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1. A proton beam enters a magnetic field of
$10^{-4} \mathrm{~Wb} m^{-2} \mathrm{~Wb}$ normally. If the specific charge of the proton is $10^{11} \mathrm{C} \mathrm{kg}^{-1}$ and its
velocity is $10^{9} \mathrm{~m} s^{-1}$ then the radius of the

## circle described will be

A. 10 m
B. 1 m
C. 0.1 m
D. 100 m

Answer: D
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2. Two concentric coils each of radius equal to
$2 \pi \mathrm{~cm}$ are placed right angles to each other. If

3 A and 4 A are the currents flowing through
the two coils respectively. The magnetic induction (in $W b m^{-2}$ ) at the center of the coils will be
A. $10^{-5}$
B. $7 \times 10^{-5}$
C. $12 \times 10^{-5}$
D. $5 \times 10^{-5}$

## Answer: D

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3. The resistance of the bulb filament is 100 at
a temperature of $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. If its temperature coefficient of resistance be $0.005 p e r{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, its resistance will become $200 \Omega$ at a temperature
A. $400^{\circ} C$
B. $200^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
C. $300^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
D. $500^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

## Answer: A

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4. In Wheatstone's network $P=$
$2 \Omega, Q=2 \Omega, R=2 \Omega$ and $S=3 \Omega$
The
resistance with which S is to shunted in order
that the bridge may be balanced is
A. $2 \Omega$
B. $6 \Omega$
C. $1 \Omega$
D. $4 \Omega$

Answer: B

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5. Core of electromagnets are made of ferromagnetic material which has
A. high permeability and high retentivity

# B. low permeability and low retentivity 

C. high permeability and low retentivity
D. low permeability and high retentivity

## Answer: C

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6. If there is no torsion in the suspension thread, then the time period of a magnet executing SHM is

> A. $T=\frac{1}{2 \pi} \sqrt{\frac{I}{M B}}$
> B. $T=2 \pi \sqrt{\frac{M B}{I}}$
> C. $T=\frac{1}{2 \pi} \sqrt{\frac{M B}{I}}$
> D. $T=2 \pi \sqrt{\frac{I}{M B}}$

## Answer: D

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7. Two parallel wires 1 m apart carry currents of

1 A and 3 A respectively in opposite directions.

The force per unit length acting between these two wires is
A. $6 \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{~N} \mathrm{~m}^{-1}$ attractive
B. $6 \times 10^{-5} \mathrm{~N} \mathrm{~m}^{-1}$ attractive
C. $6 \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{Nm}^{-1}$ repulsive
D. $6 \times 10^{-5} \quad \mathrm{Nm}^{-1}$ repulsive

Answer: C

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8. A galvanometer of resistance $50 \Omega$ gives a
full scale deflection for a current $5 \times 10^{-4} A$.
A. The resistance that should be connected in series with the galvanometer to read 3 V is
A. $5050 \Omega$
B. $5950 \Omega$
C. $595 \Omega$
D. $5059 \Omega$

Answer: B

# 9. A cyclotron is used to accelerate 

A. only positively charged particles
B. both positively and negatively chargeed
particles
C. neutron
D. only negatively charged particles

Answer: B
10. A transformer is used to light $100 \mathrm{~W}-110$
lamp from 220 V mains. If the main current is
0.5 A, the efficiency of the transformer is
A. 0.95
B. 0.99
C. 0.9
D. 0.96

Answer: C
11. In an LCR circuit, at resonance
A. the impedence is maximum
B. the current leads the voltage by $\pi / 2$
C. the current and voltage are in phase
D. the current is minimum

Answer: C

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12. An aircraft with a wingspan of 40 m flies
with a speed of $1080 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{hr}$ in the eastward direction at a constant altitude in the northern hemisphere, where the vertical component of the earth's magnetic field $1.75 \times 10^{-5}$. Then the emf developed between the tips of the wings is
A. 0.34 V
B. 2.1 V
C. 0.5 V
D. 0.21 V

## Answer: D

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13. Two colis have a mutual inductance 0.005
H. The current changes in the first coil according to the equation where $A$ and The maximum value of the emf induced in the second coil is
A. $5 \pi$
B. $4 \pi$
C. $2 \pi$

## D. $\pi$

## Answer: A

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14. The magnetic susceptibility of $a$ paramagnetic material at $-73 \circ \mathrm{C}$ is 0.0075 , its value at $-173 \circ \mathrm{C}$ will be

