

AME CET Technical Aptitude

Sample Paper – 1

Duration: 30 Minutes

Maximum Marks: 120

Instructions

- This paper contains **30** Multiple Choice Questions (Single Correct Answer), covering **Mechanical & Applied-Physics Aptitude** (Q1–15) and **Electrical, Electronics & Aviation Technical Fundamentals** (Q16–30), in the **AME CET** marking style.
- Each correct answer carries **+4 marks**. Each wrong answer carries **–1 mark**. Unattempted questions carry **0 marks**.
- Only **one** option is correct per question. Choose carefully.
- This is a **supplementary technical-aptitude practice set** for AME CET aspirants; pacing is one minute per question, matching the main exam.
- Use of mobile phones, calculators, or any electronic gadget is strictly prohibited.

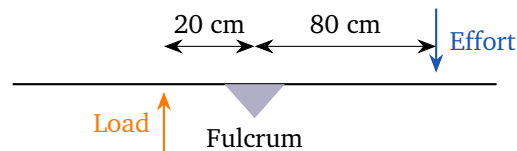
Part A: Mechanical & Applied-Physics Aptitude

- Q1.** A net force of 10 N acts on a body of mass 2 kg. The acceleration produced in the body is:
- (A) 5 m/s^2
(B) 20 m/s^2
(C) 8 m/s^2
(D) 0.2 m/s^2
- Q2.** The linear momentum of a body of mass 4 kg moving with a velocity of 5 m/s is:
- (A) $9 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m/s}$



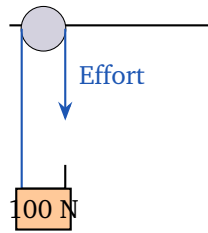
- (B) $1.25 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}/\text{s}$
- (C) $100 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}/\text{s}$
- (D) $20 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}/\text{s}$

Q3. In the class-1 lever shown, the effort arm is 80 cm and the load arm is 20 cm. The ideal mechanical advantage of the lever is:



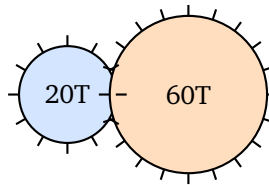
- (A) 0.25
 - (B) 100
 - (C) 4
 - (D) 60
- Q4.** A constant force of 50 N moves a crate through a distance of 4 m in the direction of the force. The work done is:
- (A) 54 J
 - (B) 200 J
 - (C) 12.5 J
 - (D) 46 J
- Q5.** A machine does 600 J of work in 30 seconds. The power output of the machine is:
- (A) 20 W
 - (B) 18000 W
 - (C) 0.05 W
 - (D) 630 W
- Q6.** A single movable pulley (ideal, weightless and frictionless) is used to lift a load of 100 N, as shown. The effort required is:





- (A) 200 N
- (B) 100 N
- (C) 25 N
- (D) 50 N

Q7. A driver gear with 20 teeth meshes with a driven gear of 60 teeth, as shown. If the driver gear rotates at 300 rpm, the driven gear rotates at:



- (A) 900 rpm
- (B) 100 rpm
- (C) 300 rpm
- (D) 60 rpm

Q8. A force of 500 N acts normally on a metal bar of cross-sectional area $1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$. The stress developed in the bar is:

- (A) $5 \times 10^4 \text{ Pa}$
- (B) 0.05 Pa
- (C) $5 \times 10^6 \text{ Pa}$
- (D) $5 \times 10^8 \text{ Pa}$

Q9. The property of a metal that allows it to be drawn into thin wires is called:



- (A) Brittleness
- (B) Ductility
- (C) Density
- (D) Conductivity

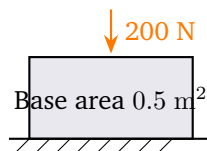
Q10. The SI unit of pressure is the:

- (A) Newton
- (B) Joule
- (C) Watt
- (D) Pascal

Q11. A screw gauge has a pitch of 1 mm and 100 equal divisions on its circular scale. Its least count is:

