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1. When two bodies are rubbed against each other,

(A) They acquire equal and opposite charges.  
charges.

(B) They acquire similar

(C) One body acquire a charge and the other remains uncharged.

(D) They acquire different amount of charges.

2. A body is said to have positive charge when,

(A) When it has excess of electrons.

(B) When it has lack of electrons.

(C) When it has equal protons and neutrons.

(D) None of these.

3. When the glass rod is rubbed with silk, which charge is produced on each of the rods?

(A) Glass rod - positive charge; silk - negative charge.

(B) Glass rod - negative charge; silk - positive charge.

(C) Glass rod - neutral; silk - negative charge.

(D) Glass rod - positive charge; silk - neutral.

4. Which of the statements are true?

(A) Like charges attract each other. (B) Like charges repel each other.

(C) Unlike charges attract each other. (D) Unlike charges repel each other.

5. An electron is

(A) Positively charged (B) Negatively charged  
above.

(C) Neutral

(D) None of the

6. The charges generated by rubbing are

(A) Static. (B) Moving. (C) Dynamic. (D) None of the above.

7. Which instrument is used to check whether the body is charged or not?

(A) Telescope.

(B) Lightning conductor.

(C) Microscope.

(D) Electroscope.

8. Charges flow from charged body to uncharged body.

(A) Until the entire charge flows from one part to the other.  
same charge.

(B) Until they both carry the

(C) Until they both become uncharged.

(D) Continuously

9. When an uncharged body touches a charged body, then

(A) Uncharged body acquires a similar charge  
opposite charge.

(B) Uncharged body acquires an equal and

(C) Charge body loses its charge.

(D) Uncharged body remains uncharged.

10. During the earthquake one should

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(A) Use the lift to get out of the building one is in (B) Crawl under the table and cover one's head.

(C) Crouch near a window and protect one's head. (D) Stand on the porch or balcony.

11. Which device is used to protect a building from the effect of lightning?

(A) Lightning electroscope. (B) Electroscope. (C) Lightning insulator. (D) Lightning conductor.

12. Which type of rod is used in lightning conductor?

(A) Non-metallic (B) Insulator (C) Metallic (D) Semiconductor

13. The intensity of earthquake is measured on the

(A) Modified Mercalli Scale (B) Richter scale (C) Seismic scale (D) Mercury scale

14. The point on the surface directly above the seismic focus is called the

(A) Hypocentre (B) Epicentre (C) Seismic centre (D) focus

15. Earthing is

(A) Transferring of charge from charged body to earth.

(B) Transferring of charge from earth to charged body.

(C) Transferring of charge from charged body to uncharged body.

(D) Transferring of charge from uncharged body to charged body.

16. Air is

(A) Good conductor of electricity. (B) Bad conductor of electricity.

(C) Semiconductor of electricity. (D) None of the above.

17. Which one is the good conductor of electricity?

(A) Air (B) Glass (C) Copper (D) Plastic

18. Which one is the example of bad conductor?

(A) Copper (B) Silver (C) Air (D) Gold

19. Which place is safe during lightning?

(A) Inside house. (B) Under tree. (C) Open place. (D) Open vehicles.

20. Name the place where the major earthquake had occurred on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2001.

(A) Uri (B) Bhuj (C) Tangdhar (D) Latur

21. The uppermost layer of the earth is called

(A) The mantle (B) The inner-core (C) The outer core (D) The crust

22. The fragments of the crust are called

(A) The plate (B) The plane (C) The zone (D) The danger zone

23. Which natural phenomenon we cannot predict before?

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(A) Thunder (B) Flood (C) Tsunami (D) Earthquake

24. Which of the following cannot be charged easily by friction?

(A) A woolen cloth (B) An inflated balloon (C) A copper rod (D) A plastic scale

25. A gold leaf electroscope can be used

(A) Only to detect a charge. (B) Only to find the nature of charge.  
(C) Only to measure the charge. (D) To detect, measure and find the nature of the charge.