A. 0.0030

B. 0.0075

## C. 0.0045

D. 0.015

## Answer: D

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15. In a Young.s doubles slit experiment the slit separation is 0.5 m from the slits. For a monochromatic light of wavelength 500 nm ,
the distance of $3^{r d}$ maxima from $2^{\text {nd }}$ minima

## on the other side is

A. 2.5 mm
B. 2.25 mm
C. 2.75 mm
D. 22.5 mm

## Answer:

16. Calculate the focal length of a reading glass of a person if his distance of distinct vision is 75 cm .
A. 37.5 mm
B. 100.4 cm
C. 25.6 cm
D. 75.2 cm

Answer: A

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17. A person wants a real image of his own, 3
times enlarged. Where should he stand infront of a concave mirror of radius of curvature 30 cm ?
A. 30 cm
B. 20 cm
C. 10 cm
D. 90 cm

Answer: B
18. If $\varepsilon_{0}$ and $\mu_{0}$ are the permittivity and permeability of free space and are the corresponding quantities for a medium, then refractive index of the medium is
A. $\sqrt{\frac{\mu_{\varepsilon}}{\mu_{0} \varepsilon_{0}}}$
B. insufficient information
C. $\sqrt{\frac{\mu_{0} \varepsilon_{0}}{\mu \varepsilon}}$
D. 1

Answer: A

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19. The average power dissipated in a pure
inductor
A. $V I^{2}$
B. zero
C. $\frac{1}{2} V I$
D. $\frac{V I^{2}}{4}$

Answer: B

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20. An particle of energy 5 MeV is scattered
through $180^{\circ}$ by gold nucleus. The distance of closest approach is of the order of
A. $10^{-12} \mathrm{~cm}$
B. $10^{-16} \mathrm{~cm}$
C. $10^{-10} \mathrm{~cm}$
D. $10^{-14} \mathrm{~cm}$

Answer: A

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21. Find the de-Broglie wavelength of an electron with kinetic energy of 120 eV .
A. 102 pm
B. 124 pm
C. 95 pm
D. 112 pm

## Answer: D

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22. Light of two different frequencies whose
photons have energies 1 eV and 2.5 eV respectively, successively illuminate a metallic surface whose work function is 0.5 eV . Ratio of maximum speeds of emitted electrons will be
A. $1: 4$
B. $1: 1$

## C. $1: 5$

D. 1:2

## Answer: D

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23. The polarizing angle of glass is $57^{\circ}$. A ray of
light which is incident at this angle will have
an angle of refraction as
A. $33^{\circ}$
B. $38^{\circ}$
C. $25^{\circ}$
D. $43^{\circ}$

Answer: A

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24. To observe diffraction, the size of the obstacle
A. should be $\lambda / 2$, where $\lambda$ is the wavelength
B. should be of the order of wavelength
C. has no relation to wavelength
D. should be much larger than the
wavelength

Answer: B

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25. A radioactive decay can form an isotope of
the original nucleus with the emission of particles
A. one $\alpha$ and two $\beta$
B. four $\alpha$ and one $\beta$
C. one $\alpha$ and four $\beta$
D. one $\alpha$ and one $\beta$

Answer: A

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26. The half life of a radioactive substance is

20 minutes. The time taken between 50\% decay and $87.5 \%$ decay of the substance will be
A. 40 minutes
B. 10 minutes
C. 30 minutes
D. 25 minutes

Answer: A

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27. A nucleus at rest splits into two nuclear parts having radii in the ratio $1: 2$. Their velocities are in the ratio
A. 6:1
B. 2:1
C. $8: 1$
D. $4: 1$

Answer: C

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28. What is the wavelength of light for the least energetic photon emitted in the Lyman series of the hydrogen spectrum?
A. 102 nm
B. 150 nm
C. 82 nm
D. 122 nm

Answer: D

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29. If an electron in hydrogen atom jumbs
from an orbit of level $n=3$ to an orbit of level
$\mathrm{n}=2$, the emitted radiation has a frequency

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { A. } \frac{R C}{25} \\
& \text { B. } \frac{5 R C}{36} \\
& \text { C. } \frac{3 R C}{27} \\
& \text { D. } \frac{8 R C}{9}
\end{aligned}
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Answer: B
30. The circuit has two oppositely connected ideal diodes in parallel. What is the current flowing in the circuit?

