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Multiple Choice

1. The unit of mass is the

- a. megabyte.
- b. kg.
- c. liter.
- d. cc.

ANSWER: b

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Easy

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2. An electron is ____ charged and has a mass of ____ amu(s).

- a. negatively; 1.673×10^{-27}
- b. negatively; 0.000548
- c. neutral; 1
- d. positively; 0.000548

ANSWER: b

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Medium

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3. The orderly arrangement of elements in the periodic table is based upon

- a. atomic weights.
- b. mass number.
- c. neutron number.
- d. atomic number.

ANSWER: d

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Easy

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4. Photon wavelength is

- a. inversely proportional to photon velocity.

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- b. directly proportional to photon frequency.
- c. inversely proportional to photon frequency.
- d. is not related to frequency.

ANSWER: c
POINTS: 1
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5. All of the following are true of electromagnetic energies **EXCEPT**:
- a. They are illustrated as sinusoidal waves.
 - b. They possess both wave and particle characteristics.
 - c. The relationship between frequency and wavelength is direct and proportional.
 - d. They are arranged in an orderly spectrum according to frequency and wavelength.

ANSWER: c
POINTS: 1
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6. The maximum number of electrons found in any energy level (shell) at any point in time is calculated by the formula
- a. $N = Z \times e^2$.
 - b. $W = F \times D$.
 - c. $N = \text{amu} \times Z$.
 - d. $2n^2$.

ANSWER: d
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Medium
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7. The sum of protons and neutrons in a nucleus is called the
- a. atomic mass unit.
 - b. atomic weight.
 - c. quantum number.
 - d. mass number.

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ANSWER: d
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Easy
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8. Groups of the periodic table
- a. represent elements with the same outer electron configuration.
 - b. are horizontal.
 - c. represent elements with the same atomic density.
 - d. all have the same electron binding energies.

ANSWER: a
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Medium
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9. Carbon has an atomic number of 6. One of its isotopes has a mass number of 14. The number of neutrons in this isotope is
- a. 6.
 - b. 8.
 - c. 14.
 - d. 19.

ANSWER: b
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Medium
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10. A period in the periodic table is
- a. represented by a column.
 - b. vertical.
 - c. the principal quantum number.
 - d. determined by the valence electrons.

ANSWER: c
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Medium

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11. In the excitation process, electrons in an atom are moved to a/an ____ energy state.

- a. lower
- b. higher
- c. incomplete
- d. ionization

ANSWER: b

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Medium

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12. The maximum number of electrons in a period with a principal quantum number of 4 is

- a. 6.
- b. 8.
- c. 18.
- d. 32.

ANSWER: d

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Medium

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13. Isotopes have ____ mass numbers and ____ atomic numbers.

- a. the same; the same
- b. the same; different
- c. different; the same
- d. different; different

ANSWER: c

POINTS: 1

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14. In a vacuum, electromagnetic radiation
- a. has a velocity equal to the speed of light.
 - b. x-ray energy may be bent by a crystalline lens.
 - c. causes ionizations of air molecules.
 - d. is altered by a strong magnetic field.

ANSWER: a

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Difficult

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15. If the photon frequency of electromagnetic radiation is increased tenfold, then the
- a. velocity will increase times 10.
 - b. velocity will decrease to 10.
 - c. wavelength will increase times 10.
 - d. wavelength will decrease to 1/10.

ANSWER: d

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Medium

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16. Electromagnetic radiation with a frequency of 2,000 hertz would have a wavelength of
- a. 1/2,000 cm.
 - b. 1.5×10^{-7} cm.
 - c. 1.5×10^7 cm.
 - d. cannot be determined.

ANSWER: c

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Medium

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17. The atomic number is the number of ____ contained in the nucleus.
- a. neutrons
 - b. electrons

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- c. protons
- d. positrons

ANSWER: c
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Easy
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18. An isotope of boron has 5 protons and 6 neutrons. The atomic number of boron is
- a. 11.
 - b. 10.
 - c. 6.
 - d. 5.

ANSWER: d
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Medium
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19. An element with an atomic number of 22 has how many electrons in the second principal quantum number level (L shell)?
- a. 22
 - b. 10
 - c. 8
 - d. 2

ANSWER: c
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Medium
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20. Calculate the velocity of red light with a wavelength of approximately 4.0 nm ($\text{nm} = 10^{-9}$).
- a. $7.5 \times 10^{-1} \text{ nm/sec}$
 - b. $7.5 \times 10^{18} \text{ nm/sec}$
 - c. $1.2 \times 10^{-17} \text{ nm/sec}$
 - d. $1.2 \times 10^1 \text{ nm/sec}$

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ANSWER: b
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Difficult
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21. The nuclear components that distinguish one element from another are the
- a. neutrons.
 - b. protons.
 - c. gamma particles.
 - d. beta particles.

