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- **1.** A wire carrying a large current *i* from east to west is placed over an ordinary magnetic compass. The end of the compass needle marked "N":
  - A) points north
  - **B**) points south
  - C) points east
  - **D**) points west
  - E) continually rotates like an electric motor

**2.** Suitable units for the magnetic permeability constant  $\mu_0$  are:

A) tesla

- **D**) kilogram  $\cdot$  ampere/meter
- **E**) tesla  $\cdot$  meter/ampere
- C) weber/meter

**B)** newton/ampere<sup>2</sup>

- **3.** Two long straight wires enter a room through a door. One carries a current of 3.0 A into the room while the other carries a current of 5.0 A out. The magnitude of the path integral  $\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s}$  around the door frame is:
  - A)  $2.5 \times 10^{-6} \,\mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$ D)  $1.0 \times 10^{-5} \,\mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$ B)  $3.8 \times 10^{-6} \,\mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$ E) none of these
  - **C**)  $6.3 \times 10^{-6} \,\mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$
  - **4.** Two long straight wires are parallel and carry current in opposite directions. The currents are 8.0 and 12 A and the wires are separated by 0.40 cm. The magnetic field at a point midway between the wires is:

A) 0 B)  $4.0 \times 10^{-4}$  T C)  $8.0 \times 10^{-4}$  T D)  $12 \times 10^{-4}$  T E)  $20 \times 10^{-4}$  T

- \_\_\_\_ **5.** A coulomb of charge is:
  - A) one ampere per second
  - **B**) the quantity of charge that will exert a force of 1 N on a similar charge at a distance of 1 m
  - C) the amount of current in each of two long parallel wires, separated by 1 m, that produces a force of  $2 \times 10^{-7}$  N/m
  - **D**) the amount of charge that flows past a point in one second when the current is 1 A
  - E) an abbreviation for a certain combination of kilogram, meter and second

- **\_6.** A constant current is sent through a helical coil. The coil:
  - A) tends to get shorter
  - **B**) tends to get longer
  - C) tends to rotate about its axis
  - D) produces zero magnetic field at its center
  - E) none of the above
- **7.** A long straight cylindrical shell has inner radius  $R_i$  and outer radius  $R_o$ . It carries current *i*, uniformly distributed over its cross section. A wire is parallel to the cylinder axis, in the hollow region ( $r < R_i$ ). The magnetic field is zero everywhere outside the shell ( $r > R_o$ ). We conclude that the wire:
  - A) is on the cylinder axis and carries current *i* in the same direction as the current in the shell
  - **B**) may be anywhere in the hollow region but must be carrying current *i* in the direction opposite to that of the current in the shell
  - **C)** may be anywhere in the hollow region but must be carrying current *i* in the same direction as the current in the shell
  - **D**) is on the cylinder axis and carries current *i* in the direction opposite to that of the current in the shell
  - E) does not carry any current
  - **8.** A long straight wire carrying a 3.0 A current enters a room through a window 1.5 m high and 1.0 m wide. The path integral  $\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s}$  around the window frame has the value:
    - A)  $0.20 \text{ T} \cdot \text{m}$
    - **B)**  $2.5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ T} \cdot \text{m}$
    - **C)**  $3.0 \times 10^{-7} \,\mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$

- **D**)  $3.8 \times 10^{-6} \text{ T} \cdot \text{m}$ **E**) none of these
- **9.** Electrons are going around a circle in a counterclockwise direction as shown. At the center of the circle they produce a magnetic field that is:



A) into the page B) out of the page C) to the left D) to the right E) zero

- **10.** Lines of the magnetic field produced by a long straight wire carrying a current are:
  - A) in the direction of the current
  - **B**) opposite to the direction of the current
  - C) radially outward from the wire
  - D) radially inward toward the wire
  - E) circles that are concentric with the wire
- **11.** In Ampere's law,  $\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 i^{\text{enc}}$ , the symbol  $d\vec{s}$  is:
  - A) an infinitesimal piece of the wire that carries current *i*
  - **B**) in the direction of  $\vec{B}$
  - C) perpendicular to  $\vec{B}$
  - **D**) a vector whose magnitude is the length of the wire that carries current  $i^{enc}$
  - E) none of the above
- **12.** If the magnetic field  $\vec{B}$  is uniform over the area bounded by a circle with radius *R*, the net current through the circle is:
  - **A)** 0 **B)**  $2\pi RB/\mu_0$  **C)**  $\pi R^2 B/\mu_0$  **D)**  $RB/2\mu_0$  **E)**  $2RB/\mu_0$
- **13.** In Ampere's law,  $\oint \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{s} = \mu_0 i^{\text{enc}}$ , the direction of the integration around the path:
  - A) must be clockwise
  - **B**) must be counterclockwise
  - C) must be such as to follow the magnetic field lines
  - D) must be along the wire in the direction of the current
  - E) none of the above
- **14.** The magnetic field at any point is given by  $\vec{B} = A\vec{r} \times \hat{k}$ , where  $\vec{r}$  is the position vector of the point and A is a constant. The net current through a circle of radius R, in the xy plane and centered at the origin is given by: **A**)  $\pi A R^2/\mu_0$  **B**)  $2\pi A R/\mu_0$  **C**)  $4\pi A R^3/3\mu_0$  **D**)  $2\pi A R^2/\mu_0$  **E**)  $\pi A R^2/2\mu_0$
- **15.** The magnetic field  $\vec{B}$  inside a long ideal solenoid is independent of:
  - A) the current
  - **B**) the core material
  - **C**) the spacing of the windings
  - D) the cross-sectional area of the solenoid
  - **E**) the direction of the current

- **16.** A long straight cylindrical shell has inner radius  $R_i$  and outer radius  $R_o$ . It carries a current *i*, uniformly distributed over its cross section. A wire is parallel to the cylinder axis, in the hollow region ( $r < R_i$ ). The magnetic field is zero everywhere in the hollow region. We conclude that the wire:
  - A) is on the cylinder axis and carries current *i* in the same direction as the current in the shell
  - **B**) may be anywhere in the hollow region but must be carrying current *i* in the direction opposite to that of the current in the shell
  - **C)** may be anywhere in the hollow region but must be carrying current *i* in the same direction as the current in the shell
  - **D**) is on the cylinder axis and carries current *i* in the direction opposite to that of the current in the shell
  - E) does not carry any current
- **17.** A hollow cylindrical conductor (inner radius = a, outer radius = b) carries a current *i* uniformly spread over its cross section. Which graph below correctly gives *B* as a function of the distance *r* from the center of the cylinder?



18. Two parallel wires carrying equal currents of 10 A attract each other with a force of 1 mN. If both currents are doubled, the force of attraction will be:
A) 1 mN
B) 4 mN
C) 0.5 mN
D) 0.25 mN
E) 2 mN

**\_\_\_\_19.** Magnetic field lines inside the solenoid shown are:



- A) clockwise circles as one looks down the axis from the top of the page
- **B**) counterclockwise circles as one looks down the axis from the top of the page
- **C**) toward the top of the page
- **D**) toward the bottom of the page
- **E**) in no direction since B = 0
- **20.** The magnetic field a distance 2 cm from a long straight current-carrying wire is  $2.0 \times 10^{-5}$  T. The current in the wire is:
  - A) 0.16 A B) 1.0 A C) 2.0 A D) 4.0 A E) 25 A

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