

1. Who is a Myope?

1). Blind person

2). Partially Blind person

3). Short-sighted person

4). Normal eyesight person

Ans:

2. Which symbol is used universally to indicate facilities for the physically challenged?

1) Walking stick

2). Wheelchair

3). Crutch

4). Ambulance

Ans:



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_Symbol_of_Access

3. The system of dual Government during later half of 18th century, was prevalent during the time of –

1) Robert Clive

2). Cornwallis

3). Warren Hastings

4). William Bentinck

Ans:1

Dual government was introduced by Robert Clive in Bengal in 1765 and it was continued till 1772.

The Dual system of Government was abolished by Warren Hastings in 1772 and Bengal was brought under direct control of the British.

4. Zero was invented by –

1). Romans

2). Indians

3). Greeks

4). Arabs

Ans:2

The first modern equivalent of numeral zero comes from a Hindu astronomer and mathematician Brahmagupta in 628. His symbol to depict the numeral was a dot underneath a number.

5. World Forest Day is observed on

- 1). March 23 2). **March 21** 3). March 12 4). March 25

Ans:2

The United Nations General Assembly proclaimed 21 March the International Day of Forests in 2012 to celebrate and raise awareness of the importance of all types of forests. Countries are encouraged to undertake local, national and international efforts to organize activities involving forests and trees, such as tree planting campaigns.

6. What was a group of villages called during the Vedic age?

- 1). **Grama** 2). Jana 3). Vish 4). Sabha

Ans:6

During Rig-Vedic era, the basic unit of power lied within a patriarchal family (**Kula**). The head of the family was a **Kulapa**. A group of such families called **grama**, which was controlled by a village headman **Gramini**. The groups of the villages belonged to a clan (**Vis**) and many clans made a community called **Jana**.

<https://www.gktoday.in/topic/rig-vedic-polity/>

7. The Beaver is the national animal of

- 1). Mexico 2). **Canada** 3). U.S.A 4). Russia

Ans:

8. Which planet is known as the 'Red Planet'?

- 1). **Mars** 2). Venus 3). Jupiter 4). Saturn

Ans:1

Mars is a planet. It is the fourth planet from the Sun. It is the next planet beyond Earth. Mars is more than 142 million miles from the Sun. The planet is about half the size of Earth. A day on Mars is 24.6 hours. A year on Mars is 687 Earth days. Mars is known as the Red Planet. It is red because the soil looks like rusty iron. Mars has two small moons. Their names are Phobos (FOE-bohs) and Deimos (DEE-mohs).

<https://www.nasa.gov/audience/forstudents/k-4/stories/nasa-knows/what-is-mars-k4.html>

9. "Little Slam" title is associated with

- 1). Golf 2). **Tennis** 3). Billiards 4). Squash

Ans:2

The word Grand Slam is associated with which sports

The Grand Slam in tennis is the achievement of winning all four major championships in one discipline in the same calendar year, also referred to as the "Calendar-year Grand Slam" or "Calendar Grand Slam".

10. Value of $\sin 45^\circ \cos 45^\circ + \sin 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \sin 30^\circ \cos 60^\circ$ is –
 1) 2 2) 1 3) 0 4) 3/2

Ans:4. $(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) \times (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) + (\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) (\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) + (\frac{1}{2}) (\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{2}$

11. In circuits choke is preferred to resistors, because
 1). Chock coil is cheap 2). Voltage increases
 3). Energy is not wasted 4). Current increases

Ans:3

A choke coil is preferred over resistances in a.c. circuit because **a choke coil has large value of self inductance** and hence, the power dissipation is 0 for choke coil.

12. Where was the first world Sikh university set up?
 1). London 2). Paris 3). New York 4). Chicago

Ans:1

The World Sikh University, London was set up in 1997. The first Faculty of the University is named as School of Religious Studies, and the second Faculty, which was opened in October 2000, is named as Faculty of Languages. The Academic courses have been accredited by the FVG Antwerp Belgium.

13. What is the male of a hen called?
 1). Bull 2). Cock 3). Ewe 4). Chick

Ans:2

14. Name the currency of Brazil.
 1). Paseta 2). Pula 3). Kwaza 4). **the Brazilian real (BRL)**

Ans:4

15. Conversion of digital to analog signal in a monitor is done by
 1). CRT controller 2). Microprocessor 8088
 3). Shift regular 4). **DAC**

Ans:4

In electronics, a **digital-to-analog converter (DAC, D/A, D2A, or D-to-A)** is a system that converts a digital signal into an analog signal. An analog-to-digital

converter (ADC) performs the reverse function.

