

JEE (Main)
Sample Question Paper

Subjects	Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics
Total Number of Questions	75
Maximum Marks	300
Time Allowed	3 Hours

Marking Scheme (As per JEE Main Pattern)

Each question carries **4 (four) marks**.

1 (one) mark will be deducted for each incorrect answer.

No marks will be deducted for unattempted questions.

Only one option is correct for each question.

Important Instructions

1. This Question Paper consists of **75 Multiple Choice Questions**.
2. The paper contains **25 questions each from Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics**.
3. All questions are compulsory.
4. Rough work should be done only in the space provided in the Question Paper.
5. Calculators, mobile phones, smart watches, or any electronic devices are strictly prohibited.

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PHYSICS

1. A point charge of $10 \mu C$ is placed at the origin. At what location on the X -axis should a point charge of $40 \mu C$ be placed so that the net electric field is zero at $x = 2 \text{ cm}$ on the X -axis?

A) $x = -4 \text{ cm}$

B) $x = 4 \text{ cm}$

C) $x = 8 \text{ cm}$

D) $x = 6 \text{ cm}$

2. $E = E_0 \sin(\omega t - kx)$

$B = B_0 \sin(\omega t - kx)$, then ratio of energy density of electric field to magnetic field is :

A) 1:1

B) 1:3

C) 1:2

D) 2:1

3. The height of the antenna is 98 m. The radius of Earth is 6400 km. The area up to which it will transmit signal is:

A) 3642 km^2

B) 3942 km^2

C) 11200 km^2

D) 22400 km^2

4. The following statements are given :

(1) The average kinetic energy of a gas molecule decreases when the temperature is reduced

(2) The average kinetic energy of a gas molecule increases with increase in pressure at constant temperature

(3) The average kinetic energy of a gas molecule decreases with increases in volume

(4) Pressure of a gas increases with increase in temperature at constant pressure

(5) The volume of gas decreases with increase in temperature

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

A) (1) and (4) only

B) (1), (2) and (4) only

C) (2) and (4) only

D) (1), (2) and (5) only

5. The weight of a body on the surface of the earth is 100 N. The gravitational force on it when taken at a height, from the surface of earth, equal to one-fourth the radius of the earth is:

A) 25 N

B) 64 N

C) 100 N

D) 50 N

6. A drop of liquid of density ρ is floating half immersed in a liquid of density σ and surface tension $7.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Ncm}^{-1}$. The radius of drop in cm will be : (Take : $g=10 \text{ m/s}^2$)

A) $\frac{15}{\sqrt{2\rho-\sigma}}$

B) $\frac{15}{\sqrt{\rho-\sigma}}$

C) $\frac{3}{2\sqrt{\rho-\sigma}}$

D) $\frac{3}{20\sqrt{2\rho-\sigma}}$

7. Match the list-I with list-II and choose the correct option.

List-I

List-II

(A). Microwave (P). 1 nm - 400nm

(B). Ultraviolet (Q). 1 nm - 1nm

(C). X-rays (R). $2.5 \mu\text{m}$ - 750nm

(D). Infrared (S). $1 \mu\text{m}$ - 1nm

A) A-(s), B-(q), C-(r), D-(p)

B) A-(s), B-(p), C-(q), D-(r)

C) A-(p), B-(s), C-(q), D-(r)

D) A-(r), B-(q), C-(s), D-(p)

24. Match List I with List II

LIST I	LIST II
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| A Isothermal Process | I Work done by the gas decreases internal energy |
| B Adiabatic Process | II No change in internal energy |
| C Isochoric Process | III The heat absorbed goes partly to increase internal energy and partly to do work |
| D Isobaric Process | IV No work is done on or by the gas |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

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| A) A-I, B-II, C-IV, D-III | B) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III |
| C) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV | D) A-II, B-I, C-III, D-IV |
25. 100 balls each of mass m moving with speed v simultaneously strike a wall normally and reflected back with same speed, in time t s The total force exerted by the balls on the wall is
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| A) $\frac{100mv}{t}$ | B) $200mvt$ |
| C) $\frac{200mv}{t}$ | D) $\frac{mv}{100t}$ |

