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1. True or false? Kinetic energy is conserved in all collisions.
 - a. True
 - b. False
2. True or false? Momentum is conserved in both elastic and inelastic collisions.
 - a. True
 - b. False
3. True or false? Momentum is conserved when two objects collide and stick together.
 - a. True
 - b. False
4. True or false? Kinetic energy is conserved when two objects collide and stick together.
 - a. True
 - b. False
5. The area under a force-time graph represents
 - a. work
 - b. momentum
 - c. impulse
 - d. kinetic energy
6. Consider two balls of equal mass moving at different speeds. Ball 1 has double the momentum of ball 2. How does the kinetic energy of ball 1, KE_1 , compare to the kinetic energy of ball 2, KE_2 ?
 - a. $KE_1 = KE_2$
 - b. $KE_1 = \sqrt{2}KE_2$
 - c. $KE_1 = 2KE_2$
 - d. $KE_1 = 4KE_2$
7. A small car collides with a large truck in a head-on collision. Which of the following statements concerning the magnitude of the average collision force is correct?
 - a. The truck experiences the greater average force.
 - b. The car experiences the greater average force.
 - c. The car and the truck experience the same average force.
 - d. Cannot be determined because the masses and velocities are not given.
8. A very light object moving to the right collides with a very heavy object at rest. After the collision, the heavy object moves to the right with a small speed, and the light object moves to the left. Which object experienced the greater magnitude of impulse during the collision?
 - a. The heavy object.
 - b. The light object.
 - c. Both objects experienced the same magnitude of impulse.
 - d. Cannot be determined from the information given.
9. Two objects collide and stick together. Linear momentum is
 - a. conserved only if there is no friction.
 - b. definitely conserved.
 - c. definitely not conserved.
 - d. conserved only if the collision is elastic.

10. A very heavy ball rolling with speed v collides with a very light ball at rest. If the collision is elastic, then the light ball's speed after the collision is approximately
- $v/2$
 - v
 - $2v$
 - $3v$
11. A very light ball rolling with speed v collides with a very heavy ball at rest. If the collision is elastic, then the light ball's speed after the collision is approximately
- 0
 - $v/2$
 - v
 - $2v$
12. Two objects collide and bounce apart. Linear momentum is
- definitely conserved.
 - conserved only if there is no friction.
 - conserved only if the collision is elastic.
 - definitely not conserved.
13. A ball of mass 830 g, moving horizontally with speed 19 m/s strikes a wall and rebounds at 18 m/s. What is the magnitude of the change in momentum of the ball?
- 13.9 kg m/s
 - 25.3 kg m/s
 - 30.7 kg m/s
 - 30 700 kg m/s
14. A machine gun, of mass 11 kg, fires bullets of mass 20 g, with a muzzle speed of 698 m/s, at the rate of 925 rounds per minute. What is the average force exerted on the machine gun mount?
- 215 N
 - 130 N
 - 215000 N
 - 12900 N
15. A ball of mass 11 g is dropped from a height of 6 m. Its momentum just before it strikes the ground is
- 66 kg m/s
 - 0.09 kg m/s
 - 0.12 kg m/s
 - 0.07 kg m/s
16. A ball of mass m rolls with speed v towards another ball of mass $(2/13)m$ at rest. If the collision is completely inelastic, what is the speed of the combined mass after the collision?
- $(2/15)v$
 - $(2/13)v$
 - $(13/15)v$
 - $(13/2)v$

17. A proton at rest is struck head-on by an alpha particle (which consists of 2 protons and 2 neutrons) moving at speed v . If the collision is completely elastic, what speed will the alpha particle have after the collision? Assume that the neutron's mass is equal to the proton's mass.
- $(5/3)v$
 - $(3/5)v$
 - $(1/4)v$
 - $(1/5)v$
18. Object 1 and Object 2 have the same momentum. The ratio of Object 1's mass to Object 2's mass is $m_1/m_2 = 4/9$. What is the ratio of Object 1's kinetic energy to Object 2's kinetic energy, KE_1/KE_2 ?
- 4/9
 - 81/16
 - 9/4
 - 16/81
19. A bullet (70 g) is fired into the wooden block (9.00 kg) of a ballistic pendulum. As a result, the bullet is lodged into the block, and the centre of mass of the pendulum-projectile system swings up to a maximum height of 65 cm. What was the initial speed of the bullet?
- 600 m/s
 - 462 m/s
 - 651 m/s
 - 865 m/s
20. A car of mass 1310 kg, traveling with a velocity 35 km/h, strikes a parked truck of mass 11790 kg head-on. The bumpers lock together in this completely inelastic collision. What fraction of the initial kinetic energy is lost in the collision?
- 1/81
 - 1/9
 - 1/10
 - 9/10