A digital to **analogue converter (DAC)** converts a digital signal from the computer into an electrical voltage which can be used to drive electrical equipment, for example, a stirrer motor.

16. _____ occurs when the eyeballs are too short.

- 1). Hypermetropia 2). **Myopia** 3). Astigmatism 4). Cataract

Ans:2

Short-sightedness, or **myopia**, is a very common eye condition that causes distant objects to appear blurred, while close objects can be seen clearly.

17. In summer, man with excess perspiration feels weak, because of -

- 1). **Loss of water through evaporation**
 2). Loss of salts through evaporation
 3). Loss of carbohydrates through evaporation
 4). All factors mentioned

Ans:1

18. A choke is used as a resistance in _____

- 1). **A.C circuits** 2). D.C circuits
 3). Half-wave rectifier circuits 4). Both A.C and D.C circuits

Ans:1.

Choke is used only in AC circuits. Since its inductive reactance is zero for DC current, it cannot be used in DC circuits. It absorbs very less power compared to resistance. The only loss of energy is due to hysteresis in the iron core, which is very less compared to resistance.

19. The unit for equivalent weight is -

- 1). gram 2). Kg 3). g/litre 4). **No unit**

Ans:4

The unit of equivalent weight is the atomic mass unit; the amount of a substance in grams numerically equal to the equivalent weight is called a gram equivalent.

Equivalent weight, in chemistry, the quantity of a substance that exactly reacts with, or is equal to the combining value of, an arbitrarily fixed quantity of another

substance in a particular reaction. Substances react with each other in stoichiometric, or chemically equivalent, proportions, and a common standard has been adopted. The concept of equivalent weight has been displaced by that of molar mass, which is the mass of one mole of a substance.

The equivalent weight of an element is its gram atomic weight divided by its valence (combining power). Some equivalent weights are: silver (Ag), 107.868 grams (g); magnesium (Mg), 24.312/2 g; aluminum (Al), 26.9815/3 g; and sulfur (S, in forming a sulfide), 32.064/2 g. For an element, the equivalent weight is the quantity that combines with or replaces 1.008 g of hydrogen or 7.9997 g of oxygen; or, the weight of an element that is liberated in an electrolysis (chemical reaction caused by an electric current) by the passage of 1 faraday (96,485.3321233 coulomb) of electricity.

Britannica, The Editors of Encyclopaedia. "Equivalent weight". *Encyclopedia Britannica*, 26 Mar. 2021, <https://www.britannica.com/science/equivalent-weight>. Accessed 10 September 2021.

20. $\left(\frac{256}{6561}\right)^{-1/8} = ?$
- 1) $\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{-1/8}$ 2) $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{-1/8}$ 3) $\frac{3}{2}$ 4) $\frac{9}{4}$

Ans:3.

$$\left(\frac{256}{6561}\right)^{-1/8} = \left(\frac{\sqrt[8]{2}}{\sqrt[8]{3}}\right)^{-1/8} = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{-1} = 3/2$$

21. Where was the first Commonwealth Games held?
- 1) England 2) New York 3) Berlin 4) Hamilton

Ans:4. (In Canada).

22. When the light travels from a glass slab to air, which of the following statement is true?
- 1). Velocity remains the same 2). Wavelength unchanged
3). Amplitude remains the same 4). Frequency remains the same

Ans:4

Refraction is an effect that occurs when a light wave, incident at an angle away from the **normal**, passes a boundary from one medium into another in which there is a change in velocity of the light. Light is refracted when it crosses the interface from air into glass in which it moves more slowly. Since the light speed changes at the interface, the **wavelength** of the light must change, too. The wavelength **decreases** as

the light enters the medium and the light wave changes direction.

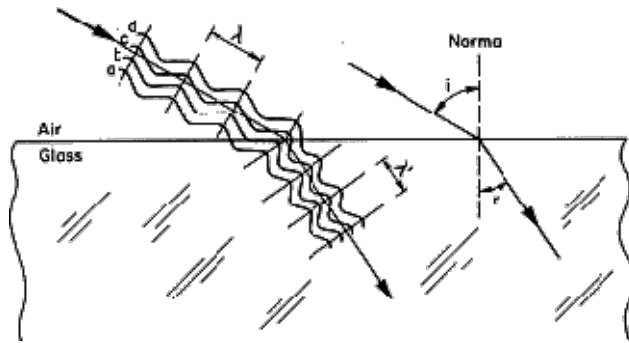


Figure. Light waves of wavelength λ_i incident on glass change direction and wavelength when transmitted into the glass.

