

# Sound

## Question 1.

Sound can travel through:

- (a) gases only
- (b) solids only
- (c) liquids only
- (d) solids, liquids and gases

#### **▼** Answer

(d) solids, liquids and gases

Sound can travel through solids, liquids and gases.

# Question 2.

Voice of which of the following is likely to have minimum frequency:

- (a) baby girl
- (b) baby boy
- (c) a man
- (d) a woman

## **▼** Answer

(a) baby girl

Baby girl is likely to have minimum frequency.

## Question 3.

Vibration in a body produce:

- (a) energy
- (b) sound
- (c) heat
- (d) none of these

## **▼** Answer

(b) sound

Vibration if a body produce sound.

## Question 4.

A shehnai produces sound from:

- (a) vibrating strings
- (b) vibrating membrane
- (c) vibrating air column
- (d) none of these

## (c) vibrating air column

A shehnai produces sound from vibrating air column.

#### Question 5.

Drum produces sound from:

- (a) vibrating membrane
- (b) vibrating stretched membrane
- (c) vibrating strings
- (d) none of these

#### **▼** Answer

# (b) vibrating stretched membrane

Drum produces sound from vibrating stretched membrane.

## Ouestion 6.

Frequency of oscillations is:

- (a) the number of oscillations per minute
- (b) the number of oscillations per hour
- (c) the number of oscillations per second
- (d) none of these

#### **▼** Answer

# (c) the number of oscillations per second

Frequency of oscillations is the number of oscillations per second.

## Question 7.

The unit of frequency is:

- (a) hertz
- (b) hertz /sec
- (c) hertz / min
- (d) hertz / hour

## ▼ Answer

# (a) hertz

The unit of frequency is hertz.

## Question 8.

The frequency determines the of a sound.

- (a) loudness
- (b) pitch
- (c) both loudness and pitch
- (d) none of these

## (b) pitch

The frequency determines the pitch of a sound.

#### Question 9.

When the amplitude is small, the sound produced is:

- (a) loud
- (b) feeble
- (c) low pitched
- (d) none of these

#### ▼ Answer

# (b) feeble

When the amplitude is small, the sound produced is feeble.

## Ouestion 10.

The ultrasound equipment works at frequencies:

- (a) higher than 20,000 Hz
- (b) lower than 20,000 Hz
- (c) less than 20 Hz
- (d) none of these

#### **▼** Answer

# (a) higher than 20,000 Hz

The ultrasound equipment works at frequencies higher than 20,000 Hz.

## Question 11.

Noise pollution causes:

- (a) lack of sleep
- (b) hypertension
- (c) anxiety
- (d) all of these

## ▼ Answer

#### (d) all of these

Noise pollution causes lack of sleep, hypertension, anxiety.

#### Question 12.

Trees planted along the roads reduces the harmful effect of:

- (a) noise pollution
- (b) air pollution
- (c) both (a) and (b)
- (d) none of these

## (c) both (a) and (b)

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#### Ouestion 13.

Number of vocal cords in human is:

- (a) one
- (b) two
- (c) four
- (d) none of these

#### **▼** Answer

(b) two

Number of vocal cords in human is two.

# Question 14.

## Sound:

- (a) can travel through vacuum
- (b) cannot travel through vacuum
- (c) sound can sometimes travel through
- (d) none of these vacuum

#### **▼** Answer

(b) cannot travel through vacuum Sound cannot travel through vacuum.

# Question 15.

# Sound:

- (a) Sound requires a medium to travel
- (b) does not require a medium to travel
- (c) sometimes require a medium to travel
- (d) none of these

### **▼** Answer

(a) Sound requires a medium to travel Sound requires a medium to travel.

#### Ouestion 16.

Propagation of sound is fastest In:

- (a) gases
- (b) liquids
- (c) solids
- (d) vacuum

## (c) solids

Propagation of sound is fastest in solids.

#### Ouestion 17.

Sound does not travel in:

- (a) vacuum
- (b) gases
- (c) solids
- (d) liquids

#### **▼** Answer

# (a) vacuum

Sound does not travel in vacuum.

## Ouestion 18.

Unwanted and unpleasant sounds are called:

- (a) noise
- (b) noise pollution
- (c) music
- (d) air pollution

#### **▼** Answer

# (a) noise

Noise is unwanted and unpleasant sound.

## Question 19.

Process of receiving sound vibrations and sensing them by brain is called:

- (a) producing
- (b) speaking
- (c) sensing
- (d) hearing

## **▼** Answer

## (d) hearing

Process of receiving sound vibrations and sensing them by brain is called hearing

#### Question 20.

Voice box has stretched string like parts, which vibrate to produce sound are called:

- (a) larynx
- (b) vocal cords
- (c) nerves
- (d) arteries

## (b) vocal cords

Voice box has stretched string like parts, which vibrate to produce sound are called vocal cords.

#### Ouesiton 21.

Large amplitude of sound vibrations will produce:

- (a) loud sound
- (b) slow sound
- (c) meak sound
- (d) shreak

#### **▼** Answer

# (a) loud sound

Large amplitude of sound vibrations will produce loud sound.

## Ouestion 22.

High frequency of sound vibrations will produce a:

- (a) loud sound
- (b) shreak
- (c) meak sound
- (d) low piched sound

#### **▼** Answer

#### (b) shreak

High frequency of sound vibration will produce a shreak.

