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**TOPIC**

**ELECTROMAGNETIC INDUCTION  
AND  
ALTERNATING CURRENT**

1. A cylindrical bar magnet is kept along the axis of circular coil. The magnet is rotated about its axis such that the north pole faces the coil. The induced current in the coil is

- a) Anticlockwise from magnet side
- b) Clockwise from magnet side.
- c) Zero
- d) Can be clockwise or anticlockwise



**ANSWER :C**

**On rotating the coil the magnetic flux linked with the coil is not changing, there is no induced emf**

**2. When a current in the coil is changing from 2A to 4A in 0.05s an emf of 8volt is induced in the coil .  
self inductance of the coil is**

- a) 0.1H**
- b) 0.2H**
- c) 0.4H**
- d) 0.8H**

**ANSWER : b**

$$e = \left| L \frac{di}{dt} \right|$$

$$L = \frac{edt}{di} = \frac{8 \times 0.05}{4 - 2} = \frac{0.4}{2} = 0.2$$



### 3. The mutual inductance between two coils depends on

- a) medium between two coils
- b) separation between two coils
- c) orientation of the two coils
- d) all the above



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**ANSWER : d**

**Mutual inductance depends on all the above factors**



## 4. Lenz's law is the statement of

- a) Law of conservation of energy
- b) Law of conservation of charge
- c) Law of conservation of momentum
- d) Law of conservation of angular momentum

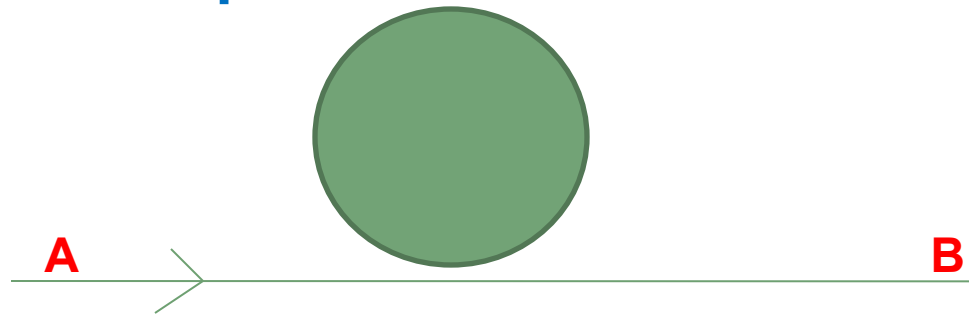




**ANSWER : a**

**Lenz's law gives the direction of induced current. It is consequence of law of conservation of energy.**

5. An electron moves along the line AB which lies in the same plane as a circular loop of conducting wire as shown in the figure. What would be the direction of induced current if any in the loop?



- a) no current will be induced
- b) the induced is clockwise
- c) the induced current is anticlockwise
- d) the induced current will change the direction as the electron passes by

**ANSWER : d**

Here electron is moving from left to right. It is equivalent to a current flowing from right to left. As the electron passes flux increases first and decreases, The induced emf opposes the increase in flux and also opposes the decrease in flux as electron passes. From Lenz's law the induced emf is anticlockwise first and clockwise as electron passes. The direction of induced current changes the direction.

**6. A coil is rotated in a uniform magnetic field. The emf induced in the coil would be maximum, when the plane of the coil is**

- a) parallel to the field**
- b) perpendicular to the field**
- c) at 45 degree to the field**
- d) in none of above positions**

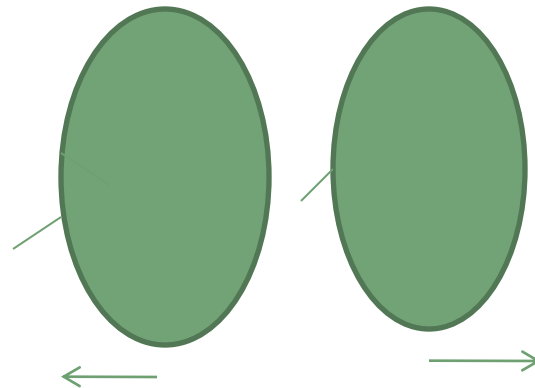


**ANSWER : a**

**When the plane of the coil is parallel to the field change in flux is maximum, hence current induced is maximum.**

**7. Two similar circular loops carry equal currents in the same direction. On moving the coils further apart the electric current will be**

