

Q.11 – Q.35 Carry ONE mark Each

Q.11 What is the value of the following complex line integral counter-clockwise?

$$\oint_{|z|=3} \frac{8}{z(z-2)(z-4)} dz$$

- (A) $+j2\pi$
- (B) $-j2\pi$
- (C) $-j10\pi$
- (D) $+j10\pi$

Q.12 To solve the equation $x = 2 \cos x$ using Newton-Raphson's method, which one of the following iterations should be used?

- (A) $x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n - 2\cos x_n}{1 + 2\sin x_n}$
- (B) $x_{n+1} = x_n + \frac{x_n - 2\cos x_n}{1 + 2\sin x_n}$
- (C) $x_{n+1} = x_n + \frac{1 + 2\sin x_n}{x_n - 2\cos x_n}$
- (D) $x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{1 + 2\sin x_n}{x_n - 2\cos x_n}$

Q.13 During the repolarization phase of a neuron, the cell is brought back to the resting potential by the action of a Sodium-Potassium pump. Which one of the following statements is **TRUE** for the active transport of Na^+ and K^+ ions through the cell membrane?

- (A) For every 3 Na^+ transported out of the cell 2 K^+ is transported into the cell.
- (B) For every 3 Na^+ transported into the cell 2 K^+ is transported out of the cell.
- (C) For every 2 Na^+ transported out of the cell 3 K^+ is transported into the cell.
- (D) The ratio of Na^+ and K^+ transport is always equal to one.

Q.14 The cardiac rhythm in a healthy human heart originates from _____.

- (A) Sinu-atrial node (SA)
- (B) Atrio-ventricular node (AV)
- (C) Aorta
- (D) Right atria

Q.15 Which one of the following events is **NOT** typically encountered in diagnostic X-ray projection radiography?

- (A) Pair production
- (B) Photoelectric absorption
- (C) Compton scattering
- (D) Characteristic radiation

Q.16 Which of the following statements is **TRUE** for a PET imaging system?

- (A) Two coincident photons of 511 keV energy are detected 180° apart.
- (B) Photons of 51.1 keV energy are detected 360° around the body.
- (C) Photons of energy 511 keV are detected 360° around the body.
- (D) Coincident photons with 51.1 keV energy are detected 180° apart.

Q. 17 Consider the following layers: subcutaneous fat, viable epidermis, stratum corneum, and dermis. Which one of the following represents the correct sequence of the layers from skin surface to within?

- (A) Dermis, subcutaneous fat, viable epidermis, stratum corneum
- (B) Dermis, viable epidermis, subcutaneous fat, stratum corneum
- (C) Stratum corneum, viable epidermis, dermis, subcutaneous fat
- (D) Viable epidermis, stratum corneum, dermis, subcutaneous fat

Q. 18 Bioglass 45S5 has a composition of _____.

- (A) 45 wt% SiO₂ and 5:1 molar ratio of Calcium to Phosphorus.
- (B) 45 wt% Hydroxyapatite and 5 wt% SiO₂.
- (C) 45 wt% Hydroxyapatite and 5:1 molar ratio of CaO and Ca₃(PO₄)₂.
- (D) 45 wt% SiO₂ and 5 wt% Hydroxyapatite.

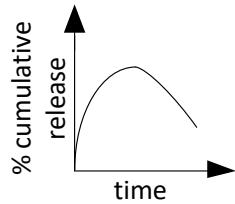
Q. 19 Macrophages that are resident in the liver are _____.

- (A) Histiocyte cells
- (B) Langerhans cells
- (C) Kupffer cells
- (D) Fibroblast cells

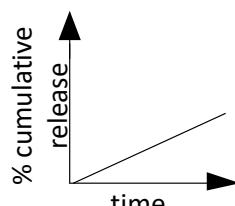
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Q. 20 Which one of the following drug release kinetic curves will be ideal for developing an implantable slow-release drug delivery device?

