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Exam Name : ST - SA - E	ELECTRICAL Exam Timin	g: 28/08/2022 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM
	Note: Questions answered are highlighted	vith selection
1 If A=10V R is		3 Amp. As shown in circuit below, the value o
	+ C - I = 3.0 A	B -
2/3 8/3 (Correct 11/3 17/3	ect Answer)	
2 What is admit	ttance in a RLC series <mark>circuit at resonance?</mark>	
Minimum Maximum Zero Fluctuating	(Correct Answer)	
3 What is the ele	lectronic configuration of Sodium?	
1s <sup>2</sup> 2s <sup>2</sup> 2p <sup>6</sup> 3s <sup>1</sup>	(Correct Answer)	
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$\bigcirc$ 1s <sup>2</sup> 2s <sup>1</sup> 2p <sup>6</sup> 3p <sup>2</sup>		
4 What is the pu	urpose of the lamination of armature for a DC ger	erator?
reduce the provide the insulate the	e bulk	
reduce edd	dy current loss (Correct Answer)	
5 Flux created b	by current flows through the primary winding. It in	duces emf in .

only the primary windingonly the secondary windingonly the transformer core



	both the primary and secondary winding (Correct Answer)
6	The power factor of an AC circuit is equal to
	Unity for a reactive circuit Sine of the phase angle Unity for a resistive circuit Cosine of the phase angle (Correct Answer)
7	For a DC voltage, an inductor
	<ul> <li>is virtually a short circuit (Correct Answer)</li> <li>is an open circuit</li> <li>depends on polarity</li> <li>depends on voltage value</li> </ul>
8	The Z <sub>22</sub> parameter of the circuit shown below is:
	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
9	S S+1 S+2 S+3 (Correct Answer)  When is a current said to be a direct current?
	When its direction changes with time When its magnitude changes with time When its magnitude and direction changes with time When its magnitude remains constant with time (Correct Answer)
10	What is the time constant of R-L circuit?
	unity R/L L/R (Correct Answer) LR
11	The force of gravity
	is same at all places. increases with increasing altitude. decreases with increasing altitude. (Correct Answer) All of the above
12	At what power factor will the transformer efficiency be maximum?
	0.8 leading 0.8 lagging 0.5 leading or lagging

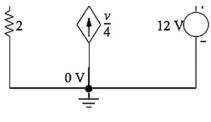


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resultant current flowing in the circuit?

Will Decrease (Correct Answer)

Will Increase



	0 V
	<del>-</del>
	-0 V -4 V -6 V -8 V (Correct Answer)
14	Under the condition of resonance, series RLC circuit behaves as a
	<ul> <li>Purely resistive circuit. (Correct Answer)</li> <li>Purely inductive circuit.</li> <li>Capacitive circuit.</li> <li>Reactive circuit.</li> </ul>
15	The amount of charge which will flow through a metallic wire in 1 hour when a constant current of 0.4 ampere is following through it is
	● 1440 C (Correct Answer) ○ 2880 C ○ 720 C ○ 3600 C
16	How much energy is stored by a 5µF capacitor with a voltage of 500V?
	0.025J 0.625J (Correct Answer) 1.25J 0.25J
17	What is the terminal voltage of a battery that expends 1100 joules of energy to move 155 coulombs of charge around an electrical circuit?
	28.4 14.2 7.1 (Correct Answer) 56.8
18	In what units is the rating of fuse wire always expressed?
	Volts Amperes (Correct Answer) Ampere-volts Ampere hours
19	A small sudden drop in supply voltage in a DC series motor would result in
	Rise in current (Correct Answer)  Drop in current  No change in current  Can't say

In an electrical circuit, practical ammeter (with finite internal resistance) is inserted. What happens to the