- a) increase in one and decrease in other**
- b) remain unaltered**
- c) decrease in both**
- d) increase in both.**





**ANSWER : d**

Here two coils are identical and carrying the current in same direction. The facing faces of the coils are of opposite poles. If they move apart the flux associated with them decreases, current induces in them try to increase the flux. In order to increase the flux current in them increases



**ANSWER : d**

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8. A magnet is moved towards a coil at rest with a speed  $v$ . Due to this there is an induced emf, induced current and induced charge in the coil. If speed is doubled, the incorrect statement is

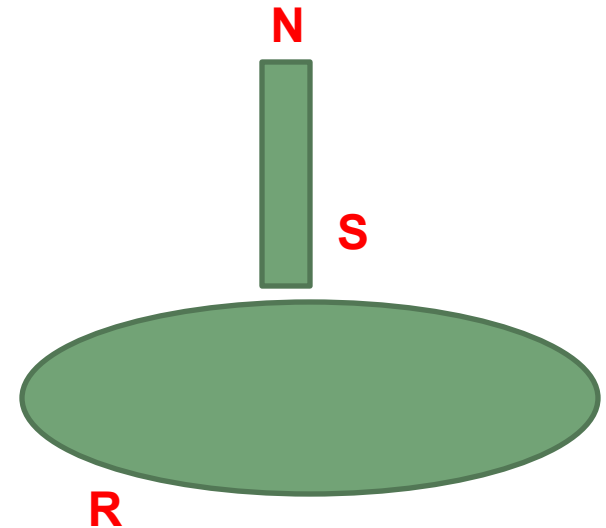
- a) emf increases
- b) current increases
- c) charge increases
- d) charge remains same



**ANSWER : d**

**When the speed of the magnet doubles induced emf and current increases. But total change in flux remains same, Total charge induced is not depend on time, so charge remains same.**

9. A small bar magnet is allowed to fall through a fixed horizontal conducting ring. Let  $g$  be the acceleration due to gravity, then acceleration of the magnet will be



- a)  $>g$  when it is below R and moving away from R
- b)  $=g$  when it is below or above R and moving towards or away from R
- c)  $<g$  when it is above R and moving towards R
- d)  $>g$  when it is above R and moving towards R



**ANSWER : c**

As the magnet falls the induced emf set up in the ring develops the magnetic field which opposes the field of the magnet. The movement of the magnet towards the ring is opposed, so that acceleration of the magnet is less than  $g$ .

10. SI unit of inductance henry , can be written as

a) weber/ampere

b) v.s/ampere

c)  $\frac{joule}{ampere^2}$

d) All these

**ANSWER : d**

$$L = \frac{\phi}{i} = \textit{weber / ampere}$$

$$L = \left| \frac{-e}{\frac{di}{dt}} \right| = \textit{volt.s / amp}$$

$$L = \frac{2E}{I^2} = \textit{joule / amp}^2$$

**11.  $R/L$  has the dimension of (  $R$  is resistance and  $L$  is inductance)**

- a) frequency**
- b) Length**
- c) Mass**
- d) Time**

**ANSWER : a**

$$\frac{R}{L} = \frac{e/I}{e \frac{dt}{di}} = \frac{1}{dt} = |T^{-1}| = \textit{frequency}$$



**12. A galvanometer is connected to a secondary coil. The galvanometer shows an instantaneous deflection of 7 divisions when current is started in the primary coil. Now if the primary coil is suddenly rotated through 180 degree , the new instantaneous deflection in secondary is**

- b) 14units**
- a) 7units**
- c) 21units**
- d) 0units**



**ANSWER : b**

When current is started , change of current is 0 to  $I$ .  
When rotated by 180 degree, change in current is from  $I$  to  $-I$  ,net change is  $2I$ . Deflection is doubled.

