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Physics Notes



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1. The SI unit of force is:

- (a) Joule
- (b) Watt
- (c) Newton
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Newton

2. Speed of light in vacuum is approximately:

- (a) 2×10^6 m/s
- (b) 3×10^8 m/s
- (c) 3×10^6 m/s
- (d) 2×10^8 m/s
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) 3 × 10⁸ m/s

3. Which instrument is used to measure current?

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Voltmeter
- (c) Barometer
- (d) Thermometer
- Correct Answer: (a) Ammeter

4. Energy stored in a moving body is called:

- (a) Potential energy
- (b) Kinetic energy
- (c) Thermal energy
- (d) Electrical energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Kinetic energy

5. 1 kilowatt-hour is equal to:

- (a) 1000 J
- (b) 3600 J
- (c) $3.6 \times 10^6 \text{ J}$
- (d) 36 J
- \checkmark Correct Answer: (c) 3.6 × 10⁶ J

6. The unit of pressure is:

- (a) Watt
- (b) Newton
- (c) Pascal

- (d) Joule
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Pascal

7. Acceleration due to gravity on Earth is:

- (a) 8.9 m/s^2
- (b) 9.8 m/s^2
- (c) 10.8 m/s^2
- (d) 11.2 m/s^2
- Correct Answer: (b) 9.8 m/s²

8. The unit of frequency is:

- (a) Joule
- (b) Hertz
- (c) Watt
- (d) Newton
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Hertz

9. Which mirror is used in car headlights?

- (a) Convex
- (b) Concave
- (c) Plane
- (d) Cylindrical
- Correct Answer: (b) Concave

10. Sound cannot travel through:

- (a) Air
- (b) Water
- (c) Vacuum
- (d) Steel
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Vacuum

11. Which law states "F = ma"?

- (a) Newton's 1st law
- (b) Newton's 2nd law
- (c) Newton's 3rd law
- (d) Law of gravitation
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Newton's 2nd law

12. The device used to measure atmospheric pressure is:

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Manometer
- (c) Barometer

- (d) Hygrometer
- Correct Answer: (c) Barometer

13. Which quantity is scalar?

- (a) Velocity
- (b) Force
- (c) Speed
- (d) Acceleration
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Speed

14. The process of changing liquid into gas is called:

- (a) Condensation
- (b) Evaporation
- (c) Freezing
- (d) Melting
- Correct Answer: (b) Evaporation

15. The rate of doing work is called:

- (a) Force
- (b) Energy
- (c) Power
- (d) Pressure
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Power

16. Which lens is used to correct short-sightedness?

- (a) Convex lens
- (b) Concave lens
- (c) Plano-convex lens
- (d) Plano-concave lens
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Concave lens

17. The unit of resistance is:

- (a) Ohm
- (b) Ampere
- (c) Volt
- (d) Watt
- Correct Answer: (a) Ohm

18. Which wave does not require a medium?

- (a) Sound wave
- (b) Light wave
- (c) Water wave

- (d) Mechanical wave
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Light wave

19. The time period of a pendulum depends on:

- (a) Mass of bob
- (b) Length of string
- (c) Shape of bob
- (d) Amplitude
- Correct Answer: (b) Length of string

20. Which physical quantity is measured in Joules?

- (a) Work
- (b) Power
- (c) Speed
- (d) Pressure
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Work

21. Density is defined as:

- (a) Mass × Volume
- (b) Mass ÷ Volume
- (c) Volume ÷ Mass
- (d) Mass + Volume
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Mass ÷ Volume

22. Who invented the law of gravitation?

- (a) Einstein
- (b) Galileo
- (c) Newton
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Newton

23. The speed of sound in air is about:

- (a) 220 m/s
- (b) 330 m/s
- (c) 440 m/s
- (d) 550 m/s
- Correct Answer: (b) 330 m/s

24. SI unit of electric charge is:

- (a) Coulomb
- (b) Volt
- (c) Ampere

- (d) Ohm
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Coulomb

25. Which gas is filled in electric bulbs?

- (a) Oxygen
- (b) Helium
- (c) Nitrogen
- (d) Hydrogen
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Nitrogen

26. The bending of light when it passes from one medium to another is called:

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction
- (c) Diffraction
- (d) Dispersion
- Correct Answer: (b) Refraction

27. The scientist who discovered radioactivity was:

- (a) Rutherford
- (b) Becquerel
- (c) Einstein
- (d) Bohr
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Becquerel

28. The SI unit of work is:

- (a) Watt
- (b) Joule
- (c) Newton
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Joule

29. The device used to convert electrical energy into mechanical energy is:

- (a) Motor
- (b) Generator
- (c) Transformer
- (d) Battery
- Correct Answer: (a) Motor

30. The energy possessed by a body due to its position is called:

- (a) Kinetic energy
- (b) Potential energy
- (c) Thermal energy

- (d) Electrical energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Potential energy

31. Which color of light has the shortest wavelength?

- (a) Red
- (b) Green
- (c) Blue
- (d) Violet
- ✓ Correct Answer: (d) Violet

32. Which law states "Action and reaction are equal and opposite"?

- (a) Newton's 1st law
- (b) Newton's 2nd law
- (c) Newton's 3rd law
- (d) Law of gravitation
- Correct Answer: (c) Newton's 3rd law

