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- Q1. Alternating current is converted to direct current
- a) By Transformer
- b) By Dynamo
- c) By Motor
- d) By Rectifier

Q2. In which one of the following cases Ohm's law is not valid?

- a) Junction diode
- b) Wire bound resistor
- c) Potentiometer
- d) Electric bulb

Q3. Graphene is frequently in news recently. What is its importance?

- It is a two-dimensional material and has good electrical conductivity.
- It is one of the thinnest but strongest materials tested so far.
- It is entirely made of silicon and has high optical transparency.
- It can be used as 'conducting electrodes' required for touch screens, LCDs and organic LEDs.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- a) 1, 2 and 4 only
- b) 1 and 2 only
- c) 3 and 4 only
- d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

- a) nuclear distances (= 10^{-15} m)
- b) charged as well as uncharged particles
- c) atomic distances (= 10^{-11} m)
- d) all the distances

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Q5. Which of the following is most suitable for the core of electromagnets?

- a) Copper-nickel alloy
- b) Soft iron
- c) Steel
- d) Air

Q6. Inverter converts

- a) direct current into alternating current
- b) current at low voltage to current at high voltage
- c) alternating current into direct current
- d) None of these

Q7. Turbines and Dyanamos are used to convert which energy to electrical energy?

- a) Mechanical energy
- b) Chemical energy
- c) Solar energy
- d) Magnetic energy

Q8. The resistance of a thin wire in comparison of a thick wire of the same material

- a) is equal
- b) depends upon the metal of the wire
- c) is low
- d) is high

Q9. Which of the following metals is used as filament in lighting bulbs?

- a) Silver
- b) Iron
- c) Molybdenum
- d) Tungsten

Q10. Which one of the following heater element is used in electric press?

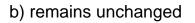
- a) Nichrome wire
- b) Lead wire
- c) Copper wire
- d) Iron wire

Q11. Which of the following is the best insulator of electricity?

- a) Paper
- b) Graphite
- c) Carbon
- d) Ebonite

Q12. When a semiconductor is heated, its resistance

a) increases



- c) decreases
- d) either (b) or (c)



- Q13. The potential barrier, in the depletion layer, is due to
- a) holes
- b) electrons
- c) ions
- d) both (b) and (c)

Q14. A magnetic needle is kept in a non-uniform magnetic field. It experiences

- a) a force but not a torque
- b) neither a force nor a torque
- c) a torque but not a force
- d) a force and a torque

Q15. In extrinsic semiconductors

- a) the gap between conduction band and valence band is more than 16 eV
- b) the gap between conduction band and valence band is near about 1 eV
- c) the conduction band and valence band overlap
- d) the gap between conduction band and valence band will be 100 eV and more

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Answers to the above questions :

Q1. Answer: (d)

Q2. Answer: (a)

Q3. Answer: (a)

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Q4. Answer: (d)

Coulomb's law is true for all distances small and large.

Hence it is called a long range force.

Q5. Answer: (b)

Soft iron is highly ferromagnetic.

Q6. Answer: (a)

Inverter converts a.c. into d.c.

Q7. Answer: (a)
Q8. Answer: (d)
Q9. Answer: (d)
Q10. Answer: (c)
Q11. Answer: (d) Ebonite is the best insulator.
Q12. Answer: (c)
Q13. Answer: (c)
Q14. Answer: (d)

A magnetic needle kept in non uniform magnetic field experience a force and torque due to unequal forces acting on poles.

Q15. Answer: (b)

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