### 13. Consider the following statements

- A) An emf can be induced by moving a conductor in magnetic field
  - B) An emf can be induced by changing magnetic field
- a) Both A and B are correct
  - b) Both A and B are incorrect
  - c) A is false but B is true
  - d) A is true but B is false



**ANSWER : a**

**Both statements are correct. A is example for motional emf, B is Faraday's experiment.**

14. The network shown is a part of a closed circuit in which the current is changing. At an instant, current is 5A. Find potential difference when the current is increasing at 1A per second

- a) 25v
- b) 5v
- c) 10v
- d) 20v



**ANSWER : a**

When current is increasing the induced emf in inductor is opposite to applied emf.

$$\text{induced emf} = L \frac{di}{dt} = 5 \times 1 / 1 = 5 \text{ v}$$

$$V_A - (5 \times 1) - 15 - 5 = V_B$$

$$V_A - V_B = 25 \text{ V}$$

**15. A magnet is suspended from a spring and while it oscillates, magnet moves in and out of a coil. The coil is connected to a galvanometer, as the magnet oscillates**

- a) Galvanometer shows no deflection**
- b) Galvanometer shows deflection to the left and right but amplitude steadily decreases**
- c) Galvanometer shows deflection to the left and right with constant amplitude**
- d) Galvanometer shows deflection on one side**



**ANSWER : b**

**When magnet move towards the coil there is force of repulsion because of increase in flux .When magnet moves away there force of attraction which try to retain flux. Galvanometer shows deflection left and right ,with decrease in amplitude because of damping.**



**16. When current  $i$  flows through an inductor of self inductance  $L$ , energy stored is**

$$\frac{1}{2} Li^2$$

**this is stored in the form of**

- a) magnetic field**
- b) electric field**
- c) both electric and magnetic field**
- d) voltage**



**ANSWER : a**

**Energy stored in the inductor is in the form of magnetic field**

**17. The armature of a dc motor has  $20\Omega$  resistance. It draws a current of  $1.5\text{A}$  when run by a  $220\text{V}$  dc supply. The value of back emf (in volt) is**

- a) 150**
- b) 170**
- c) 180**
- d) 190**

**ANSWER : d**

current is given by

$$I = \frac{E - e}{R}; 1.5 = \frac{E - e}{R}$$

$$I = \frac{220 - e}{20}$$

$$e = 190V$$

**18. A conducting rod of length 'L' is moved with a constant velocity 'v' in a magnetic field 'B'. No emf will appear across the two ends of the rod is**

- a) v is parallel to L**
- b) v is parallel to B**
- c) B is parallel to L**
- d) In all above situations**



**ANSWER : d**

**Emf induced when conducting rod is moved in a magnetic field such that, all three vectors length, magnetic field and velocity are perpendicular to each other. Here in all situations two vectors are parallel ,no emf is induced**

**19. A train moving towards north with a speed of 180 km/h. If vertical component of earth's magnetic field is**

$$2 \times 10^{-4} T$$

**The emf, induced in the axle 1.5m long is (in mv)**

- a) 5.4**
- b) 54**
- c) 15**
- d) 1.5**

**ANSWER : d**

Train is moving with constant velocity. The axle is a conductor moving in a constant magnetic field. It moves in horizontal plane and cuts earth's vertical field. Hence emf induced  $e = Blv$

$$v = 180 \times \frac{5}{18} = 50 \text{ms}^{-1}$$

$$e = Blv = 0.2 \times 10^{-4} \times 1.5 \times 50$$

$$e = 1.5 \text{mV}$$



20. A conducting circular loop is placed in a uniform magnetic field  $B = 0.025\text{T}$ , with its plane perpendicular to the loop. The radius of the loop is made to shrink at a constant rate of  $1\text{mm}$  per second. The induced emf when radius is  $2\text{cm}$  is

a)  $2\pi\mu\text{V}$

b)  $\pi\mu\text{V}$

c)  $(\pi/2)\mu\text{V}$

d)  $2\mu\text{V}$

**ANSWER : b**

**Flux  $\varphi = B \cos \theta$**

$$\varphi = B \Pi r^2$$

$$e = \frac{d\varphi}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} (B \Pi r^2) = B \Pi 2r \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$e = 0.025 \times \Pi \times 2 \times 2 \times 10^{-2} \times 1 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$e = \Pi \mu \nu$$

