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**M.Tech. (ELECTRONICS)**

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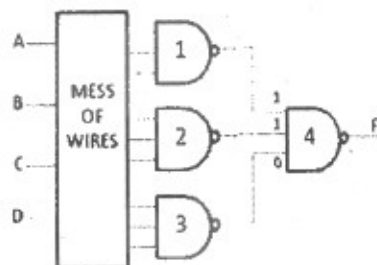
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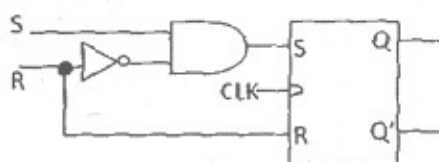
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- Each of three coins has two sides, heads and tails. Represent the heads or tails status of each coin by a logical variable (A for the first coin, B for the second coin and C for the third) where the logical variable is 1 for heads and 0 for tails. Then a logic function F (A,B,C) which is 1 iff exactly one of the coins is heads after a toss of the coins can be written in terms of a minterm expansion
  - $\sum m(1,2,4)$
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  - $\prod m(1,2,4)$
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- $BCD + C'D' + B'C'D' + CD$  is equal to
  - $(C' + D) + (C' + D' + B)$
  - $(C + D)(C' + D' + B)$
  - $(C' + D)(C + D' + B')$
  - None of the above
- The company safe should be unlocked (U) only when Mr. Jones (J) is in the office or Mr. Evans (E) is in the office, and only when the company is open for business (B), and only when the security guard (S) is present. This can be represented by a Boolean equation
  - $U = (J.E)(B + S)$
  - $U = (J + E)(B + S)$
  - $U = (J' + E) BS$
  - $U = (J + E) BS$
- If the function  $f_1(a,b,c) = m_0 + m_2 + m_5 + m_6$ . Using a Karnaugh map the minimum sum of products can be written as
  - $f = b'c + a'c' + ab'c$
  - $f = bc' + a'c' + ab'c$
  - $f = bc' + a'c' + abc'$
  - $f = bc' + a'c + ab'c$
- The circuit below was designed to implement the logic equation  $F = AB'D + BC'D' + BCD$ , but it is not working properly. The input wires to gates 1,2 and 3 are so tightly packed, it would take you a while to trace them all back to see whether inputs are correct. It would be nice to only have to trace whichever one is incorrectly wired. When  $A = B = 0$  and  $C = D = 1$ , the inputs and outputs of gate 4 are as shown. Then, which of the gates either is connected incorrectly or is malfunctioning

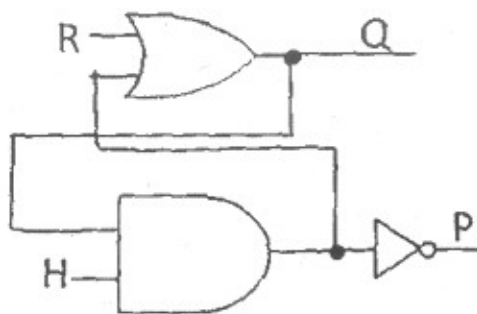


- Gate 1
- Gate 2
- Gate 3
- Gate 4

6. Flip-flop shown in figure behaves as



- (A) Reset dominant flip flop  
(B) RS flip flop  
(C) Set dominant flip flop  
(D) Master-slave flip flop
7. A latch can be constructed from an OR gate, an AND gate and an inverter connected as follows. What restriction must be placed on R and H so that P will always equal Q' under steady state conditions?



