Arc Flash Quiz

- 1. _____% of electrical injuries and fatalities among "qualified workers" are caused by arc flash. a. 25% b. 50% c. 80%
- 2. Activities with high potential for exposure to arc flash include:
 - a. Troubleshooting live circuits b. Opening or closing circuits c. Grounding circuits d. All of the above
- 3. Potential arc flash causes may include:
 - a. Uninsulated tool contact with a live conductor
- b. Loose wire connections
- c. Accidental contact with live conductors
- d. All of the above
- 4. Temperatures associated with an arc flash can be up to 35,000 Fahrenheit. T/F
- 5. When working around exposed live conductors insulated tools must be used. T/F
- 6. An arc blast may produce molten shrapnel, sound waves, and damaging pressure waves. T/F
- 7. NFPA 70E uses two hazard categories based on the incident energy of a circuit. T/F
- 8. According to NFPA 70E, the flash protection boundary is the approach distance from an exposed live part where a person could receive at least a second degree burn should if within the boundary when an arc flash occurs. T/F
- 9. The amount of energy generated from an arc flash is measured in calories. T/F
- 10. The primary method for protecting employees from arc flash is to de-energize live parts prior to working on them using proper lockout/tagout procedures. **T/F**

ANSWERS:

1. C 6. True 2. D 7. False 3. D 8. True 4. True 9. True 5. True 10. True



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