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1. Relation between wave velocity(v), frequency (n) and wavelength (λ) is:

- a) $v = n\lambda$
- b) $v = \frac{n}{\lambda}$
- c) $v = \frac{\lambda}{n}$
- d) $v = n^2\lambda$



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2. The general equation of simple harmonic progressive wave is :

- a) $y = a \sin \frac{\pi}{\lambda} (vt - x)$

- b) $y = a \sin \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} (vt - x)$

- c) $y = a \sin \frac{\pi}{2\lambda} (vt - x)$

- d) $y = a \sin \frac{3\pi}{\lambda} (vt - x)$

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- 3. The energy of progressive wave is :
- a) Partly kinetic
- b) Partly potential
- c) Partly kinetic and partly potential
- d) Neither kinetic nor potential



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• 4. Velocity of transverse waves along stretched string is:

- a) $v = \frac{T}{m}$
- b) $v = \frac{m}{T}$
- c) $v = \sqrt{\frac{m}{T}}$
- d) $v = \sqrt{\frac{T}{m}}$



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- 5. When a simple harmonic progressive wave is propagated through a medium, the displacement of a particle in cm at any instant is given by

- $y = 10 \sin \frac{2\pi}{100} (36000t - 20)$ Then amplitude of wave is:

- a) 100cm
- b) 20 cm
- c) 36000cm
- d) 10cm

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• 6. The fundamental frequency of vibration of stretched string is:

• a) $n = \frac{1}{2l} \sqrt{\frac{T}{m}}$

• b) $n = \frac{1}{l} \sqrt{\frac{T}{m}}$

• c) $n = \frac{1}{3l} \sqrt{\frac{T}{m}}$

• d) $n = \frac{1}{4l} \sqrt{\frac{T}{m}}$



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- 7. Progressive wave can transfer:
 - a) Only matter
 - b) Only energy
 - c) Both energy and matter
 - d) Neither energy nor matter



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- 8. The period of vibration of stretched string is:
 - a) $T = l \sqrt{\frac{m}{T}}$
 - b) $T = 2l \sqrt{\frac{m}{T}}$
 - c) $T = 3l \sqrt{\frac{m}{T}}$
 - d) $T = 4l \sqrt{\frac{m}{T}}$



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- 9. The relation between particle velocity (U) and wave velocity (v) is:
 - a) $U = -v\left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)$
 - b) $U = -v^2\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)$
 - c) $U = -v\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)$
 - d) None of above is correct



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• 10. Differential equation of wave motion is:

- a) $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = v^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dt^2}$
- b) $\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = v^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$
- c) $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = v \frac{dy}{dt}$
- d) $\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = v \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$



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• 11. In stationary waves the distance between two adjacent nodes is:

- a) λ
- b) $\frac{\lambda}{4}$
- c) $\frac{\lambda}{2}$
- d) $\frac{\lambda}{3}$



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- 12. In stationary waves, nodes are the points of ...
 - a) Maximum displacement
 - b) Adequate displacement
 - c) Moderate displacement
 - d) Zero displacement



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- 13. In stationary waves, amplitude of vibration graduallyfrom
 - Node to antinode
 - a) Decreases
 - b) Increases
 - c) Remains same
 - d) None of above is correct



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• 14. When waves are setup in a fluid, the excess of pressure is given by:

• a) $p = -E \frac{dy}{dx}$

• b) $p = -E \frac{dy}{dt}$

• c) $p = -E \frac{d^2y}{dt^2}$

• d) $p = -E \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$



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- 15. In a stationary wave at antinodes:
 - a) Change in Pressure and density is greater than normal
 - b) Change in Pressure and density is less than normal
 - c) No change in pressure and density
 - d) All above are correct



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- 16. Which of the following statement about stationary waves is/are correct.?
 - a) Stationary waves transfer energy through the medium
 - b) Stationary waves do not transfer energy through the medium
 - c) Stationary waves continuously travel in a specific direction
 - d) Stationary waves are progressive waves



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- 17. The total energy per wavelength in stationary wave is that in progressive wave.
 - a) Equal
 - b) Half
 - c) Double
 - d) Quarter



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- 18. Stationary waves are formed in a medium such that the distance between two successive nodes is found to be 0.8cm. What is the distance between two successive antinodes?
- a) 0.8cm
- b) 0.4cm
- c) 1.6cm
- d) 0.2cm



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- 19. In a stationary wave at nodes, the velocity of particle is:
 - a) Maximum
 - b) Always Zero
 - c) Never Zero
 - d) Between Zero and maximum



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- 20. $y = 2a \cos \frac{2\pi x}{\lambda} \sin \frac{2\pi vt}{\lambda}$ is the equation of ...
- a) Stationary waves
- b) Progressive waves
- c) Beats
- d) None of above



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- 21. Resonance is the
- a) Special case of free damped vibration
- b) Special case of free undamped vibration
- c) Special case of forced vibration
- d) None of above correct



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- 22. If pendulum is displaced in vacuum, its amplitude of oscillation:
 - a) Gradually decreases with time
 - b) Remains constant
 - c) Gradually increases with time
 - d) Initially increases then decreases



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- 23 When a body is maintained in a state of vibration by a periodic force, the type of vibration is:
 - a) Forced vibration
 - b) Free damped vibration
 - c) Free undamped vibration
 - d) None of above correct



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- 24. The existence of damping can..
- a) Decreases in amplitude
- b) Increases in amplitude
- c) Maintain constant in amplitude
- d) None of above are correct