21. If  $V_{rms}$  is rms voltage and  $V_m$  be

the mean value (over half cycle) of an alternating voltage then

$$\frac{V_{rms}}{V_m} \text{ is}$$

a)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

b)  $\frac{\pi}{\sqrt{2}}$

c)  $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\pi}$

d)  $\frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}}$

**ANSWER : d**

**Average value over half cycle =**

$$V_m = \frac{2V_o}{\pi}$$

**RMS value =**  $\frac{V_o}{\sqrt{2}}$

$$\frac{V_{rms}}{V_m} = \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

**22. An alternating emf is represented as  $V=10\sin(314t)$ .  
The instantaneous emf at  $t=(1/600)$  s is**

- a) 10v**
- b) 4v**
- c) 5v**
- d) 6v**

**ANSWER : c**

$$V = V_o \sin \omega t = 10 \sin(314t) = 10 \sin\left(\frac{314}{600}\right)$$

$$V = 10 \sin\left(\frac{100\pi}{600}\right) = 10 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$V = 10 \sin 30^\circ$$

$$V = 10 \times 0.5 = 5v$$

23. In an AC circuit the reactance of the coil is  $\sqrt{3}$

times its resistance, the phase difference between the voltage across the coil to current in it is

a)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

b)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

c)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

d)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$

**ANSWER : d**

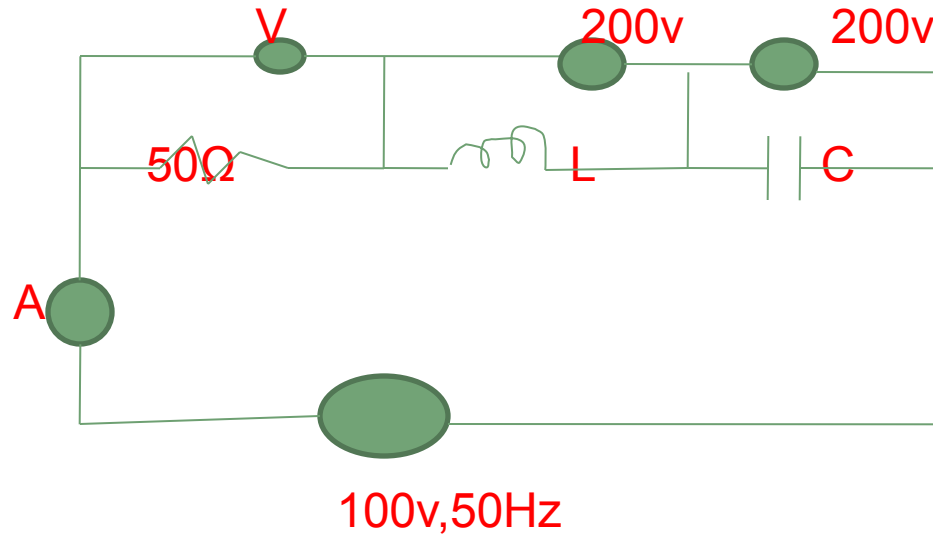
$$\tan \varphi = \frac{X_L}{R} = \frac{R\sqrt{3}}{R} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\varphi = \frac{\pi}{3}$$



24. In LCR circuit, the voltmeter and ammeter readings are respectively

- a) 250v, 4A
- b) 200v, 2A
- c) 150v, 2A
- d) 100v, 2A



**ANSWER : d**

**Circuit is in resonance**

$$V^2 = (V_R^2 + V_L - V_c)^2; V_L = V_c$$

$$V = V_R = 100\text{v}$$

$$z = R = 50\Omega$$

$$I = \frac{V}{z} = 2A$$

25. If  $L, C, R$  and  $V$  respectively represent inductance, capacitance, resistance and potential difference. Then the dimensions of