33. The SI unit of power is:

- (a) Watt
- (b) Joule
- (c) Newton
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Watt

34. The weakest force in nature is:

- (a) Gravitational force
- (b) Electromagnetic force
- (c) Nuclear force
- (d) Frictional force
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Gravitational force

35. Which device is used to measure potential difference?

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Voltmeter
- (c) Galvanometer
- (d) Thermometer
- Correct Answer: (b) Voltmeter

36. The process of splitting white light into colors is called:

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction

- (c) Dispersion
- (d) Diffraction
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Dispersion

37. The unit of velocity is:

- (a) m/s^2
- (b) m/s
- (c) Joule
- (d) Newton
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) m/s

38. Which energy is obtained from sunlight?

- (a) Thermal energy
- (b) Solar energy
- (c) Electrical energy
- (d) Mechanical energy
- Correct Answer: (b) Solar energy

39. The work done is zero when:

- (a) Force is applied
- (b) Displacement is zero
- (c) Distance is large
- (d) Time is large
- Correct Answer: (b) Displacement is zero

40. The unit of electric field is:

- (a) Newton
- (b) Volt/meter
- (c) Joule
- (d) Watt
- Correct Answer: (b) Volt/meter

41. Ohm's law relates:

- (a) Current and resistance
- (b) Voltage and current
- (c) Resistance and power
- (d) Energy and charge
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Voltage and current

42. Heat always flows from:

- (a) Cold to hot
- (b) Hot to cold

- (c) Lower to higher temperature
- (d) Both directions
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Hot to cold

43. The center of gravity of a uniform sphere is at:

- (a) Top
- (b) Bottom
- (c) Center
- (d) Edge
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Center

44. The instrument used to measure temperature is:

- (a) Hygrometer
- (b) Thermometer
- (c) Barometer
- (d) Ammeter
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Thermometer

45. 1 horsepower =

- (a) 746 Watt
- (b) 640 Watt
- (c) 800 Watt
- (d) 1000 Watt
- Correct Answer: (a) 746 Watt

46. The energy of motion is called:

- (a) Potential energy
- (b) Kinetic energy
- (c) Mechanical energy
- (d) Thermal energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Kinetic energy

47. The value of universal gravitational constant (G) is:

- (a) 9.8 m/s^2
- (b) $6.67 \times 10^{-11} \text{ Nm}^2/\text{kg}^2$
- (c) 3×10^8 m/s
- (d) 1.6×10^{-19} C
- \checkmark Correct Answer: (b) 6.67 × 10⁻¹¹ Nm²/kg²

48. The unit of capacitance is:

- (a) Ampere
- (b) Farad

- (c) Coulomb
- (d) Ohm
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Farad

49. Which law explains why we wear seat belts?

- (a) Newton's 1st law
- (b) Newton's 2nd law
- (c) Newton's 3rd law
- (d) Law of gravitation
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Newton's 1st law

50. The speed of light in glass is:

- (a) Greater than in vacuum
- (b) Equal to in vacuum
- (c) Less than in vacuum
- (d) Zero
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Less than in vacuum

51. Which device converts mechanical energy into electrical energy?

- (a) Motor
- (b) Generator
- (c) Battery
- (d) Transformer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Generator

52. The unit of work done per unit charge is:

- (a) Ohm
- (b) Volt
- (c) Watt
- (d) Coulomb
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Volt

53. Which radiation has the highest energy?

- (a) Infrared
- (b) X-rays
- (c) Gamma rays
- (d) Ultraviolet
- Correct Answer: (c) Gamma rays

54. Which law explains the motion of rockets?

- (a) Newton's 1st law
- (b) Newton's 2nd law
- (c) Newton's 3rd law

- (d) Law of gravitation
- Correct Answer: (c) Newton's 3rd law

55. What is the unit of power in electricity?

- (a) Joule
- (b) Newton
- (c) Watt
- (d) Ohm
- Correct Answer: (c) Watt

56. The filament of electric bulb is made of:

- (a) Copper
- (b) Aluminum
- (c) Tungsten
- (d) Iron
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Tungsten

57. The SI unit of momentum is:

- (a) Joule
- (b) Newton
- (c) Kg·m/s
- (d) Watt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Kg·m/s

58. Which phenomenon makes stars visible at night?

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction
- (c) Dispersion
- (d) Diffraction
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Refraction

59. Which form of energy is possessed by stretched spring?

- (a) Kinetic
- (b) Potential
- (c) Heat
- (d) Electrical
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Potential

60. The rate of change of velocity is called:

- (a) Speed
- (b) Acceleration
- (c) Momentum

- (d) Force
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Acceleration

61. The speed of sound is maximum in:

- (a) Air
- (b) Water
- (c) Steel
- (d) Vacuum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Steel

62. The work done when force is perpendicular to displacement is:

- (a) Maximum
- (b) Zero
- (c) Negative
- (d) Infinite
- Correct Answer: (b) Zero