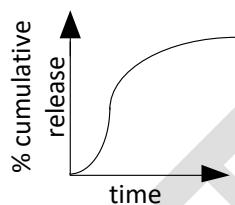
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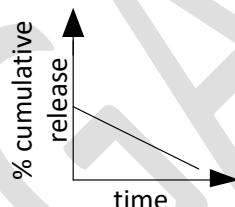
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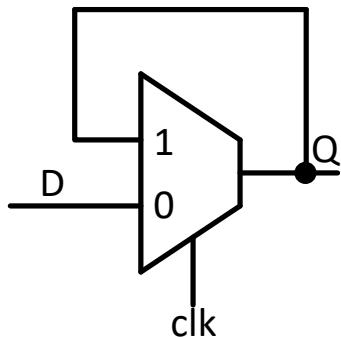
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- Q.21 The circuit shown in the figure functions as which one of the following digital circuit blocks?

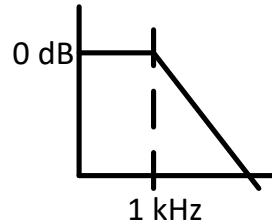


- (A) Negative level triggered D-latch
- (B) Positive level triggered D-latch
- (C) Negative edge triggered D-flip-flop
- (D) Positive edge triggered D-flip-flop

- Q.22 The Fourier transform of $e^{-|2t|}$ is _____.

- (A) $\frac{4}{4 - \omega^2}$
- (B) $\frac{4}{4 + \omega^2}$
- (C) $\frac{2}{2 + \omega}$
- (D) $\frac{2}{2 - \omega}$

- Q.23 The Bode plot of a 2nd order low pass filter is shown in the figure below. What is the frequency at which the attenuation is 80 dB?



- (A) 10 kHz
- (B) 10 MHz
- (C) 100 kHz
- (D) 100 MHz

- Q.24 The input $x(t)$ and the output $y(t)$ of a linear time invariant system are related as follows:

$$y(t) + \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 0.5 \frac{d^2y(t)}{dt^2} = x(t) + 0.1 \frac{dx(t)}{dt}$$

What is the Laplace transform of the impulse response of the system?

- (A) $\frac{0.5s^2 + s + 1}{0.1s + 1}$
- (B) $\frac{0.1s + 1}{0.5s^2 + s + 1}$
- (C) $\frac{0.1s + s^2}{s^2 + s + 0.5}$
- (D) $\frac{s^2 + s + 0.5}{0.1s^2 + s}$

Q.25 Match the different chambers/locations of a healthy human heart in Column-1 to the ranges of **diastolic** pressures in Column-2.

Column-1		Column-2	
(P)	Arterial	(I)	2-6 mm Hg
(Q)	Pulmonary artery	(II)	8-12 mm Hg
(R)	Right ventricle	(III)	60-80 mm Hg

- (A) (P) – (II), (Q) – (III), (R) – (I)
- (B) (P) – (II), (Q) – (I), (R) – (III)
- (C) (P) – (III), (Q) – (II), (R) – (I)
- (D) (P) – (III), (Q) – (I), (R) – (II)

Q.26 Which of the following is/are **NOT TRUE** about photoreceptor cells in a healthy human retina?

- (A) The distribution of rod and cone cells is uniform all over the retina.
- (B) The number of rods are higher than the number of cones in the retina.
- (C) Rods contain photopsin pigment.
- (D) Cones are responsible for colour vision in bright light.

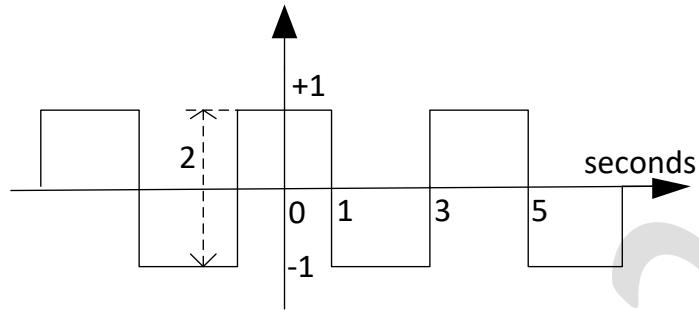
Q.27 A monochromatic beam of γ -ray photons is incident on a homogenous tissue. Which of the following relationships hold(s) **TRUE** for the half-value layer thickness?

