MIDTERM PART II REVIEW #1 - ANSWERS

1. The picture should appear, and be labeled as shown below.



- 2. Betelgeuse is cooler and less luminous than *Rigel*. Both temperature and luminosity must be included to receive credit.
- 3. Our galaxy is known as the Milky Way.
- Earth's revolution or Earth revolves in its orbit. The reason why we see different constellations in different seasons is because the Earth is revolving around the Sun to a different position in the Solar System allowing different constellations to be viewed at night.
- 5. isotherms By definition, isotherms are lines that connect points of equal temperature.
- 6. B and D The temperature gradient would be the greatest where the isotherms are closest together.
- 7. 2.0 °C / meter (note the ".0" in the final answer because the instructions say to round to nearest tenths place)

Gradient = change in field value / distance

- = (26 20) °C / 3 meters
- = 6°C / 3 meters
- = 2 °C / meter

- 8. From point A to point F, the temperature value stays the same. Since both points are on the same line, they have the same value.
- 9. **Point E** Point E is the highest temperature out of all the points in the field. According to definition, the source is the hottest area that provides heat to other areas.
- 10. (3) point D to point F

Heat always flows from higher temperatures (a source) to lower temperatures (a sink). Out of the four choices provided, only choice 3 follows this rule.



- 12. **64.5** It looks like point A is halfway between the 64 and 65 lines. (If your lines look a little different, you might have estimated a slightly different answer.)
- 13. Anything between **61.1 and 61.9** would be acceptable. Letter C is less than 62, but since you don't see a 61 line, you can't get a perfect estimate as to where point C falls between lines.

14. .6 °F / meter (the instructions say to round to nearest tenths place)

Gradient = change in field value / distance

- = (69 62) °F / 12 meters
- = 7°F / 12 meters
- = .6 °F / meter