- (A) 0.01 mm
- (B) 0.1 mm
- (C) 1 mm
- (D) 0.5 mm

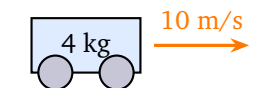
Q12. A rectangular block of weight 200 N rests on the ground with its base area equal to 0.5 m^2 , as shown. The pressure exerted on the ground is:



- (A) 100 Pa
- (B) 1000 Pa
- (C) 400 Pa
- (D) 40 Pa



- Q13.** An object completely immersed in water displaces 0.002 m^3 of water. Taking the density of water as 1000 kg/m^3 and $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$, the buoyant force on the object is:
- (A) 2 N
(B) 200 N
(C) 0.02 N
(D) 20 N
- Q14.** The heat required to raise the temperature of 2 kg of a metal by 10°C , given its specific heat capacity is $500 \text{ J/kg} \cdot ^\circ\text{C}$, is:
- (A) 1000 J
(B) 10000 J
(C) 100 J
(D) 25 J
- Q15.** A trolley of mass 4 kg moves with a velocity of 10 m/s, as shown. Its kinetic energy is:



- (A) 200 J
(B) 40 J
(C) 20 J
(D) 400 J

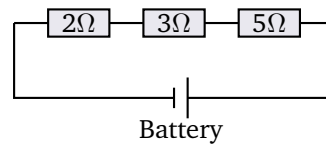
**Part B: Electrical, Electronics &
Aviation Technical Fundamentals**

- Q16.** A current of 2 A flows through a resistor of 5Ω . The voltage across the resistor is:
- (A) 10 V



- (B) 2.5 V
- (C) 0.4 V
- (D) 7 V

Q17. Three resistors of $2\ \Omega$, $3\ \Omega$ and $5\ \Omega$ are connected in series, as shown. The total resistance of the circuit is:



- (A) $0.97\ \Omega$
- (B) $10\ \Omega$
- (C) $6\ \Omega$
- (D) $1.03\ \Omega$

Q18. Two resistors, each of $6\ \Omega$, are connected in parallel. Their combined resistance is:

- (A) $12\ \Omega$
- (B) $6\ \Omega$
- (C) $3\ \Omega$
- (D) $9\ \Omega$

Q19. A current of $3\ \text{A}$ flows through a $4\ \Omega$ resistor. The power dissipated in the resistor is:

- (A) $12\ \text{W}$
- (B) $7\ \text{W}$
- (C) $1.33\ \text{W}$
- (D) $36\ \text{W}$

Q20. Three identical cells, each of EMF $1.5\ \text{V}$, are connected in series. The total EMF of the combination is:



- (A) 4.5 V
- (B) 1.5 V
- (C) 0.5 V
- (D) 3.0 V

Q21. The device that converts electrical energy into mechanical energy is the:

- (A) Generator
- (B) Transformer
- (C) Motor
- (D) Battery

Q22. Which of the following machines converts mechanical energy into electrical energy?

- (A) Motor
- (B) Transformer
- (C) Capacitor
- (D) Generator

Q23. An ideal semiconductor diode allows current to flow:

- (A) in both directions equally
- (B) in no direction at all
- (C) only when it is reverse biased
- (D) in one direction only

Q24. Alternating current (AC), used in many aircraft electrical systems, is best described as a current that:

- (A) flows in one direction only
- (B) periodically reverses its direction
- (C) is always equal to zero

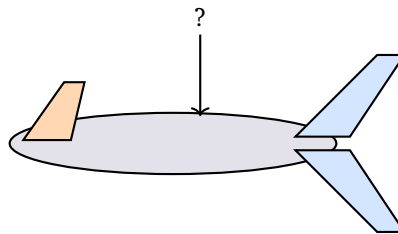


(D) cannot do useful work

Q25. The cockpit instrument that indicates an aircraft’s height above mean sea level is the:

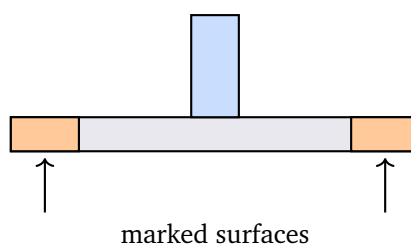
- (A) Altimeter
- (B) Airspeed indicator
- (C) Magnetic compass
- (D) Tachometer

