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3. PROTECTIVE DEVICES AND WIRING CIRCUITS

1. What does HRC stand for in HRC fuse?

- a) High Resistance Connection
- b) High Retaining Current
- c) High Rupturing Capacity
- d) High Rated Control

Answer: c) High Rupturing Capacity

2. Which of the following is a characteristic of an HRC fuse?

- a) Can be reset after tripping
- b) Protects against overload and short circuits
- c) Contains a replaceable fuse wire
- d) Provides protection against electric shock

Answer: b) Protects against overload and short circuits

3. A kit kat fuse is primarily used in:

- a) Residential buildings
- b) Industrial facilities
- c) Commercial establishments
- d) Outdoor lighting systems

Answer: a) Residential buildings

4. Which protective device can be described as a miniature circuit breaker?

- a) MCB (Miniature Circuit Breaker)
- b) MCCB (Molded Case Circuit Breaker)
- c) ELCB (Earth Leakage Circuit Breaker)
- d) Relay

Answer: a) MCB (Miniature Circuit Breaker)

5. What is the primary function of an ELCB (Earth Leakage Circuit Breaker)?

- a) To regulate voltage
- b) To protect against overload and short circuits
- c) To provide electrical isolation and reduce the risk of electric shock
- d) To detect leakage of current to the earth and trip the circuit

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Answer: d) To detect leakage of current to the earth and trip the circuit

6. Which protective device is commonly used in motor control circuits to protect against overload?

- a) HRC fuse
- b) Kit kat fuse
- c) MCB
- d) Relay

Answer: d) Relay

7. Which of the following protective devices is commonly used for high-power applications?

- a) HRC fuse
- b) Kit kat fuse
- c) MCB
- d) MCCB (Molded Case Circuit Breaker)

Answer: d) MCCB (Molded Case Circuit Breaker)

8. Which tool is used to strip insulation from electrical wires?

- a) Screwdriver
- b) Pliers
- c) Wire stripper
- d) Crimping tool

Answer: c) Wire stripper

9. Which tool is used to twist together the ends of electrical wires for secure connections?

- a) Screwdriver
- b) Pliers
- c) Wire stripper
- d) Wire nut

Answer: b) Pliers

10. Which tool is used to tighten or loosen screws on electrical terminals?

- a) Screwdriver
- b) Pliers
- c) Wire stripper
- d) Crimping tool

Answer: a) Screwdriver

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11. Which tool is used to crimp connectors onto the ends of electrical wires?

- a) Screwdriver
- b) Pliers
- c) Wire stripper
- d) Crimping tool

Answer: d) Crimping tool

12. Which tool is used to measure electrical voltage, current, and resistance?

- a) Screwdriver
- b) Pliers
- c) Multimeter
- d) Wire nut

Answer: c) Multimeter

13. Which type of wiring system is commonly used for surface-mounted electrical installations?

- a) Conduit wiring
- b) PVC casing capping
- c) Concealed conduit wiring
- d) Busbar trunking system

Answer: b) PVC casing capping

14. What is the purpose of a surface conduit wiring system?

- a) To provide mechanical protection to electrical wires
- b) To provide electrical insulation to electrical wires
- c) To facilitate easy installation and maintenance of electrical wiring
- d) To regulate voltage fluctuations in electrical circuits

Answer: c) To facilitate easy installation and maintenance of electrical wiring

15. Which type of wiring system is commonly used for concealed electrical installations?

- a) Conduit wiring
- b) PVC casing capping
- c) Surface conduit wiring
- d) Busbar trunking system

Answer: a) Conduit wiring

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16. What is the purpose of a concealed conduit wiring system?

- a) To provide mechanical protection to electrical wires
- b) To provide electrical insulation to electrical wires
- c) To facilitate easy installation and maintenance of electrical wiring
- d) To regulate voltage fluctuations in electrical circuits

Answer: a) To provide mechanical protection to electrical wires

17. Which type of wiring system is commonly used in industrial buildings and large commercial establishments?

- a) Conduit wiring
- b) PVC casing capping
- c) Surface conduit wiring
- d) Busbar trunking system

Answer: d) Busbar trunking system

18. What is the primary advantage of a busbar trunking system?

- a) Easy installation and modification of electrical circuits
- b) Cost-effective wiring solution
- c) Enhanced electrical insulation properties
- d) Greater protection against electrical faults

Answer: a) Easy installation and modification of electrical circuits

19. Which wiring system is most suitable for temporary electrical installations, such as construction sites or events?

- a) Conduit wiring
- b) PVC casing capping
- c) Surface conduit wiring
- d) Flexible cord wiring

Answer: d) Flexible cord wiring

20. What is the purpose of flexible cord wiring?

- a) To provide mechanical protection to electrical wires
- b) To provide electrical insulation to electrical wires
- c) To facilitate easy installation and maintenance of electrical wiring
- d) To allow for flexible connections and temporary installations

Answer: d) To allow for flexible connections and temporary installation

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21. Which type of wire is commonly used for electrical wiring in buildings and homes?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Aluminum wire
- d) Nichrome wire

Answer: b) Stranded copper wire

22. Which type of wire is known for its high conductivity and low resistance?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Aluminum wire
- d) Nichrome wire

Answer: a) Solid copper wire

23. Which type of wire is commonly used for electrical transmission and distribution?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Aluminum wire
- d) Nichrome wire

Answer: c) Aluminum wire

24. Which type of wire is commonly used for heating elements in appliances?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Aluminum wire
- d) Nichrome wire

Answer: d) Nichrome wire

25. Which type of wire is known for its high resistance and is used in applications requiring controlled heating?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Aluminum wire
- d) Nichrome wire

Answer: d) Nichrome wire

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26. Which type of wire is commonly used for underground electrical installations?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Aluminum wire
- d) Direct burial wire

Answer: d) Direct burial wire

27. Which type of wire is suitable for high-temperature applications, such as ovens and furnaces?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Aluminum wire
- d) High-temperature wire

Answer: d) High-temperature wire

28. Which type of wire is commonly used for low-voltage signaling and control circuits?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Shielded wire
- d) Twisted pair wire

Answer: c) Shielded wire

29. Which type of wire is commonly used for Ethernet networking?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Shielded wire
- d) Twisted pair wire

Answer: d) Twisted pair wire

30. Which type of wire is commonly used for speaker connections and audio applications?

- a) Solid copper wire
- b) Stranded copper wire
- c) Shielded wire
- d) Twisted pair wire

Answer: b) Stranded copper wire

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31. Why are protective devices necessary in electrical circuits?

