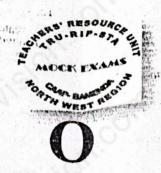
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GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF EDUCATION REGIONAL MOCK EXAMINATION	SUBJECT TITLE PHYSICS	
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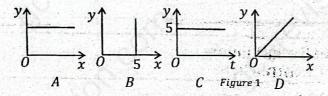
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- 8. Non-programmable calculators are allowed.
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SECTION 1(Forty-two Questions) Direction: Each of the questions or incomplete statements

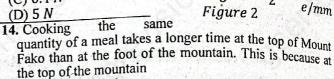
in this section is followed by four suggested answers. Select the best answer for each question.

- 1. Which of the following correctly represents a physical quantity in Physics?
- (A) 3 s/m
- (B)  $3 m^2/N$
- (C) 3 m/s
- (D) 3.0
- 2. Below are pairs of physical quantities. State which pair are both vector quantities?
  - (A) Mass and weight.
- (B) Weight and momentum.
- (C) Power and velocity.
- (D) Speed and acceleration.
- 3. A bike rider increases the speed of his bike from 30 km/ h to 50 km/h. Which of the forces acting on the bike
  - (A) Drag force.
- (B) Weight.
- (C) Friction.
- (D) Normal reaction.
- 4. Upthrust is exerted on a body when the body is immersed
  - (A) liquid only.
  - (B) solid.
  - (C) gas only.
  - (D) liquid or gas.
- 5. Which of the graphs in Figure 1 below shows how the acceleration (y) of a body falling freely 5 m above the ground varies with time (x)?



- 6. A nurse asks a patient to climb on a scale balance. Which physical quantity is she about to measure?
  - (A) Weight.
  - (B) Force.
  - (C) Mass.
  - (D) Size of her feet.
- 7. What is the significance of the slope of displacement versus time graph?
  - (A) Speed.
  - (B) Acceleration.
  - (C) Distance covered.
  - (D) Velocity.
- 8. A ball is thrown upward and it returns to the thrower. Which of the following statements about the ball is correct?
  - (A) Its velocity increases as it moves upward.
  - (B) At the maximum height, its velocity is zero.
  - (C) Its weight increases as it moves upwards.
- (D) Its mass decreases as it moves upwards.
- 9. Calculate the gravitational potential energy of a 50 kg bag of rice on a table of height 2 m.
  - (A) 1000 /
  - (B) 100 J
  - (C) 25 J
  - (D) 250 J
- 10. Electrical energy is measured in the unit of ...
- (A) joules.
- (B) watts.
- (C) coulombs.
- (D) megawatts.

- 11. In the process of doing work, energy is always ...
- (A) created.
- (B) converted.
- (C) destroyed, .... (D) created and converted.
- 12. Select a non-renewable source of energy.
  - (A) Geothermal.
  - (B) Sun.
  - (C) Coal.
  - (D) Wind.
- 13. Determine the elastic limit in the force (F) versus
  - extension (x) graph in figure 2 below.
  - (A) 10 N
  - (B) 2.5 N
  - (C) 0.4 N

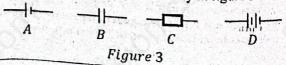


F/N

- (A) temperature is low.
- (B) temperature is high.
- (C) atmospheric pressure is high.
- (D) atmospheric pressure is less.
- 15. Select the correct formula to calculate the efficiency (E) of a machine.
- Work input (A) E = Work output
- Power input Power output
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- 16. Select quantity below which is correctly paired with its

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(A)	Force	kg m s <sup>-1</sup>
(B)	Work	$kg m^2 s^{-2}$
(C)	Heat	$\int kg K^{-1}$
(D)	Momentum	$kg m s^{-2}$

- 17. Which of the following properties makes water to be used in car radiators?
- (A) Water has high specific heat capacity.
- (B) Water prevents corrosion.
- (C) Water can easily spread in the radiators.
- (D) Water does not wet the walls of the radiators:
- 18. Below is a list of machines used at a construction site. Select the one which can best be used in transporting a bucket of concrete to the third floor of the building.
  - (A) Wheelbarrow.
- (B) Truck:
- (C) Pulley system.
- (D) Inclined plane.
- 19.  $\Lambda$  current of 3  $\Lambda$  flows through a conductor in 2 minutes. Calculate the quantity of charge that passes through the conductor during this time.
- (A) 6 C
- (B) 360 C
- (C) 1.5 C
- (D) 0.67 C
- 20. Identify the symbol of a battery in figure 3 below.



