

21. α -decay is an example of
- (A) barrier penetration
 - (B) Coulomb repulsion
 - (C) spontaneous fission
 - (D) induced fission
22. A square metallic loop of side L , carries a current I . The magnetic field at the center of loop is
- (A) directly proportional to L
 - (B) inversely proportional to L
 - (C) independent of L
 - (D) directly proportional to $L^3/2$
23. The field of magnetic vector \vec{B} is always
- (A) irrotational
 - (B) solenoidal
 - (C) non-solenoidal
 - (D) both irrotational and non-solenoidal
24. The equation $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H} = \epsilon \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t}$ is valid in
- (A) dielectrics when currents are present
 - (B) dielectrics when no currents are present
 - (C) dielectrics when time varying currents are present
 - (D) no case
25. Given $n + 1$ data points $(x_0, y_0), (x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_{n-1}, y_{n-1}), (x_n, y_n)$, and assume you pass a function $f(x)$ through all the data points. If now the value of the function $f(x)$ is required to be found outside the range of given x -data, the procedure is called
- (A) extrapolation
 - (B) interpolation
 - (C) guessing
 - (D) regression