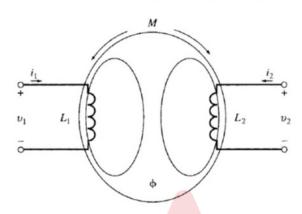




	Vvalu  Volt- Ampere reactive (Correct Answer)  Ohm
22	If two resistors are connected in series then
	<ul> <li>Equal amount of current flows through each resistor (Correct Answer)</li> <li>Equal amount of voltage drop occurs through each resistor</li> <li>Unequal amount of current flows through each resistor</li> <li>Equivalent resistance will be lesser than individual resistor.</li> </ul>
23	A current of 50 mA flows through a series circuit consisting of a 0.6µF capacitor and a resistor in series with a 10 kHz, 250 V ac source. What is the total circuit impedance?
	100Ω 500Ω 5 k Ω (Correct Answer) 5 MΩ
24	The frequency of DC supply is
	1 Hz 50 Hz Zero Hz (Correct Answer) 100 Hz
25	For the magnetic circuit given below, if $I_1$ = 4 A, $N_1$ =4, $I_2$ =2A, $N_2$ = 2 and $N_3$ = 2 then $I_3$ =
	○ 2A
	<ul><li>4A</li><li>6A (Correct Answer)</li><li>8A</li></ul>
26	The input of an ac circuit having power factor of 0.7 lagging is 28 kVA. The power drawn by the circuit is kW.
	0.6
	24
	9.8 19.6 (Correct Answer)
27	For periodic even function, the trigonometric Fourier series contains
	only sine terms
	only cosine terms (Correct Answer)
	cosine terms and constant
	sine terms and constant



M is the mutual inductance between the two coils having self-inductance  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  as show in the circuit. the value of output voltage  $v_2$  is given by......



$$v_2 = L_2 \, rac{di_2}{dt} + \, M rac{di_1}{dt} \,$$
 (Correct Answer)

$$v_2 = L_1 \frac{di_2}{dt} + M \frac{di_1}{dt}$$

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- Determine the mechanical advantage of a lever in which the effort arm is 36 cm and the load arm is 1.6 cm.
  - \_ 45
  - 12
  - 22.5 (Correct Answer)
  - 90
- 30 Which one of the following symbols represents a "Independent current source"?









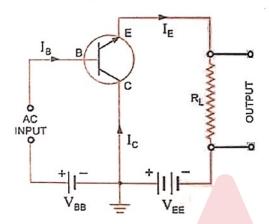


A current of 50 mA flows through a series circuit consisting of a 1μF capacitor and a resistor with a 10 kHz, 100 V ac source. What is the total circuit impedance?	
	10 kΩ 100Ω 2 k Ω (Correct Answer) 0.5 kΩ
32	Which of the following describes the surface integral of the electrical field intensity?
	Charge density Flux density Net flux emanating from the surface (Correct Answer) Electric charge
33	A load is connected to an active network. At the terminal to which the load is connected, Thevenins's equivalent resistance and voltage are 10 ohms & 60 V respectively. Then maximum power supplied to the load is
	10 Watts 30 Watts 60 watts 90 watts (Correct Answer)
34	State the type of function: $f(t)$ satisfies the condition $f(t) = f(-t)$ .
	<ul><li>Even (Correct Answer)</li><li>Odd</li><li>Parabolic</li><li>Ramp</li></ul>
35	Which one of the following is the rotational analogue of Force?
	Moment of inertia Gyration Torque (Correct Answer) Angular momentum
36	The wire of resistance 'R' is cut into '10' equal parts. These parts are then connected in parallel with each other. The effective resistance of the combination is
	○ R/10





- \_ 29.5 Ω
- $\bigcirc 3.38 \, \Omega$  (Correct Answer)
- \_ 16.8 Ω
- The circuit given below is:



- Ocommon Emitter NPN Transistor
- Common Collector NPN Transistor (Correct Answer)
- Common Base PNP Transistor
- Common Collector PNP Transistor
- 39 In a series R-C circuit, 6 V ac is measured across the resistor and 8 V ac is measured across the capacitor. The applied voltage is:
  - 10 V ac (Correct Answer)
  - 14 V ac
  - 18 V ac
  - 12 V ac
- 40 Repeatedly sending an email message to a particular email address with the objective of consuming network resources is called \_\_\_.
  - spamming
  - email bombing (Correct Answer)
  - phishing
  - cyber stalking
- 41 If two parallel-connected resistors dissipate 5 watts and 25 watts power, then what is the total power loss?
  - 0.2 watts
  - \_ 5 watts
  - 30 watts (Correct Answer)
  - 25 watts
- 42 80 C of charge flows from a point in 20 sec. The value of current will be \_\_\_
  - 4A (Correct Answer)
  - 0.25A
  - \_\_ 25 A
  - **40** A
- 43 In a purely resistive circuit, the peak power is \_\_\_\_\_ the average power.
  - Equal to