Q26. In the simplified aircraft outline shown, the main central body to which the wings and tail are attached is called the:



- (A) Aileron
- (B) Fuselage
- (C) Empennage
- (D) Nacelle

Q27. The control surfaces marked on the wings in the figure deflect to roll the aircraft about its longitudinal axis. These surfaces are the:

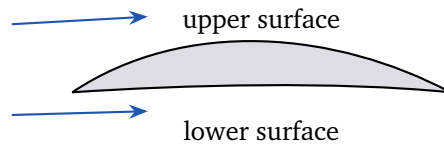


- (A) Rudder
- (B) Elevator



- (C) Ailerons
- (D) Flaps

Q28. Air flows over the curved aerofoil section shown. By the common Bernoulli explanation of lift, the faster airflow over the more curved surface produces lower pressure. The lower-pressure region is the:



- (A) Lower surface
 - (B) Upper surface
 - (C) Trailing edge only
 - (D) There is no pressure difference
- Q29.** In steady, straight and level flight at constant speed, the lift produced by the wings exactly balances the:
- (A) Thrust
 - (B) Drag
 - (C) Weight
 - (D) Friction
- Q30.** In most modern transport aircraft, the landing gear is raised and lowered mainly by the:
- (A) Hydraulic system
 - (B) Fuel system
 - (C) Oxygen system
 - (D) Ignition system



Detailed Solutions

Q1.

Solution

Concept — Newton's second law: The acceleration of a body equals the net force on it divided by its mass, $a = F/m$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$a = \frac{F}{m}$$

Step 2 — Substitute the values $F = 10 \text{ N}$ and $m = 2 \text{ kg}$:

$$a = \frac{10}{2}$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$a = 5 \text{ m/s}^2$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option B (20): multiplies force by mass instead of dividing.
- Option C (8): adds force and mass, which is dimensionally invalid.
- Option D (0.2): divides mass by force, inverting the formula.

Final Answer: $5 \text{ m/s}^2 \Rightarrow \boxed{\text{A}}$

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q1](#)

Q2.

Solution

Concept — Linear momentum: Momentum is the product of mass and velocity, $p = mv$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$p = mv$$

Step 2 — Substitute $m = 4 \text{ kg}$ and $v = 5 \text{ m/s}$:

$$p = 4 \times 5$$



Step 3 — Simplify:

$$p = 20 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (9): adds mass and velocity instead of multiplying.
- Option B (1.25): divides velocity by mass.
- Option C (100): multiplies by an extra factor of 5.

Final Answer: $20 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m/s} \Rightarrow$ D

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q2](#)

Q3.

Solution

Concept — Mechanical advantage of a lever: For an ideal lever the mechanical advantage equals the effort arm divided by the load arm.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$\text{MA} = \frac{\text{effort arm}}{\text{load arm}}$$

Step 2 — Substitute effort arm = 80 cm and load arm = 20 cm:

$$\text{MA} = \frac{80}{20}$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$\text{MA} = 4$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (0.25): inverts the ratio (load arm over effort arm).
- Option B (100): adds the two arm lengths.
- Option D (60): subtracts the arm lengths.

Final Answer: $4 \Rightarrow$ C

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q3](#)



Q4.

Solution

Concept — Work done by a constant force: When the force and displacement are in the same direction, $\text{work} = \text{force} \times \text{distance}$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$W = F \times d$$

Step 2 — Substitute $F = 50 \text{ N}$ and $d = 4 \text{ m}$:

$$W = 50 \times 4$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$W = 200 \text{ J}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (54): adds force and distance.
- Option C (12.5): divides force by distance.
- Option D (46): subtracts distance from force.

Final Answer: 200 J \Rightarrow **B**

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q4](#)

Q5.