- (A)  $R = 1$  and  $H = 0$  cannot occur at the same time  
(B)  $R = 1$  and  $H = 1$  cannot occur at the same time  
(C)  $R = 0$  and  $H = 0$  cannot occur at the same time  
(D) None of the above
8.  $A'C + B'C' + AB$  is equal to
- (A)  $(A + B)'C$   
(B)  $AB + B'C' + AC'$   
(C)  $A'B' + BC + A'C$   
(D)  $A'B' + BC + AC'$
9. Binary equivalent of  $0.625_{10}$
- (A) .101  
(B) .110  
(C) .011  
(D) None of the above
10. How many switching functions of two variables (x and y) are there?
- (A) 8  
(B) 24  
(C) 16  
(D) 32

11. The Laplace transform of  $(t^2 - 2t)u(t - 1)$  is  
 (A)  $2/s^3 e^{-s} - 2/s^2 e^{-s}$  (B)  $2/s^3 e^{-2s} - 2/s^2 e^{-s}$   
 (C)  $2/s^3 e^{-s} - 1/s^2 e^{-s}$  (D) None of the above
12. The auto-correlation of the signal  $x(t) = e^{-t} u(t)$  is  
 (A)  $\frac{1}{2} e^t u(-t) + \frac{1}{2} e^t u(t)$  (B)  $\frac{1}{2} e^t + \frac{1}{2} (e^{-t} - e^t) u(t)$   
 (C)  $\frac{1}{2} e^{-t} u(-t) + \frac{1}{2} e^{-t} u(t)$  (D)  $\frac{1}{2} e^t u(-t) - \frac{1}{2} e^{-t} u(t)$
13. The energy of a signal  $n u[t]$  is  
 (A)  $n(n+1)/2$  (B)  $n(n+1)(2n+1)/6$   
 (C)  $(n(n+1)/2)^2$  (D)  $\infty$
14. The period of the function  $\cos \pi/4(t-1)$  is  
 (A)  $1/8$  s (B)  $8$  s (C)  $4$  s (D)  $1/4$  s
15. The Z-transform  $F(z)$  of  $f(nT) = a^{nT}$  is  
 (A)  $z/z-a^T$  (B)  $z/z+a^T$  (C)  $z/z-a^{-T}$  (D)  $z/z+a^{-T}$
16. A coil with large distributed capacitance has a  
 (A) High Q (B) Low Q  
 (C) Low resonant frequency (D) High resonant frequency
17. The copper armature winding of a motor is subjected to an operating temperature of  $80^\circ \text{C}$ . The room temperature is  $20^\circ \text{C}$ . The percentage change in resistance of the armature winding from cold starting condition to normal running will be nearly  
 (A) 10% (B) 16% (C) 20% (D) 24%
18. The current through an electrical conductor is 1 ampere when the temperature of the conductor is  $0^\circ \text{C}$  and 0.7 ampere when the temperature is  $100^\circ \text{C}$ . The current when the temperature of the conductor is  $1200^\circ \text{C}$  must be  
 (A) 0.08 A (B) 0.16 A (C) 0.32 A (D) 0.64 A
19. Two coils in different connection have self inductance of 2 mH and 4 mH and a mutual inductance of 0.15 mH. The equivalent inductance of the combination is  
 (A) 5.7 mH (B) 5.85 mH (C) 6 mH (D) 6.15 mH