- (A) The first half-value layer is thicker than the second half-value layer.
- (B) The second half-value layer is thicker than the first half-value layer.
- (C) All the half-value layers have equal thickness.
- (D) The ratio of thickness of the first and second half-value layers change based on the intensity of the incident beam.

Q.28 A group of four people were residing together when a new virus was detected. If the probability of each person being infected is 0.1, then the probability that at least two of them are infected is _____. Give your answer rounded off to 3 decimal places.

Q.29 A random noise signal with Gaussian distribution has a mean of zero and a standard deviation of 1 mV. The probability that an instantaneous measurement of this signal is greater than 2 mV or lesser than -2 mV is _____. Give your answer as a percentage rounded off to the nearest integer.

- Q.30 The trigonometric Fourier series expansion of the periodic function in the figure has coefficients $\{a_n\}$ and $\{b_n\}$ for cosine and sine terms, respectively. The value of a_1/a_3 is _____. Give your answer rounded off to 1 decimal place.

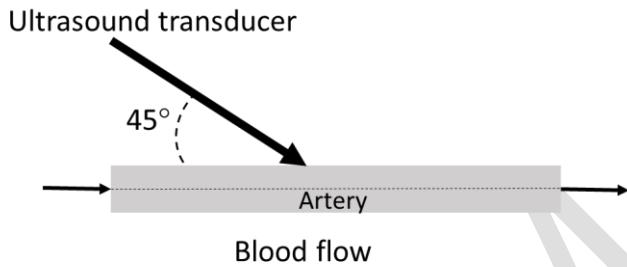


- Q. 31 A cylindrical engineered tissue was developed with a diameter of 2 cm, height of 3 cm and Young's modulus of 20 MPa. If an axial tensile force of 10 N is applied, the percentage change in the height of the tissue is ____ %. Give your answer rounded off to 2 decimal places.

- Q.32 The measured current through a device is 5 A, the voltage measured across the device is 20 V. The ammeter and the voltmeter used for these measurements have a measurement uncertainty of 1% each. The maximum error in estimation of impedance of the device is _____ mΩ. Give your answer rounded to the nearest integer.

- Q.33 The Larmor frequency of a Na nucleus when placed in a magnetic field strength of 3 T is _____. (The gyromagnetic ratio of Na is given as $\gamma = 11.26 \text{ MHz/T.}$) Give your answer in MHz rounded off to the nearest integer.

- Q.34 A Doppler ultrasound transducer operating at 5 MHz gave maximum output frequency shift of 3 kHz. The velocity of sound in blood is 1500 m/s. If the probe was held at an angle of 45° to the direction of blood flow, the maximum velocity of blood flow through the artery is _____ m/s. (Give your answer rounded off to two decimal places.)



- Q.35 The wavelength of the peak emission from a human body at a temperature of 37°C due to black-body radiation is _____ μm . The value of Wien's displacement constant is $2.898 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m K}$. (Give your answer rounded off to 2 decimal places.)

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Q.36 If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$, the eigenvalues of A are _____.

- (A) -1 and 0 .
- (B) -1 and $+1$.
- (C) -1 and -1 .
- (D) $+1$ and 0 .

Q.37 Consider a system of the following two partial differential equations:

$$\frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial x} = -2 \frac{\partial \beta}{\partial t}$$

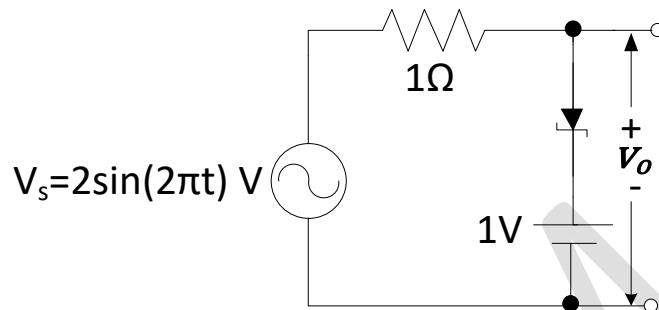
$$\frac{\partial \beta}{\partial x} = -2 \frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial t}$$

Which one of the following choices is a possible solution for the system?

