

GREENLAWNS HIGH SCHOOL

DATE: 22-09-2025

STD. VIII

MARKS: 80

DAY: Monday

PHYSICS

TIME: 2 hours

Section-I

Q1 Choose the correct answers to the questions from the given options. 15m
(Do not copy the questions, write the correct answers only.)

- i. Thermal expansion is greatest in
 - a. Solids
 - b. Liquids
 - c. Gases
 - d. all of the above
- ii. The rate of energy per unit of time is _____
 - a. work
 - b. thrust
 - c. power
 - d. torque
- iii. A _____ is a metal pin or bolt used for fastening metal plate
 - a. rivet
 - b. hook
 - c. clamp
 - d. rod
- iv. Which of the followings are effects of force
 - a. It can change the shape of an object
 - b. It can change the direction of a moving object
 - c. It can change the speed of an object
 - d. All of the above
- v. Knives are ground to thin edge to
 - a. Decrease pressure and increase area
 - b. Increase pressure and decrease area
 - c. Increase pressure and increase area.
 - d. Decrease pressure and decrease area.
- vi. Iron bridges expand and contract due to changes in temperature. To allow this expansion without causing damage, one end of the bridge is placed on
 - a. springs
 - b. rollers
 - c. levers
 - d. hinges
- vii. Which of the following objects is designed to produce a turning effect when a force is applied?
 - a. A hammer used to hit a nail
 - b. A screwdriver used to tighten a screw
 - c. A ruler used to draw a line
 - d. A book placed on a table
- viii. The potential energy of an object increases when it is raised to a greater _____
 - a. temperature
 - b. height

- c. time
- d. pressure
- xi. The boiling point of water inside a pressure a cooker.
 - a. 121°C
 - b. 100°C
 - c. 110°C
 - d. 150°C
- x. In which of the following motion the whole body gets displaced
 - a. Rotational motion
 - b. Translational motion
 - c. Vibrational motion
 - d. Oscillatory motion
- xi. Linear Expansion does not depend on the
 - a. Nature of the material
 - b. Original length of the body
 - c. The increase in temperature
 - d. Original surface area of the body
- xii. Which of the following liquid will evaporate faster at room temperature
 - a. Water
 - b. Oil
 - c. Honey
 - d. Sanitizer
- xiii. Gaseous envelope surrounding the earth is
 - a. Hydrosphere
 - b. Biosphere
 - c. Hemisphere
 - d. Atmosphere
- xiv. In a bicycle, pedal force applied to the chain is _____ force applied at the pedal
 - a. greater than
 - b. less than
 - c. equal to
 - d. None of the above
- xv. Pressure in a liquid increase with
 - a. Decreasing depth
 - b. Increasing density
 - c. Lower gravity
 - d. Larger surface area

Q2 State whether the underlined word in the following sentence makes the statement true or false. If the statement is false, correct only the underlined part. 5m

- i. Pressure can be increased by increasing the area.
- ii. Gases undergo superficial expansion.
- iii. At high altitudes boiling point of water reduces.
- iv. The kinetic energy of an object increases with it its speed.
- v. Force is measured in grams.

Q3 Match the following

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Quantity	SI Unit
1. Pressure	a) N m
2. Thrust	b) W
3. Torque	c) J
4. Work	d) N m^{-2}
5. Power	e) N

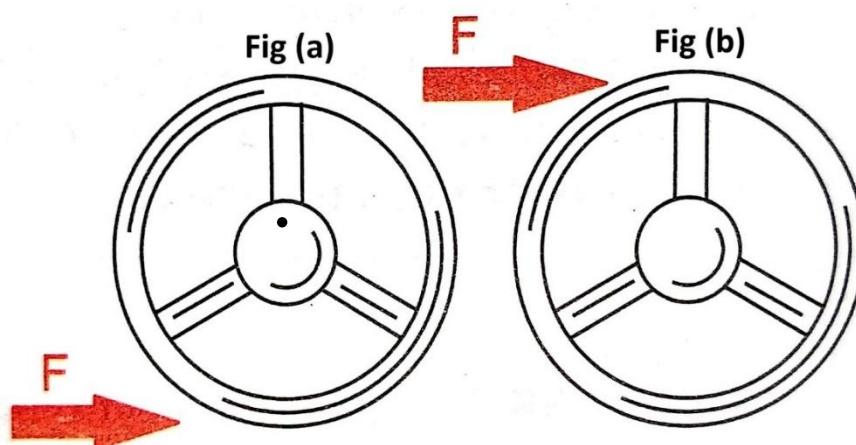
Q4 Name the following

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- In CGS system unit of work is.
- The type of expansion in which solid changes its volume on heating.
- The force acting normally on a surface is.
- The capacity of a body animate or inanimate to do work is.
- Pressure exerted on a surface area of $11m^2$ by a thrust of 1 N is.

Q5 Based on the image of two steering wheels with arrows indicating direction of applied force and with points marked as C, E and G on steering wheel in Fig (a) and points D, H and I on steering when in Fig(b) answer the following question (Do not draw the figure)

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- Which point is the pivot for the steering wheel in Fig (a)
- Observe the arrow of force shown in Fig (b). In which direction will the steering wheel rotate — clockwise or anticlockwise?
- At which point should a person apply force on the steering wheel in Fig (a) to get the greatest turning effect
- At which point, when force is applied on the steering wheel in Fig (b), will the turning effect be the least
- How does the turning effect change when the perpendicular distance from the pivot increases, if the force applied remains the same?