20. At a certain current, the energy stored in iron cored coil is 1000J and its copper loss is 2000w. The time constant (in seconds) of the coil is  
 (A) 0.25 (B) 0.5 (C) 1 (D) 2
21. The actual gain of a parabolic antenna of diameter  $D = 10$  meters can be approximated by  $G = 2\pi(D/\lambda)^2$ . What is the effective area of the antenna?  
 (A)  $100 \text{ m}^2$  (B)  $75 \text{ m}^2$  (C)  $50 \text{ m}^2$  (D)  $25 \text{ m}^2$
22. A most antenna consisting of a 50 meter long vertical conductor operates over a perfectly conducting ground plane. It's base-fed at a frequency of 600 KHz. The radiation resistance of the antenna in ohms is  
 (A)  $2\pi^2/5$  (B)  $\pi^2/5$  (C)  $4\pi^2/5$  (D)  $20\pi^2$
23. Characteristic impedance of a transmission line is  $50 \Omega$ . Input impedance of the open circuited line is  $Z_{oc} = 100 + j150 \Omega$ . When the transmission line is short-circuited, then value of the input impedance will be  
 (A)  $50 \Omega$  (B)  $100 + j150 \Omega$   
 (C)  $7.69 + j11.54 \Omega$  (D)  $7.69 - j11.54 \Omega$
24. When a plane wave travelling in free-space is incident normally on a medium having  $\epsilon_r = 4$ , then fraction of power transmitted into the medium is given by  
 (A)  $8/9$  (B)  $1/2$  (C)  $1/3$  (D)  $5/6$
25. A rectangular waveguide having TE<sub>10</sub> mode as dominant mode is having a cut-off frequency of 18 GHz for the TE<sub>30</sub> mode. The inner broad-wall dimension of the rectangular waveguide is  
 (A)  $5/3 \text{ cm}$  (B)  $5 \text{ cm}$  (C)  $5/2 \text{ cm}$  (D)  $10 \text{ cm}$
26. In a two-element series circuit, the applied voltage and the resulting current are respectively  $v(t) = 50 + 50 \sin(5 \times 10^3 t)$  V and  $i(t) = 11.2 \sin(5 \times 10^3 t + 63.4^\circ)$  A. The nature of the element would be  
 (A) L-L (B) R-C  
 (C) L-C (D) Neither R nor L nor C
27. Give two coupled inductors  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ , their mutual inductance  $M$  satisfies  
 (A)  $M = \sqrt{L_1^2 + L_2^2}$  (B)  $M > \frac{(L_1 + L_2)}{2}$  (C)  $M > \sqrt{L_1 L_2}$  (D)  $M \leq \sqrt{L_1 L_2}$

28. A voltage waveform  $v(t) = 12t^2$  is applied across a  $1\text{H}$  inductor for  $t \geq 0$ , with initial current through it being zero. The current through the inductor for  $t \geq 0$ , is given by  
 (A)  $12t$  (B)  $24t$  (C)  $12t^3$  (D)  $4t^3$
29. A series R-L-C circuit has  $R = 50\ \Omega$ ,  $L = 100\ \mu\text{F}$  and  $C = 1\ \mu\text{F}$ . The lower half power frequency of the circuit is  
 (A)  $30.55\ \text{KHz}$  (B)  $51.92\ \text{KHz}$  (C)  $3.055\ \text{KHz}$  (D)  $1.92\ \text{KHz}$
30. The power in a series R-L-C circuit will be half of that at resonance when the magnitude of the current is equal to  
 (A)  $V/2R$  (B)  $V/3R$  (C)  $V/\sqrt{2}R$  (D)  $\sqrt{2}V/R$
31. A voltage  $v(t) = 6e^{-2t}$  is applied at  $t = 0$  to series R-L circuit with  $L = 1\text{H}$ . If  $i(t) = 6[\exp(-2t) - \exp(-3t)]$  then  $R$  will have a value of  
 (A)  $2/3\ \Omega$  (B)  $1\ \Omega$  (C)  $3\ \Omega$  (D)  $1/3\ \Omega$
32. The value of current at resonance in a series RLC circuits is affected by the value of  
 (A)  $R$  (B)  $C$  (C)  $L$  (D) All of these
33. The thevenin resistance of the network comprising of a resistor of  $1\ \Omega$  in series with a parallel combination of a current source of  $2\text{A}$  and a resistor of  $1\ \Omega$  through which  $1\text{A}$  of current flow is  
 (A)  $2$  (B)  $0.5$  (C)  $4/3$  (D)  $1$
34. A ramp voltage  $v(t) = 100t$  volts, is applied to an RC differentiating circuit with  $R = 5\ \text{K}\ \Omega$  and  $C = 4\ \mu\text{F}$ . The maximum output voltage is  
 (A)  $0.2\ \text{V}$  (B)  $2\ \text{V}$  (C)  $10\ \text{V}$  (D)  $50\ \text{V}$
35. Two 2-port networks are connected in cascade. The combination is to be represented as a single two-port network. The parameters of the network are obtained by multiplying the individual  
 (A) Z-parameter (B) h-parameter  
 (C) y-parameter (D) ABCD-parameter
36. Evaluate  $\int_1^9 \sqrt{x} \ln(x) dx$   
 (A)  $28$  (B)  $0.444$  (C)  $\frac{2}{3}\sqrt{9^3} \ln(9)$  (D)  $25.5$

