Automotive Electricity and Electronics, 6th Edition Quiz 21A

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

1) Bench testing of a starter should be done	1)
A) After reassembling an old starter	
B) Before installing a new starter	
C) After removing the old starter	
D) Both A and B	
2) A technician connects one lead of a digital voltmeter to the positive (+) terminal of the battery	2)
and the other meter lead to the battery terminal (B) of the starter solenoid and then cranks the	
engine. During cranking, the voltmeter displays a reading of 878 mV. Technician A says that this	
reading indicates that the positive battery cable has too high resistance. Technician B says that	
this reading indicates that the starter is defective. Which technician is correct?	
A) Technician A only	
B) Technician B only	
C) Both technicians	
D) Neither technician	
3) What is the first step for removing a starter?	3)
A) Hoist the vehicle	
B) Disconnect the battery positive cable	
C) Disconnect the battery negative cable	
D) Remove the battery cable from the starter	
4) Slow cranking by the starter can be caused by all of these, EXCEPT	4)
A) A low or discharged battery	_/
B) Corroded or dirty battery cables	
C) Engine mechanical problems	
D) Open neutral safety switch	
5) A voltage drop test on the starter control circuit is used to test which of these starter	5)
components?	
A) Wiring and connections	
B) Field coils	
C) Commutator	
D) Starter solenoid and field coil	
6) Two technicians are discussing what could be the cause of slow cranking and excessive current	6)
draw. Technician A says that an engine mechanical fault could be the cause. Technician B says	-/
that the starter motor could be binding or defective. Which technician is correct?	
A) Technician A only	
B) Technician B only	
C) Both technicians	
D) Neither technician	

7) Which of these components is the armature?



B) B

C) C

D) D

8) With the armature removed from the starter motor, the field coils should be tested for opens an	d 8)	
grounds using which of these tools?		

7) \_\_\_\_\_

10) \_\_\_\_\_

A) Powered test light

B) Ohmmeter

C) Ammeter

D) Either A or B

## 9) If the clearance between the starter pinion and the engine flywheel is too great, \_\_\_\_\_. 9) \_\_\_\_\_

A) The starter will produce a high pitched whine during cranking

- B) The starter will produce a high pitched whine after the engine starts
- C) The starter drive will not rotate at all
- D) The solenoid will not engage the starter drive
- 10) Technician A says that a discharged battery (lower than normal battery voltage) can cause solenoid clicking. Technician B says that a discharged battery or dirty (corroded) battery cables can cause solenoid clicking. Which technician is correct?
  - A) Technician A only
  - B) Technician B only
  - C) Both technicians
  - D) Neither technician

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