JEE MAIN PHYSICS ANSWER KEY

1. (D)	2. (A)	3. (B)	4. (A)	5. (B)
6. (A)	7. (A)	8. (B)	9. (B)	10. (C)
11. (A)	12. (B)	13. (A)	14. (B)	15. (C)
16. (B)	17. (D)	18. (D)	19. (B)	20. (B)
21. (C)	22. (A)	23. (A)	24. (B)	25. (C)

CHEMISTRY

1. Anomalous behaviour of oxygen is due to its
- A) Large size and high electronegativity B) Small size and low electronegativity
C) Small size and high electronegativity D) Large size and low electronegativity
2. The energy of an electron in the first Bohr orbit of hydrogen atom is $-2.18 \times 10^{-18} J$. Its energy in the third Bohr orbit is ____.
- A) One third of this value B) $\frac{1}{9}$ th of this value
C) Three times of this value D) $\frac{1}{27}$ of this value
3. The element having the highest first ionization enthalpy is
- A) Si B) Al
C) N D) C
4. $2IO_3^- + xI^- + 12H^+ \longrightarrow 6I_2 + 6H_2O$ What is the value of x?
- A) 2 B) 10
C) 6 D) 12
5. The density of the alkali metals is in the order:
- A) $K < Na < Rb < Cs$ B) $Na < K < Cs < Rb$
C) $K < Cs < Na < Rb$ D) $Na < Rb < K < Cs$
6. The correct order of spin only magnetic moments for the following complex ions is
- A) $[Fe(CN)_6]^{3-} < [CoF_6]^{3-} < [MnBr_4]^{2-} < [Mn(CN)_6]^{3-}$ B) $[Fe(CN)_6]^{3-} < [Mn(CN)_6]^{3-} < [CoF_6]^{3-} < [MnBr_4]^{2-}$
C) $[CoF_6]^{3-} < [MnBr_4]^{2-} < [Fe(CN)_6]^{3-} < [Mn(CN)_6]^{3-}$ D) $[MnBr_4]^{2-} < [CoF_6]^{3-} < [Fe(CN)_6]^{3-} < [Mn(CN)_6]^{3-}$
7. We have three aqueous solutions of NaCl labelled as 'A', 'B' and 'C' with concentration 0.1 M, 0.01M & 0.001 M, respectively. The value of vant' Haft factor (i) for these solutions will be in the order.
- A) $i_A < i_B < i_C$ B) $i_A < i_C < i_B$
C) $i_A = i_B = i_C$ D) $i_A > i_B > i_C$
8. Which of the following acts as a strong reducing agent? (Atomic number : Ce = 58, Eu = 63, Gd = 64, Lu = 71)
- A) Lu^{3+} B) Gd^{3+}
C) Eu^{2+} D) Ce^{4+}
9. In chromyl chloride, the number of d-electrons present on chromium is same as in (Given at no. of Ti : 22, V : 23, Cr : 24, Mn : 25, Fe : 26)
- A) Mn (VII) B) Fe (III)
C) V (IV) D) Ti (III)
10. Choose the correct option having all the elements with d^{10} electronic configuration from the following:
- A) $^{27}Co, ^{28}Ni, ^{26}Fe, ^{24}Cr$ B) $^{29}Cu, ^{30}Zn, ^{48}Cd, ^{47}Ag$
C) $^{46}Pd, ^{28}Ni, ^{26}Fe, ^{24}Cr$ D) $^{28}Ni, ^{24}Cr, ^{26}Fe, ^{29}Cu$