$\frac{L}{RCV}$  is same as that of

a) Current

b) 1/current

c) Charge

d) 1/charge

**ANSWER : b**

RC has the dimension of time V has dimension of emf  
which has the dimension of

$$L\left(\frac{di}{dt}\right); \frac{L}{RCV} = \frac{L}{TL\left(\frac{di}{dt}\right)}$$
$$= \frac{1}{di} = \frac{1}{\text{current}}$$

**26. A choke coil is preferred to a rheostat in AC circuits, because**

- a) It consumes almost zero power**
- b) It increases the current**
- c) It increases the power**
- d) It is cheap**



**ANSWER : a**

**for pure inductor phase difference between current and voltage is 90degree,there is no loss of power.**

**27. The frequency at which one henry inductor will have a reactance of  $2500\Omega$  is**

- a) 418Hz**
- b) 378Hz**
- c) 398Hz**
- d) 406Hz**

**ANSWER : c**

$$X_L = \omega L = 2\pi fL$$

$$2500 = 2\pi \left(\frac{22}{7}\right) f \times 1$$

$$f = 398 \text{ Hz}$$



**28. A resistor and a capacitor are connected in series with an AC source. If the p.d. across the capacitor is 5v and across resistor is 12v, the applied voltage is**

- a) 13v**
- b) 17v**
- c) 5v**
- d) 12v**

**ANSWER : a**

$$V^2 = (V_R^2 + V_c^2)$$

$$V^2 = 12^2 + 5^2 = 169$$

$$V = \sqrt{169} = 13v$$

29. A resistor  $R$ , capacitor  $c$  and inductor  $L$  are connected in series across AC source of angular frequency  $\omega$ . If resonant frequency is  $\omega_0$ . The current will

lag behind the voltage if

a)  $\omega < \omega_0$

b)  $\omega > \omega_0$

c)  $\omega = \omega_0$

d)  $\omega = 0$

**ANSWER : b**

$$X_L > X_c ; \omega_L > \frac{1}{\omega_c}$$

$$2\pi fL > \frac{1}{2\pi fC}$$

$$\omega^2 > \frac{1}{LC}$$

$$\omega^2 > \omega_o^2$$

$$\omega > \omega_o$$

**30. The circuit consists  $3\Omega$  resistance and reactance of  $4\Omega$ . The power factor of the circuit is**

- a) 0.4**
- b) 0.6**
- c) 0.8**
- d) 1.0**

**ANSWER : b**

**Power factor is  $\cos\phi$**

$$z^2 = X_L^2 + R^2 ; 3^2 + 4^2$$

$$z = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

$$\cos \phi = \frac{R}{z} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\cos \phi = 0.6$$

**31. A pure inductance offers a resistance to dc which is**

- a) Infinite**
- b) Zero**
- c) Between zero and infinity**
- d) None of above**

**ANSWER : b**

For dc frequency is zero

$$X_L = 2\pi fL$$

$$f = 0$$

$$x_L = 0$$



**32. A pure resistance and a pure inductance are in series with 100 v AC line. An ac voltmeter gives the same reading when connected either across resistance or inductance. The reading of voltmeter is**

- a) 50v**
- b) 100v**
- c) 75v**
- d) 70.7v**

**ANSWER : d**

**Here current is same because of series connection**

$$IR = IX_L; R = X_L$$

$$z^2 = R^2 + X_L^2$$

$$z = \sqrt{2}R; I = \frac{100}{\sqrt{2}R}$$

$$V = IR = \left( \frac{100}{\sqrt{2}R} \right) R$$

$$V = \frac{100}{\sqrt{2}} = 70.7V$$

**33. When 100 volt dc is applied across a solenoid, a current of 1A flows in it. When 100v AC is applied across it current drops to 0.5A. If the frequency is 50Hz, the impedance and inductance is**