63. Who gave the theory of relativity?

- (a) Newton
- (b) Einstein
- (c) Galileo
- (d) Faraday
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Einstein

64. Which type of mirror is used in side view mirrors of vehicles?

- (a) Plane
- (b) Convex
- (c) Concave
- (d) Cylindrical
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Convex

65. The boiling point of water on Celsius scale is:

- (a) 0°C
- (b) 50°C
- (c) 100°C
- (d) 273°C
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) 100°C

66. Which unit is used to measure frequency of sound?

- (a) Newton
- (b) Joule

- (c) Hertz
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Hertz

67. The earth completes one rotation in:

- (a) 12 hours
- (b) 24 hours
- (c) 30 days
- (d) 365 days
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) 24 hours

68. The value of acceleration due to gravity decreases with:

- (a) Depth
- (b) Height
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) None
- Correct Answer: (c) Both (a) and (b)

69. The scientist who discovered electron was:

- (a) Rutherford
- (b) J. J. Thomson
- (c) Einstein
- (d) Bohr
- Correct Answer: (b) J. J. Thomson

70. The phenomenon of rainbow formation is due to:

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction and dispersion
- (c) Diffraction
- (d) Polarization
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Refraction and dispersion

71. The unit of charge is:

- (a) Volt
- (b) Ampere
- (c) Coulomb
- (d) Ohm
- Correct Answer: (c) Coulomb

72. If no force acts on a body, its momentum:

- (a) Increases
- (b) Decreases

- (c) Remains constant
- (d) Becomes zero
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Remains constant

73. Which wave is used in TV remote controls?

- (a) Radio waves
- (b) Infrared waves
- (c) Microwaves
- (d) X-rays
- Correct Answer: (b) Infrared waves

74. The SI unit of mechanical work is:

- (a) Watt
- (b) Joule
- (c) Newton
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Joule

75. Which of the following is a vector quantity?

- (a) Mass
- (b) Time
- (c) Force
- (d) Energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Force

76. The energy possessed by water stored at height is:

- (a) Potential energy
- (b) Kinetic energy
- (c) Chemical energy
- (d) Nuclear energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Potential energy

77. Which type of energy is produced in nuclear fission?

- (a) Chemical
- (b) Nuclear
- (c) Thermal
- (d) Mechanical
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Nuclear

78. Which of the following is a good conductor of heat?

- (a) Wood
- (b) Plastic

- (c) Copper
- (d) Rubber
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Copper

79. The instrument used to measure electric resistance is:

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Voltmeter
- (c) Ohmmeter
- (d) Galvanometer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Ohmmeter

80. Which law explains "Current is directly proportional to voltage"?

- (a) Coulomb's law
- (b) Newton's law
- (c) Ohm's law
- (d) Hooke's law
- Correct Answer: (c) Ohm's law

81. Which is the fastest medium for light?

- (a) Water
- (b) Air
- (c) Glass
- (d) Vacuum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (d) Vacuum

82. The unit of torque is:

- (a) Newton-meter
- (b) Watt
- (c) Joule
- (d) Coulomb
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Newton-meter

83. Which scientist discovered X-rays?

- (a) Becquerel
- (b) Roentgen
- (c) Newton
- (d) Rutherford
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Roentgen

84. The SI unit of energy is:

- (a) Joule
- (b) Newton

- (c) Watt
- (d) Volt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Joule

85. Which type of current flows in household circuits?

- (a) Direct current
- (b) Alternating current
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) None
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Alternating current

86. The process of charging a body without contact is called:

- (a) Conduction
- (b) Induction
- (c) Convection
- (d) Radiation
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Induction

87. Which gas is responsible for the greenhouse effect?

- (a) Oxygen
- (b) Carbon dioxide
- (c) Nitrogen
- (d) Helium
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Carbon dioxide

88. Which property of a sound wave determines pitch?

- (a) Amplitude
- (b) Frequency
- (c) Wavelength
- (d) Velocity
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Frequency

89. Which of the following is an example of renewable energy?

- (a) Coal
- (b) Petroleum
- (c) Solar energy
- (d) Natural gas
- Correct Answer: (c) Solar energy

90. The time taken by light to reach Earth from the Sun is about:

- (a) 8 seconds
- (b) 8 minutes

- (c) 8 hours
- (d) 8 days
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) 8 minutes

91. The earth is kept in orbit around the sun due to:

- (a) Magnetic force
- (b) Nuclear force
- (c) Gravitational force
- (d) Electrical force
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Gravitational force

92. The rate of flow of electric charge is called:

- (a) Voltage
- (b) Current
- (c) Resistance
- (d) Power
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Current

93. The angle of incidence is equal to:

- (a) Angle of reflection
- (b) Angle of refraction
- (c) Angle of dispersion
- (d) Angle of diffraction
- Correct Answer: (a) Angle of reflection

94. Which instrument is used to detect charge?

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Electroscope
- (c) Voltmeter
- (d) Galvanometer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Electroscope

95. The SI unit of luminous intensity is:

- (a) Candela
- (b) Lux
- (c) Lumen
- (d) Watt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Candela

96. The melting point of ice is:

(a) 100°C

- (b) 0°C
- (c) 32°C
- (d) -10°C
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) 0°C

