

# Grade XII <u>Chapter 8 – ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVES</u> <u>Question Bank</u>

## **OBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS**

1. What is wavelength of signal weather frequency of 300 megahertz?

(a) 2m

(b) 20m

(c) 10m

(d) 1m.

Ans. D 
$$[\lambda = \frac{c}{v} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{3 \times 10^8} = 1m]$$

## Application

**2.** If  $\lambda_x$ ,  $\lambda_m$ ,  $\lambda_v$  represents wavelength of X-Rays, microwaves & visible rays then

(a) 
$$\lambda_m > \lambda_x > \lambda_v$$

(b)  $\lambda_m > \lambda_v > \lambda_x$ 

(c) 
$$\lambda_v > \lambda_x > \lambda_m$$

(d)  $\lambda_v > \lambda_m > \lambda_x$ 

Ans. B

Understanding

4.	EN	EM waves can be produced by a charge:							
	(a)	An accelerated charged particles							
	(b)	A charged particles moving with constant speed							
	(c)	at rest.							
	(d)	either at rest or moving with constant velocity.							
Ans. (a)									
Remembering									
5.	In l	In EM spectrum minimum wavelength is of:							
	(a)	gamma rays							
	(c)	visible rays							
Ans. A									
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6.	Prop	Properties of EM radiation are identified by using there:							
	(a)	colour	(b)	their use					
	(c)	speed	(d)	frequency or wavelength					
Ans. D									
Understanding									

7.	Lig	Light wave constitutes:								
	(a)	mechanical waves		(b)	magnetic waves					
	(c)	electromagnetic waves		(d)	longitudinal waves					
Ans. C										
Understanding										
8. Which of the following transport by EM waves:										
	(a)	charge & momentum		59	quency & wavelength					
	(c)	energy & momentum	(d)	wa	velength & energy					
Ans. C										
Understanding										
FILL IN THE BLANKS										
1 . For an EM wave propagating alongx –axis Emax =30V/m, the maximum value of magnetic										
field is Ans. 10 <sup>7</sup> T										
Application										
2. Shorter the wavelength of an electromagnetic waves , energy it carries										
Ans. More $[E = \frac{hc}{\lambda}]$										
Understanding										
3.	Waves used to transmit cellular telephone message are									
Ans. microwaves										
Analysing & Evaluating										

4. In EM waves transport both...... takes place.

Ans. Energy, momentum  $[E = h \upsilon \& p = \frac{h}{\lambda}]$ 

# Understanding

EM waves are produced by...... charges.

Ans. Accelerated/Oscillated

# Understanding

6. To study structure of crystals...... are used.

Ans. X-rays

# Application

7. Human eye can detect...... part of electromagnetic spectrum.

Ans. visible

## Remembering

8. To treat cancer and tumor in radiography...... rave

Ans. / -rays

Remember

## **OUESTIONS BASED ON BOARD PAPERS**

### **FILL IN THE BLANKS**

[1] During the propagation of an EM wave in a medium electrical energy density is -----magnetic energy density

Equal

Understanding

[2] The velocity of em waves in the free space can be given by relation -----

$$c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \in_0}}$$

Remembering

[3] The cross product  $\vec{E} \times \vec{B}$ , always gives the ----- of em waves

Direction

Understanding

[4] The em waves of frequency range from 5 x  $10^5$  Hz to  $10^9$  Hz are called ---- Remembering

Radio wave

[5] The em waves of frequency range from 3 x  $10^{18}$  Hz to  $10^{22}$  Hz are called ----

Gamma rays

Remembering

[6] The em waves which are used in the working of solar water heater and cookers are called ---- Infra red

#### Remembering

[7] In a plane em wave, the electric field oscillates at a frequency of  $2.5 \times 10^{10}$  Hz and amplitude of 480 V/m. The amplitude of oscillating magnetic field is ----

 $1.6 \text{ x} 10^{-6} \text{ wb/m}^2$ 

Application

[8] Maxwell's equations related to study of em waves describe the fundamental laws of ---- &---- Electricity & magnetism

Understanding

#### **OBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS**

- [1] Microwaves are the em waves with frequency, in the range of
- [a] micro hertz [b] mega hertz [c] giga hertz [d] hertz[c]

Remembering

- [2] Which of the following em waves has smaller wavelength
- [a] X rays [b] radio waves [c] gamma rays [d] microwaves

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Remembering

- [3] The waves used in telecommunication are
- [a] infra red [b] u.v [c] microwaves [d] cosmic rays

[c]