

## Exercise: Magnetism

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## 1. What is a magnetic field?

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| a) The process by which a material becomes magnetized | b) The invisible force that surrounds a magnet ✓ |
| c) The attraction between two non-magnetic materials  | d) The process of demagnetizing a magnet         |

## 2. Which of the following is a type of permanent magnet?

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| a) Electromagnet | b) Induced magnet  |
| c) Bar magnet ✓  | d) Magnetic domain |

## 3. What happens when two opposite magnetic poles are brought together?

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| a) They repel each other     | b) They align with the magnetic field |
| c) They attract each other ✓ | d) They demagnetize                   |

## 4. Magnetic induction occurs when:

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| a) Magnetic materials lose their magnetism                       | b) Magnetic domains scatter randomly |
| c) A material becomes magnetized by an external magnetic field ✓ | d) Two magnets are hammered          |

## 5. Which method can be used to demagnetize a magnet?

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| a) Rubbing it with another magnet         | b) Heating the magnet ✓        |
| c) Increasing electric current through it | d) Wrapping it in an iron coil |

## 6. What is a common use of an electromagnet?

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| a) MRI machines ✓   | b) Wooden bells      |
| c) Plastic speakers | d) Permanent magnets |

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In an electric bell, what makes the hammer strike the bell?

- a) Heating
- b) Magnetic domains aligning
- c) **Electromagnet attracting the iron armature** ✓
- d) Lorentz force acting on the contact screw

8. Which of the following describes Lorentz Force?

- a) The force between two magnetic poles
- b) **The force experienced by a moving charge in a magnetic and electric field** ✓
- c) The attraction between two ferromagnetic materials
- d) The repulsion between opposite charges

9. The direction of a magnetic field around a current-carrying wire can be detected by:

- a) Using the left-hand rule
- b) **Plotting compasses or iron filings** ✓
- c) Hammering the wire
- d) Heating the wire

10. What happens when a magnet is hammered?

- a) It becomes stronger
- b) It aligns with the Earth's magnetic field
- c) Its magnetic field becomes permanent
- d) **Magnetic domains scatter and lose alignment** ✓

11. How does heating a magnet demagnetize it?

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12. Why does electromagnet use iron instead of steel magnet?

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When a magnet is heated, the heat will increase the vibration of atoms in a magnet. These vibrations can break the magnetic alignments which means that the magnetic domains will be scattered and have different directions.

Iron has a higher magnetic permeability than steel, meaning it can be magnetized and demagnetized more easily and strongly when a current flows through the coil.