97. The heat required to raise the temperature of 1 kg of a substance by 1°C is called:

- (a) Latent heat
- (b) Specific heat
- (c) Thermal heat
- (d) Internal heat
- Correct Answer: (b) Specific heat

98. The law of conservation of energy states that:

- (a) Energy can be created
- (b) Energy can be destroyed
- (c) Energy can neither be created nor destroyed
- (d) Energy is always lost
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Energy can neither be created nor destroyed

99. Which type of lens is used in magnifying glass?

- (a) Concave lens
- (b) Convex lens
- (c) Plano-concave lens
- (d) Cylindrical lens
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Convex lens

100. Which scientist discovered the law of electrolysis?

- (a) Faraday
- (b) Coulomb
- (c) Newton
- (d) Rutherford
- Correct Answer: (a) Faraday

101. Which instrument is used to measure pressure of gases?

- (a) Voltmeter
- (b) Manometer
- (c) Ammeter
- (d) Hydrometer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Manometer

102. Which form of energy is associated with motion?

- (a) Potential energy
- (b) Kinetic energy
- (c) Thermal energy

- (d) Nuclear energy
- Correct Answer: (b) Kinetic energy

103. The SI unit of electric field is:

- (a) Newton
- (b) Volt/meter
- (c) Joule
- (d) Ampere
- Correct Answer: (b) Volt/meter

104. The center of mass of a uniform sphere lies at:

- (a) Surface
- (b) Center
- (c) Axis
- (d) Edge
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Center

105. Which type of current is produced by a battery?

- (a) Direct Current (DC)
- (b) Alternating Current (AC)
- (c) Pulsating Current
- (d) Both AC and DC
- Correct Answer: (a) Direct Current (DC)

106. The color of sky appears blue due to:

- (a) Refraction
- (b) Scattering of light
- (c) Dispersion
- (d) Diffraction
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Scattering of light

107. A unit of force is:

- (a) Joule
- (b) Newton
- (c) Watt
- (d) Pascal
- Correct Answer: (b) Newton

108. Which property of light proves its wave nature?

- (a) Diffraction
- (b) Photoelectric effect
- (c) Compton effect

- (d) Nuclear reaction
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Diffraction

109. Which scientist discovered the law of gravitation?

- (a) Newton
- (b) Galileo
- (c) Einstein
- (d) Rutherford
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Newton

110. Which is the unit of capacitance?

- (a) Ohm
- (b) Farad
- (c) Coulomb
- (d) Watt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Farad

111. The instrument used to measure relative humidity is:

- (a) Hygrometer
- (b) Manometer
- (c) Barometer
- (d) Anemometer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Hygrometer

112. Which of the following is NOT a vector quantity?

- (a) Force
- (b) Velocity
- (c) Work
- (d) Momentum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Work

113. The SI unit of angular velocity is:

- (a) Radian/second
- (b) Joule
- (c) Hertz
- (d) Newton-meter
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Radian/second

114. The motion of a pendulum is an example of:

- (a) Linear motion
- (b) Circular motion
- (c) Simple harmonic motion

- (d) Random motion
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Simple harmonic motion

115. Which electromagnetic wave has the longest wavelength?

- (a) Gamma rays
- (b) X-rays
- (c) Radio waves
- (d) UV rays
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Radio waves

116. The device used to step up or step down voltage is:

- (a) Motor
- (b) Transformer
- (c) Generator
- (d) Rectifier
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Transformer

117. Which is NOT a scalar quantity?

- (a) Distance
- (b) Speed
- (c) Time
- (d) Displacement
- Correct Answer: (d) Displacement

118. The escape velocity on Earth is about:

- (a) 7 km/s
- (b) 9.8 km/s
- (c) 11.2 km/s
- (d) 15 km/s
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) 11.2 km/s

119. The instrument used to measure very small currents is:

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Galvanometer
- (c) Voltmeter
- (d) Potentiometer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Galvanometer

120. The SI unit of pressure is:

- (a) Pascal
- (b) Joule
- (c) Newton

(d) Watt

✓ Correct Answer: (a) Pascal

121. Which physical quantity is measured in Ohm?

- (a) Resistance
- (b) Voltage
- (c) Current
- (d) Power
- Correct Answer: (a) Resistance

122. The Earth's magnetic field protects us from:

- (a) Earthquakes
- (b) Cosmic rays
- (c) Infrared rays
- (d) Sound waves
- Correct Answer: (b) Cosmic rays

123. A body at rest tends to remain at rest is explained by:

- (a) Newton's 1st law
- (b) Newton's 2nd law
- (c) Newton's 3rd law
- (d) Law of gravitation
- Correct Answer: (a) Newton's 1st law

124. Which device is used to store electric charge?

- (a) Capacitor
- (b) Inductor
- (c) Resistor
- (d) Transformer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Capacitor

125. Which color has the shortest wavelength in visible spectrum?

- (a) Red
- (b) Blue
- (c) Green
- (d) Violet
- Correct Answer: (d) Violet

126. The speed of light is maximum in:

- (a) Glass
- (b) Water

- (c) Diamond
- (d) Vacuum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (d) Vacuum