37. Calculate the linear correlation coefficient for the data points

10	20	30	40	50	60	70
0.22	0.40	0.61	0.85	1.20	1.45	1.70

- (A) 0.99633                      (B) 0.91919                      (C) 0.99268                      (D) 0.82900
38. Consider the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{when } x \text{ is irrational,} \\ -1 & \text{when } x \text{ is rational.} \end{cases}$
- (A) The function is differentiable everywhere  
 (B) The function is continuous everywhere  
 (C) The function is discontinuous at all rational points  
 (D) The function is continuous but not differentiable at rational points
39. Consider a right angled triangle whose hypotenuse is  $h$  and base is  $x$ . For what value of  $x$ , the area of the triangle will be a maximum?
- (A)  $x = \sqrt{3} h/2$                       (B)  $x = h/\sqrt{2}$                       (C)  $x = h^2/4$                       (D)  $x = h^2/\sqrt{2}$
40. Which one of the following statements is true?
- (A) The eigenvalues of skew-hermitian matrix cannot be zero  
 (B) A symmetric square matrix cannot be always diagonalizable.  
 (C) The eigenvectors corresponding to distinct eigenvalues are not linearly independent.  
 (D) The eigenvalues of Hermitian matrix are real.
41. The differential equation  $\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right| + |y| + c = 0, c > 0$
- (A) Has no solution                      (B) Has only one trivial solution  
 (C) Does not have a unique solution                      (D) Has a unique solution
42. The Laplace transform of  $\left[ \frac{\sin(wt)}{t} \right]$  is equal to
- (A)  $\cot^{-1}(s/w)$                       (B)  $\tan^{-1}(s/w)$                       (C)  $\cot^{-1}(w/s)$                       (D)  $\tan^{-1}(w/s)$

43. Let the complex number  $z = u + iv$ . Then, the Cauchy-Riemann equations in polar coordinates are

- (A)  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = r \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta}$ , and  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r}$       (B)  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = r \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$ , and  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$   
 (C)  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta}$ , and  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} = r \frac{\partial u}{\partial r}$       (D)  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial r}$ , and  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = r \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$

44. The residue at  $z = \infty$  of the complex function  $f(z) = z^3 \cos\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)$  is

- (A) Zero      (B) One      (C) Infinity      (D) -1

45. The Wronskian of the functions  $e^x, e^{2x}, e^{3x}$  is equal to

- (A)  $e^{6x}$       (B)  $6e^{2x}$       (C)  $2e^{6x}$       (D)  $2e^{3x}$

46. A 90kHz bandwidth is to accommodate 6 Am broadcasts simultaneously. What maximum modulating frequency must each station be limited to?

- (A) 1500 Hz      (B) 5500 Hz      (C) 7500 Hz      (D) 3500 Hz

47. What function is served by the limiter in an FM receiver?

- (A) to remove the noise variation      (B) to remove frequency variation  
 (C) to remove amplitude variation      (D) to remove interference signal

48. Due to refraction of TV signal in troposphere, the range

- (A) increases      (B) decreases  
 (C) may increase or decrease      (D) remains unaffected.