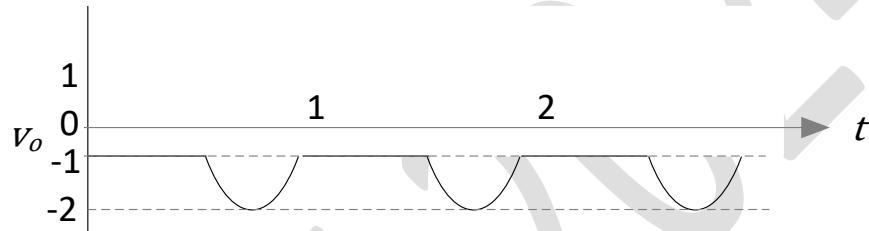
- (A) $\alpha(t, x) = (x - t)^2 + (x + t)^2$ and $\beta(t, x) = (x - t)^2 - (x + t)^2$.
- (B) $\alpha(t, x) = (x - 2t)^2 + (x + 2t)^2$ and $\beta(t, x) = (x - 2t)^2 - (x + 2t)^2$.
- (C) $\alpha(t, x) = \left(x - \frac{t}{2}\right)^2 + \left(x + \frac{t}{2}\right)^2$ and $\beta(t, x) = \left(x - \frac{t}{2}\right)^2 - \left(x + \frac{t}{2}\right)^2$.
- (D) $\alpha(t, x) = \left(x - \frac{t}{2}\right)^2 + 2\left(x + \frac{t}{2}\right)^2$ and $\beta(t, x) = 2\left(x - \frac{t}{2}\right)^2 - \left(x + \frac{t}{2}\right)^2$.

- Q.38 The end-diastolic ventricular volume is found to be 125 mL and the end-systolic ventricular volume is found to be 50 mL. If the heart rate is 65 beats/minute, what is the cardiac output in liters per minute? (Rounded off to 2 decimal places.)
- (A) 3.25
(B) 4.88
(C) 5.20
(D) 3.00

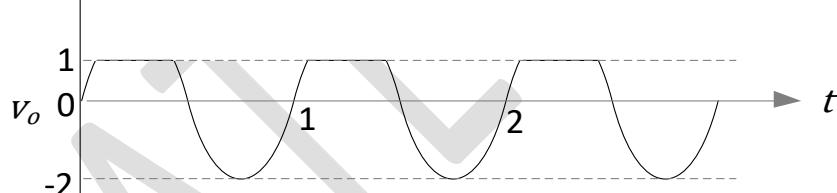
- Q.39 Which of the following waveforms represents the output V_o of the circuit given below? The Zener diode used has a Zener breakdown voltage of 1 V and can be assumed ideal while in forward bias.



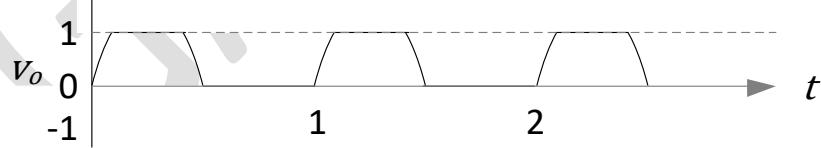
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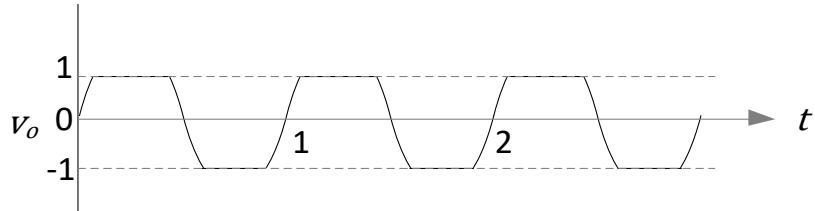
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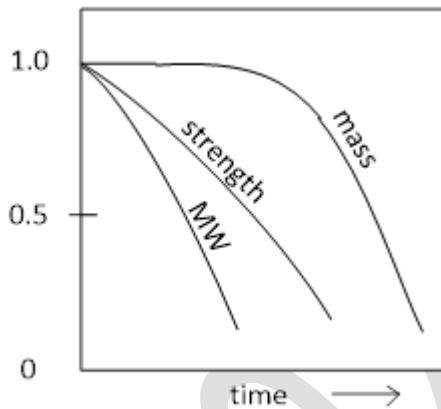