Q6 Identify the energy conversion in each case

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- A solar panel.
- A car engine running on petrol
- A loudspeaker playing music
- Photosynthesis in plants
- A burning candle.

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SECTION - II

Q7 Give scientific reasons

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- i. Why do nose bleeds occur at high altitudes?
- ii. A gap is left between two railway lines?
- iii. When a person pushes a wall, no work is done, why?

Q8. Answer the following question

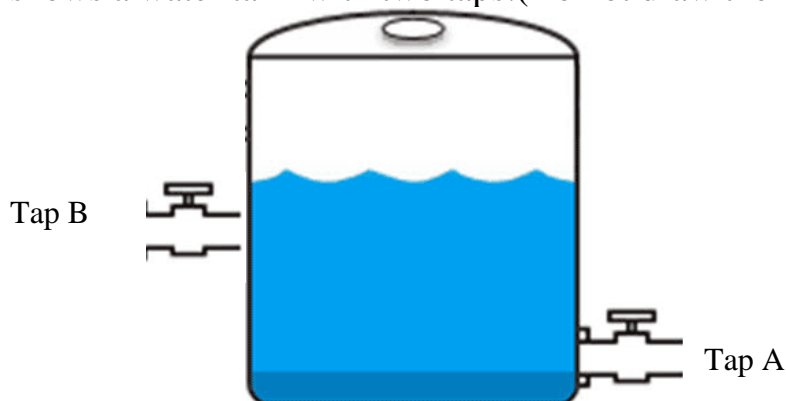
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- i. What is a bimetallic strip? Name any one gadget where it is used
- ii. Name two factors on which moment of force depends on.

Q9 Answer the following question

- i. The diagram shows a water tank with two taps. (Do not draw the figure).

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- a. From which tap will the water come out with greater force? And why?
- b. If the height of water in the tank increases, what happens to the pressure of water at Tap A
- c. Hence explain why are water tanks placed on top of buildings rather than on the ground?
- ii. Give the two conditions that is required for work to be done **2m**
- iii. Distinguish between Boiling and Evaporation based on the following two points **2m**
 - a) Definition
 - b) Temperature at which it occurs
- iv. Observe the two images: one shows tea in a cup and the other shows tea in a saucer. Answer the following questions: (Do not draw the figure)
 - a. In which container will the tea cool faster – the cup or the saucer?
 - b. Give a reason for your answer. **2m**



Q10 Solve the following Numerical

- i. A girl weighing 50 kg carries a box of mass 12 kg to the top of a building 15 m high. Taking $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$, calculate the total work done by the girl against gravity. **3m**
- ii. The moment of force applied on a nut is 2 N m. If the spanner is held 20 cm from the nut, calculate the force applied. **3m**
- iii. A block exerts a pressure of 250 N m^{-2} on the ground. If the force applied **2m**

by the block is 500 N, calculate the area of contact with the ground.

- iv. A ball of mass 2 kg is moving with a speed of 3 m/s. Calculate its kinetic energy. **2m**

Q11 Answer the following questions

- i. Observe the three images given below carefully. In each image, a force is applied on an object. Based on the direction of force and displacement, identify the type of work done. Write your answer as *Positive*, *Negative*, or *Zero* for each case. **3m**

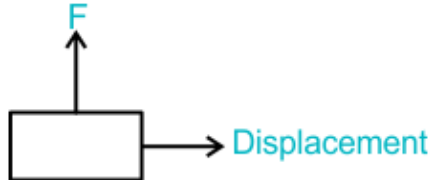


Image -1

1. $W = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

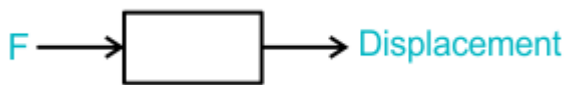


Image -2

2. $W = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

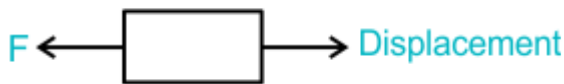


Image -3

3. $W = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

- ii. The following image is of the same copper plate before and after heating. Answer the following questions based on the figure **2m**

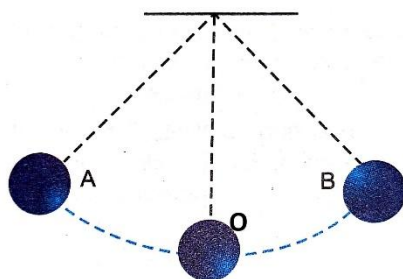


Before Heating



After Heating

- Which type of thermal expansion is seen in the image?
 - What will happen to the copper plate. if while heating the temperature is increased further?
- iii. Define the term Potential energy and give its SI unit. **2m**
- iv. The following image shows a pendulum suspended from point C. Points A and B are the extreme positions of the pendulum, and point O is the mean (central) position. **3m**



- At which positions is the potential energy of the pendulum maximum?
- At which position is the kinetic energy of the pendulum maximum?
- What type of energy transformation takes place as the pendulum moves from position A to position O?