<https://www.asu.edu/courses/phs208/patternsbb/PiN/rdg/refraction/refraction.shtml>

23. Temporary hardness of water is due to the presence of –

- 1). Nitrates of calcium and magnesium
- 2). Chlorides of calcium and magnesium
- 3). Bicarbonates of calcium and magnesium
- 4). Sulphates of

Ans:3

24. Hydrogen peroxide is stored in brown bottles because –

- 1). It is cheaper
- 2). It is a bleaching agent
- 3). It is an antiseptic
- 4). Self-oxidation and reduction is prevented

Ans: Hydrogen peroxide is a highly reactive chemical. **It is highly unstable and slowly decomposes when kept in presence of light.** Due to this reason, hydrogen peroxide should be kept in amber coloured bottles or in opaque bottles so that little or no light passes through it.

25. A hole in a p-type semiconductor is...

- | | |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| 1). An excess electron | 2). A missing electron |
| 3). A missing atom | 4). Donor level |

Ans:2

26. Which of the following substances is used for time keeping in an atomic clock?

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|------------|------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1). Cesium | 2). Helium | 3). Plutonium | 4). Nitrogen |
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35. The unit of electric field intensity is...
- 1). Volt x metre 2). Volt /joule 3). Volt x joule 4). Volt / metre

Ans:4

36. Who invented the cellphone?
- 1). Charles Wastson 2). J.Brandenberger
3). Thomas Mann 4). George Eastman

Ans:2

Jacques Edwin Brandenberger (19 October 1872 – 13 July 1954) was a Swiss chemist and textile engineer who in 1908 invented cellophane. He was awarded the Franklin Institute's Elliott Cresson Medal in 1937.

Martin Cooper, byname **Marty Cooper**, (born December 26, 1928, Chicago, Illinois, U.S.), American engineer who led the team that in 1972–73 built the first mobile cell phone and made the first cell phone call. He is widely regarded as the father of the cellular phone.

Gregersen, Erik. "Martin Cooper". *Encyclopedia Britannica*, 22 Dec. 2020, <https://www.britannica.com/biography/Martin-Coop>

37. The best material for sleeper is :
- 1). Teak. 2). Seal. 3). Pine. 4). Seesum.

Ans:1

38. Gold is 19 times as heavy as water and copper is 9 times as heavy as water. In what ratio should these be mixed to get an alloy 15 times as heavy as water?
- 1).1:1 2). 2:3 3). 1:2 4). 3:2

Ans:4

39. Which one of the following is known as Banker's cheque?
- 1). Demand Draft 2). Debit card 3). Pay order 4). Fixed deposit

Ans:1

Banker's cheque is also known as DD (Demand Draft). A Demand Draft is a non-negotiable instrument issued by the bank on the behalf of its customer. The branch that issues the cheque is different from the one that pays it.

40. What does the white colour signify in our National Flag?

liter of water is fixed as one unit of colour in platinum-cobalt scale. The ASTM has detailed description and procedures in ASTM Designation D1209, "Standard Test Method for Color of Clear Liquids (Platinum-Cobalt Scale)"

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pt/Co_scale

Color in water may result from the presence of natural metallic ions (iron and manganese), humus and peat materials, plankton, weeds, and industrial wastes. Color is removed to make a water suitable for general and industrial applications. Colored industrial wastewaters may require color removal before discharge into watercourses.

45. Hydrogen is liberated from nitric acid by the action of -

- 1). Nickel 2). Mercury 3). Magnesium 4). Copper

Ans:3

When metals react with nitric acid hydrogen gas is liberated. Nitric acid is a very strong oxidizing agent. Magnesium and manganese react with very dilute nitric acid to liberate hydrogen gas.

46. Thermos Flask was invented by –

- 1) M. Dewar 2). Daimler 3). Urey 4). None of these

Ans:1

47. A pointer is -

- 1). the address of the variable
2). an indication of the variable to be accessed next
3). a variable for storing addresses
4). the data type of an

Ans:3

A pointer is a **variable that stores a memory address**. Pointers are used to store the addresses of other variables or memory items. Pointers are very useful for another type of parameter passing, usually referred to as Pass By Address. Pointers are essential for dynamic memory allocation.

<https://www.cs.fsu.edu/~myers/c++/notes/pointers1.html>

48. Unix, DOS, Windows are examples of

- 1) Operating systems 2). Application programs
3). Word processor 4). Commercial computer brands

Ans:1