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- Q.40 In magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), pulse repetition time (TR), time to echo (TE), T_1 relaxation time, T_2 relaxation time are some of the important pulse sequence design parameters. Which one of the following specifications is used for proton density weighted imaging?
- (A) $TR \gg T_1, TE \ll T_2$
- (B) $TR \gg T_1, TE \gg T_2$
- (C) $TR \ll T_1, TE \ll T_2$
- (D) $TR \ll T_1, TE \gg T_2$

- Q.41 An orthopaedic implant when monitored over 6 months showed the following normalized curves for polymer molecular weight (MW), mass of implant and mechanical strength. Among the choices, what is the most probable reason for the observed changes?



- (A) Bulk erosion
- (B) Surface erosion
- (C) Bulk initially followed by surface erosion
- (D) No erosion but mechanical breakage due to injury

- Q.42 In an attempt to integrate engineered tissue with native tissue, three samples of engineered tissue, X, Y, Z, with identical material properties, were co-cultured adjacent to three different native tissues (bone, cartilage and liver). The adhesive strengths of X, Y, Z were observed after 8 weeks as follows.

Adhesive strength for X = 150 kPa, Y= 250 kPa, Z= 350 kPa

Match the native tissue that were used to co-culture X, Y and Z from the following.

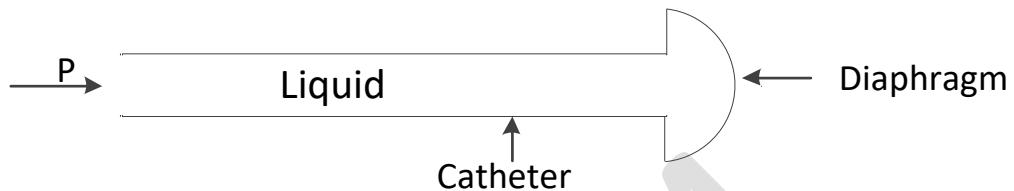
I: Liver Tissue

II: Articular Cartilage

III: Devitalized Bone

- (A) X with I, Y with II and Z with III
- (B) X with II, Y with III and Z with I
- (C) X with I, Y with III and Z with II
- (D) X with III, Y with II and Z with I

- Q.43 In a catheter-sensor system to measure blood pressure (P) as shown in the below figure, the liquid resistance (R_L) of the catheter is due to friction between shearing molecules flowing through the catheter. Which of the following is **TRUE** for R_L if only the radius of the catheter is doubled. Assume that the pressure difference across the catheter segment is fixed.



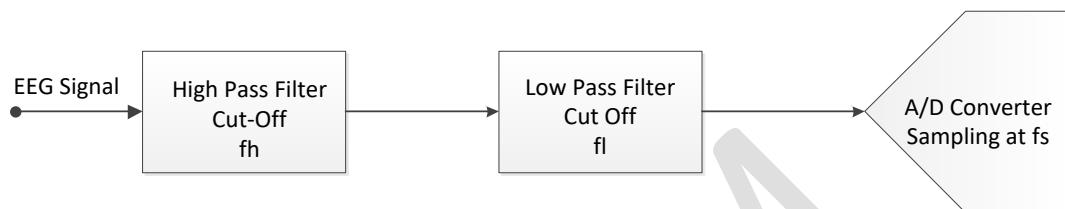
- (A) R_L will decrease by 16 times
- (B) R_L will decrease by 8 times
- (C) R_L will decrease by 4 times
- (D) R_L will decrease by 2 times

- Q.44 What is the value of the following integral using the residue integration method?

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^4}$$

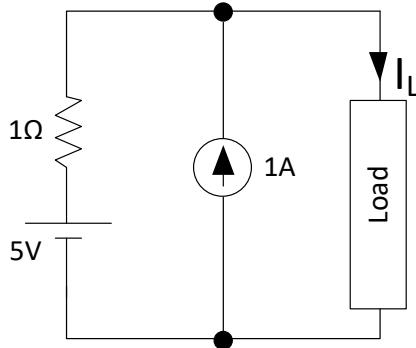
- (A) $\frac{\pi}{\sqrt{2}}$
- (B) $\frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}}$
- (C) $\frac{\pi}{4}$
- (D) $\frac{\pi}{2}$

- Q.45 A neurologist needs to observe the alpha wave in EEG recordings of a patient. The system block diagram with ideal filter blocks is shown below. Which one of the following design choices is correct?