49. Which of the following represents the noise figure?

- (A)  $\frac{S_i/N_i}{S_o/N_o}$       (B)  $\frac{S_o/N_o}{S_i/N_i}$       (C)  $\frac{S_o/N_o}{\sqrt{S_i/N_i}}$       (D)  $\frac{S_i/N_i}{\sqrt{S_o/N_o}}$

50. The order of error in the Simpson's rule for numerical integration with a step size is

- (A)  $h$       (B)  $h^2$       (C)  $h^3$       (D)  $h^4$

51. Phase margin of a system is used to specify

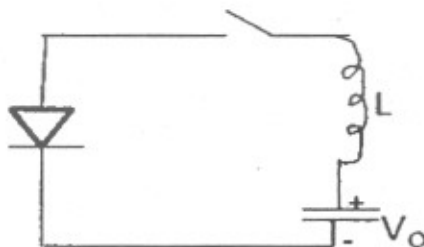
- (A) frequency response      (B) time response  
 (C) relative stability      (D) absolute stability



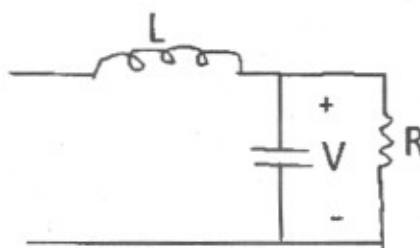
52. A system has poles at -1 and -5 and zeros at 1 and -2 the system is  
 (A) marginally stable (B) highly stable  
 (C) unstable (D) stable
53. The Bode plot of the transfer function  $G(s)=s$   
 (A) constant magnitude and constant phase shift angle  
 (B) -20 dB/decade and constant phase shift angle  
 (C) 20 dB/decade and phase shift of  $\pi/2$   
 (D) zero magnitude and phase shift
54. An instruction used to the carry flag in a computer can be classified as  
 (A) data transfer (B) arithmetic  
 (C) logical (D) program control
55. The number of memory cycles required to execute the 8085 instruction LDA 3000H would be  
 (A) 4 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 5
56. The length of Program Counter of 8085 microprocessor is  
 (A) 16 bits (B) 6 bits (C) 8 bits (D) 12 bits
57. The following program starts at location 0100H.  
 LXI SP, 00FF  
 LXI H, 0701  
 MVI A, 20H  
 SUB M  
 The content of accumulator when the program counter reaches 0109H is  
 (A) .20H (B) .02H (C) .00H (D) .FFH
58. Modern computer possess  
 (A) decimal numbers (B) hexadecimal numbers  
 (C) digits and strings (D) binary numbers

59. Flowchart is a diagrammatic representation
- (A) indicating the events occurring in the logical sequence and showing the inter-relation between them
  - (B) indicating the events of physical system
  - (C) of a chart indicating the flow of process
  - (D) any of the above
60. Who is regarded as a father of computer?
- (A) Pascal
  - (B) Charles Babbage
  - (C) John Napier
  - (D) Abacus
61. Flag bits in arithmetic unit provide which of the following?
- (A) Facilities for re-check
  - (B) Repeatability
  - (C) Status type information
  - (D) All of the above.
62. The limitation of e-beam lithography is
- (A) less resolution
  - (B) less throughput
  - (C) less current densities
  - (D) none of the above
63. The disadvantage of Ion Implantation is
- (A) high vacuum conditions
  - (B) high temperature
  - (C) expensive
  - (D) none of the above
64. NMOS is preferred than PMOS
- (A) high switching speed
  - (B) less power dissipation
  - (C) high package density
  - (D) all the above
65. The open loop transfer function of a feedback control system is  $G(s) = K/s^2(1+s)$
- (A) type zero system
  - (B) type-1 system
  - (C) type-2 system
  - (D) type-3 system

66. A diode circuit with an LC load is shown in Figure with the capacitor having an initial voltage of  $V_0 = 220\text{V}$ , Capacitance =  $20\ \mu\text{F}$  and inductance  $L = 80\ \mu\text{H}$ . If switch is closed at  $t = 0$ , then the peak current through the diode and the conducting time of a diode is