ANSWER: b
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Medium
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22. An atom has an atomic number of 18 and a mass number of 38. Letting P = the number of protons and N = the number of neutrons, which of the following atoms is the isotope of this atom?
- a. P = 18, N = 20
 - b. P = 18, N = 21
 - c. P = 20, N = 18
 - d. none of the above

ANSWER: b
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Difficult
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23. If the frequency of a wave is 1,000 hertz and is traveling at 50,000 m/sec, then its wavelength is
- a. 0.05 m.
 - b. 0.5 m.
 - c. 5 m.
 - d. 50 m.

ANSWER: d
POINTS: 1
DIFFICULTY: Difficult

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24. According to the “rule of octets,”
- a. eight energy levels have electrons.
 - b. eight protons occupy the outermost shell.
 - c. the valence shell is chemically inert.
 - d. both a and c.

ANSWER: c

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Difficult

QUESTION TYPE: Multiple Choice

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25. Which of the following is **not a basic characteristic** of the wave equation?
- a. velocity
 - b. wavelength
 - c. frequency
 - d. energy

ANSWER: d

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Medium

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26. If an electron is gained or lost from an atom, that atom becomes
- a. an ion.
 - b. a new element.
 - c. an isotope.
 - d. radioactive.

ANSWER: a

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Easy

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27. All of the following are energy forms **EXCEPT**

- a. sound.
- b. thermal.
- c. electrical.
- d. nuclear.

ANSWER: a

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Medium

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28. Quarks may behave according to the ____ theory.

- a. string
- b. quantum
- c. octet
- d. electromagnetic

ANSWER: a

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Medium

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29. All of the following are true of the substance glucose ($C_6H_{12}O_6$) **EXCEPT**:

- a. The smallest subdivision of this molecule is glucose.
- b. It is a compound.
- c. It consists of three elements.
- d. It may be broken down into one atom of glucose.

ANSWER: d

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Difficult

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30. When comparing iodine ($Z = 53$) with barium ($Z = 56$),

- a. barium has a lower k-shell binding energy.
- b. iodine has more neutrons.

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c. iodine has five (5) orbitals with electrons.

d. barium has fewer protons.

ANSWER: c

POINTS: 1

DIFFICULTY: Difficult

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Matching

Match the following atomic structure characteristics with the correct statement or definition.

a. electron

b. neutron

c. proton

d. binding energy

e. kinetic energy

f. atomic mass

g. atomic number

h. isotope

DIFFICULTY: Medium

QUESTION TYPE: Matching

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31. entirely concentrated in the nucleus

ANSWER: f

POINTS: 1

32. increases as the number of electrons and protons increases

ANSWER: d

POINTS: 1

33. A change in the number of these changes the identity of the element.

ANSWER: c

POINTS: 1

34. possesses a negative charge and minute mass

ANSWER: a

POINTS: 1

35. A gain or loss of this atomic particle creates an isotope.

ANSWER: b

POINTS: 1

36. Electrons moving around in specific orbitals demonstrate this energy.

ANSWER: e

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POINTS: 1

Match the following items relating to the periodic table with the correct statement.

- | | |
|----------------------|------------|
| a. tungsten | b. valence |
| c. molybdenum | d. iodine |
| e. barium | f. lead |
| g. families (groups) | h. periods |

DIFFICULTY: Difficult

QUESTION TYPE: Matching

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37. elements having the same chemical characteristics

ANSWER: g

POINTS: 1

38. Its k-shell binding energy is -33.17 keV.

ANSWER: d

POINTS: 1

39. It is determined by the number of electrons in the outermost shell of an atom.

ANSWER: b

POINTS: 1

40. It has a mass number of 207.

ANSWER: f

POINTS: 1

41. Elements having the same principal quantum number are in this order.

ANSWER: h

POINTS: 1

42. an "L" to "K" transition would yield 31.45 keV of energy

ANSWER: e

POINTS: 1

Match the following items relating to the electromagnetic spectrum with the correct statement.

- | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| a. infrared energy | b. gamma rays |
| c. radio waves | d. ultraviolet energy |
| e. excitation | f. lambda |
| g. amplitude | h. velocity |

DIFFICULTY: Medium

QUESTION TYPE: Matching

HAS VARIABLES: False

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43. the transference of energy to an atom

ANSWER: e

POINTS: 1

44. can be long wavelengths in kilometers

ANSWER: c

POINTS: 1

45. an expression of wavelength

ANSWER: f

POINTS: 1

46. the product of frequency and wavelength

ANSWER: h

POINTS: 1

47. expressed as the height of the wave

ANSWER: g

POINTS: 1

48. highly penetrating based upon frequency

ANSWER: b

POINTS: 1