Solution

Concept — Power: Power is the rate of doing work, $P = W/t$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$P = \frac{W}{t}$$

Step 2 — Substitute $W = 600 \text{ J}$ and $t = 30 \text{ s}$:

$$P = \frac{600}{30}$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$P = 20 \text{ W}$$

Why other options are wrong:



- Option B (18000): multiplies work by time instead of dividing.
- Option C (0.05): divides time by work, inverting the formula.
- Option D (630): adds work and time.

Final Answer: 20 W \Rightarrow

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q5](#)

Q6.

Solution

Concept — Single movable pulley: An ideal single movable pulley has a mechanical advantage of 2, so the effort is half the load.

Step 1 — State the mechanical advantage:

$$MA = 2$$

Step 2 — Relate effort and load:

$$\text{Effort} = \frac{\text{Load}}{MA} = \frac{100}{2}$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$\text{Effort} = 50 \text{ N}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (200): doubles the load instead of halving it.
- Option B (100): assumes no mechanical advantage.
- Option C (25): uses a mechanical advantage of 4, which a single movable pulley does not give.

Final Answer: 50 N \Rightarrow

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q6](#)



Q7.

Solution

Concept — Gear speed ratio: For two meshing gears, speed is inversely proportional to the number of teeth: $N_{\text{driven}} = N_{\text{driver}} \times \frac{T_{\text{driver}}}{T_{\text{driven}}}$.

Step 1 — Write the relation:

$$N_{\text{driven}} = N_{\text{driver}} \times \frac{T_{\text{driver}}}{T_{\text{driven}}}$$

Step 2 — Substitute $N_{\text{driver}} = 300$ rpm, $T_{\text{driver}} = 20$, $T_{\text{driven}} = 60$:

$$N_{\text{driven}} = 300 \times \frac{20}{60}$$

Step 3 — Simplify the fraction:

$$\frac{20}{60} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Step 4 — Compute:

$$N_{\text{driven}} = 300 \times \frac{1}{3} = 100 \text{ rpm}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (900): multiplies by 3 instead of dividing.
- Option C (300): assumes equal gears, ignoring the tooth ratio.
- Option D (60): uses the tooth count as the speed.

Final Answer: 100 rpm \Rightarrow **B**

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q7](#)

Q8.

Solution

Concept — Stress: Stress is the force per unit cross-sectional area, $\sigma = F/A$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$\sigma = \frac{F}{A}$$



Step 2 — Substitute $F = 500 \text{ N}$ and $A = 1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$:

$$\sigma = \frac{500}{1 \times 10^{-4}}$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$\sigma = 500 \times 10^4 = 5 \times 10^6 \text{ Pa}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (5×10^4): off by a factor of 100 in the area exponent.
- Option B (0.05): multiplies instead of divides by the area.
- Option D (5×10^8): uses too large a power of ten.

Final Answer: $5 \times 10^6 \text{ Pa} \Rightarrow$ C

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q8](#)

Q9.

Solution

Concept — Mechanical properties of metals: Ductility is the ability of a material to be drawn out into thin wires without breaking.

Step 1 — Match the definition: Being “drawn into thin wires” is the defining description of ductility.

Step 2 — Confirm the property: Metals such as copper and aluminium are highly ductile, which is why they are used for wires.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (Brittleness): brittle materials fracture rather than stretch.
- Option C (Density): a measure of mass per unit volume, unrelated to wire-drawing.
- Option D (Conductivity): the ability to carry current, not to be shaped into wire.

Final Answer: Ductility \Rightarrow B

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q9](#)



Q10.

Solution

Concept — SI units: Pressure is force per unit area, and its SI unit is the pascal (Pa), equal to one newton per square metre.

Step 1 — Recall the definition of pressure:

$$\text{Pressure} = \frac{\text{Force}}{\text{Area}} = \frac{\text{N}}{\text{m}^2}$$

Step 2 — Name the unit:

$$1 \frac{\text{N}}{\text{m}^2} = 1 \text{ pascal (Pa)}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (Newton): the unit of force, not pressure.
- Option B (Joule): the unit of energy or work.
- Option C (Watt): the unit of power.

Final Answer: Pascal \Rightarrow

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q10](#)

Q11.

