

Neutron stars and black holes.

1. A black hole is best described as
 - a) A star that sucks all matter onto itself
 - b) A window into another universe
 - c) A object that is smaller than its Schwarzschild radius
 - d) The final result of all stellar evolution

2. Which of the following can escape from inside the event horizon of a black hole?
 - a) Photons
 - b) Anti-matter
 - c) Radio emission
 - d) Xrays
 - e) None of the above

3. What is the difference between Doppler redshift and gravitational redshift?

4. The equivalence principle tells us
 - a) That mass is equivalent to energy: $E = mc^2$
 - b) The faster an object moves, the heavier it becomes
 - c) Nothing can travel faster than the speed of light
 - d) It is impossible to tell the difference between the force of gravity and acceleration

5. What size would the moon have to shrink to in order to form a black hole (i.e. what is its Schwarzschild radius)? The mass of the moon is 7.4×10^{22} kg and $G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} m^3/s^2 kg$