19. Given below are two statements: One is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Reason R:
 Assertion (A): B_eCl_2 and $MgCl_2$ produce characteristic flame.
 Reason (R) : The excitation energy is high in B_eCl_2 and $MgCl_2$
 In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the option given below
 A) Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is NOT the correct explanation of (A) B) (A) is false but (R) is true
 C) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A) D) (A) is true but (R) is false.
20. The complex with highest magnitude of crystal field splitting energy (Δ_0) is
 A) $[Ti(OH)_2]_6^{3+}$ B) $[Cr(OH)_2]_6^{3+}$
 C) $[Mn(OH)_2]_6^{3+}$ D) $[Fe(OH)_2]_6^{3+}$
21. NaCl reacts with conc. H_2SO_4 and $K_2Cr_2O_7$ to give reddish fumes (B), which react with NaOH to give yellow solution (C). (B) and (C) respectively are:
 A) CrO_2Cl_2, Na_2CrO_4 B) Na_2CrO_4, CrO_2Cl_2
 C) $CrO_2Cl_2, KHSO_4$ D) $CrO_2Cl_2, Na_2Cr_2O_7$
22. Given below are two statements:
Statement (I): A solution of $[Ni(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$ is green in color.
Statement (II): A solution of $[Ni(CN)_4]^{2-}$ is colorless.
 In the light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below.
 A) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect B) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct
 C) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct D) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect
23. Given below are two statements: one is labelled as Assertion (A) and the other is labelled as Reason (R).
 Assertion (A) : PH_3 has lower boiling point than NH_3 .
 Reason (R) : In liquid state NH_3 molecules are associated through vander waal's forces, but PH_3 molecules are associated through hydrogen bonding.
 In the light of the above statements.
 Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:
 A) Both (A) and (R) are correct and (R) is not the correct explanation of (A) B) (A) is not correct but (R) is correct
 C) Both (A) and (R) are correct but (R) is the correct explanation of (A) D) (A) is correct but (R) is not correct
24. Which of the following statements is not correct about rusting of iron?
 A) Coating of iron surface by tin prevents rusting, even if the tin coating is peeling off. B) When pH lies above 9 or 10, rusting of iron does not take place.
 C) Dissolved acidic oxides D) Rusting of iron is envisaged as setting up of electrochemical cell on the surface of iron object.
25. Given below are two statements :
 Statement I: Boron is extremely hard indicating its high lattice energy
 Statement II: Boron has highest melting and boiling point compared to its other group members.
 In the light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below :
 A) Both Statement I and Statement II is correct B) Both Statement I and Statement II is incorrect
 C) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect D) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct

JEE MAIN CHEMISTRY ANSWER KEY

1. (C)	2. (B)	3. (C)	4. (B)	5. (A)
6. (B)	7. (A)	8. (C)	9. (A)	10. (B)
11. (A)	12. (A)	13. (B)	14. (C)	15. (D)
16. (B)	17. (C)	18. (C)	19. (D)	20. (B)
21. (A)	22. (B)	23. (D)	24. (A)	25. (A)

MATHEMATICS

1. Let Ω be the sample space and $A \subseteq \Omega$ be an event .
Given below are two statements :
(S1): If $P(A) = 0$, then $A = \emptyset$
(S2): If $P(A) = 1$, then $A = \Omega$
Then
A) both (S1) and (S2) are true
B) only (S1) is true
C) only (S2) is true
D) both (S1) and (S2) are false
2. A wire of length $20m$ is to be cut into two pieces A piece of length l_1 is bent to make a square of area A_1 and the other piece of length l_2 is made into a circle of area A_2 If $2A_1 + 3A_2$ is minimum then $(\pi l_1) : l_2$ is equal to:
A) 6 : 1
B) 3 : 1
C) 4 : 1
D) 1 : 6
3. The minimum number of elements that must be added to the relation $R = \{(a, b), (b, c)\}$ on the set $\{a, b, c\}$ so that it becomes symmetric and transitive is :
A) 3
B) 7
C) 4
D) 5
4. If an unbiased die, marked with $-2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3$ on its faces, is thrown five times, then the probability that the product of the outcomes is positive, is:
A) $\frac{440}{2592}$
B) $\frac{881}{2592}$
C) $\frac{27}{288}$
D) $\frac{521}{2592}$
5. Let $f(x) = \int \frac{2x}{(x^2+1)(x^2+3)} dx$ If $f(3) = \frac{1}{2}(\log_e 5 - \log_e 6)$, then $f(4)$ is equal to
A) $\log_e 17 - \log_e 18$
B) $\log_e 19 - \log_e 20$
C) $\frac{1}{2}(\log_e 19 - \log_e 17)$
D) $\frac{1}{2}(\log_e 17 - \log_e 19)$
6. Let the plane P pass through the intersection of the planes $2x + 3y - z = 2$ and $x + 2y + 3z = 6$, and be perpendicular to the plane $2x + y - z + 1 = 0$ If d is the distance of P from the point $(-7, 1, 1)$, then d^2 is equal to :
A) $\frac{25}{83}$
B) $\frac{250}{83}$
C) $\frac{15}{53}$
D) $\frac{250}{82}$
7. Consider the lines L_1 and L_2 given by $L_1 : \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-2}{2}$ $L_2 : \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$ A line L_3 having direction ratios $1, -1, -2$, intersects L_1 and L_2 at the points P and Q respectively Then the length of line segment PQ is
A) $3\sqrt{2}$
B) 4
C) $2\sqrt{6}$
D) $4\sqrt{3}$
8. The value of $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + 2 - 3 + 4 + 5 - 6 + \dots + (3n - 2) + (3n - 1) - 3n}{\sqrt{2n^4 + 4n + 3} - \sqrt{n^4 + 5n + 4}}$ is :
A) $3(\sqrt{2} + 1)$
B) $\frac{3}{2}(\sqrt{2} + 1)$
C) $\frac{\sqrt{2}+1}{2}$
D) $\frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}$