- (A) $fh = 8 \text{ Hz}$, $fl = 12 \text{ Hz}$, $fs = 12 \text{ Hz}$
- (B) $fh = 4 \text{ Hz}$, $fl = 6 \text{ Hz}$, $fs = 24 \text{ Hz}$
- (C) $fh = 6 \text{ Hz}$, $fl = 4 \text{ Hz}$, $fs = 12 \text{ Hz}$
- (D) $fh = 8 \text{ Hz}$, $fl = 12 \text{ Hz}$, $fs = 48 \text{ Hz}$

Q.46 In the circuit below, what is the value of I_L to transfer the maximum power to load?

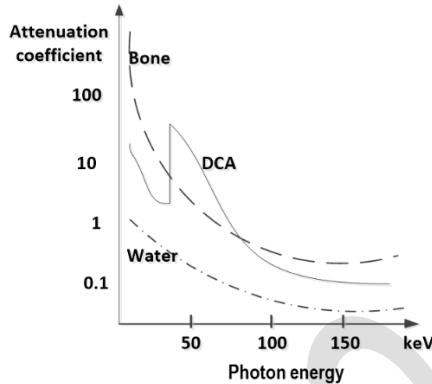


- (A) 3 A
- (B) 6 A
- (C) 4 A
- (D) 2 A

Q.47 A mechanical ventilator operating in volume controlled mode is set to deliver 600mL of tidal volume (TV) with a flow rate of 40 L/min. The frequency of breathing is set to 10 breaths per minute. If the flow rate is doubled which one of the following happens?

- (A) The inspiratory time will increase.
- (B) The expiratory time will increase.
- (C) The tidal volume will increase.
- (D) The frequency of breathing will decrease.

- Q.48 The X-ray attenuation coefficients as a function of photon energy for three materials are shown in the figure below. A tissue phantom containing these three materials is imaged at two different X-ray photon energies of 50 keV and 150 keV. When the developed X-ray film is viewed, which of the following statements is/are **TRUE**?

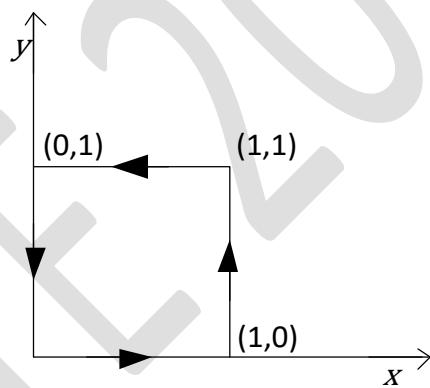


- (A) Bone will appear relatively brighter than DCA in 50 keV.
- (B) DCA will appear relatively brighter than bone in 50 keV.
- (C) Bone will appear relatively brighter than DCA in 150 keV.
- (D) DCA will appear relatively brighter than bone in 150 keV.

Q.49 Which of the following is/are **TRUE** for a surface electromyography (sEMG) signal of a muscle experiencing fatigue?

- (A) The median frequency of power spectral density of sEMG will decrease.
- (B) The median frequency of power spectral density of sEMG will increase.
- (C) The root mean square (RMS) value of sEMG will increase.
- (D) The root mean square (RMS) value of sEMG will decrease.

Q.50 For $\vec{F} = (x + y)\hat{i} + (x + y)\hat{j}$ the value of $\oint \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ along the path shown in the figure is _____. Give your answer as an integer.



- Q.51** The approximate total cross sectional areas of various types of blood vessels are given below. It was estimated that the velocity of blood in the aorta is 30 cms^{-1} . The time it will take for the blood to travel through a capillary of length 0.5 mm is _____ seconds. Give your answer rounded off to two decimal places.