A. 2.0 A
B. 1.33 A
C. 1.71 A
D. 2.31 A

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31. Amplitude modulation has
A. one carrier
B. one carrier with high frequency
C. one carrier with two side band

## frequencies

D. one carrier with infinite frequencies

## Answer: C

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32. An LED is constructed from a pn junction based on a certain semi-conducting material whose energy gap is 1.9 eV . Then the wavelength of the emitted light is
A. $1.6 \times 10^{-8} \mathrm{~m}$
B. $9.1 \times 10^{-5} \mathrm{~m}$
C. $2.9 \times 10^{-9} \mathrm{~m}$
D. $6.5 \times 10^{-7} \mathrm{~m}$

## Answer: D

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33. The waves used for the line - of - sight
(LOS) communication is
A. space waves
B. sky waves
C. ground waves
D. sound waves

Answer: A
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## 34. The truth table given below is for


( $A$ and $B$ are the inputs, $Y$ is the output)
A. OR gate
B. NOR gate

## C. AND gate

## D. NAND gate

## Answer: D

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35. The input characteristics of a transistor in

CE mode is the graph obtanied by plotting
A. $I_{B}$ against $V_{C E}$ at constant $V_{B E}$
B. $I_{B}$ against $I_{C}$ at constant $V_{B E}$
C. $I_{B}$ against $V_{B E}$ at constant $V_{E}$
D. $I_{B}$ against $I_{C}$ at constant $V_{C E}$

## Answer: C

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36. A particle is projected with a velocity v so
that its horizontal range twice the greatest
height attained. The horizontal range is
A. $\frac{2 v^{2}}{3 g}$
B. $\frac{v^{2}}{2 g}$
C. $\frac{v^{2}}{g}$
D. $\frac{4 v^{2}}{5 g}$

## Answer: C

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37. The velocity - time graph for two bodies A and $B$ are in the ratio

A. $\tan 25^{\circ}$ to $\tan 50^{\circ}$
B. $\cos 25^{\circ}$ to $\cos 50^{\circ}$
C. $\tan 25^{\circ}$ to $\tan 40^{\circ}$
D. $\sin 25^{\circ}$ to $\sin 50^{\circ}$

Answer: A

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38. The ratio of the dimensions of Planck constant and that of moment of inertia has
the dimensions of
A. frequency
B. velocity
C. time
D. angular momentum

Answer: A
39. Moment of interia of a thin uniform rod rotating about the perpendicular axis passing through its center is I. If the same rod is bent into a ring and its moment of inertia about its diameter is
A. $\frac{8}{3} \pi^{2}$
B. $\frac{5}{3} \pi^{2}$
C. $\frac{3}{2} \pi^{2}$
D. $\frac{2}{3} \pi^{2}$

## Answer: D

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40. If the mass of a body is $M$ on the surface of
the earth, the mass of the same body on the
surface of the moon is
A. $M$
B. zero
C. $\frac{M}{6}$
D. 6 M

Answer: A

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41. The ratio of angular speed of a second-
hand to the hour-hand of a watch is
A. $60: 1$
B. $72: 1$
C. $720: 1$
D. $3600: 1$

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42. The kinetic energy of a body of mass 4 kg and momentum 6 N s will be
A. 3.5 J
B. 5.5 J
C. 2.5 J
D. 4.5 J

## Answer: D

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43. A stone of mass 0.05 kg is thrown vertically
upwards. What is the direction and magnitude
of net force on the stone during its upward motion?
A. 0.49 N vertically downwards
B. 9.8 N vertically downward
C. 0.49 N vertically upwards

## D. 0.98 N vertically downwards

## Answer: A

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44. The ratio of kinetic energy to the potential energy of a particle executing SHM at a distance equal to half its amplitude, the distance being measured from its equilibrium position is
A. $4: 1$
B. $8: 1$
C. 3:1
D. 2:1

## Answer: C

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45. 1 gram of ice is mixed with 1 gram of steam.