## Ouestion 23.

Excess unwanted sounds is environment can cause:

- (a) noise
- (b) disturbance
- (c) noise pollution
- (d) air pollution

## **▼** Answer

# (c) noise pollution

Excess unwanted sounds is environment can cause noise pollution.

#### Ouestion 24.

The range of audible sound for human ear is:

- (a) less than 20 Hz
- (b) more than 20,000 Hz
- (c) from 20 Hz to 20,000 Hz
- (d) none of these

# (c) from 20 Hz to 20,000 Hz

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#### Ouestion 25.

The amplitude of the sound wave decides its:

- (a) loudness
- (b) pitch
- (c) speed
- (d) none of these

#### ▼ Answer

# (a) loudness

The amplitude of the sound wave decides its loudness.

## Ouestion 26.

If the amplitude becomes twice than the loudness of sound increases by a factor of:

- (a) 2
- (b) 4
- (e) no change
- (d) none of these

#### ▼ Answer

# (b) 4

If the amplitude becomes twice than the loudness of sound increases by a factor of 4. Loudness of sound is proportional to the square of the amplitude of the vibration producing the sound.

#### Ouestion 27.

In sitar sound Is produced by:

- (a) beating
- (b) rubbing
- (c) blowing
- (d) plucking

#### **▼** Answer

Answer: (a)

In sitar sound is produced by plucking.

# Match the Column-A with Column-B:

## Question 1.

Column-A	Column-B
(a) Unit of frequency	(i) Amplitude
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(b) Pleasant sound	(ii) High
ii 	frequency
(c) Unwanted sound	(iii) Hertz
(d) High pitch sound	(iv) Music
(e) Loudness	(v) Noise

# ▼ Answer

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(b) Pleasant sound	(iv) Music
(c) Unwanted sound	(v) Noise
(d) High pitch sound	(ii) High frequency
(e) Loudness	(i) Amplitude

# Question 2.

Column-A	Column-B
(a) Number of vibrations produced by a vibrating particle in one second	(i) 330 m / sec
(b) Pitch	(ii) frequency
(c) Flute	(iii) vibration
(d) To and fro motion of a vibrating body about its mean position	(iv) vibration air column
(e) Speed of sound in air	(v) frequency of vibration

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# Question 3.

Column-A	Column-B
(a) Sound propagation	(i) Time period

(b) Maximum displacement of a vibrating particle from its mean position	(ii) Vacuum
(c) 1 KHz	(iii) Amplitude
(d) Time in which vibrating particle completes one vibration	(iv) Material medium
(e) A medium through which sound cannot travel	(v) 1000 Hz

### **▼** Answer

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(c) 1 KHz	(v) 1000 Hz
(d) Time in which vibrating particle completes one vibration	(i) Time period
(e) A medium through which sound cannot travel	(ii) Vacuum

# State whether the following statements are True or False:

# Question 1.

Sound cannot travel in vacuum.

#### **▼** Answer

True

# Question 2.

The number of oscillations per sound of a vibrating object is called its time period.

# **▼** Answer

False

# Question 3.

If the amplitude of vibration is large, sound is feeble.

# **▼** Answer

False

## Ouestion 4.

For human ears, the audible range is 20 Hz to 20,000 Hz.

# **▼** Answer

True

Question 5. The lower the frequency of vibration, the higher is the pitch.
▼ Answer
False
Question 6. Unwanted or unpleasant sound is termed as music.
▼ Answer
False
Question 7. Noise pollution may cause partial hearing impairment.
▼ Answer
True
Question 8. The loudness of sound is measured in hertz.
▼ Answer
False
Question 9. One hertz means one vibration per second.
▼ Answer
False
Question 10. Sound travels fastest in solids.
▼ Answer
true
Question 11. We can hear all the vibrations made by different bodies.
▼ Answer

False

Question 12. Cusions, curtains and rugs absorb sound.
▼ Answer
True
Question 13. The quality of sound depends on the material of vibrating part.
▼ Answer
True
Question 14. Sound with frequency above 20,000 Hz is called ultrasonic.
▼ Answer
True
Question 15. Smaller the amplitude of vibration, the louder is the sound.
▼ Answer
False
Question 16. In human beings, the vibration of the vocal cords produces sound.
▼ Answer
True
Fill in the blanks:
Question 1. Time taken by an object to complete one oscillation is called
▼ Answer
time period
Question 2. Loudness is determined by the of vibration.

▼ Answer
amplitude
Question 3. The unit of frequency is
▼ Answer
hertz
Question 4. Unwanted sound is called
▼ Answer
noise
Question 5. Shrillness of a sound is determined by the of vibration.
▼ Answer
frequency
Question 6. Sound is produced by objects.
▼ Answer
vibrating
Question 7 in human beings vibrate to produce sound.
▼ Answer
Vocal cords
Question 8. When we touch a source of sound, we can feel the
▼ Answer
vibrations

Question 9. Sound cannot travel in
▼ Answer
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Question 10. The audible frequency for human ear is
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▼ Answer
medium
Question 12. The number of vibrations per second defines
▼ Answer
frequency
Question 13. Sound travels fastest in
▼ Answer
solids
Question 14. Only vibrating bodies produce
▼ Answer
sound
Question 15 part of dholak vibrate to produce sound.
▼ Answer

Stretched membrane

Question 16 part of Sitar vibrate to produce sound.
▼ Answer
Stretched string
Question 17 part of flute vibrate to produce sound.
▼ Answer
Air column