127. The SI unit of power is:

- (a) Newton
- (b) Joule
- (c) Watt
- (d) Volt
- Correct Answer: (c) Watt

128. Which instrument is used to measure electric current?

- (a) Voltmeter
- (b) Ammeter
- (c) Galvanometer
- (d) Potentiometer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Ammeter

129. The rate of change of displacement is called:

- (a) Acceleration
- (b) Speed
- (c) Velocity
- (d) Momentum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Velocity

130. Which property of a wave determines its loudness?

- (a) Frequency
- (b) Amplitude
- (c) Velocity
- (d) Wavelength
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Amplitude

131. Which law explains the relationship between force, mass, and acceleration?

- (a) Newton's 1st law
- (b) Newton's 2nd law
- (c) Newton's 3rd law
- (d) Law of gravitation
- Correct Answer: (b) Newton's 2nd law

132. Which of the following has no unit?

- (a) Momentum
- (b) Work

- (c) Specific gravity
- (d) Power
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Specific gravity

133. The freezing point of pure water is:

- (a) -273°C
- (b) 0°C
- (c) 32°C
- (d) 100°C
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) 0°C

134. The property of a body to resist change in motion is called:

- (a) Force
- (b) Inertia
- (c) Momentum
- (d) Acceleration
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Inertia

135. Which type of mirror is used in shaving mirrors?

- (a) Plane
- (b) Convex
- (c) Concave
- (d) Cylindrical
- Correct Answer: (c) Concave

136. The energy stored in a charged capacitor is:

- (a) Mechanical energy
- (b) Potential energy
- (c) Magnetic energy
- (d) Kinetic energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Potential energy

137. The resistance of a conductor depends on:

- (a) Length
- (b) Area of cross-section
- (c) Temperature
- (d) All of the above
- Correct Answer: (d) All of the above

138. Which type of wave requires a medium for propagation?

- (a) Light wave
- (b) Sound wave

- (c) Radio wave
- (d) Gamma ray
- Correct Answer: (b) Sound wave

139. The unit of frequency is:

- (a) Hertz
- (b) Newton
- (c) Joule
- (d) Watt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Hertz

140. Which is the weakest force in nature?

- (a) Gravitational force
- (b) Nuclear force
- (c) Electromagnetic force
- (d) Strong nuclear force
- Correct Answer: (a) Gravitational force

141. Which of the following travels fastest?

- (a) Sound in air
- (b) Sound in water
- (c) Sound in steel
- (d) Light in vacuum
- Correct Answer: (d) Light in vacuum

142. The efficiency of an ideal machine is:

- (a) 0%
- (b) 50%
- (c) 100%
- (d) Less than 100%
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) 100%

143. The law of reflection states that:

- (a) Angle of incidence > Angle of reflection
- (b) Angle of incidence = Angle of reflection
- (c) Angle of incidence < Angle of reflection
- (d) None
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Angle of incidence = Angle of reflection

144. A transformer works on which principle?

- (a) Electrostatics
- (b) Electromagnetic induction

- (c) Conservation of energy
- (d) Thermodynamics
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Electromagnetic induction

145. The center-seeking force in circular motion is called:

- (a) Centrifugal force
- (b) Centripetal force
- (c) Frictional force
- (d) Magnetic force
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Centripetal force

146. Which instrument measures atmospheric pressure?

- (a) Manometer
- (b) Hygrometer
- (c) Barometer
- (d) Thermometer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Barometer

147. The absolute zero temperature is:

- (a) 0°C
- (b) 0 K
- (c) -273°C
- (d) Both (b) and (c)
- Correct Answer: (d) Both (b) and (c)

148. Which law explains "Action and Reaction are equal and opposite"?

- (a) Newton's 1st law
- (b) Newton's 2nd law
- (c) Newton's 3rd law
- (d) Law of gravitation
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Newton's 3rd law

149. The resistance of a superconductor at very low temperature is:

- (a) Zero
- (b) Infinite
- (c) Constant
- (d) Negative
- Correct Answer: (a) Zero

150. The energy of motion is called:

- (a) Potential energy
- (b) Kinetic energy

- (c) Thermal energy
- (d) Nuclear energy
- Correct Answer: (b) Kinetic energy

151. Which device converts mechanical energy into electrical energy?

- (a) Transformer
- (b) Generator
- (c) Motor
- (d) Battery
- Correct Answer: (b) Generator

152. The force that opposes motion between two surfaces is:

- (a) Centripetal force
- (b) Gravitational force
- (c) Friction
- (d) Magnetic force
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Friction

153. The unit of work is:

- (a) Newton
- (b) Joule
- (c) Watt
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Joule

154. What is the main function of fuse in an electric circuit?

- (a) To increase current
- (b) To reduce voltage
- (c) To protect from excess current
- (d) To store charge
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) To protect from excess current

155. Which wave property determines its pitch (sound)?

- (a) Wavelength
- (b) Frequency
- (c) Amplitude
- (d) Speed
- Correct Answer: (b) Frequency

156. Which law states that current is directly proportional to voltage?

- (a) Faraday's law
- (b) Coulomb's law

- (c) Ohm's law
- (d) Newton's law
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Ohm's law