Solution

Concept — Least count of a screw gauge: The least count is the pitch divided by the number of divisions on the circular scale.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$\text{Least count} = \frac{\text{pitch}}{\text{number of circular-scale divisions}}$$

Step 2 — Substitute pitch = 1 mm and 100 divisions:

$$\text{Least count} = \frac{1}{100}$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$\text{Least count} = 0.01 \text{ mm}$$



Why other options are wrong:

- Option B (0.1): divides by 10 instead of 100.
- Option C (1): takes the pitch itself as the least count.
- Option D (0.5): halves the pitch, ignoring the division count.

Final Answer: 0.01 mm \Rightarrow

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q11](#)

Q12.

Solution

Concept — Pressure on a surface: Pressure is the normal force divided by the area over which it acts, $P = F/A$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$P = \frac{F}{A}$$

Step 2 — Substitute $F = 200$ N and $A = 0.5$ m²:

$$P = \frac{200}{0.5}$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$P = 400 \text{ Pa}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (100): divides by 2 instead of 0.5.
- Option B (1000): multiplies in error.
- Option D (40): off by a factor of ten.

Final Answer: 400 Pa \Rightarrow

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q12](#)



Q13.

Solution

Concept — Archimedes' principle: The buoyant force equals the weight of the displaced fluid, $F_B = \rho Vg$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$F_B = \rho Vg$$

Step 2 — Substitute $\rho = 1000$, $V = 0.002$, $g = 10$:

$$F_B = 1000 \times 0.002 \times 10$$

Step 3 — Multiply step by step:

$$1000 \times 0.002 = 2$$

$$2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ N}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (2): forgets to multiply by g .
- Option B (200): uses the wrong power of ten for the volume.
- Option C (0.02): misplaces the decimal point.

Final Answer: 20 N \Rightarrow D

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q13](#)

Q14.

Solution

Concept — Heat and specific heat: The heat needed to change the temperature of a body is $Q = mc\Delta T$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$Q = mc\Delta T$$

Step 2 — Substitute $m = 2$, $c = 500$, $\Delta T = 10$:

$$Q = 2 \times 500 \times 10$$



Step 3 — Multiply step by step:

$$2 \times 500 = 1000$$

$$1000 \times 10 = 10000 \text{ J}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (1000): stops after multiplying mass and specific heat, omitting ΔT .
- Option C (100): divides instead of multiplying somewhere.
- Option D (25): divides the quantities together.

Final Answer: 10000 J \Rightarrow **B**

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q14](#)

Q15.

Solution

Concept — Kinetic energy: A moving body has kinetic energy $KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

Step 2 — Substitute $m = 4 \text{ kg}$ and $v = 10 \text{ m/s}$:

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times (10)^2$$

Step 3 — Evaluate the square:

$$(10)^2 = 100$$

Step 4 — Compute:

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 100 = 2 \times 100 = 200 \text{ J}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option B (40): forgets to square the velocity.
- Option C (20): uses momentum-like reasoning, not kinetic energy.



- Option D (400): omits the factor of one-half.

Final Answer: 200 J \Rightarrow

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q15](#)

Q16.

Solution

Concept — Ohm's law: The voltage across a resistor equals the current through it times its resistance, $V = IR$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$V = IR$$

Step 2 — Substitute $I = 2 \text{ A}$ and $R = 5 \Omega$:

$$V = 2 \times 5$$

Step 3 — Simplify:

$$V = 10 \text{ V}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option B (2.5): divides resistance by current.
- Option C (0.4): divides current by resistance.
- Option D (7): adds current and resistance.

Final Answer: 10 V \Rightarrow

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q16](#)

Q17.

Solution

Concept — Resistors in series: In a series circuit the total resistance is the sum of the individual resistances.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$R_{\text{total}} = R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$



Step 2 — Substitute $2\ \Omega$, $3\ \Omega$ and $5\ \Omega$:

$$R_{\text{total}} = 2 + 3 + 5$$

Step 3 — Add:

$$R_{\text{total}} = 10\ \Omega$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (0.97): uses the parallel formula by mistake.
- Option C (6): adds only two of the three resistors.
- Option D (1.03): another parallel-combination error.