- (A) 110 A, 125.66 s                      (B) 110A, 125.66 ms  
(C) 110 A, 125.66 minutes              (D) 100 A, 125.66  $\mu\text{s}$
67. The lowering of the energy barrier at the cathode because of the positive gradient of potential at cathode is commonly known as
- (A) Skin effect                              (B) Johnson effect  
(C) Avalanch mechanism                  (D) Schotkky effect
68. An operational amplifier having a slew rate of  $2\text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ . The maximum closed loop voltage gain that can be used when the input single varies by  $0.5\text{ V}$  in  $10\ \mu\text{s}$  is
- (A) 20                      (B) 30                      (C) 40                      (D) 50
69. An LC filter shown in figure is used to reduce the ripple constant of the output voltage for a single phase full wave rectifier. The nth harmonic ripple current to pass through the filter capacitor, the load impedance must be \_\_\_\_\_ that of the capacitor

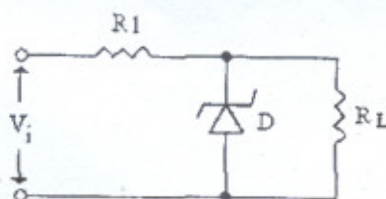


- (A) Much greater than                      (B) Much lower than  
(C) Equal to                                  (D) None of the above
70. A capacitive transducer is made up of two capacitive cylindrical electrodes. The outer diameter of the inner cylinder electrode is  $3\text{ mm}$  and the dielectric medium is air. The inner diameter of electrode is  $3.1\text{ mm}$ . The dielectric stress when a voltage of  $100\text{ V}$  is applied across electrode is
- (A)  $2\text{ kV}/\text{hour}$               (B)  $2\text{ kV}/\text{min}$               (C)  $2\text{ kV}/\text{sec}$               (D)  $2\text{ kV}/\text{m}$

71. For a practical amplifier, the overall gain is greater if the internal resistance of the signal source is
- (A) Small (B) High  
(C) Infinite (D) None of the above
72. The \_\_\_\_\_ feedback circuit is used to decrease gain and increases both the input and output impedance of the amplifier
- (A) Voltage series (B) Current series  
(C) Voltage shunt (D) Current shunt
73. A bipolar junction transistor has beta ( $\beta$ ) value of 62, then alpha ( $\alpha$ ) is given by
- (A) 0.0984 (B) 9.84  
(C) 0.984 (D) Data is not enough
74. The frequency of oscillation of three stage ladder network oscillator in which  $C = 10 \text{ nF}$  &  $R = 10 \text{ k } \Omega$  is
- (A) 674 kHz (B) 647 kHz (C) 674 Hz (D) 647 Hz
75. The amplifier utilizes n-channel FET for which  $V_p = -2.0 \text{ V}$ ,  $g_{m0} = 1.6 \text{ mA/V}$  &  $I_{DSS} = 1.65 \text{ mA}$ . It is designed to bias the circuit at  $I_D = 0.8 \text{ mA}$  using  $V_{DD} = 24 \text{ V}$ . Assume  $r_d \gg R_d$ , then  $V_{GS}$  is equal to
- (A) -0.62 V (B) 0.62 V (C) -6.2 V (D) 6.2 V
76. Hysteresis is desirable in Schmitt-trigger, because
- (A) energy is to be stored/discharged in parasitic capacitances  
(B) effects of temperature would be compensated  
(C) devices in the circuit should be allowed time for saturation and desaturation  
(D) it would prevent noise from causing false triggering
77. The control terminal (pin5) of 555 timer IC is normally connected to ground through a capacitor ( $\sim 0.01 \text{ } \mu\text{F}$ ). This is to
- (A) protect the IC from inadvertent application of high voltage  
(B) prevent false triggering by noise coupled onto the pin  
(C) convert the trigger input to sharp pulse by differentiation  
(D) suppress any negative triggering pulse



78. The reverse – saturation current of a silicon diode
- (A) doubles for every  $10^{\circ}\text{C}$  increase in temperature
  - (B) does not change with temperature
  - (C) halves for every  $1^{\circ}\text{C}$  decrease in temperature
  - (D) increases by 1.5 times for every  $2^{\circ}\text{C}$  increment in temperature
79. Wien bridge oscillator can typically generate frequencies in the range of
- (A) 1 KHz – 1 MHz
  - (B) 1 MHz – 10 MHz
  - (C) 10 MHz – 100 MHz
  - (D) 100 MHz – 150 MHz
80. In the voltage regulator shown below, if the current through the load decreases,

