Ladders Quiz

1. OSHA standards cover ladder inspection and safe use procedures.
   a. True  b. False

2. A ladder’s rating (I-A, I, II, III) tells you:
   a. The combined weight of person and equipment it can handle safely
   b. The number of people it can handle safely.
   c. What type of temperature conditions it can handle safely

3. When you work around electricity, you should use a metal ladder.
   a. True  b. False

4. To prevent falls, ladder rungs and step surfaces should be:
   a. Worn thin
   b. Slip-resistant
   c. Treated with oil

5. If a ladder is damaged or has parts missing, you should:
   a. Fix it
   b. Use it
   c. Tag it and turn it in

6. A ladder should extend:
   a. Only to the top support
   b. At least three feet above the top support
   c. Six feet above the top support

7. The distance between the ladder’s base and the surface it leans against should be:
   a. About six inches
   b. One-fourth the ladder’s length
   c. One-half the ladder’s length

8. The maximum number of people permitted on a ladder is:
   a. One
   b. Two
   c. Depends on the weight of the people

9. When you climb a ladder, you should face the ladder and hold both side rails.
   a. True  b. False

10. The best way to carry tools on a ladder is:
    a. In your hand
    b. On a belt, rope, or hoist
    c. In your back pocket