Vessel Type	Approximate total cross sectional area (cm^2)
Aorta	4.5
Artery	20
Arteriole	400
Capillary	4500
Venule	40
Vein	15

- Q.52** A DNA extract solution with a concentration of $15 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{L}$ placed in a micro-cuvette of sample thickness 0.5 mm gave an absorbance of 0.24 at a wavelength of 260 nm in a spectrophotometer. After further concentration, the sample was found to give an absorbance of 0.38 at the same wavelength under identical conditions. The final concentration of the sample is _____ $\text{ng}/\mu\text{L}$. (Give your answer rounded off to 2 decimal places.)
- Q.53** An X-ray beam of initial intensity I_0 of 70 keV imaging the chest is assumed to undergo attenuation through the muscle tissue for a thickness of 16 cm and further through the bone tissue for a thickness of 4 cm. The half value layer (HVL) thicknesses for the muscle and bone are 3.5 cm and 1.8 cm, respectively. The percentage of X-ray intensity transmitted through the body is _____. Give your answer rounded off to 2 decimal places.

- Q.54** A person standing one meter away from a 4000 curie radioactive source receives a lethal dose of radiation in about 5 minutes. At 3 meters away from the same source, the time in which he will receive the same lethal dose is _____ minutes. Give your answer rounded off to the nearest integer.

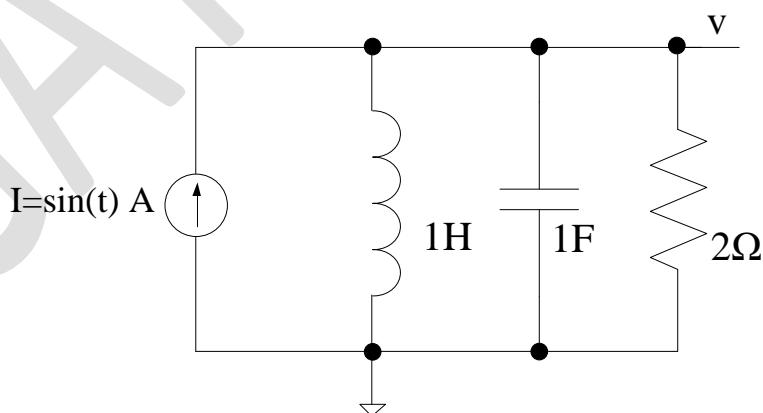
- Q.55** If a circular ultrasound transducer of radius $a = 8$ mm operating at a central frequency of 1 MHz has a pressure beam pattern in a medium as given below:

$$P(r, 0) \propto \sin \frac{ka^2}{4r}$$

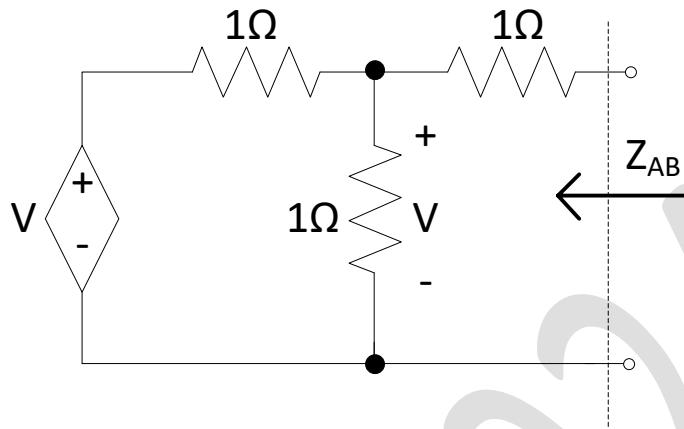
Here, k is the wave number, r is the axial distance from the center of aperture. The speed of sound in the medium is 1600 ms^{-1} .

The reduction in intensity between $r = 8$ cm and $r = 16$ cm is _____ dB. Give your answer as a positive quantity rounded off to two decimal places.

- Q.56** The source in the figure is a current source and the circuit is in steady state. At $t = 0.5\pi$ seconds, the value of v in the circuit given below is _____ volts. Give your answer rounded off to 2 decimal digits.