- a) To regulate voltage levels
- b) To control power consumption
- c) To protect against electrical faults and hazards
- d) To increase the efficiency of electrical systems

Answer: c) To protect against electrical faults and hazards

32. Which of the following is a function of a fuse in an electrical circuit?

- a) To regulate voltage levels
- b) To control power consumption
- c) To provide electrical insulation
- d) To protect against overcurrent and short circuits

Answer: d) To protect against overcurrent and short circuits

33. What is the primary function of a circuit breaker?

- a) To regulate voltage levels
- b) To control power consumption
- c) To provide electrical insulation
- d) To protect against overcurrent and short circuits

Answer: d) To protect against overcurrent and short circuits

34. Which protective device is designed to detect ground faults and provide protection against electric shock?

- a) Fuse
- b) Circuit breaker
- c) Residual Current Device (RCD)
- d) Surge protector

Answer: c) Residual Current Device (RCD)

35. What is the function of an isolator switch in an electrical circuit?

- a) To regulate voltage levels
- b) To control power consumption
- c) To provide electrical insulation
- d) To isolate a circuit from the power supply for maintenance or repairs

Answer: d) To isolate a circuit from the power supply for maintenance or repairs

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36. Which protective device is commonly used to protect electrical appliances from voltage fluctuations?

- a) Fuse
- b) Circuit breaker
- c) Voltage stabilizer
- d) Surge protector

Answer: c) Voltage stabilizer

37. Which protective device is used to protect electrical circuits from overvoltage caused by lightning or power surges?

- a) Fuse
- b) Circuit breaker
- c) Voltage stabilizer
- d) Surge protector

Answer: d) Surge protector

38. What is the purpose of a ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI)?

- a) To regulate voltage levels
- b) To control power consumption
- c) To provide electrical insulation
- d) To protect against ground faults and electric shock

Answer: d) To protect against ground faults and electric shock

39. Which protective device is commonly used in motor control circuits to protect against overload?

- a) Fuse
- b) Circuit breaker
- c) Overload relay
- d) Surge protector

Answer: c) Overload relay

40. Which protective device is commonly used to protect sensitive electronic equipment from voltage spikes and surges?

- a) Fuse
- b) Circuit breaker
- c) Voltage stabilizer
- d) Surge protector

Answer: d) Surge protector

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41. What is the function of a fuse wire in a fuse?

- a) To provide mechanical support
- b) To provide electrical insulation
- c) To carry the electrical current
- d) To melt and break the circuit in case of an overcurrent

Answer: d) To melt and break the circuit in case of an overcurrent

42. Fuse wire is made of which material?

- a) Copper
- b) Aluminum
- c) Silver
- d) Tin

Answer: c) Silver

43. What determines the current rating of a fuse wire?

- a) The diameter or thickness of wire
- b) The length of the wire
- c) The material composition of the wire
- d) The shape or configuration of the wire

Answer: a) The diameter or thickness of the wire

44. Which of the following is an advantage of a cartridge-type fuse over a rewirable fuse?

- a) Cartridge-type fuses are cheaper
- b) Cartridge-type fuses are easier to replace
- c) Cartridge-type fuses provide better protection
- d) Cartridge-type fuses can be reset after tripping

Answer: c) Cartridge-type fuses provide better protection

45. Which type of fuse wire is commonly used in household electrical installations?

- a) Lead fuse wire
- b) Aluminum fuse wire
- c) Silver fuse wire
- d) Copper fuse wire

Answer: c) Silver fuse wire

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46. What is the primary advantage of using a fuse in an electrical circuit?

- a) Fuses are inexpensive
- b) Fuses provide better protection than circuit breakers
- c) Fuses are easier to replace than circuit breakers
- d) Fuses are more reliable than circuit breakers

Answer: a) Fuses are inexpensive

47. How does a fuse protect an electrical circuit?

- a) By opening the circuit when excessive current flows through it
- b) By regulating the voltage in the circuit
- c) By reducing the power consumption in the circuit
- d) By isolating the circuit from the power supply

Answer: a) By opening the circuit when excessive current flows through it

48. Which of the following is a disadvantage of using a fuse in an electrical circuit?

- a) Fuses are difficult to replace
- b) Fuses have a limited lifespan
- c) Fuses are bulky and take up more space
- d) Fuses are prone to false tripping

Answer: b) Fuses have a limited lifespan

49. What is the purpose of a fuse carrier in a fuse holder?

- a) To provide mechanical support to the fuse wire
- b) To provide electrical insulation
- c) To hold the fuse wire securely in place
- d) To regulate the voltage in the circuit

Answer: c) To hold the fuse wire securely in place

50. Which of the following is a characteristic of a fast-blow fuse?

- a) It can withstand high levels of current for a short duration
- b) It can withstand high levels of current for a long duration
- c) It blows quickly in response to an overcurrent
- d) It provides a delayed response to an overcurrent

Answer: c) It blows quickly in response to an overcurrent

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