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Grade 11 Physics Midterm Examination  
1<sup>st</sup> Quarter

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Notes, and use of other aids is **NOT** allowed. Read all directions carefully and **write your answers in the answer sheet**. To receive full credit, you must show all of your work.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Roll Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Section: \_\_\_\_\_ Time Allowed: **40 min**

**Multiple Choice Questions**

- Which of the following passwords would be computationally secure?  
A. A three digit number    B. A 40 digit alphanumeric password  
C. A one digit number    D. The password 'password'
- Which of the following steps in the scientific process comes later compared to the others?  
A. Hypothesizing    B. Questioning    C. Analysis    D. Experimentation
- Which of the following fields of physics was a topic of the Nobel Prize in Physics this year?  
A. Quantum Optics    B. Astronomy    C. High energy physics    D. Biophysics
- Let  $\vec{C} = \vec{A} + \vec{B}$ . In which of the following conditions is  $|\vec{C}|$  maximum?  
A.  $\vec{A} \parallel \vec{B}$     B.  $\vec{A} \perp \vec{B}$     C.  $\vec{A} = \vec{B}$     D. None of the above
- If the vector  $6\hat{i} - 4\hat{j}$  starts at the point  $P = (-2, 5, -1)$ , at what point does it end?  
A. (-4,1,1)    B. (4,-1,1)    C. (4,1,-1)    D. (-4,-1,-1)
- Which of the following vectors are parallel?  
A.  $\vec{v} = 9\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} - 24\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{w} = -15\hat{i} + 10\hat{j} + 40\hat{k}$     B.  $\hat{i} + \hat{j}$  and  $\hat{j} + \hat{k}$   
C.  $2\hat{i}$  and  $4\hat{k}$     D. None of the above
- Let  $\vec{u} = 8\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$  and  $\vec{v} = 7\vec{j} - 4\vec{k}$ . Which of the following is equal to  $|-9\vec{v} - 2\vec{u}|$ ?  
A.  $\sqrt{2893}$     B.  $\sqrt{4877}$     C. 26    D. 90
- If the magnitude of  $|\vec{A} + \vec{B}|$  is equal to the magnitude of  $|\vec{A} - \vec{B}|$ , what is the angle between  $\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$ ?  
A.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$     B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$     C.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$     D.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
- Which of the following is a vector quantity?  
A. Current Density    B. Speed    C. Power    D. Volume

10. If three vectors sum up to zero, what can we say about the vectors?
- A. The vectors must be collinear    B. The vectors must be coplanar  
C. All three vectors must be equal    D. All three vectors must be orthogonal to each other

### Workout Problems

11. Let  $\vec{A} = 4\hat{i} + 3\hat{j}$ ,  $\vec{B} = 6\hat{i} + 6\hat{j}$ . If  $\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = 40$ , what is the angle between the vectors  $\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$ .
12. If  $|\vec{A}| = 2$ ,  $|\vec{B}| = 7$ . Find the angle between the vectors  $\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$  if  $|\vec{A} + \vec{B}| = 9$  and  $|\vec{A} - \vec{B}| = 9$ . Show all your steps.