# AstroWikipediaAstronomy 2

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1.



What is this? <sup>1</sup>

- A. the magnetic field of Venus
- B. colliding galaxies
- C. a supernovae remnant
- D. the magnetic field of Saturn
- E. a dying star
- 2. An active galaxy is emitting a significant amount of its energy from  $\dots^2$ 
  - A. magnetism

#### B. gravity

- C. nuclear fusion
- D. nuclear fission
- E. exploding stars
- 3. Wihlem Conrad Rontgen, a pioneer in X-rays is famous for his photo of  $^3$ 
  - A. a double star
  - B. his wife
  - C. Barnard's star
  - D. The Sun
  - E. a supernovae
- 4. Earth based infrared observatories tend to be located in<sup>4</sup>
  - A. underground
  - B. where the air is cold
  - C. where the air is dry
  - D. near the equator
  - E. near the north and south poles
- 5. The shortest wavelength of electromagnetic radiation is associated with<sup>5</sup>
  - A. X-rays
  - B. blue light
  - C. infrared
  - D. gamma rays
  - E. ultra violet



6.

What are the blue things in this figure?<sup>6</sup>

- A. a globular cluster
- B. an open cluster of stars
- C. a cluster of galaxy
- D. one galaxy
- E. none of these is correct
- 7. Most of the \_\_\_\_\_ that astronomers observe from Earth is seen in the form of synchrotron radiation, which is produced when electrons oscillate around magnetic fields.<sup>7</sup>
  - A. meteors
  - B. photons
  - C. radio waves
  - D. energy
  - E. meteorites
- 8. Most gamma rays  $\operatorname{are}^{8}$

#### A. in bursts

- B. from cold stars
- C. from the Sun
- D. the Andromeda galaxy
- E. from hot stars
- 9. Studies in the infrared are useful for objects that are<sup>9</sup>
  - A. associated with supernovae
  - B. in our own galaxy
  - C. cold
  - D. inside the solar system
  - E. in other galaxies
- 10. The best place to observe neutrinos is  $^{10}$

#### A. underground

- B. near the north and south poles
- C. near the equator
- D. where the air is dry
- E. where the air is cold

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