

### Electrical Theory Exam (4 Hours)

### **Suggested Study Materials:**



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- 1. Providing a path to the earth often helps reduce electrostatic charge.
  - (a) True (b) False
- 2. Lightning frequently terminates to a point of elevation and it strikes nonmetallic as well as metallic objects with the same
  - (a) True (b) False

frequency.

- 3. The termination of the lightning strike is unlikely to ignite combustible materials.
  - (a) True (b) False
- 4. Lightning protection is intended to protect the building structure itself, as well as the electrical equipment on or inside the building structure.

(a) True

(b) False

- 5. Nonmagnetic metals are ferrous, meaning they do not contain any iron, and cannot be magnetized.
  - (a) True (b) False
- 6. Magnetic lines of force can cross each other and they are called flux lines.
  - (a) True (b) False
- It is not the force of the magnetic field through a conductor that produces electricity; it is the relative motion of the field to the electrons within the conductor that produces the movement of electrons.
  - (a) True (b) False
- 8. People become injured and death may occur when voltage pushes electrons through the human body causing the heart to go into ventricular fibrillation.

(a) True (b) False



## *National Electrical Code* Exam (4 Hours)

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This program is based on his best-selling *Understanding the National Electrical Code Volume 1 and 2* textbooks and DVDs and also includes *NEC Exam Practice Questions* book. You will learn how to use the *NEC*, general installation requirements, grounding vs. bonding, wiring methods, equipment for general use, special occupancies, special equipment, and limited energy and communication systems in a very easy-to-understand format that makes this program effective. The DVDs follow the text as Mike explains the *Code* with his dynamic teaching style.

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### Please use the 2011 *Code* book to answer the following questions, which are based on the 2011 *NEC*.

- For a grounded system, an unspliced \_\_\_\_\_ shall be used to connect the equipment grounding conductor(s) and the service disconnecting means to the grounded conductor of the system within the enclosure for each service disconnect.
  - (a) grounding electrode(b) main bonding jumper(c) busbar(d) insulated copper conductor
- Electric space-heating cables shall not be installed over cabinets whose clearance from the ceiling is less than the minimum \_\_\_\_\_ dimension of the cabinet to the nearest cabinet edge that is open to the room or area.
  - (a) horizontal
  - (b) vertical
  - (c) overall
  - (d) depth

- Emergency systems are generally installed where artificial illumination is required for safe exiting and for panic control in buildings occupied by large numbers of persons, such as and similar institutions.
  - (a) hotels(b) theaters and sports arenas(c) health care facilities(d) all of these
- 4. Fuses or circuit breakers for PV dc circuits must be \_\_\_\_\_\_ for use in dc circuits and shall have the appropriate voltage, current, and interrupt ratings.
  - (a) identified
  - (b) approved
  - (c) recognized
  - (d) listed



# Electrical Calculations Exam (3 Hours)



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- 1. A 200A feeder installed in Schedule 80 rigid nonmetallic conduit has three 3/0 THHN conductors, one 2 THHN conductor, and one 6 THHN conductor. What trade size raceway is required?
  - (a) 2
    (b) 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>
    (c) 3
    (d) 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>
- 2. What trade size rigid metal nipple is required for three 4/0 THHN conductors, one 1/0 THHN conductor, and one 4 THHN conductor?
  - (a) 1½ (b) 2 (c) 2½ (d) 3
- 3. What is the ampacity of four current-carrying 1/0 THHN conductors in a raceway?
  - (a) 111A
  - (b) 136A
  - (c) 153A (d) 171A

- A raceway contains eight current-carrying conductors. What size conductor is required to feed a 21A noncontinuous load? The overcurrent device is rated 30A.
  - (a) 14 THHN(b) 12 THHN(c) 10 THHN(d) any of these
- 5. What is the ampacity of eight current-carrying 10 THHN conductors installed in an ambient temperature of 100°F?
  - (a) 21A (b) 25A
  - (c) 32A
  - (d) 40A
- The branch-circuit short-circuit protection device for a 10 hp, 230V, single-phase motor shall not exceed \_\_\_\_\_. Note: Use an inverse time breaker for protection.
  - (a) 50A (b) 75A
  - (c) 80A
  - (d) 125A