157. In SI, unit of momentum is:

- (a) Kg·m/s
- (b) Joule
- (c) Newton
- (d) Watt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Kg·m/s

158. The path of a projectile is:

- (a) Circular
- (b) Straight line
- (c) Parabolic
- (d) Elliptical
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Parabolic

159. The phenomenon of bending of light when it enters from one medium to another is:

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction
- (c) Diffraction
- (d) Dispersion
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Refraction

160. The speed of sound in air at room temperature is about:

- (a) 220 m/s
- (b) 330 m/s
- (c) 440 m/s
- (d) 500 m/s
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) 330 m/s

161. Which device is used to measure potential difference?

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Voltmeter
- (c) Galvanometer
- (d) Wattmeter
- Correct Answer: (b) Voltmeter

162. The SI unit of electric charge is:

- (a) Volt
- (b) Coulomb

- (c) Farad
- (d) Joule
- Correct Answer: (b) Coulomb

163. A freely suspended magnet always points towards:

- (a) North-South direction
- (b) East-West direction
- (c) Random direction
- (d) Vertical direction
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) North-South direction

164. The image formed by a plane mirror is always:

- (a) Real and inverted
- (b) Virtual and erect
- (c) Enlarged and real
- (d) Diminished and inverted
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Virtual and erect

165. The energy obtained from nucleus of atom is called:

- (a) Thermal energy
- (b) Nuclear energy
- (c) Kinetic energy
- (d) Potential energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Nuclear energy

166. The value of acceleration due to gravity on Earth is:

- (a) 8.9 m/s^2
- (b) 9.8 m/s^2
- (c) 10.8 m/s^2
- (d) 11.2 m/s^2
- Correct Answer: (b) 9.8 m/s²

167. Which of the following is a non-renewable source of energy?

- (a) Solar energy
- (b) Coal
- (c) Wind energy
- (d) Hydro power
- Correct Answer: (b) Coal

168. The process of converting liquid into gas at any temperature is:

- (a) Condensation
- (b) Evaporation

- (c) Freezing
- (d) Sublimation
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Evaporation

169. The SI unit of torque is:

- (a) Newton
- (b) Newton-meter
- (c) Joule
- (d) Watt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Newton-meter

170. The resistance of a wire depends on its:

- (a) Length
- (b) Area of cross-section
- (c) Material
- (d) All of the above
- ✓ Correct Answer: (d) All of the above

171. The device used to convert AC into DC is:

- (a) Transformer
- (b) Rectifier
- (c) Inductor
- (d) Capacitor
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Rectifier

172. Which is the unit of gravitational constant (G)?

- (a) $N \cdot m^2/kg^2$
- (b) N/kg
- (c) J/kg
- (d) m/s^2
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) N·m²/kg²

173. The force which keeps planets in orbit around the Sun is:

- (a) Electromagnetic force
- (b) Gravitational force
- (c) Nuclear force
- (d) Frictional force
- Correct Answer: (b) Gravitational force

174. Which type of lens is used in magnifying glass?

- (a) Convex lens
- (b) Concave lens

- (c) Cylindrical lens
- (d) Plane lens
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Convex lens

175. The device which converts electrical energy into mechanical energy is:

- (a) Transformer
- (b) Generator
- (c) Motor
- (d) Inductor
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Motor

176. The boiling point of water at sea level is:

- (a) 0°C
- (b) 50°C
- (c) 100°C
- (d) 120°C
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) 100°C

177. The bending of a straw in water is due to:

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction
- (c) Diffraction
- (d) Interference
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Refraction

178. The unit of electric power is:

- (a) Coulomb
- (b) Watt
- (c) Volt
- (d) Ampere
- Correct Answer: (b) Watt

179. Which property of sound determines its quality?

- (a) Frequency
- (b) Amplitude
- (c) Waveform
- (d) Velocity
- Correct Answer: (c) Waveform

180. A body moving in a circle experiences:

- (a) Centrifugal force
- (b) Centripetal force

- (c) Magnetic force
- (d) Gravitational force
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Centripetal force

181. Which scientist proposed the theory of relativity?

- (a) Newton
- (b) Einstein
- (c) Galileo
- (d) Rutherford
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Einstein

182. The energy possessed by a stretched spring is:

- (a) Kinetic energy
- (b) Potential energy
- (c) Nuclear energy
- (d) Thermal energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Potential energy

183. Which is the unit of frequency?

- (a) Watt
- (b) Newton
- (c) Hertz
- (d) Joule
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Hertz

184. The time taken to complete one vibration is called:

- (a) Frequency
- (b) Time period
- (c) Amplitude
- (d) Waveform
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Time period

185. Which instrument measures current strength?

- (a) Voltmeter
- (b) Ammeter
- (c) Thermometer
- (d) Galvanometer
- Correct Answer: (b) Ammeter

186. Which type of mirror is used in vehicles for wide view?

(a) Concave

- (b) Convex
- (c) Plane
- (d) Cylindrical
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Convex

