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MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

- 1) Electric motors are better than an internal combustion engine to propel a vehicle because _____ 1) _____
- A) they produce high torque at low speeds
 - B) they do not burn fuel and therefore do not release carbon dioxide into the environment
 - C) they are quiet
 - D) All of the above are correct.
- 2) Which of these statements about series hybrid electric vehicles is (are) true? 2) _____
- A) The internal combustion engine turns a generator to charge the battery.
 - B) The engine never powers the vehicle directly.
 - C) Both A and B
 - D) Neither A nor B
- 3) About how fast does a motor-generator crank the internal combustion engine? 3) _____
- A) About 1000 RPM
 - B) About 2000 RPM
 - C) About 150-300 RPM
 - D) About 350-600 RPM
- 4) Technician A says that most hybrids use the series hybrid design. Technician B says that most hybrids have 42 volt batteries. Which technician is correct? 4) _____
- A) Technician A only
 - B) Technician B only
 - C) Both technicians
 - D) Neither technician
- 5) All of the following are characteristic of a hybrid electric vehicle (HEV) EXCEPT _____. 5) _____
- A) high voltages (safety issue)
 - B) lower fuel economy
 - C) lower amount of carbon dioxide released into the atmosphere
 - D) quiet
- 6) Technician A says that in a parallel hybrid design, only the electric motor is connected to the transmission. Technician B says that in a parallel hybrid design, the vehicle can be propelled by the electric traction motor, the internal combustion engine, or both. Which technician is correct? 6) _____
- A) Technician A only
 - B) Technician B only
 - C) Both technicians
 - D) Neither technician

- 7) On a vehicle equipped with a belt-alternator-starter (BAS) hybrid system, the alternator is also used to _____. 7) _____
- A) circulate the coolant
 - B) pump refrigerant
 - C) start the engine
 - D) assist steering effort
- 8) Technician A says that full hybrid electric vehicles need to be plugged into a standard AC electrical outlet to charge. Technician B says that the high voltage battery in an HEV uses a generator driven by the internal combustion engine for recharging. Which technician is correct? 8) _____
- A) Technician A only
 - B) Technician B only
 - C) Both technicians
 - D) Neither technician
- 9) In a series hybrid vehicle, the internal combustion engine drives the vehicle only when increased horsepower is needed. 9) _____
- A) True
 - B) False
- 10) Which type of hybrid is capable of propelling the vehicle by just using the electric motor? 10) _____
- A) BAS type
 - B) Strong (full) hybrid
 - C) Medium hybrid
 - D) Mild hybrid

Answer Key

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1) D

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