

## Mechanics Quiz: questions and answers





- 1. What is the mechanics?
- The discipline that deals with the design, construction and maintenance of the physical and naturally built environment
- O The scientific discipline involved with elements and compounds composed of atoms, molecules and ions
- The area of science concerned with the behavior of physical bodies when subjected to forces or displacements
- 2. Where does the scientific discipline have its origins?
- O Ancient Rome
- Ancient Egypt
- O Ancient Greece
- 3. Who laid the foundations of what is now known as classical mechanics?
- O Galileo
- O Kepler
- All are correct
- 4. Which law originated the classical mechanics?
- O Newton's law of motion
- O Theory of fields
- General theory of relativity
- 5. What was the main theory of mechanics in antiquity?
- O Isaac Newton's mechanics



- O Aristotelian mechanics
- O Galileo's mechanics
- 6. Who developed the theory of impetus?
- O Aristotle
- O Isaac Newton
- 🔘 Jean Buridan
- 7. Who were two central figures for mechanics in the early modern age?
- O Jean Buridan and Thomas Bradwardine
- O Aristotle and Plato
- Galileo Galilei and Isaac Newton
- 8. In which century did General Relativity and Quantum Mechanics develop?
- 19th century
- O 20th century
- O 21th century
- 9. Which one of these subjects is studied in the Classical fields of mechanics?
- O Matrix mechanics
- O Particle physics
- Analytical mechanics
- 10. Which one of these subjects is studied in the Quantum fields of mechanics?
- O Biomechanics
- Fluid statics
- Condensed matter physics



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