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Electrical 101 – Circuit Protection - Chapter 10

Questions

- 1. A Short Circuit is?
- a) A low resistance path to ground
- b) An electrical path in a circuit that causes most of the current to flow around or away from the intended path in the circuit
- c) Both A & B
- d) Neither A or B
- 2. Which of these is not a cause of a tripped breaker?
- a) Short Circuits
- b) Excessive Loads
- c) Voltage Drop
- d) Incorrect Design
- 3. An advantage of a fuse as opposed to a breaker is that the protection level is not degraded by previous faults?
- a) True
- b) False
- 4. An advantage of a S-Type fuse as opposed to a Screw-in-Base fuse is?
- a) It has a clear window so you can see when it needs to be replaced.
- b) It is color coded for amperage identification
- c) It has individual base sizes for specific amperage
- d) The sizes are interchangeable
- 5. Plug adapters can be screwed into standard bases to convert Screw-in-Base fuses to S-Type fuses?
- a) True
- b) False

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- 6. Ferrule-type fuses are rated up to and including 50 amps?
- a) True
- b) False (60 amps)
- 7. _____ fuses protect circuits above 60 amps up to 600 amps?
- a) Non-Renewable
- b) Renewable
- c) Blade-knife
- d) Ferrule
- 8. Non-Renewable fuses present a higher than normal risk for equipment damage and fires.
- a) True
- b) False
- 9. A Single Element fuse with no intentional time-delay designed into the overload range is called?
- a) Fast-Acting
- b) Very Fast-Acting
- c) Quick Blow
- d) All of the above
- 10. A Dual-Element Fuse?
- a) Provides the same short-circuit current protection as the single-element fuse
- b) Provides time-delay protection against slow over-currents
- c) Splits current dividing it between multiple strips of metal
- d) All of the above