- a)  $200\Omega$ ; 1H**
- b)  $100\Omega$ ; 0.86H**
- c)  $200\Omega$ ; 0.55H**
- d)  $100\Omega$ ; 0.9H**

**ANSWER : c**

$$R = \frac{100}{1} = 100\Omega; z = \frac{100}{0.5} = 200\Omega$$

$$X_L^2 = 200^2 - 100^2$$

$$X_L = 100\sqrt{3}\Omega$$

$$L = \frac{100\sqrt{3}}{100\pi} = 0.55H$$

**34. In an LCR series circuit the value of capacitance is doubled. To keep same resonant frequency the inductance should be changed from  $L$  to**

- a)  $4L$**
- b)  $2L$**
- c)  $L/4$**
- d)  $L/2$**

**ANSWER : d**

**Resonant frequency is given by**

$$f = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}}$$

$$C \rightarrow 2C$$

$$L \rightarrow \frac{L}{2}$$

**35. In an LCR series circuit the the phase difference voltage and current is**

**a)  $\pi/4$**

**b)  $\pi/2$**

**c)  $\pi$**

**d) zero**



**ANSWER : d**

**At resonance voltage across inductance and capacitance is same but out of phase. applied voltage is equal to voltage across resistance and current and voltage are phase.**



**36.If the power factor changes from 0.5 to 0.25, increase in impedance of ac circuit is**

- a)20%**
- b)50%**
- c)25%**
- d)100%**

**ANSWER : d**

**power factor is  $\cos\phi$**

$$\cos \phi = \frac{R}{Z}$$

$$\frac{\cos \phi_1}{\cos \phi_2} = \frac{z_2}{z_1} = \frac{0.5}{0.25}$$

$$z_2 = 2z_1$$

$$\%change = \frac{2z_1 - z_1}{z_1} \times 100 = 100\%$$

**37. A series LCR circuit having  $L=0.4\text{H}$ ,  $C=0.1\mu\text{F}$  and  $R=500\Omega$  is connected to an ac source of variable frequency. The quality factor is**

- a) 8**
- b) 16**
- c) 4**
- d) 10**

**ANSWER : c**

Quality factor is ratio of voltage across inductance or capacitance to voltage across resistance at resonance is given by

$$Q = \frac{\omega_o L}{R} = \frac{2\pi f L}{R} = \frac{2\pi L}{R} X \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}}$$

$$Q = \frac{2\pi X 0.4}{500} X \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{0.4 X 10^{-7}}}$$

$$Q = \frac{2\pi X 0.4}{500} X \frac{1}{2\pi X 2} X 10^4$$

$$Q = 4$$

**38. The equation of ac voltage is  $V=220\sin(\omega t+\pi/6)$  and equation for current is  $I=10\sin(\omega t-\pi/6)$ . The average power dissipated in the circuit is**

- a) 55watt**
- b) 5.5watt**
- c) 550watt**
- d) 1100watt**

**ANSWER : c**

**phase difference between current and voltage is**

$$\varphi = \frac{\pi}{6} - \left( -\frac{\pi}{6} \right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$P_{avg} = \frac{E_o}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{I_o}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \varphi$$

$$P_{avg} = \frac{220 \times 10}{2} \times \cos \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$P_{avg} = 220 \times 5 \times 0.5 = 550 \text{ watt}$$

**39. For LCR series circuit at resonance, the statement which is not true is**

- a) Power factor is zero**
- b) Wattless current is zero**
- c) Average power = apparent power**
- d) Peak energy stored in capacitor is equal to peak energy stored in inductor**



**ANSWER : a**

at resonance in series LCR circuit voltage across capacitor and inductor is equal and out of phase.

Resistance=impedence( $R=z$ )

$\text{Cos}\phi=R/z=1$

Statement (a) is not true.