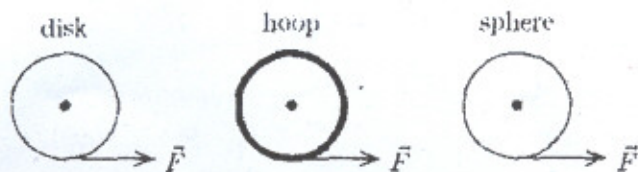


- (A) The current through  $R1$  will increase
  - (B) The current through  $R1$  will decrease
  - (C) Zener diode current will increase
  - (D) Zener diode current will decrease
81. The main advantage of a crystal oscillator is that its output is
- (A) 50Hz to 60Hz
  - (B) variable frequency
  - (C) d.c
  - (D) a constant frequency
82. Just as a voltage amplifier amplifies signal-voltage, a power amplifier
- (A) Merely converts the dc power into useful ac power
  - (B) Amplifies power
  - (C) Amplifies signal current
  - (D) Merely converts the signal ac power into the dc power
83. The forward characteristic of a diode has a slope of approximately  $50\text{mA/V}$  at a desired point. The approximate incremental resistance of the diode is
- (A)  $50\ \Omega$
  - (B)  $35\ \Omega$
  - (C)  $20\ \Omega$
  - (D)  $10\ \Omega$
84. The width of depleted region of a PN junction is of the order of a few tenths of a
- (A) Millimeter
  - (B) Meter
  - (C) Nanometer
  - (D) Micrometer

85. The important characteristic of emitter-follower is  
 (A) high input impedance and high output impedance  
 (B) high input impedance and low output impedance  
 (C) low input impedance and low output impedance  
 (D) low input impedance and high output impedance
86. A straight horizontal length of copper wire has a current  $i=28$  A through it. The mass per unit length of copper is  $46.6 \text{ gm}^{-1}$ . What is magnitude of the magnetic field  $B$  needed to suspend the wire in air (that is to balance gravitational force on it)?  
 (A) 0.16 T  
 (B) 28 times the strength of earth's magnetic field  
 (C) 0.28 T  
 (D)  $1.6 \times 10^{-2}$  T
87. The moment of inertia  $I$  of a solid sphere of mass  $M$  and radius  $R$  about any diameter is  
 (A)  $I = \frac{2}{3}MR^2$  (B)  $I = \frac{1}{2}MR^2$  (C)  $I = MR^2$  (D)  $I = \frac{2}{5}MR^2$
88. A uniform solid cylindrical disk of mass  $M=1.4$  kg and radius  $R=8.5$  cm rolls smoothly across a horizontal table at a speed of  $15 \text{ cm s}^{-1}$ . The kinetic energy  $K$  of the disk is  
 (A)  $K = .01575$  (B)  $K = 157.5 \text{ J}$  (C)  $K = 0.24 \text{ J}$  (D)  $K = 0.024 \text{ J}$
89. The potential energy of a particle in a field is of the form  $U(r) = \left( \frac{a}{r^2} - \frac{b}{r} \right)$  where the constants are  $a>0$  and  $b>0$  and  $r$  is the distance of the particle from the center of the field. The maximum force is  
 (A)  $F_{\max} = \frac{b^3}{27a^2}$  and is repulsive (B)  $F_{\max} = \frac{b^3}{27a^2}$  and is attractive  
 (C)  $F_{\max} = \frac{b^2}{27a^2}$  and is repulsive (D)  $F_{\max} = \frac{b^2}{27a^2}$  and is attractive