187. Which energy source is renewable?

- (a) Oil
- (b) Gas
- (c) Solar
- (d) Coal
- Correct Answer: (c) Solar

188. The SI unit of density is:

- (a) Kg/m^2
- (b) Kg/m³
- (c) g/cm^2
- (d) g/cm^3
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Kg/m³

189. Which form of energy is produced due to vibration of particles?

- (a) Light energy
- (b) Sound energy
- (c) Thermal energy
- (d) Nuclear energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Sound energy

190. The instrument used to measure temperature is:

- (a) Barometer
- (b) Thermometer
- (c) Hygrometer
- (d) Voltmeter
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Thermometer

191. The acceleration produced in a body is directly proportional to:

- (a) Force applied
- (b) Mass of body
- (c) Velocity of body
- (d) Distance travelled
- Correct Answer: (a) Force applied

192. The SI unit of energy is:

(a) Joule

- (b) Newton
- (c) Watt
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Joule

193. Which of the following is a good conductor of electricity?

- (a) Wood
- (b) Plastic
- (c) Copper
- (d) Rubber
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Copper

194. Which is the fastest medium for sound travel?

- (a) Air
- (b) Water
- (c) Steel
- (d) Vacuum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Steel

195. The unit of electric resistance is:

- (a) Ampere
- (b) Ohm
- (c) Watt
- (d) Volt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Ohm

196. The process of changing solid directly into gas is:

- (a) Fusion
- (b) Sublimation
- (c) Vaporization
- (d) Condensation
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Sublimation

197. Which type of current changes direction continuously?

- (a) Direct Current (DC)
- (b) Alternating Current (AC)
- (c) Pulsating Current
- (d) Static Current
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Alternating Current (AC)

198. The image formed by a convex lens can be:

(a) Only real

- (b) Only virtual
- (c) Both real and virtual
- (d) Only inverted
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Both real and virtual

199. The scientist who discovered electron is:

- (a) J.J. Thomson
- (b) Rutherford
- (c) Bohr
- (d) Einstein
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) J.J. Thomson

200. The property of a body to remain in uniform motion is called:

- (a) Force
- (b) Inertia
- (c) Acceleration
- (d) Energy
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Inertia

201. The SI unit of power is:

- (a) Newton
- (b) Joule
- (c) Watt
- (d) Coulomb
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Watt

202. The phenomenon of rainbow formation is due to:

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction & dispersion
- (c) Diffraction
- (d) Scattering
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Refraction & dispersion

203. The time rate of change of velocity is called:

- (a) Speed
- (b) Acceleration
- (c) Displacement
- (d) Momentum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Acceleration

204. Which law is also known as the law of inertia?

- (a) Newton's 1st law
- (b) Newton's 2nd law
- (c) Newton's 3rd law

- (d) Law of gravitation
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Newton's 1st law

205. Which mirror always forms a virtual and diminished image?

- (a) Plane
- (b) Convex
- (c) Concave
- (d) Parabolic
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Convex

206. The unit of electric field is:

- (a) N/C
- (b) J/C
- (c) Volt
- (d) Ampere
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) N/C

207. What type of quantity is pressure?

- (a) Scalar
- (b) Vector
- (c) Tensor
- (d) None
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Scalar

208. The energy due to position of a body is called:

- (a) Kinetic energy
- (b) Potential energy
- (c) Thermal energy
- (d) Work
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Potential energy

209. Which device is used to detect current in a circuit?

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Galvanometer
- (c) Voltmeter
- (d) Multimeter
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Galvanometer

210. Which waves are used in radar?

- (a) Infrared rays
- (b) Microwaves
- (c) UV rays

- (d) X-rays
- Correct Answer: (b) Microwaves

211. The SI unit of luminous intensity is:

- (a) Candela
- (b) Lux
- (c) Watt
- (d) Lumen
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Candela

212. The velocity-time graph of uniform motion is a:

- (a) Curve
- (b) Horizontal line
- (c) Vertical line
- (d) Straight line
- ✓ Correct Answer: (d) Straight line

213. The rate of doing work is called:

- (a) Energy
- (b) Force
- (c) Power
- (d) Momentum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Power

214. A device that converts sound energy into electrical energy is:

- (a) Speaker
- (b) Microphone
- (c) Motor
- (d) Transformer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Microphone

215. The upward force acting on a body immersed in fluid is called:

- (a) Friction
- (b) Buoyant force
- (c) Normal force
- (d) Tension
- Correct Answer: (b) Buoyant force

216. A short-sighted eye is corrected by which lens?

- (a) Convex
- (b) Concave

- (c) Cylindrical
- (d) Plano-convex
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Concave

217. The SI unit of pressure is equal to:

- (a) N/m
- (b) N/m^2
- (c) J/m^3
- (d) kg/m^2
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) N/m²

218. The phenomenon used in optical fibers is:

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction
- (c) Total internal reflection
- (d) Diffraction
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Total internal reflection

219. The process of charging a body without contact is called:

- (a) Conduction
- (b) Induction
- (c) Convection
- (d) Radiation
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Induction

220. Which type of motion is Earth's rotation on its axis?

- (a) Linear motion
- (b) Circular motion
- (c) Rotational motion
- (d) Random motion
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Rotational motion