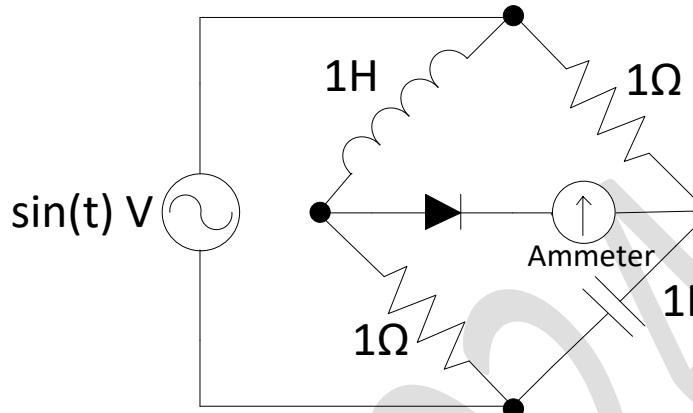
- Q.57 The equivalent impedance, Z_{AB} , in the circuit given below is ____ Ω . Give your answer rounded off to one decimal place.



- Q.58 The bandwidth of ECG signal ranges from 0.5 Hz to 100 Hz. If a single ADC is used to digitize data from 8 ECG channels then the minimum ADC sampling rate is ____ Hz. Give your answer rounded off to the nearest integer.

- Q.59 If $x[n] = u[n] - u[n - 5]$, and $h[n] = \delta[n] - \delta[n - 1]$ and $y[n] = x[n] * h[n]$, then the value of $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} y[n]$ is _____. Give your answer rounded off to the nearest integer.

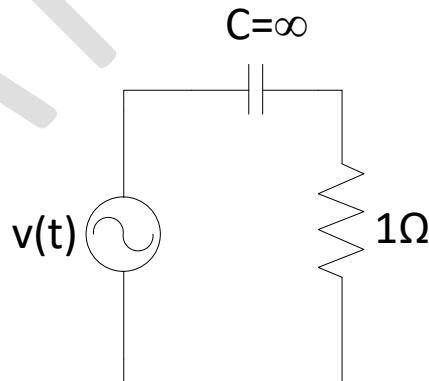
- Q.60 In the figure below, the diode is ideal. The current reading shown in the ammeter is _____ A. Give your answer rounded off to the nearest integer.



- Q.61 In the figure below, the Fourier series of $v(t)$, in volts, is given as:

$$v(t) = v_0 + 2 \cos(\omega_0 t) + 5 \cos(3\omega_0 t) + \cos(5\omega_0 t)$$

The capacitor is a short circuit for all AC signals. The power absorbed by the 1Ω resistor is _____ W. Give your answer rounded off to the nearest integer.



- Q.62 An artificial fore-arm has a moment-of-inertia around the center of mass as 0.3kg.m^2 . The mass of the artificial fore-arm is 3 kg. If the distance from the elbow joint to the center of mass of the fore-arm is 20 cm, the moment-of-inertia of the fore-arm about the elbow joint is _____ kg.m^2 . Give your answer rounded off to two decimal places.
- Q.63 A bio-potential signal of 4 mV on the skin surface was fed to an amplifier with a differential gain of 2000. The noise in the signal is 1000 mV. If the amplifier output produces a noise output of 200 mV, the common mode rejection ratio of the amplifier is _____ dB. Give your answer rounded to the nearest integer.
- Q.64 In a motor nerve conduction velocity experiment, the distance between the distal and the recording sites is 4 cm and the distance between the proximal and the recording sites is 24 cm. The distal and proximal latencies were recorded as 6 ms and 10 ms, respectively. The nerve conduction velocity is _____ meters per second. Give your answer rounded off to the nearest integer.

- Q.65 A person creates an apparatus as shown in the figure to exercise the extensor muscle of the hand. It is given that $OP = 0.15 \text{ m}$, $OQ = 0.35 \text{ m}$, $\theta = 30^\circ$, the weight of the lower arm = 20 N, the center of mass of the lower arm is at point P, the magnitude of the applied tensile force $F = 50 \text{ N}$. If the extensor muscle is acting with a moment arm of 0.25 m, the muscle force required to hold the hand at the position shown in the figure is ____ N. Give your answer rounded off to the nearest integer.