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- 25 At resonance amplitude of oscillation is
- a) Zero
- b) Minimum
- c) In between zero and maximum
- d) Maximum



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• 26. The differential equation of free undamped vibration is:

• a) $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} - n^2y = 0$

• b) $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 2k \frac{dy}{dt} + n^2y = 0$

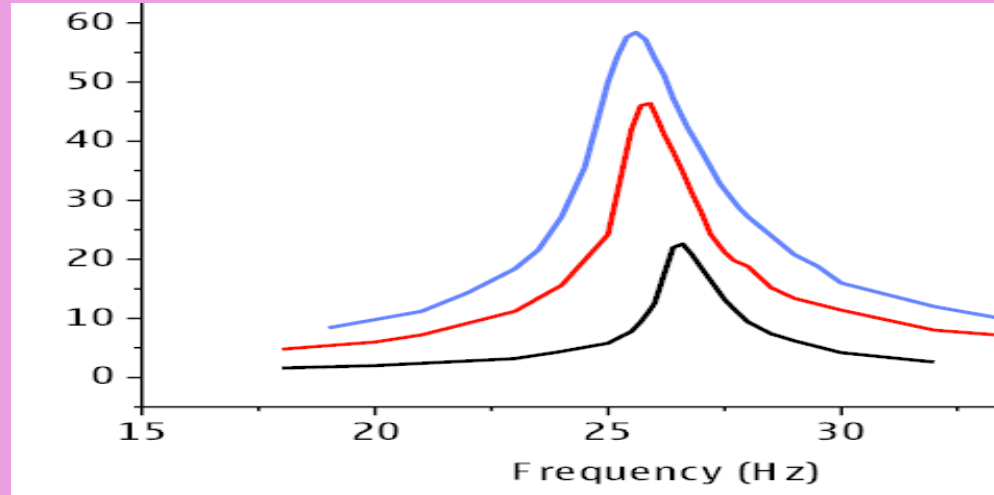
• c) $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + n^2y = 0$

• d) $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 2k \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$



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27. In a given figure, sharpness of resonance is maximum for



- a) Red curve (Middle curve)
- b) Black curve (Lower curve)
- c) Blue curve (Upper curve)
- d) All curves have equal sharpness



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- 28. Persistence of sound even after the source has stopped is known as:
 - a) Resonance
 - b) Absorption coefficient
 - c) Ultrasonic
 - d) Reverberation



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- 29. Reverberation time should have
- a) Very much lower value
- b) Optimum value
- c) Very high value
- d) None of above correct



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- 30. The phenomenon in which frequency of free vibration is exactly equal to frequency of forced vibration is known as:
 - a) Free vibration
 - b) Damped vibration
 - c) Forced vibration
 - d) Resonance



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- 31. When body vibrating freely has no resistance offered to its motion, its amplitude...
 - a) Increases with time
 - b) Decreases with time
 - c) Remains constant
 - d) Initially increases then decreases



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- 32. When damping is small, resonance is :
 - a) Sharp
 - b) Flat
 - c) Zero
 - d) None of above



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- 33. Sound waves of frequency lower than the audible limit are called:
 - a) Infrasonic
 - b) Sonic
 - c) Audible
 - d) Ultrasonic
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- 34. Ultrasonic waves can be produced by:
- a) Galton Whistle Method
- b) Magnetostriction Oscillator
- c) Piezoelectric oscillator
- d) By all above method



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- 35. The velocity of ultrasonic waves through liquid and gases at various temperature is measured by:
 - a) Acoustic grating
 - b) Magnetostriction Oscillator
 - c) Piezoelectric oscillator
 - d) By all above method



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• 36. Sabine's reverberation time formula is:

• a) $t_1 = \frac{\sum \alpha A}{0.158V}$

• b) $t_1 = \frac{\sum \alpha A}{1.58V}$

• c) $t_1 = \frac{0.158V}{\sum \alpha A}$

• d) $t_1 = \frac{1.58}{\sum \alpha A}$

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- 37. Acoustics of an auditorium can be improved by:
 - a) Hanging heavy curtains
 - b) Having pictures and maps
 - c) Having few open windows
 - d) All above are correct



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- 38. The piezo electric effect is more pronounced found in crystals of:
 - a) Quartz
 - b) Tourmaline
 - c) Rochellel salt
 - d) In all above crystals



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• 39. Absorption coefficient of material is:

• a) $\alpha_2 = \frac{0.158V}{A} \left[\frac{t_1 - t_2}{t_1 t_2} \right]$

• b) $\alpha_2 = \frac{1.58V}{A} \left[\frac{t_1 - t_2}{t_1 t_2} \right]$

• c) $\alpha_2 = \frac{15.8V}{A} \left[\frac{t_1 - t_2}{t_1 t_2} \right]$

• d) $\alpha_2 = \frac{158V}{A} \left[\frac{t_1 - t_2}{t_1 t_2} \right]$



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40. The fundamental frequency of vibration of rod in piezo-electric oscillator is:

• a) $n = \frac{2l}{p} \sqrt{\frac{Y}{\rho}}$

• b) $n = \frac{l}{p} \sqrt{\frac{Y}{\rho}}$

• c) $n = \frac{p}{l} \sqrt{\frac{Y}{\rho}}$

• d) $n = \frac{p}{2l} \sqrt{\frac{Y}{\rho}}$