At thermal equilibrium, the temperature of the mixture is
A. $100^{\circ} C$
B. $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
C. $0^{\circ} C$
D. $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

Answer: A

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46. What is heated from $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $10^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, then its
volume
A. increases
B. first decreases and then increases
C. decreases
D. does not change

## Answer: B

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47. The efficiency of a Carnot engine which operates between the two temperatures $T_{1}=500 K$ and $T_{2}=300 K$ is
A. 0.25
B. 0.4
C. 0.5
D. 0.75

Answer: B

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48. The ratio of hydraulic stress to the corresponding strain is known as
A. Bulk modulus
B. Rigidity modulus
C. Compressibility
D. Young's modulus

Answer: A

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49. The angle between the dipole moment and electric field at any point on the equatorial plane is
A. $90^{\circ}$
B. $45^{\circ}$
C. $0^{\circ}$
D. $180^{\circ}$

## Answer: D

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50. Pick out the statement which is incorrect
A. The electric field lines forms closed loop .
B. Field lines never intesct
C. The tangent drawn to a line of force represents the direction of electric field .
D. A negative test charge experiences a
force opposite to the direction of the
field

## Answer: A

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51. Two spheres carrying charges
$+6 \mu C$ and $9 \mu C$, seperated by a distance d, experience a force of repulsion $F$. When a charge of $-3 \mu C$ is given to both the sphere and kept at the same distance as before, the new force of repulsion is
A. 3 F
B. $\frac{F}{9}$
C. F
D. $\frac{F}{3}$

## Answer: D

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52. A streched string is vibrating in the second overtone, then the number of nodes and antinodes between the ends of the string are respectively
A. 3 and 2
B. 2 and 3
C. 4 and 3

## D. 3 and 4

## Answer: C

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53. When two tunning forks $A$ and $B$ are sounded together, 4 beats per second are heard. The frequency of the fork $B$ is 384 Hz . When one of the prongs of the fork $A$ is filled and sounded with $B$, the beat frequency increases, then the frequency of the fork $A$ is
A. 388 Hz
B. 389 Hz
C. 380 Hz
D. 379 Hz

Answer: A

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54. Three resistances $2 \Omega, 3 \Omega$ and $4 \Omega$ are connected in parallel. The ratio of currents
passing through them when a potential differences is applied across its ends will be
A. $6: 4: 3$
B. $4: 3: 2$
C. $6: 3: 2$
D. 5: 4: 3

Answer: A
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55. Four identical cells of emf $E$ and and internal resistance $r$ are to be connected in
series. Suppose if one of the cell is connected wrongly, the equivalent emf and effective internal resistance of the combination is
A. 4 E and 2 r
B. 2 E and 2 r
C. 4 E and 4 r
D. 2 E and 4 r

Answer: D

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56. A parallel plate capacitor is charged and then isolated. The effect if increasing the plate separation on charge, potential and capacitance respectively are
A. increases , decreases , decreases
B. constant , increases, decreases
C. constant, decreases, decreases
D. constant , decreases, increases

Answer: B

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57. A spherical shell of radius 10 cm is carrying
a charge $q$. If the electric potential at distances $5 \mathrm{~cm}, 10 \mathrm{~cm} \& 15 \mathrm{~cm}$ from the centre of
the spherical shell is $V_{1}, V_{2}$ and $V_{3}$
respectively, then
A. $V_{1}<V_{2}<V_{3}$
B. $V_{1}=V_{2}<V_{3}$
C. $V_{1}>V_{2}>V_{3}$
D. $V_{1}=V_{2}>V_{3}$

## Answer: D

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58. Three point charges $3 \mathrm{nC}, 6 \mathrm{nC}$ and 9 nC are placed at the corners of an equilateral triangle of side 0.1 m . The potential energy of the system is
A. 89100 J
B. 99100 J
C. 8910 J
D. 9910 J

## Answer:

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59. In the circuit shon below, the ammeter and the voltmeter readings are 3 A and 6 V respectively. Then the value of the resistance
$R$ is

A. $>2 \Omega$
B. $\geq 2 \Omega$
C. $2 \Omega$
D. $<2 \Omega$

Answer: D

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60. Two cells of emf $E_{1}$ and $E_{2}$ are joined in opposition ( such that $E_{1}>E_{2}$ ). If $r_{1}$ and $r_{2}$ be the internal resistance and $R$ be the external resistance , then the terminal potential difference is


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\begin{aligned}
& \text { A. } \frac{E_{1}+E_{2}}{r_{1}+r_{2}+R} \times R \\
& \text { B. } \frac{E_{1}-E_{2}}{r_{1}+r_{2}+R} \times R \\
& \text { C. } \frac{E_{1}+E_{2}}{r_{1}+r_{2}} \times R
\end{aligned}
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D. $\frac{E_{1}-E_{2}}{r_{1}+r_{2}} \times R$

Answer: B

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