

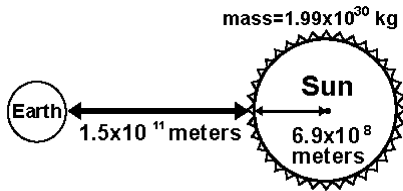
## Chapter 18 Test A

### Multiple Choice

Identify the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. All of the following are types of fields EXCEPT:
- gravity.
  - light.
  - magnetism.
  - mass.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The strength of a field:
- decreases the farther you get from the source.
  - increases the farther you get from the source.
  - stays the same throughout.
  - varies randomly throughout.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Compared to an electric or gravitational field, the strength of a magnetic field:
- increases more quickly as you get farther from the source.
  - decreases more quickly as you get farther from the source.
  - is identical.
  - None of the above
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The force of gravity you feel from Earth reaches you through:
- Earth's magnetic field.
  - Earth's core.
  - Earth's gravitational field.
  - electromagnetic waves.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. What type of field surrounds a moving charged particle?
- Electric field only
  - Magnetic field only
  - Gravitational field only
  - All of the above
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. If an object with a charge of 0.05 coulombs experiences an electric force of 5 newtons, the electric field strength in newtons/coulomb is \_\_\_\_\_ N/C.
- 0.01
  - 0.25
  - 100
  - 500
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Gravitational fields and electric fields are similar in all the following ways EXCEPT:
- their intensities follow an inverse square law.
  - they are both vector fields.
  - they are both force fields.
  - they both are created by mass.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. How does the intensity of light 2 meters from a light bulb compare to the intensity 4 meters away from the light bulb?
- It is 2 times more intense.
  - It is 2 times less intense.
  - It is 4 times more intense.
  - It is 4 times less intense.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. The greatest speed at which a field can spread forces, energy, or information is \_\_\_\_\_ m/s.
- 100,000
  - 300,000,000
  - 9.8
  - There is no limit to the speed.

**Figure-18A**

The distance between the Sun and Earth is  $1.5 \times 10^{11}$  meters.

The mass of the Sun is  $1.99 \times 10^{30}$  kg.

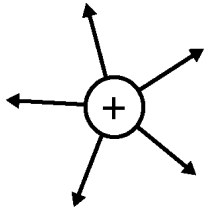
The radius of the Sun is  $6.9 \times 10^8$  meters.

Answer the following questions about the Sun-Earth system.

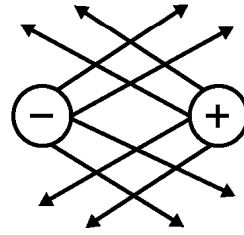
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Referencing the information in Figure-18A, how long does it take the light produced by the Sun to travel to your eyes on Earth?
- 0.002 seconds
  - $4.5 \times 10^{19}$  seconds
  - 500 seconds
  - Instantly
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Referencing Figure-18A, if the Sun were to explode, how long would it be before the explosion would be seen on Earth?
- 0.002 seconds
  - $4.5 \times 10^{19}$  seconds
  - 500 seconds
  - instantly
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Referencing Figure-18A, if the Sun were to explode and vanish, which of the following would happen to Earth?
- Earth would immediately explode and vanish.
  - Earth would fly out of its orbit after a 500-second delay.
  - Earth would fly out of its orbit immediately.
  - No change would occur.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. Referencing Figure-18A, the gravitational field strength **due to the Sun** at the surface of Earth is \_\_\_\_\_ N/kg.
- 9.8
  - $8.9 \times 10^8$
  - $7.5 \times 10^{-19}$
  - 0.006
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. Referencing Figure-18A, the gravitational field (value of  $g$ ) on the surface of the Sun is \_\_\_\_\_ N/kg.
- $1.9 \times 10^{11}$
  - $6.67 \times 10^{-11}$
  - 279
  - $9.5 \times 10^{47}$

- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. The gravitational field (value of  $g$ ) at the surface of a 0.045 kg golf ball with a radius of 0.021 meters is \_\_\_\_\_ N/kg.
- $6.67 \times 10^{-11}$
  - $1.4 \times 10^{-10}$
  - 9.8
  - $6.8 \times 10^{-9}$
- \_\_\_\_\_ 16. What creates an electric field?
- Drift speed
  - The forces between charged particles
  - Magnetic attractions
  - The forces between masses
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. What happens to an electric field as you get farther away from the charge that creates the field?
- It changes to a magnetic field.
  - It decreases.
  - It increases.
  - None of the above
- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. The electric field inside a conductor that is NOT carrying current is:
- increasing.
  - zero.
  - positive.
  - negative.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 19. Electric field lines always point:
- away from positive charge and toward negative charge.
  - toward positive charge and away from negative charge.
  - across each other.
  - to the inside of a conductor.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20. Placing a conductor into an electric field creates a:
- shielding effect with no electric field inside the conductor.
  - current inside the conductor.
  - negative charge inside the conductor.
  - positive charge inside the conductor.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 21. The force in newtons of an electric field of strength 2.0 newtons/coulomb on a positive charge of 0.5 coulombs is \_\_\_\_\_ N.
- 0.25
  - 0.5
  - 1.0
  - 4.0
- \_\_\_\_\_ 22. An object with charge of  $5 \times 10^{-9}$  C experiences an upward force of  $20 \times 10^{-9}$  N when placed at a certain point in an electric field. The electric field strength at that point is \_\_\_\_\_ N/C.
- 0.25
  - 4.0
  - 100
  - $4 \times 10^{-9}$

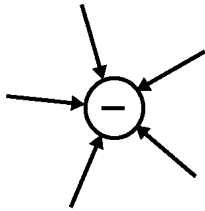
\_\_\_ 23. Which of the following diagrams is NOT a possible representation of an electric field?



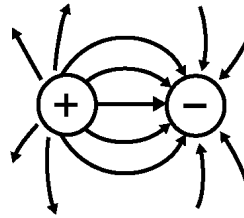
a.



c.



b.



d.

\_\_\_ 24. An electric field has a strength of 2 volts/meter. It exerts a force of \_\_\_ N on a positive charge of 0.002 coulombs.

- a. 9.8
- b. 0.004
- c. 1,000
- d. 0.001

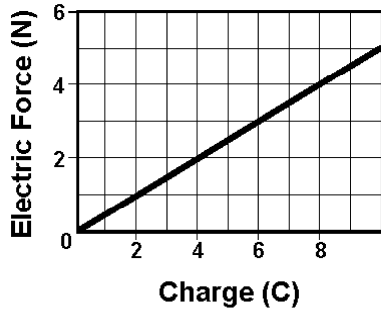
\_\_\_ 25. A negative charge of 0.01 coulombs is in a 200 volts/meter electric field. The force on the charge is \_\_\_ newtons.

- a. 9.8
- b. 2
- c. 20,000
- d.  $5 \times 10^{-5}$

\_\_\_ 26. Which of the following is a unit used to measure the strength of an electric field?

- a.  $\frac{\text{volts}}{\text{meter}}$
- b.  $\frac{\text{newtons}}{\text{coulomb}}$
- c.  $\frac{\text{kilograms} \times \text{meters}}{\text{seconds}^2 \times \text{coulombs}}$
- d. All of the above

\_\_\_ 27.



The graph represents the relationship between electric force and the charge of an object. The slope of the graph represents:

- a. the strength of the electric field.
- b. Coulomb's constant,  $k = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}^2$ .
- c. momentum.
- d. voltage.

\_\_\_ 28. The electric field around two positive charges looks most like:

- A**

**C**
- a. **B**
  - b. **B**
  - c. **C**
  - d. **D**
- B**

**D**