	<ul> <li>it avoids core saturation and high voltage induction (Correct Answer)</li> <li>it is safe to human beings</li> <li>it protects the primary circuit</li> <li>None of the above</li> </ul>
45	What is the value of a capacitor that can store two coulombs of charge when 1000 volts is applied across its plates?
	2 μF 200 μF 2000 μF (Correct Answer) 500 μF
46	The resultant of two resistances R1 and R2 connected in series is 4.5 ohms and in parallel is 1 ohm. What are the values of R1 and R2 respectively?
	3 ohms and 6 ohms 3 ohms and 9 ohms 1.5 ohms and 3 ohms (Correct Answer) 1.5 ohms and 0.5 ohms
47	$\cos\left(\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) + \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{12}{13}\right)\right) =$
	33 (Correct Answer)
	63 65 0
48	In a series R-C circuit, 15 V AC is measured across the resistor and 20 V AC is measured across the capacitor. The applied voltage is:
	25 V ac (Correct Answer) 35 V ac 40 V ac 30 V ac
49	60 C of charge flows from a point in 30 seconds. The value of current is given by
	<ul><li>2 A (Correct Answer)</li><li>0.5 A</li><li>20 A</li><li>60 A</li></ul>
50	Which of the following equivalent circuit represent a Voltage-source with open circuit voltage 10 V and internal resistance 10 $\Omega$ ?
	<ul> <li>A current-source of strength 1A in shunt with a resistance of 10Ω. (Correct Answer)</li> <li>A current-source of strength 1A in series with a resistance of 10Ω.</li> <li>A current-source of strength 1A in shunt with a resistance of 10Ω.</li> </ul>

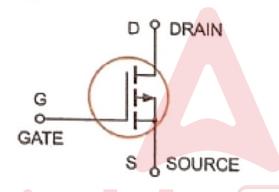




Find the cofactor of the element 10 in the determinant.

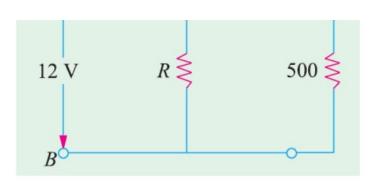
$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} -7 & -2 & 3 \\ 10 & -11 & 6 \\ -1 & 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix}$$

- **19**
- -19 (Correct Answer)
- 35
- \_-35
- The symbol shown below is:



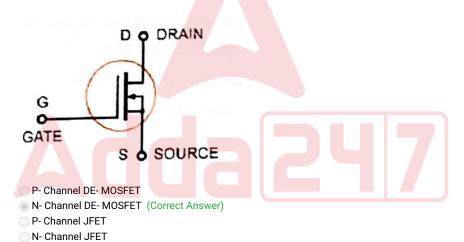
- P- Channel E- MOSFET
- P- Channel E-MOSFET (Correct Answer)
- N- Channel JFET
- P- Channel JFET
- 53 Which of the following bulbs will have the highest resistance?
  - 220V, 60W (Correct Answer)
  - 220 V, 100 W
  - 300 V, 150W
  - 115 V, 60 W
- An atom of an element P has two electrons in its outermost orbit and that of Q has one electron in its outermost orbit. What will be the formula of the compound?
  - $\bigcirc P_2Q$
  - PQ<sub>2</sub> (Correct Answer)
  - O PQ
  - PQ<sub>3</sub>





If the voltage drop across the 500 ohms is 2.5 volts, then the value of voltage across R ohm resistance is......

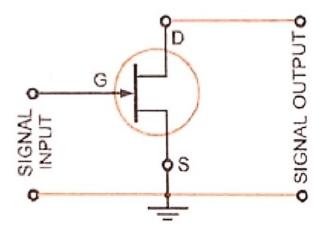
- $\bigcirc$  0 V
- 0.25 V
- 2.75 V (Correct Answer)
- \_ 10 V
- The symbol shown below is:



- Which of the following is not a bilateral element?
  - Resistor
  - Inductor
  - Capacitor
  - Diode (Correct Answer)
- A shunt generator running at 1200 r.p.m. has generated e.m.f. as 100 V. If the speed increases to 2000 r.p.m., the generated e.m.f. will be nearly \_\_\_\_
  - \_ 150 V
  - 175.6 V
  - 166.6 V (Correct Answer)
  - 290 V
- 59 The material used for construction of filament of bulbs is \_\_\_\_\_
  - carbon
  - aluminium
  - tungsten (Correct Answer)
  - nickel



The configuration of the circuit shown below is:



- Common Gate
- Common Source (Correct Answer)
- Ocommon Drain
- None of these
- 62 What is the total resistance of a voltmeter on the 10 V range when the meter movement is rated for 50 μA of full-scale current?
  - $\bigcirc \, 10 \ k\Omega$
  - \_ 20 kΩ
  - $\ \ \, \bigcirc$  200 k $\ \ \,$  (Correct Answer)
  - \_ 100ΚΩ
- A ball is thrown vertically upward. It has a speed of 7 m/s when it has reached one half of its maximum height. Maximum height up to which the ball rise is \_\_\_\_\_meter. (take g = 10 m/s²)
  - 7
  - 9.8
  - <u>10</u>
  - 4.9 (Correct Answer)
- 64 Which one of the following material is used construct the field coil of D.C generator?
  - Mica
  - Copper (Correct Answer)
  - Cast iron
  - Carbon
- The product of the order and degree of the differential equation  $(y^{3})^2 + (y^{3})^3 + (y^{3})^4 + y^5 = 0$  is
  - \_\_\_\_
  - 6 (Correct Answer)
  - <u>12</u>
  - 8
  - \_ 2
- The option that best explains the meaning of the word 'prone' is
  - $\hfill \bigcirc$  conscientiously honest and careful of details
  - watchfulness
  - inclined to (Correct Answer)
  - an earlier / older model





	Olooked / waiting
68	A is higher than B by 135%. Then B is lower than A by %.
	<ul><li>57.44 (Correct Answer)</li><li>114.88</li></ul>
	219.76
	28.72
69	Two sets of statements are given below: Set 1
	Active Voice: She spoke to the official on duty.  Passive Voice: She was spoken to by the official on duty.
	Set 2
	Active Voice: We will know the outcome of these experiments after six months.  Passive Voice: These experiments will have a known outcome after six months.
	For the given active voice statements in Set 1 and Set 2, check if the respective passive voice statements are correct or incorrect.
	Both sets are correct
	Both sets are incorrect (Correct Answer)
	Only Set 1 is correct
	Only Set 2 is correct
	Only Set 2 is correct
70	Fill in the most suitable and appropriate form of tense/s in the sentence: You very thoughtful. What
	you about?
	Olook / are / thinking (Correct Answer)
	Olooked / was / thinking
	look / are / think
	o looking / are / thinking
71	Select the correct passive voice form of the sentence: You do not forget your lesson.
	Your lesson is not to be forgotten by you (Correct Answer)
	On not forget your lesson
	Is your lesson being forgotten by you?
	Forgetting the lesson is not done by you
72	1 + {5 - (1 + 9) + 6 - 7} - 1 + 8 =
	② 2 (Correct Answer) ③ 5
	0
	6
73	Two sets of proverbs and their usage are given below:
	Set 1 Proverb: Better to wear out than rust out
	Usage: To serve them fine French cuisine was better to wear out than rust out.
	Set 2
	Proverb: Beggars can't be choosers
	Usage: Mr. Walke, my elderly neighbour, keeps yelling but he's harmless. Its like beggars can't be choosers.
	For the given proverbs in Set 1 and Set 2, check if the usage are correct or incorrect.
	Both sets are correct
	Both sets are incorrect (Correct Answer)
	Only Set 1 is correct
	Only Set 2 is correct





	Passionate
75	If A: B = 3:5 and B: C = 2:3, then A: C =
	1:1 3:2 2:3 2:5 (Correct Answer)
76	If x and y are odd numbers between 1 and 10, then $4 + 7x + 5y$ is
	odd even (Correct Answer) can be odd or even prime number
77	Match the main word with its meaning.  Main Word  A. nexus  B. profuse  C. renowned  D. spurn
	Meaning 1. a connection; tie or link 2. abundant 3. famous 4. reject or refuse
	<ul> <li>A-1, B-2, C-3, D-4 (Correct Answer)</li> <li>A-4, B-3, C-2, D-1</li> <li>A-2, B-3, C-4, D-1</li> <li>A-4, B-3, C-1, D-2</li> </ul>
78	Find the synonym of the following word: epidemic internal
	local outbreak (Correct Answer) tasty
79	What can you say about the Mean, Mode and Median of the following numbers? 2, 4, 7, 8, 9, 3, 5.8, 1, 3
	<ul><li>Mean = Mode</li><li>Mode &lt; Median (Correct Answer)</li><li>Mean &lt; Mode</li><li>Median &gt; Mean</li></ul>
80	There was a steaming mist in all the hollows, and it had roamed in its forlornness up the hill, like an evil spirit, seeking rest and finding none. A clammy and intensely cold mist, it made its slow way through the air in ripples that visibly followed and overspread one another, as the waves of an unwholesome sea might do. It was dense enough to shut out everything from the light of the coach-lamps but these its own workings, and a few yards of road; and the reek of the labouring horses steamed into it, as if they had made it all. What is the tone of the passage above?
	Descriptive
	Tired Excited
	Ominous (Correct Answer)





