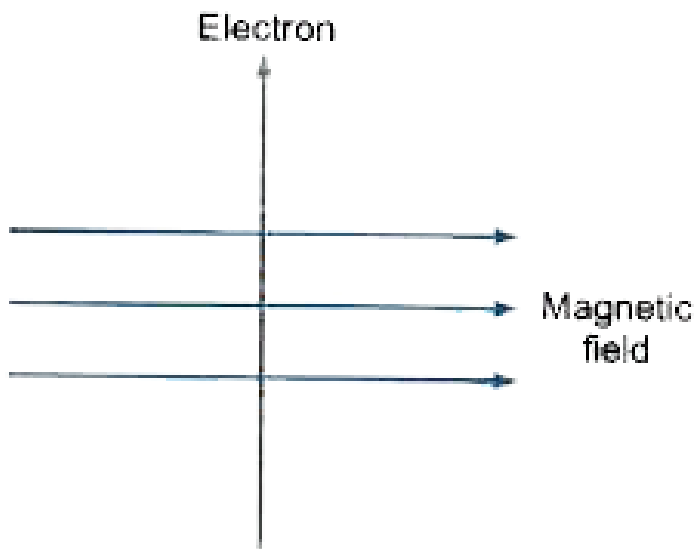
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4. (a) Explain an activity to show that a current-carrying conductor experiences a force when placed in a magnetic field.

(b) State the rule which gives the direction of force acting on the conductor.

(c) An electron moves perpendicular to a magnetic field as shown in the figure.

What would be the direction of force experienced on the electron?



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5. With the help of a diagram, describe an experiment to show that a change in current flowing through a coil induces an electric current in a neighbouring coil.



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6. Draw an appropriate schematic diagram showing common domestic circuits and discuss the importance of fuse. Why is it that a

burnt out fuse should be replaced by another fuse of identical rating?



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(ii) What happens if coil P is moved away from Q?

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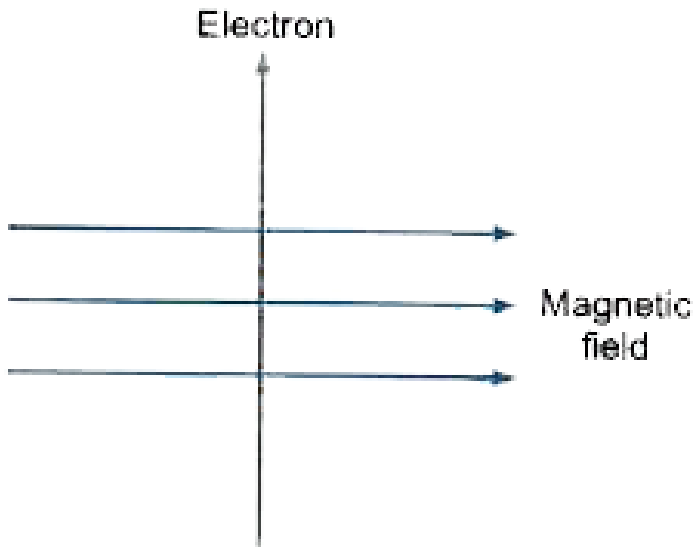
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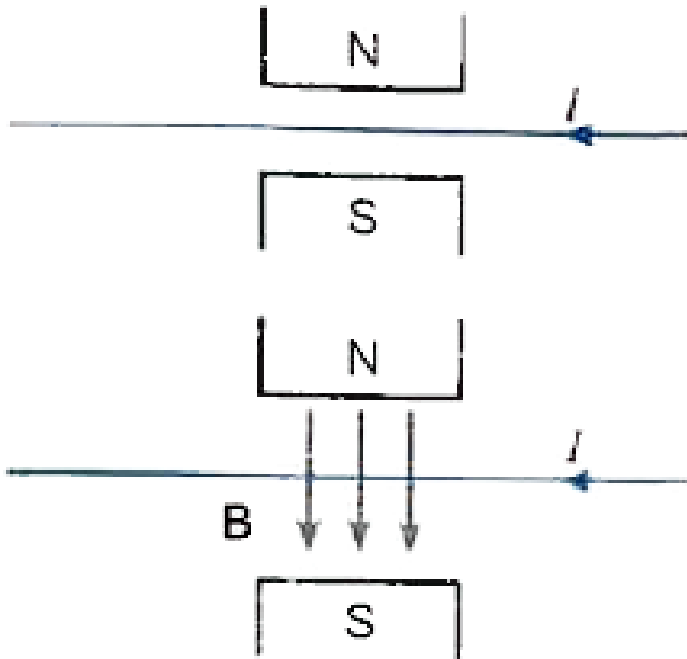
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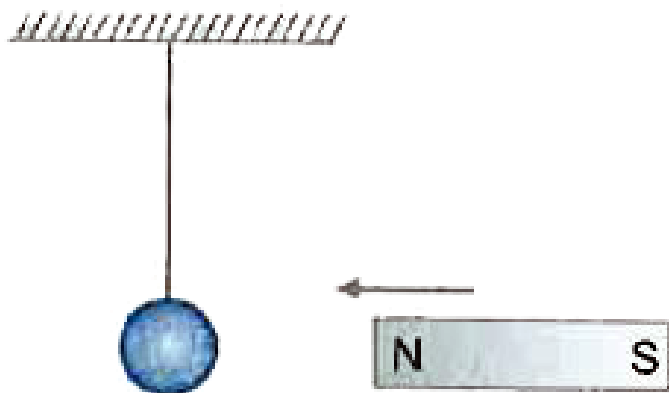