Final Answer: $10\ \Omega \Rightarrow$ B

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q17](#)

Q18.

Solution

Concept — Two equal resistors in parallel: For two equal resistors in parallel, the combined resistance is half of one resistor.

Step 1 — Write the parallel formula:

$$\frac{1}{R_p} = \frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{R}$$

Step 2 — Substitute $R = 6\ \Omega$:

$$\frac{1}{R_p} = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{2}{6}$$

Step 3 — Invert to find R_p :

$$R_p = \frac{6}{2} = 3\ \Omega$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (12): adds the resistors as if in series.
- Option B (6): leaves a single resistor value.
- Option D (9): an arithmetic error.

Final Answer: $3\ \Omega \Rightarrow$ C



Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q18](#)

Q19.

Solution

Concept — Power dissipated in a resistor: The power dissipated is $P = I^2R$.

Step 1 — Write the formula:

$$P = I^2R$$

Step 2 — Substitute $I = 3 \text{ A}$ and $R = 4 \Omega$:

$$P = (3)^2 \times 4$$

Step 3 — Evaluate the square:

$$(3)^2 = 9$$

Step 4 — Compute:

$$P = 9 \times 4 = 36 \text{ W}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (12): uses $I \times R$ without squaring the current.
- Option B (7): adds current and resistance.
- Option C (1.33): divides instead of multiplying.

Final Answer: 36 W \Rightarrow D

Answer: (D) [Go Back to Q19](#)

Q20.

Solution

Concept — Cells in series: When cells are connected in series, their EMFs add up.

Step 1 — Write the relation:

$$E_{\text{total}} = E_1 + E_2 + E_3$$



Step 2 — Substitute three cells of 1.5 V each:

$$E_{\text{total}} = 1.5 + 1.5 + 1.5$$

Step 3 — Add:

$$E_{\text{total}} = 4.5 \text{ V}$$

Why other options are wrong:

- Option B (1.5): the EMF of a single cell only.
- Option C (0.5): divides instead of adding.
- Option D (3.0): adds only two cells.

Final Answer: 4.5 V \Rightarrow

Answer: (A) [Go Back to Q20](#)

Q21.

Solution

Concept — Electric motor: A motor uses the force on a current-carrying conductor in a magnetic field to convert electrical energy into mechanical (rotational) energy.

Step 1 — Identify the energy conversion: Input is electrical energy; output is mechanical motion.

Step 2 — Match to the device: The device that performs electrical \rightarrow mechanical conversion is the electric motor.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (Generator): does the reverse, mechanical \rightarrow electrical.
- Option B (Transformer): changes AC voltage levels, with no mechanical output.
- Option D (Battery): stores chemical energy and supplies electrical energy.

Final Answer: Motor \Rightarrow

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q21](#)



Q22.

Solution

Concept — Electric generator: A generator uses electromagnetic induction to convert mechanical energy into electrical energy.

Step 1 — Identify the energy conversion: Input is mechanical rotation; output is electrical energy.

Step 2 — Match to the device: The machine performing mechanical → electrical conversion is the generator.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (Motor): does the reverse conversion.
- Option B (Transformer): only changes AC voltage, no mechanical input.
- Option C (Capacitor): stores charge, it does not generate electricity.

Final Answer: Generator ⇒

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Q23.

Solution

Concept — Semiconductor diode: A diode conducts when forward biased and blocks current when reverse biased, so it allows current in only one direction.

Step 1 — Recall diode behaviour: Forward bias → conducts; reverse bias → blocks.

Step 2 — State the consequence: Current is permitted in one direction only, which is why diodes are used for rectification.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (both directions): describes a plain conductor, not a diode.
- Option B (no direction): describes an open circuit or insulator.
- Option C (only reverse biased): the opposite of true diode action.

Final Answer: in one direction only ⇒

[Go Back to Q23](#)



Q24.

Solution

Concept — Alternating current: AC is a current whose direction reverses periodically, unlike DC which flows steadily in one direction.

