- 1) A vector quantity must include *both* magnitude and direction. Which measurement is a vector quantity?
 - A) the rain accumulation at a weather station
 - B) the motion of water in an ocean current
 - C) the air temperature in a room
 - D) the highest elevation of a hill
- 2) According to the diagram below which represents a contour map of a hill, what is the approximate gradient of the hill between points *X* and *Y*?



 Contour Interval
 =
 10 meters

 A) 3 m/km
 C) 10 m/km

 B) 1 m/km
 D) 30 m/km

3) What is the elevation of the highest contour line shown on the map below?



4) The diagram below is a contour map. Between which two points is the slope of the hill steepest?



- 5) A contour (topographic) map indicates that a stream is flowing across the landscape. If the stream has a constant volume, where on the map would the stream most likely have the highest velocity?
 - A) as the stream moves across several closely spaced contour lines
 - B) as the stream moves through a large region that has no contour lines
 - C) as the stream moves parallel to two contour lines
 - D) as the stream moves across several widely spaced contour lines
- 6) A stream has a source at an elevation of 1,000 meters. It ends at a lake that has an elevation of 300 meters. If the lake is 200 kilometers away from the source, what is the average gradient of the stream?
 - A) 15. m/km C) 3.5 m/km
 - B) 10. m/km D) 1.5 m/km
- 7) According to the diagram below which represents a contour map of a hill, on which side of the hill does the land have the steepest slope?



Contour Interval = 10 meters

A)	north	C)	west
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B) south D) east



Questions 8 and 9 refer to the following:

The isoline map below represents various temperatures taken 1 meter above the floor in a closed room. Letters A through F are various locations in the room also located 1 meter above the floor.



B) A and B

8)

D) B and C

The approximate temperature at location <i>B</i> is				
A) 22°C	C)	17°C		
B) 19°C	D)	24°C		

Questions 10 through 14 refer to the following:



- 10) What is the elevation of the highest contour line on hill *W*?
 - A) 510 m C) 560 m
 - B) 440 m D) 610 m
- 11) What is the elevation at the intersection of Jones Road and Smith Road?
 - A) 600 m C) 450 m
 - B) 500 m D) 550 m
- 12) On which side of hill X is the steepest slope found?
 - A) east C) southwest
 - B) southeast D) north
- 13) In which general direction is Trout Brook flowing when it passes under Smith Road?
 - A) northwest C) northeast
 - B) southeast D) southwest

14) Which diagram best represents the profile along a straight line between points *A* and *B*?



Questions 15 through 19 refer to the following:

The topographic map below represents a coastal landscape. The contour lines show the elevations in meters.



- 15) What is the general direction of flow of the river between points *E* and *F*?
 - A) east to west C) south to north
 - B) west and east D) north to south
- 16) Which diagram best represents the profile along a straight line between points *C* and *J*?



- 17) What is the rate of change in elevation (gradient) of the land from point *C* to point *D*?
 - A) 15 m/km C) 10 m/km
 - B) 25 m/km D) 20 m/km
- 18) What is the elevation of the highest contour line shown on the map?
 - A) 155 m C) 140 m
 - B) 180 m D) 150 m
- 19) What is the approximate distance along the dirt road from points *G* to *H*?
 - A) 2.1 km C) 2.6 km
 - B) 3.2 km D) 4.0 km

Questions 20 through 24 refer to the following:

The diagram below represents the isolines of an elevation field (topographic map) for a region. The dashed lines represent the streams flowing in this region. [Note: On this map the contour interval is measured in feet and the scale is measured in kilometers.]



- 20) The straight line distance between the tops of hills *A* and *D* is closest to
 - A) 3.2 km C) 4.2 km
 - B) 1.1 km D) 2.0 km
- 21) A stream which flows away from the lake is located between
 - A) hills C and D C) hills A and B
 - B) hills B and C D) hills D and A
- 22) Which hill could be 590 feet high?
 - A) *A* B) *B* C) *C* D) *D*
- 23) Which side of hill *C* is the steepest?
 - A) northwest C) northeast
 - B) southwest D) southeast

24) Which diagram best represents the profile view along a straight line between points *Y* and *Z*?