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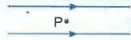
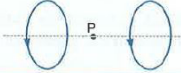
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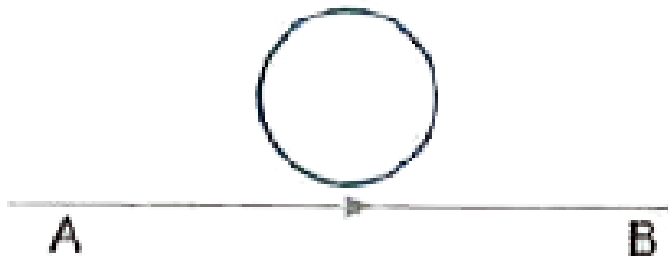
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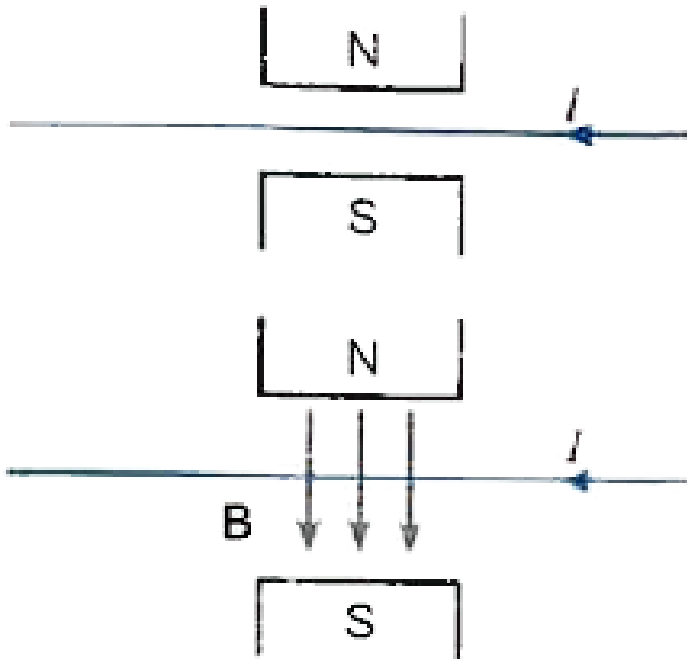
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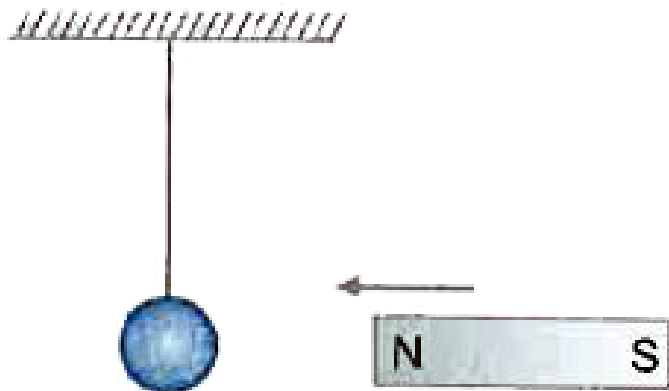


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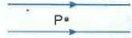
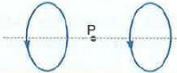
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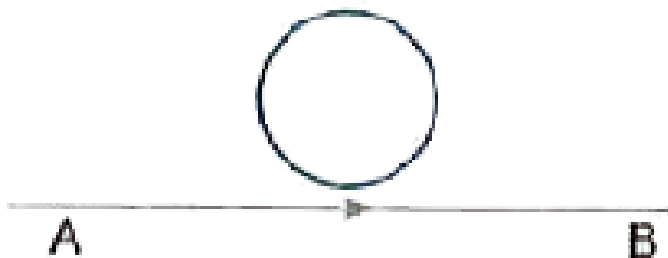
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