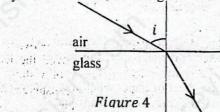
- 21. Which of the following is a protective device that protects users of electricity from electric shock?
  - (A) Fuse connection.
  - (B) Earth connection.
  - (C) Circuit breaker.
  - (D) Neutral wire connection.
- 22. It does NOT affect the resistance of a conductor.
- (A) Colour of the conductor.
- (B) Length of the conductor.
- (C) Temperature.
- (D) Cross sectional area.
- 23. Which of the following is an example of a semiconductor?
  - (A) Silicon.
- (B) Boron.
- (C) Phosphorus.
- (D) Carbon.
- 24. The net charge on a p-type semiconductor is?
- (A) Positive.
- (B) Negative.
- (C) Neutral.
- (D) Semipositive.
- 25. Which of the formulae below is used to calculate refractive index (n) of a material?

(A) 
$$n = \frac{apparent\ depth}{real\ depth}$$

(B) 
$$n = \frac{real\ depth}{apparent\ depth}$$

(C) 
$$n = \frac{\sin i}{\sin i}$$

- (D)  $n = (\sin i) \times (\sin r)$
- 26. An object is placed at 2F in front of a convex lens. Select the property of the image formed that is different from that of the object.
  - (A) Same size as the object.
  - (B) Same distance behind the lens as object in front of the lens.
  - (C) Same height.
  - (D) Inverted,
- 27. A light ray is incident as shown in Figure 4 below.



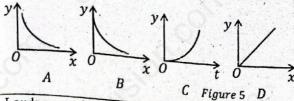
Which of the following statements is true?

- (A) Total internal reflection cannot occur.
- (B) If angle i is greater than critical angle, total; internal reflection will occur.
- (C) If angle i is less than critical angle, total internal reflection will occur
- (D) If angle i is greater than the critical angle, total internal refraction will occur
- 28. A string of length l, subjected to a tension T is plucked at its centre so that it vibrates at a frequency f. Which of the following changes will cause the greatest i

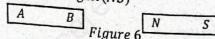
the greatest increase in 1		
-	Length (l)	Tension (T)
(A)	increases	increases
(B)	increases	decreases
(C)	decreases	
(D)	decreases	Increases

- 29. In a semiconductor, conduction is done by ...
- (A) protons and neutrons. (B) holes and electrons.
- (C) electrons and protons.
- (D) electrons and neutrons.

30. Which of the graphs in Figure 5 below best shows how the frequency (y) of a note produced by a plucked guitar string varies with the length (x) of the guitar string?



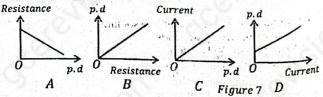
- 31. Loudness and pitch are associated to sound. Each of them respectively depends on ...
  - (A) amplitude and period
- (B) amplitude and temperature.
- (C) frequency and amplitude
- (D) frequency and period.
- 32. A bar AB is brought close to, but not touching the north pole (N) of a bar magnet (NS)



It is observed that the bar is attracted to the magnet. When the end A is brought close to N, attraction is equally observed. This shows that ...

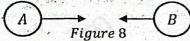
- (A) the bar is a non-magnetic material.
- (B) the bar is a magnet.
- (C) the end B of the bar is a north pole.
- (D) the bar is a magnetic material.
- 33. Which of the following are both laws electromagnetism?
  - (A) Lenz's law and right-hand grip rule law.
  - (B) Faraday's law of electromagnetism and Ohm's law.
- (C) Faraday's law and Newton's law of gravitation.
- (D) Lenz's law and Faraday's law of electromagnetism.
- 34. A nuclide simultaneously emits an alpha and a beta particle. Its mass number and atomic number respectively decrease by ...
- (A) 4 and 3
- (B) 4 and 1
- (C) 4 and 2
- (D) 2 and 4
- 35. Which of the following statements clearly states one way by which the efficiency of a transformer can be increased?
- (A) Increasing the thickness of the coil.
- (B) Decreasing the thickness of the coil.
- (C) Making the coil with steel.
- (D) Increasing current through it.
- 36. The resultant magnetic force of a magnet appears to be
- (A) evenly (equally) concentrated at both poles.
- (B) more concentrated at the north pole than at the south pole.
- (C) more concentrated at the south pole than at the north (D) more concentrated in between the poles.
- 37. Which of the following statements is true about house wiring?
- (A) There should be good eartehing to protect the appliances.
- (B) There should be good electrical contact to avoid electric shock.
- (C) There should be good electrical contact to avoid short circuiting.
- (D) The fuse should always be connected on the neutral