9. The shortest distance between the lines $x + 1 = 2y = -12z$ and $x = y + 2 = 6z - 6$ is
 A) $\frac{3}{2}$ B) 3
 C) 2 D) $\frac{5}{2}$
10. The minimum value of the function $f(x) = \int_0^2 e^{|x-t|} dt$ is :
 A) 2 B) $2(e - 1)$
 C) $2e - 1$ D) $e(e - 1)$
11. Two dice are thrown independently Let A be the event that the number appeared on the 1st die is less than the number appeared on the 2nd die, B be the event that the number appeared on the 1st die is even and that on the second die is odd, and C be the event that the number appeared on the 1st die is odd and that on the 2nd is even Then :
 A) A and B are mutually exclusive B) the number of favourable cases of the events A , B and C are 15, 6 and 6 respectively
 C) B and C are independent D) the number of favourable cases of $(A \cup B) \cap C$ is 6
12. If A and B are two non-zero $n \times n$ matrices such that $A^2 + B = A^2B$, then
 A) $A^2 = I$ or $B = I$ B) $A^2B = BA^2$
 C) $AB = I$ D) $A^2B = I$
13. The value of $\sum_{r=0}^{22} {}^{22}C_r {}^{23}C_r$ is
 A) ${}^{45}C_{24}$ B) ${}^{45}C_{23}$
 C) ${}^{44}C_{23}$ D) ${}^{44}C_{22}$
14. Let N denote the number that turns up when a fair die is rolled If the probability that the system of equations $x + y + z = 1$ $2x + Ny + 2z = 2$ $3x + 3y + Nz = 3$ has unique solution is $\frac{k}{6}$, then the sum of value of k and all possible values of N is
 A) 18 B) 19
 C) 20 D) 21
15. The shortest distance between the lines $\frac{x-5}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-4}{-3}$ and $\frac{x+3}{1} = \frac{y+5}{4} = \frac{z-1}{-5}$ is
 A) $7\sqrt{3}$ B) $6\sqrt{3}$
 C) $4\sqrt{3}$ D) $5\sqrt{3}$
16. The distance of the point $(7, -3, -4)$ from the plane passing through the points $(2, -3, 1)$, $(-1, 1, -2)$ and $(3, -4, 2)$ is :
 A) $5\sqrt{2}$ B) $4\sqrt{2}$
 C) 4 D) 5
17. The area enclosed by the closed curve C given by the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{x+a}{y-2} = 0$, $y(1) = 0$ is 4π . Let P and Q be the points of intersection of the curve C and the y -axis If normals at P and Q on the curve C intersect x -axis at points R and S respectively, then the length of the line segment RS is
 A) $\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3}$ B) $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$
 C) 2 D) $2\sqrt{3}$

JEE MAIN MATHEMATICS ANSWER KEY

1. (A)	2. (A)	3. (B)	4. (D)	5. (D)
6. (B)	7. (C)	8. (B)	9. (C)	10. (B)
11. (D)	12. (B)	13. (B)	14. (C)	15. (B)
16. (A)	17. (A)	18. (D)	19. (B)	20. (C)
21. (C)	22. (B)	23. (D)	24. (B)	25. (A)