

Physics - 10th Class Physics English Medium Chapter 11 Preparation

Q1. Difference Between the loudness and intensity of sound.

Ans 1: Loudness: i. Characteristics of sound by which we can distinguish between loud and faint Sounds is called loudness.
ii. It is not physical quantity.

Ans 2: Intensity of Sound: i. Sound energy passing per second through a unit area held perpendicular to the direction of propagation of sound waves is called intensity of sound.
ii. It is physical quantity. Its unit is Wm^{-2}

Q2. What is musical sound?

Ans 1: Sounds which are pleasant to our ears are called musical sounds. e.g. sounds of guitar and violin.

Q3. What are sources of noise pollution?

Ans 1: Transportation equipment, heavy machinery, loud vehicles horns and alarms are the source of noise pollution.

Q4. What is diaphragm?

Ans 1: the chest piece consists of a plastic disc called diaphragm in stethoscope.

Q5. Why ultrasound is useful in medical field?

Ans 1: Ultrasonic waves carry more energy and short wavelength therefore ultrasonic waves are used to diagnose and treat different ailments.

Q6. Define wavelength of sound wave.

Ans 1: Distance between two consecutive compressions or rarefactions is called the wavelengths of sound wave.

Q7. What is frequency.

Ans 1: The number of vibrations per cycle of a vibrating body in one second is called frequency.

Q8. Define loudness? On what factors loudness depends.

Ans 1: "Loudness is the characteristics of sound by which loud and faint sounds can be distinguished". Loudness depends upon a number of factors. Such as.

- i. Amplitude of the vibrating body
 - ii. Area of the vibrating body
 - iii. Distance from the vibrating body
 - iv. Physical condition of ear.
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Q9. Difference between frequency and pitch.

Ans 1: Frequency: The number of vibration completed in one second is called frequency. Its unit is hertz.(Hz)

Ans 2: Pitch: Pitch is the characteristics of sound by which we can distinguish between a shrill and grave sound. It has no unit.

Q10. Why the voice of women is shriller than that of men?

Ans 1: The frequency of the voice of ladies is higher than that of men. Therefore, the voice of ladies is shrill and of high pitch.