26. While testing for charge, ..... is used as a proof of charge.

(A) Attraction (B) Repulsion (C) Transfer of charge (D) Earthing

27. The weak points on the earth's crust where earthquakes are likely to occur are called

(A) Plates. (B) Weak zones. (C) Danger zones. (D) Tectonic plates.

28. Which of the following does not cause an earthquake?

(A) Volcanic activities. (B) Nuclear explosion. (C) Collapse of mines. (D) Lightning.

29. What is the net charge on an atom?

(A) +1 (B) -1 (C) 0 (D) +2

30. What is the S.I. unit of charge?

(A) Coulomb (B) Newton (C) Pascal (D) Ampere

31. The bottom part of lightning conductor is made up of:

(A) Aluminium (B) Copper (C) Nickel (D) Silver

32. Sudden shaking of earth is called:

(A) Lightning. (B) Earthing. (C) Earthquake. (D) Tsunami.

33. The ..... produces waves on earth.

(A) Tsunami. (B) Lightning. (C) Earthquake. (D) Tremors.

34. The waves produced by tremors called:

(A) Seismic waves. (B) Tsunami waves. (C) Tremor waves. (D) Zone wave.

35. The instrument used to record seismic waves called:

(A) Electroscope. (B) Seismograph. (C) Seismoscope. (D) None of these.

36. Interaction between two charged balloons is

(A) Attraction. (B) Repulsion. (C) Some times attraction and some times repulsion. (D) None.

37. The interaction between a charged balloon and a charged refill is:

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(A) Attraction. (B) Repulsion. (C) Some times attraction and some times repulsion. (D) None.

38.The electric discharge can occur between ..... and .....

(A) Cloud and Cloud. (B) Cloud and Earth. (C) (a) & (b). (D) None.

39.Hearing..... is the alert to rush to a safe place.

(A) Lightning. (B) Thunder. (C) (a) & (b). (D) None.

40.Mention two causes of earthquake other than movements of tectonic plates?

41.What are the weak points, where earthquakes are likely to occur, on the earth crust called?

42.What is Tsunami?

43.Which scale is used to measure intensity of earthquake?

44.What is an electroscope?

45.What is lightning?

46.List two states in India where earthquakes are more likely to strike.

47.What happens when an ebonite rod is rubbed with fur?

48.What happens when ebonite rod is brought near a freely suspended and charged ebonite rod?

49.What is mean by electrification by friction?

50.Write the name of methods by which we can charge an uncharged body.

51.Mention two hazards caused by earthquake.

52.What is seismograph?

53.What do you mean by electric current?

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54.What are tectonic plates?

55.What is lightning conductor?

56.What is earthing?

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57.What is electric discharge? Give two examples of electric discharge.

58.What is thunderstorm? How is it produced?

59.What is earthquake?

60.Draw a neat diagram of map of the earth quake.

61.State the properties of changes.

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62.What causes the earthquakes? Which scale is used to measure intensity of earthquake?

63.Suggest three measures to protect ourselves from lightning.

64.Draw the diagram of an instrument, which can be used to detect a charged body.

65.Suppose you are outside your home and an earthquake strikes. What precaution would you take to protect yourself?

66.Suppose you are at your home and an earthquake strikes. What precaution would you take to protect yourself?

67.What is earthing? Why earthing provided in buildings?

68.Sometimes, a crackling sound is heard while taking off a sweater during witness. Explain

69.Draw a neat labeled diagram structure of the earth.

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70.Explain briefly the process of lightning.

71.Write causes of earthquake and explain briefly two hazards caused by earthquake.

72.State the charge produced by friction in each of following pairs:

(i) Fur and glass (ii) Flannel and ebonite (iii) Glass and silk (iv) Fur and rubber (v) Shellac and silk

73.Describe briefly the construction of a seismograph with a neat labelled diagram.

74.What are the precautions to be taken to make the building "quake safe"?

75.Describe an activity to show that like charge repel each other and unlike charge attract.