**40. A 10V, 60W bulb to be connected to 100V line. The required self induction of induction coil will be ( $f=50\text{Hz}$ )**

- a) 0.052H**
- b) 2.50H**
- c) 5.2H**
- d) 1.6H**

**ANSWER : a**

$$I = \frac{P}{V} = \frac{60}{10} = 6A$$

$$V_L^2 = V^2 - V_R^2 = 100^2 - 10^2$$

$$V_L = \sqrt{9900} = 99.5$$

$$V_L = IX_L$$

$$99.5 = 6 \times 2 \times 3.14 \times 50 \times L$$

$$L = .052H$$

**41. With increase in frequency of an ac supply, capacitive reactance**

- a) Varies directly with frequency**
- b) Varies inversely with frequency**
- c) Varies directly as square of frequency**
- d) Remains constant**

**ANSWER : b**

**Capacitive reactance**

$$X_c = \frac{1}{\omega c} = \frac{1}{2\pi f c}$$

$$X_c \propto \frac{1}{f}$$



## 42.A transformer changes

- a) power
- b) frequency
- c) ac voltage
- d) none of these



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**ANSWER : c**

**transformer changes the ac voltage**

**43. A step up transformer the turns ratio is 1:2  
A dc source of 10v is connected across  
primary. Output voltage is**

- a)20v**
- b)10v**
- c)5v**
- d)zero**



**ANSWER : d**

**Transformer can't work with dc.so ouput voltage is zero.**



**44. A transformer is used to light 100W, 110v lamp from 220v mains. If the current is 0.5A, efficiency of the transformer is**

- a) 11%**
- b) 50%**
- c) 80%**
- d) 91%**

**ANSWER : d**

**Input power =  $220 \times 0.5 = 110\text{W}$**

**Output power = 100W**

$$\eta = \frac{P_o}{P_i} = \frac{100}{110} = .9009 \approx 91\%$$



**45. One kw power is supplied to a 200turns primary of a transformer of 0.5A. The secondary gives 200v. The number of turns in the secondary is**

- a)20**
- b)200**
- c)2**
- d)2000**

**ANSWER : a**

**Here output power = input power (no loss)**

$$I_s = \frac{P_i}{V_s} = \frac{1000}{200} = 5 A$$

$$\frac{N_s}{N_p} = \frac{I_p}{I_s}$$

$$N_s = 200 \times \frac{0.5}{5} = 20$$

**46. The power loss in a transformer working on 220vac supply is 30%. The ratio of primary to secondary current when output voltage is 110v is**

- a) 1:2**
- b) 2:1**
- c) 1:1**
- d) 5:7**

**ANSWER : d**

**Here loss is 30%, efficiency is 70%.**

$$\eta = \frac{E_s I_s}{E_p I_p}$$

$$\frac{I_p}{I_s} = \frac{E_s}{E_p \eta} = \frac{110}{220 \times \left( \frac{70}{100} \right)}$$

$$I_p : I_s = 5 : 7$$

**47. Ferromagnetic material used in transformer must have**

- a) Low permeability and low hysteresis loss**
- b) Low permeability and high hysteresis loss**
- c) High permeability and low hysteresis loss**
- d) High permeability and high hysteresis loss**



**ANSWER : c**

**in transformer flux linkage should be maximum and loss to be minimum**



**48. The materials suitable for making electromagnets should have**

- a) High retentivity and high coercive force**
- b) low retentivity and low coercive force**
- c) High retentivity and low coercive force.**
- d) Low retentivity and high coercive force.**



**ANSWER : b**

**electromagnets are not permanent magnets, they should be demagnetised easily.**

**49. The hysteresis loss per unit volume per cycle of magnetism is**

- a)  $\mu_0$  X area of I-H loop**
- b) Equal to area of B-H loop**
- c) Both (a) and (b)**
- d) Only (b)**



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**ANSWER : c**

**50. The rms value of an ac of 50Hz is 10A. The time taken by an alternating current in reaching from zero to maximum value is**

- a) 0.002s**
- b) 0.001s**
- c) 0.005s**
- d) 0.5s**



**ANSWER : c**

time taken to reach from zero to maximum is  $T/4$ , where  
T is time period.  $T=1/f$

$$=(1/4)(1/50)=1/200=0.005s$$