82	What is the meaning of the idiom: By the skin of one's teeth
	<ul><li>Narrowly; barely. Usually used in regard to a narrow escape from a disaster. (Correct Answer)</li><li>To agree wholeheartedly.</li></ul>
	Without any hesitation.
	To display aloofness and disdain.
83	Select the option which best completes the paragraph given below: Even though most educational institutions retain royalties from inventions by faculty members,
	<ul><li>the royalties from books and articles are retained by them.</li><li>the faculty members get to retain the royalties from the books and articles they write. (Correct Answer)</li></ul>
	the books and articles written by the members are retained by them. they retain, from books and articles, the royalties from these.
84	Find the largest value amongst following.
	10% × (2% × 1100)
	30% × (1% × 3500)
	10% × (2% × 6100)
85	Pick the right idiom which fits into the sentence: His interference in the peace process is putting aof the negotiations.
	Spoke in the wheel (Correct Answer)  Wet blanket
	O Deaf ear
	○ Weal and woe
86	Fill in the blank with the options that best completes the sentence: Any from the semifinal win in the FIFA Cup had drained away in the hearts of the Brazilian football fans after their team lost the final match.
	euphoria (Correct Answer) depression
	homesickness
	lessons
87	Find which mathematical operation is indicated by $@$ , #, $$$ and $%$ in following equation: 57 $@$ 1 $%$ 9 $$$ 3 # 1 = 55
	\$ means ÷ , @ means X, # means -, % means +
	○\$ means X, @ means ÷, # means −, % means +
	\$ means X, @ means +, # means ÷, % means -
88	Which of the following will give second largest value?
	20.09 + 34.15 - 41.9 + 9.32 - 51.3
	24.11 + 89.6 - 89.69 + 39.44 - 92.84
	<ul> <li>58.13 + 12.94 - 73.29 + 36.57 - 62.66 (Correct Answer)</li> <li>8.51 + 7.37 - 30.94 + 39.59 - 51.48</li> </ul>
89	Which of the following words is misspelt?
	oconcede
	• tomorrow
	agression (Correct Answer)
	acceptable





91	Read the following sentence and change the tense as per the given directions: (Change into present
	perfect tense) I always wanted to be a scientist.   I have always wanted to be a scientist (Correct Answer)
	I am wanting to be a scientist
	I will be becoming a scientist
	I was to have become a scientist
	<u></u>
92	The number 1575 is divisible by
	3 and 10
	○ 13 and 18
	○ 5 and 17
93	Which of the following is meaning of the word: fritter
	to waste (Correct Answer)
	by experimental and trial-and-error methods
	difficult for the mind to grasp easily
	measure or understand
94	If X > 16, arrange the following fractions in descending order.
	[1] X/915
	[2] 2X/1025
	[3] X/1025 [4] 2X/915
	1,3-4,
	<ul><li>4, 2, 1, 3 (Correct Answer)</li></ul>
	<u>4</u> , 3, 2, 1
	2, 1, 3, 4
	2, 1, 4, 3
O.F.	Fill in the blank with the several entire. Due to his familiard and sutreme thinking he was known as a
95	Fill in the blank with the correct option: Due to his fanatical and extreme thinking, he was known as a reformer.
	Control.
	Hopeless
	Idiotic
	Shallow-thinking
	Radical (Correct Answer)
96	Cost of a toy is Rs. 15. Selling Price is Rs. 25. Profit percentage is percent.
	O 10
	25
	<u></u>
97	Which of the following will give second smallest value?
	12/81 + 11/97 + 69/75
	0/71 + 84/91 + 27/77 (Correct Answer)
	29/26 + 18/75 + 6/79
	89/99 + 34/88 + 17/81





	materiale main word and their opposites.
	Main Word
	A. proceed
	B. restricted
	C. permitted
	D. recall
	Opposite
	1. stop
	2. unrestricted
	3. prohibited
	4. forget
	A-1, B-2, C-3, D-4 (Correct Answer)
	A-4, B-3, C-2, D-1
	A-2, B-3, C-4, D-1
	A-4, B-3, C-1, D-2
99	The option that best explains the meaning of the word 'cynicism' is
	feeling doubt
	that which cannot be changed
	distrusting or disparaging the motives of others (Correct Answer)
	without taste or flavour
100	Which of the following options is the second smallest?
	24% × 3000 + 6% × 3700 + 11% × 4200
	4% × 3500 + 11% × 4200 + 16% × 4700
	10% × 1900 + 17% × 2600 + 22% × 3100 (Correct Answer)
	17% × 2300 + 24% × 3 <mark>000</mark> + 4% × 3 <mark>50</mark> 0