- 38. A plane vibrator generates 3000 waves in 2 minutes. Calculate the frequency of the vibrator.
- (A) 1500 Hz
- (B) 600 Hz
- (C) 25 Hz
- (D) 3600 Hz
- 39. Which of the graphs in Figure 7 has resistance as the significance of its slope?



- 40. Which of the following wave phenomena is responsible for the formation of the rainbow?
  - (A) Reflection.
  - (B) Dispersion.
- (C) Refraction.
- (D) Diffraction.
- 41. Water is heated until it changes to vapour. Which of the following statements below is correct during this change
  - (A) Temperature remains constant.
  - (B) Temperature increases.
  - (C) Temperature decreases! More
- (D) Heat content of water molecules remains constant.
- 42. Two identical balls A and B each of mass 2.0 g move in opposite directions as shown in Figure 8 below, with velocities of 3  $m s^{-1}$  and 2.5  $m s^{-1}$  respectively.

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If they collide and coalesce, calculate their common velocity in  $m.s^{-1}$  after collision.

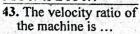
- (A).5.5
- (B) 2.75
- (C) 0.25
- (D) 0.50

#### SECTION 2 (Eight Questions)

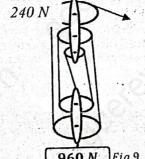
Directions: These groups of questions deal with practical situations. Each situation is followed by a set of questions. Select the best answer for each , and question.

#### Questions 43 - 45

The diagram below shows a simple machine which is used by builders at a construction site to lift heavy material. The minimum pulling force needed to lift a load of 960 N is 240 N.



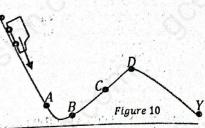
- (A)5
- (B) 1/5
- (C) 1/4
- (D) 4
- 14. If the pulling force does 1920 J of work, through what height will the stone be lifted?
- (A) 1.6 m
- (B) 0.5 m
- (C) 0.5 m
- (D) 0.6 m #



- - 50. When the same lens is placed between a vertical wall
  - (A) Virtual.
  - (B) Magnified.
  - (C) Inverted.

- 45. What length of rope must be pulled to lift the load through a vertical height of 1.5 m?
  - (A) 6 m
  - (B)  $0.3 \, m$
  - (C) 7.5 m
  - (D)  $0.1 \, m$

Questions 46 - 47 The diagram below shows the runway of a toy of mass 200 g which is released from the point X so that it moves along



46. At which of the points A, B, C or D will the speed of the toy be minimum after release from the point X?

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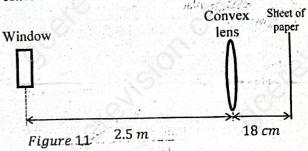
(A) A

ABCD to Y.

- (B) B
- (C) C
- (D) D
- 47. Given that X is 80 cm high, at what speed will the toy pass through the point C if it is 20 cm high?
  - (A)  $3.5 \, m \, s^{-1}$
  - (B)  $12 \, m \, s^{-1}$
  - (C)  $1.2 \, m \, s^{-1}$
  - (D)  $0.4 \, m \, s^{-1}$

Questions 48 - 50

The set up below was designed by a student to investigate a thin convex lens:



- 48. The student placed the lens between the window shutter and the paper and moved the lens to and fro until a sharp image of the window shutter was formed on the sheet of paper when the distances were as shown on the diagram. This means that ...
  - (A) the focal length of the lens is 18 cm.
  - (B) the focal length of the lens is about 18 cm.
  - (C) the image distance is 2.5 m.
  - (D) the linear magnification is 0.14.
- 49. For which of the object distances below will it be impossible to pick an image of the window on the sheet of paper?
  - (A) 45 cm
  - (B) 36 cm
  - (C) 25 cm
  - (D) 10 cm
- and a match stick 5 cm tall and moved until it (the lens) is 50 cm from the match stick, an image of the match stick is formed on the wall. Select a correct property of the image.
- (D) Laterally inverted.