221. The work done in moving a charge between two points in an electric field depends

on:

- (a) Path taken
- (b) Distance
- (c) Potential difference
- (d) Velocity
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Potential difference

222. Which radiation has highest energy?

(a) X-rays

- (b) UV rays
- (c) Gamma rays
- (d) Infrared rays
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Gamma rays

223. The unit of magnetic flux is:

- (a) Tesla
- (b) Weber
- (c) Gauss
- (d) Henry
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Weber

224. Which property of a conductor opposes current flow?

- (a) Resistance
- (b) Inductance
- (c) Capacitance
- (d) Conductance
- Correct Answer: (a) Resistance

225. The acceleration of free fall is maximum on:

- (a) Equator
- (b) Poles
- (c) Both same
- (d) Oceans
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Poles

226. The sound cannot travel through:

- (a) Solid
- (b) Liquid
- (c) Gas
- (d) Vacuum
- ✓ Correct Answer: (d) Vacuum

227. The device used for converting sound to electrical signals in telephone is:

- (a) Speaker
- (b) Microphone
- (c) Receiver
- (d) Amplifier
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Microphone

228. What is the unit of force constant (spring)?

(a) N/m

- (b) N/m²
- (c) J/m
- (d) Watt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) N/m

229. Which instrument is used to measure voltage?

- (a) Ammeter
- (b) Voltmeter
- (c) Galvanometer
- (d) Potentiometer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Voltmeter

230. Which law states that volume of a gas is inversely proportional to its pressure?

- (a) Charles's law
- (b) Boyle's law
- (c) Ohm's law
- (d) Hooke's law
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Boyle's law

231. What is the unit of gravitational potential energy?

- (a) Joule
- (b) Watt
- (c) Newton
- (d) Pascal
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Joule

232. Which type of current flows in household electricity?

- (a) AC
- (b) DC
- (c) Both AC & DC
- (d) Static current
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) AC

233. The minimum velocity required to put satellite in orbit is:

- (a) 5 km/s
- (b) 7.9 km/s
- (c) 11.2 km/s
- (d) 13 km/s
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) 7.9 km/s

234. Which law explains electromagnetic induction?

(a) Newton's law

- (b) Faraday's law
- (c) Coulomb's law
- (d) Ampere's law
- Correct Answer: (b) Faraday's law

235. What is the energy source of the Sun?

- (a) Nuclear fission
- (b) Nuclear fusion
- (c) Chemical reaction
- (d) Combustion
- Correct Answer: (b) Nuclear fusion

236. The time taken by light to travel from Sun to Earth is about:

- (a) 1 second
- (b) 8 minutes
- (c) 1 hour
- (d) 24 hours
- Correct Answer: (b) 8 minutes

237. The force which opposes relative motion of fluid layers is:

- (a) Friction
- (b) Viscous force
- (c) Buoyant force
- (d) Tension
- Correct Answer: (b) Viscous force

238. The unit of work done per unit charge is:

- (a) Joule
- (b) Volt
- (c) Coulomb
- (d) Watt
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Volt

239. Which type of mirror is used in car headlights?

- (a) Plane
- (b) Concave
- (c) Convex
- (d) Cylindrical
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Concave

240. The SI unit of inductance is:

(a) Henry

- (b) Weber
- (c) Tesla
- (d) Joule
- ✓ Correct Answer: (a) Henry

241. The device used to convert electrical energy into sound energy is:

- (a) Microphone
- (b) Speaker
- (c) Generator
- (d) Transformer
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Speaker

242. The velocity of light in glass is:

- (a) Greater than in vacuum
- (b) Less than in vacuum
- (c) Equal to in vacuum
- (d) Zero
- Correct Answer: (b) Less than in vacuum

243. The capacity of doing work is called:

- (a) Force
- (b) Energy
- (c) Power
- (d) Momentum
- Correct Answer: (b) Energy

244. Which instrument measures electric resistance?

- (a) Voltmeter
- (b) Ohmmeter
- (c) Ammeter
- (d) Multimeter
- Correct Answer: (b) Ohmmeter

245. The bending of light around obstacles is called:

- (a) Reflection
- (b) Refraction
- (c) Diffraction
- (d) Scattering
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Diffraction

246. The acceleration due to gravity on Moon is about:

- (a) 9.8 m/s^2
- (b) 5.8 m/s^2
- (c) 1.6 m/s^2
- (d) 11.2 m/s^2
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) 1.6 m/s²

247. Which color of light has maximum wavelength?

- (a) Blue
- (b) Green
- (c) Red
- (d) Violet
- ✓ Correct Answer: (c) Red

248. A device that stores magnetic energy is called:

- (a) Capacitor
- (b) Inductor
- (c) Transformer
- (d) Resistor
- Correct Answer: (b) Inductor

249. The change of frequency of sound due to motion is called:

- (a) Doppler effect
- (b) Refraction
- (c) Diffraction
- (d) Interference
- Correct Answer: (a) Doppler effect

250. Which law is related to stretching of spring?

- (a) Ohm's law
- (b) Hooke's law
- (c) Boyle's law
- (d) Newton's law
- ✓ Correct Answer: (b) Hooke's law

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