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Section - A

Q. No.1:- Circle the correct option. Each part carries one mark.

01	Isotopes are atoms of same element with different:									
а	Atomic mass	b	Atomic number	С	Number of protons	d	Number of			
							electrons			
02	One of the isotopes of uranium is $_{92}^{238}$ U. the number of neutrons in this isotope is:									
а	92	b	146	С	238	d	330			
03	Which among the following radiations has more penetrating power?									
a	A beta particle	b	A gamma ray	С	An alpha particle	d	All have the same			
							penetrating ability			
04	What happens to the atomic number of an element which emits one alpha particle and a beta particle?									
a	Increases by 1	b	Stays the same	Stays the same c Decreases by 2		d	Decreases by 1			
05	The half-life of a certain isotope is 1 day. What is the quantity of the isotope after 2 days?									
a	One half	b	One quarter	С	One eighth	d	None of these			
06	When Uranium (92 protons) ejects a beta particle, how many protons are left in the remaining nucleus?									
a	92 protons	b	91 protons	С	90 protons	d	89 protons			
07	Release of energy by the sun is due to:									
a	Nuclear fission	b	Nuclear fusion	С	Burning of gases	d	Chemical reaction			
08	When a heavy nucleus splits into two lighter nuclei, the process would:									
а	Release nuclear	b	Absorb nuclear	С	Release chemical	d	Absorb chemical			
	energy		energy		energy		energy			
09	The reason carbon-dating works is that:									
a	Plants and animals	В	After a plant or	С	There is so much	d	When a plant or an			
	are such strong		animal dies, it stops		non-radioactive		animal dies			
	emitters of		taking in fresh carbon-14		carbon dioxide in					
	carbon-14				the air					
10	Gamma rays are also called:									
a	Photons	b	Electrons	С	Protons	d	Positrons			
11	Charge on alpha particle is:									
а	2e	b	3e	С	4e	d	5e			
12	Radium-226 has a half-life of:									
а	1820 years	b	1920 years	С	1620 years	d	1600 years			



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Section - B

Q. No.2:- Attempt any eleven parts from the following. The answer of each part should not exceed 3 to 4 lines.

- i. Who discovered atom and who discover nucleus?
- ii. Define atomic number and atomic mass.
- iii. What is isotopes? List isotopes of hydrogen.
- iv. Define a nuclear transmutation?
- v. List some submultiples of Becquerel.
- vi. Define the terms Penetrating power, Ionization.
- vii. How alpha and beta particles are slowed down.
- viii. What do you know about nuclear radiation?
- ix. Define half-life and write formula?
- x. Write uses of radio isotopes.
- xi. What do you know about carbon dating?
- xii. Define nuclear fission with example?
- xiii. Define nuclear fusion with example?
- xiv. What is fission fragment?
- xv. Write uses of radioisotopes in medical treatment?

Q. No.4:- Attempt any TWO questions. All questions carry equal marks:

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

- Q. No.1:- (a). What do you understand by half-life of a radioactive element?
- (b). The half-life of $_{7}^{16}$ N is 7.3 s. A sample of this nuclide of nitrogen is observed for 29.2 s. calculate the fraction of the original radioactive isotope remaining after this time.
- Q. No2:- (a). Describe briefly the processes of fission reaction.



- (b). Carbon-14 has a half-life of 5730 years. How long will it take for the quantity of carbon-14 in a sample to drop to one-eighth of the initial quantity?
- Q. No.3:- (a). Describe briefly the processes of fusion. What is the source of solar energy?
- (b). Cobalt-60 is a radioactive element with half-life of 5.25 years. What fraction of the original sample will be left after 26 years?