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### Turn in Assignment for Basic Audio Engineering - Chapter #1

### **Basic Audio Engineering - Chapter #1 - Quiz**

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- 1. Atmospheric pressure refers to:
  - OA. The region of space just prior to entering the earth's atmosphere.
  - **B.** The amount of pressure caused by a strong weather condition.
  - C. The density of air molecules around us at all times.
  - **D.** The amount of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.
- 2. Sound is made possible through the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of a sound source displacing the air molecules around it.
  - OA. shaking
  - **B.** vibration
  - OC. rubbing
  - **D.** singing
- 3. Frequency in terms of waveform characteristics refers to:
  - A. How loud a sound is
  - **B.** The perceived pitch of a sound
  - OC. How fast a waveform is moving
  - **D.** The harmonic content of a fundamental note

4. \_\_\_\_\_\_ is the primary frequency of a sound. The sound may have overtones or lower harmonics present however the primary frequency content is called this.

- A. Core Tone
- **B.** Base Note
- C. Fundamental Frequency
- OD. Main Playline
- 5. Sound travels at roughly \_\_\_\_\_ miles per hour.
  - **A.** 560-590
  - **B.** 740-770
  - **C.**710-730
  - **D.** 650-680
- 6. The tympanic membrane also known as the \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a flap of skin like material that acts as a diaphragm, receiving sound pressure waves and transmitting them the three bones in the inner ear.
  - ○A. hammer
  - **B.** outer ear
  - C. ear drum
  - OD. skin flute

| 7.  | is the study of how sounds are perceived by the brain.  |
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|     | • A. Acoustics  |
|     | <b>B.</b> Psycho-realm analysis   |
|     | • C. Psychoacoustics  |
| 0   | OD. Anthropology  |
| 8.  | Timbre refers to:   |
|     | • A. The harmonic frequency content that makes up the sound of a specific instrument.   |
|     | <b>B.</b> The pitch of a note.  |
|     | <b>C.</b> The length of the waveform.   |
| 0   | <b>D.</b> The maximum amplitude an instrument is capable of.<br>ADSR stands for:  |
| 9.  | OA. Arppegiate, Delay, Sustain, Resonate  |
|     | <b>B</b> . Attack, Delay, Sustain, Rewind   |
|     | <b>C.</b> Aggress, Decay, Suspend, Release  |
|     | • D. Attack, Decay, Sustain, Release  |
| 10  | Auditory happens when one sound affects the perception of another sound by our brain either through amplitude                 |
| 10. | or frequency content.   |
|     | <b>A</b> . beats  |
|     | <b>B.</b> psychoacoustics   |
|     | • C. masking  |
|     | <b>D.</b> curve   |
| 11. | Amplitude is the measure of and is measured in  |
|     | • A. frequency, Hertz   |
|     | <b>B</b> . velocity, ohms   |
|     | C. loudness, decibels   |
|     | <b>D</b> . resistance, ohms   |
| 12. | Sound pressure waves are made up of two regions, (high pressure region) and rarefactions (low pressure region).               |
|     | • A. compulsion   |
|     | <b>B</b> . resonance  |
|     | • C. compression  |
|     | <b>D</b> . secluded   |
| 13. | Acoustic occur(s) when to sounds close in frequency are played together. The result is a an audible phase                     |
|     | interaction.  |
|     | • A. beats  |
|     | <b>B.</b> masking   |
|     | C. psychoacoustics  |
|     | <b>D</b> . curve  |
| 14. | The is a snail shaped organ that contains reed-like fibers connected to hair follicles that vibrate at a resonant fractionary |
|     | frequency. OA. tympanic membrane  |
|     | <b>B.</b> malleus   |
|     | OC. stapes  |
|     | • D. cochlea  |
| 15. | is the measure of the amount of compressions and rarefactions (complete cycles) that occur in 1 second of                     |
|     | time.   |
|     | • A. Frequency  |
|     | <b>B</b> . Wavelength   |
|     | C. Harmonic Content   |
|     | <b>D</b> . Phase  |

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