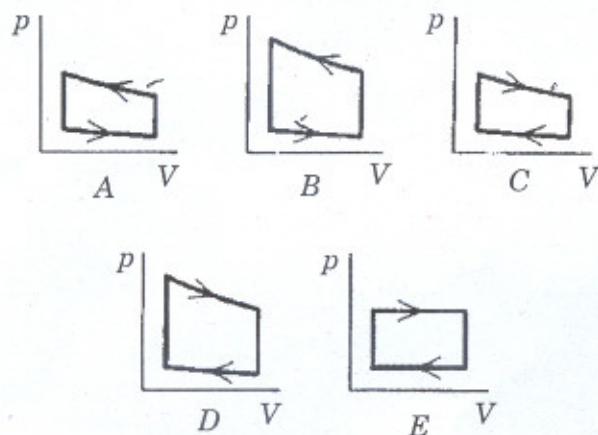


90. A uniform disk, a thin hoop and a uniform sphere, all with the same mass and same outer radius, are each free to rotate about a fixed axis through its center (see below figure). Assume the hoop is connected to the rotation axis by light spokes. With the objects starting from rest, identical forces are simultaneously applied to the rims, as shown. Rank the objects according to their angular acceleration, least to greatest



- (A) Disk, hoop, sphere  
(B) Hoop, disk, sphere  
(C) Hoop, sphere, disk  
(D) Disk, sphere, hoop
91. Two ideal monoatomic gases are in thermal equilibrium with each other. Gas A is composed of molecules with mass  $m$  while gas B is composed of molecules with mass  $4m$ . The ratio of the average molecular speeds  $v_A/v_B$  is
- (A)  $\frac{1}{4}$                       (B)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (C) 2                      (D) 1
92. The pressure of an ideal gas is doubled in an isothermal process. The root-mean-square speed of the molecules
- (A) Increase by a factor of  $\sqrt{2}$                       (B) Does not change  
(C) Decrease by a factor of  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$                       (D) Increase by a factor of 2
93. The Maxwellian speed distribution provides a direct explanation of
- (A) Evaporation                      (B) Boiling  
(C) Thermal expansion                      (D) Ideal gas law
94. The molar mass of a certain gas is  $32 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ . The root mean square speed  $v_{rms}$  of the gas at  $30^\circ\text{C}$  is
- (A)  $483 \text{ ms}^{-1}$                       (B)  $4.83 \text{ ms}^{-1}$                       (C)  $152.92 \text{ ms}^{-1}$                       (D)  $4830 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

95. A thermal neutron has a speed  $v$  that corresponds to room temperature  $T = 300 \text{ K}$ . What is the deBroglie wavelength of thermal neutron?
- (A)  $1.4 \text{ nm}$  (B)  $14 \text{ nm}$  (C)  $0.4 \text{ \AA}$  (D)  $1.4 \text{ \AA}$
96. Calculate Compton wavelength for a proton whose rest mass is  $938.3 \text{ MeV}$ .
- (A)  $1320 \text{ \AA}$  (B)  $4860 \text{ \AA}$  (C)  $1.32 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}$  (D)  $0.1726 \text{ \AA}$
97. Calculate the momentum of a photon whose wavelength is  $10 \text{ \AA}$
- (A)  $0 \text{ kg ms}^{-1}$  (B)  $1.24 \times 10^{-34} \text{ kg ms}^{-1}$   
(C)  $1.24 \text{ MeV/c}$  (D)  $4.14 \times 10^3 \text{ MeV/c}$
98. Half wave plate will introduce a phase difference of \_\_\_\_\_ between ordinary and extraordinary waves
- (A)  $180^\circ$  (B)  $90^\circ$  (C)  $270^\circ$  (D)  $360^\circ$
99. Diffraction of light can be understood by
- (A) Wave nature of light (B) Particle nature of light  
(C) Both (A) and (B) (D) None of the above
100. The pressure vs. volume graphs for a certain gas undergoing five different cyclic processes shown in Figure. During which cycle (s) does the gas do the greatest positive



- (A) Processes B and D (B) Processes A and C  
(C) Process D (D) Process E