Step 1 — Recall the definition: The magnitude and direction of AC change with time in a repeating cycle.

Step 2 — Select the matching description: “Periodically reverses its direction” is the defining feature of AC.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (one direction only): describes direct current (DC).
- Option C (always zero): then no power could be delivered.
- Option D (cannot do useful work): false, AC powers most electrical equipment.

Final Answer: periodically reverses its direction ⇒

[Go Back to Q24](#)

Q25.

Solution

Concept — Flight instruments: The altimeter measures the aircraft’s altitude (height above mean sea level) using static air pressure.

Step 1 — Match the function to the instrument: Indicating height above sea level is the job of the altimeter.

Step 2 — Confirm the principle: It works by sensing the fall of atmospheric pressure with increasing altitude.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option B (Airspeed indicator): shows speed through the air, not height.
- Option C (Magnetic compass): shows heading or direction.
- Option D (Tachometer): shows engine or rotor rotational speed.

Final Answer: Altimeter ⇒

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Q26.

Solution

Concept — Aircraft structure: The fuselage is the central body of an aircraft; the wings, tail and other major parts attach to it.

Step 1 — Identify the marked part: The long central body in the outline is the fuselage.

Step 2 — Confirm its role: It houses the crew, passengers and cargo and carries the structural loads from the attached wings and tail.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (Aileron): a small control surface on the wing.
- Option C (Empennage): the tail assembly, not the central body.
- Option D (Nacelle): the housing around an engine.

Final Answer: Fuselage ⇒

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Q27.

Solution

Concept — Control surfaces: Ailerons are hinged surfaces near the wingtips that move in opposite directions to roll the aircraft about its longitudinal axis.

Step 1 — Identify the axis of motion: Rolling (banking) is rotation about the longitudinal axis.

Step 2 — Match the surface: The surfaces controlling roll, located on the outer trailing edge of each wing, are the ailerons.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (Rudder): on the vertical tail, controls yaw.
- Option B (Elevator): on the horizontal tail, controls pitch.
- Option D (Flaps): increase lift and drag for take-off and landing, they do not roll the aircraft.

Final Answer: Ailerons ⇒

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Q28.

Solution

Concept — Bernoulli explanation of lift: Air moving faster over the more curved upper surface of an aerofoil has lower pressure than the slower air beneath, and the pressure difference produces lift.

Step 1 — Compare the airflow speeds: The upper surface is more curved, so the air there travels faster.

Step 2 — Apply Bernoulli's principle: Faster airflow means lower pressure, so the upper surface is the low-pressure region.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (Lower surface): this is the higher-pressure side.
- Option C (Trailing edge only): pressure varies over the whole surface, not just the edge.
- Option D (No difference): then no lift would be generated.

Final Answer: Upper surface \Rightarrow

Answer: (B) [Go Back to Q28](#)

Q29.

Solution

Concept — Four forces of flight: In steady level flight the four forces are in balance: lift balances weight, and thrust balances drag.

Step 1 — Identify the vertical pair: Lift acts upward and weight acts downward.

Step 2 — State the balance: For constant altitude, lift must exactly equal the weight.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option A (Thrust): a horizontal force, balanced by drag, not lift.
- Option B (Drag): the horizontal force opposing thrust.
- Option D (Friction): not one of the four primary forces of flight.

Final Answer: Weight \Rightarrow

Answer: (C) [Go Back to Q29](#)



Q30.

Solution

Concept — Aircraft hydraulic system: The hydraulic system uses pressurised fluid to operate heavy mechanisms such as the landing gear, flaps and brakes.

Step 1 — Identify the function needed: Raising and lowering the landing gear needs large, controlled mechanical force.

Step 2 — Match to the system: Pressurised hydraulic fluid provides this force, so the landing gear is hydraulically actuated.

Why other options are wrong:

- Option B (Fuel system): supplies fuel to the engines.
- Option C (Oxygen system): supplies breathing oxygen at altitude.
- Option D (Ignition system): starts and sustains combustion in the engine.

Final Answer: Hydraulic system \Rightarrow

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Answer Key

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