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Practice Test

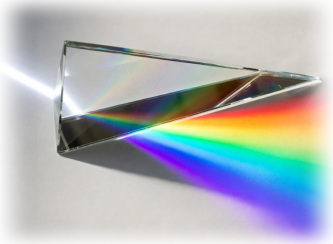
Unit 4: Light and Modern Physics

5 Questions

Original practice test based on the New York curriculum. Work through each question, then check your answers at the end.

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Question 1

Light travels from glass into air and speeds up. The ray bends

A) toward the normal

B) away from the normal

C) not at all

D) back on itself

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Question 2

A flat mirror forms an image that is

A) real and inverted

B) real and upright

C) virtual and inverted

D) virtual and upright

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Question 3

In the photoelectric effect, increasing the light frequency above threshold increases the

A) number of electrons only

B) work function

C) wavelength

D) maximum kinetic energy of electrons

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Question 4

The half life of a sample is 5 years. After 15 years, the fraction remaining is

A) one half

B) one fourth

C) one eighth

D) one sixteenth

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Question 5

A sample starts with 100 g of a radioactive isotope. After three half lives, the mass remaining is

A) 50 g

B) 25 g

C) 12.5 g

D) 33.3 g

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ANSWER KEY

1. B
2. D
3. D
4. C
5. C

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