



BOARD QUESTION PAPER : MARCH 2016

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Time: 2 Hours

Total Marks: 40

Note:

- i. Draw well-labelled diagrams wherever necessary.
- ii. All questions are compulsory.
- iii. Students should write the answers of questions in sequence.

SECTION A

1. (A) (a) **Fill in the blanks:** [3]
- i. The modern periodic table consists of _____ periods.
 - ii. The formulae of chloride of metal M is MCl_2 . The metal M belongs to _____ group.
 - iii. Corrosion can be prevented by using _____ solution.
- (b) **Find the odd one out:** [2]
- i. Voltmeter, ammeter, galvanometer, thermometer.
 - ii. Loudspeaker, bar magnet, electric motor, microphone.
- (B) **Choose the correct alternative and rewrite the following:** [5]
- i. Reaction of iron nails with copper sulphate solution is an example of

(A) Combination reaction	(B) Decomposition reaction
(C) Displacement reaction	(D) Double displacement reaction
 - ii. Dilute NaOH can be tested with _____.

(A) red litmus paper	(B) blue litmus paper
(C) lime water	(D) Na_2CO_3
 - iii. In series combination which remains constant?

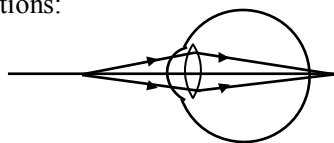
(A) Voltage	(B) Current
(C) Both current and voltage	(D) Both are variables
 - iv. An object of 10 cm is placed in front of a plane mirror. The height of image will be _____.

(A) 5 cm	(B) 15 cm
(C) 20 cm	(D) 10 cm
 - v. When a ray of light travels from air to glass slab and strikes the surface of separation at 90° , then it _____.

(A) bends towards normal	(B) bends away from normal
(C) passes unbent	(D) passes in zigzag way
2. **Answer the following questions (any five):** [10]
- i. Define the following:
 - a. 1 volt PD
 - b. Electric power.
 - ii. What major harm is done to the human beings by air pollution?
 - iii. Calculate the focal length of a corrective lens having power +2D.
 - iv. Write *two applications* of sodium bicarbonate (baking soda).
 - v. A simple microscope is used by watch repairers. Give reason.
 - vi. Draw neat and labelled diagram of pH scale.

**3. Answer the following questions (any five):****[15]**

- i. What are the main features of Mendeleev's periodic table?
- ii. Define 'redox reaction'. Give *one* example.
- iii. Given below is a diagram showing a defect of human eye. Study it and answer the following questions:



- a. Name the defect shown in the figure.
 - b. Give reason for this defect of eye in human being.
 - c. Name the type of lens used to correct the eye defect.
- iv. What is refraction of light? How is it related to refractive index?
 - v. Explain how spectrum is formed.
 - vi. Suggest measures in the following situations:
 - a. To avoid noise pollution in classroom.
 - b. To minimize electricity consumption at home.
 - c. Bursting fire crackers in festivals and processions.

4. Answer the following question (any one):**[5]**

- i. Find the expression for the resistors connected in series and write the *two* characteristics of it. (Draw figure).
- ii. Explain 'Electric motor' with the help of the following points:
 - a. Draw figure
 - b. Principle of Electric motor
 - c. Name any *four* appliances where electric motor is used.