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1. Let  $Q$  is the set of all rational numbers,  $Z$  is the set of all integers and  $N$  is the set of all natural numbers. Then which one of the following statements is *true* ?

- (1) The set  $Q \times Z$  is uncountable.  
 (2) The set  $\{f : f \text{ is a function from } N \text{ to } \{0, 1\}\}$  is uncountable.  
 (3) The set  $\{\sqrt{p} : p \text{ is a prime number}\}$  is uncountable.  
 (4) None of these

2. The sequence  $\left\langle \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{3}\right)}{\sqrt{n}} \right\rangle$  converges to the limit :

- (1) 0                      (2) 1                      (3) 2                      (4) None of these

3. Let  $a_n = \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n!}$ ,  $n \geq 0$  and  $b_n = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k$ ,  $n \geq 0$ . Then for  $|x| < 1$ , the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n$  converges to :

- (1)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1+x}$               (2)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1-x^2}$               (3)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1-x}$               (4)  $-(1+x)e^{-x}$

4. The number of limit points of the set  $\left\{ \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{n} : m, n \in N \right\}$  is :

- (1) 1                                      (2) 2  
 (3) finitely many                      (4) infinitely many

5. Which of the following functions is uniformly continuous on the specified domain ?

- (1)  $f_1(x) = e^{x^2}$ ,  $-\infty < x < \infty$   
 (2)  $f_2(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} & , 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 0 & , x = 0 \end{cases}$   
 (3)  $f_3(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & , |x| \leq 1 \\ \frac{2}{1+x^2} & , |x| > 1 \end{cases}$   
 (4)  $f_4(x) = \begin{cases} x & , |x| \leq 1 \\ x^2 & , |x| > 1 \end{cases}$

6. For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $f_n, g_n : (0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be functions defined by  $f_n(x) = x^n, g_n(x) = x^n(1-x)$ . Then :
- (1)  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly but  $\{g_n\}$  does not converge uniformly.
  - (2)  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly but  $\{f_n\}$  does not converge uniformly.
  - (3) both  $\{f_n\}$  and  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly.
  - (4) neither  $\{f_n\}$  nor  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly.
7. For which of the following function, Lagrange's mean value theorem is *not* applicable ?
- (1)  $f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$  in  $[1, 3]$
  - (2)  $f(x) = \sqrt{25-x^2}$  in  $[-3, 4]$
  - (3)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{4x-1}$  in  $[1, 4]$
  - (4)  $f(x) = x^{1/5}$  in  $[-1, 1]$
8.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{n}{n^2+k^2}$  is equal to :
- (1)  $\frac{e}{3}$                       (2)  $\frac{5}{6}$                       (3)  $\frac{3}{4}$                       (4)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$
9. Consider the following improper integrals  $I_1 = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{1-\sin x}} dx, I_2 = \int_0^1 \frac{\log x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx,$   
 $I_3 = \int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x-1} dx$ , then :
- (1) All are convergent
  - (2) All are divergent
  - (3)  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  are convergent whereas  $I_3$  is divergent
  - (4)  $I_1$  and  $I_3$  are convergent whereas  $I_2$  is divergent

10. Consider the following statements :

$P$  : There exists an unbounded subset of  $R$  whose Lebesgue measure is equal to 5.

$Q$  : If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is continuous and  $g: R \rightarrow R$  is such that  $f = g$  almost everywhere on  $R$ , then  $g$  must be continuous almost everywhere on  $R$ .

Which of the above statements hold true ?

- (1) only  $P$  (2) only  $Q$   
 (3) both  $P$  and  $Q$  (4) neither  $P$  nor  $Q$

11. The directional derivative of the function  $f(x, y, z) = xy^2 + yz^3$  at the point  $(2, -1, 1)$  in the direction of  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  is :

- (1)  $-\frac{13}{3}$  (2)  $-\frac{11}{3}$  (3)  $-\frac{10}{3}$  (4) None of these

12. Let  $R$  be the set of all real numbers and  $R^2 = \{(x, y) : x, y \in R\}$ . Let  $f: R^2 \rightarrow R$  be

defined by  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} (x^2 + y^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2}\right) & , \text{ if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & , \text{ if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$ . Then which one of

the following statements is *true* ?

- (1)  $f$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $(0, 0)$   
 (2)  $f$  is not continuous at  $(0, 0)$   
 (3)  $f$  is differentiable at  $(0, 0)$   
 (4) None of these

13. Consider the following statements :

$P$  :  $d_1(x, y) = \min\{2, |x - y|\}$  is a metric for  $R$  (the set of all real numbers).

$Q$  :  $d_2(x, y) = \begin{cases} |x| + |y| & , \text{ if } x \neq y \\ 0 & , \text{ if } x = y \end{cases}$  is a metric on  $(0, 1)$

Then :

- (1) both  $P$  and  $Q$  are true  
 (2)  $P$  is true and  $Q$  is false  
 (3)  $P$  is false and  $Q$  is true  
 (4) both  $P$  and  $Q$  are false

14. Suppose that :

$$U = \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x, y \in \mathbb{Q}\},$$

$$V = \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \left\{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x > 0, y = \frac{1}{x} \right\}$$

Then with respect to the Euclidean metric on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ,

- (1) both  $U$  and  $V$  are disconnected
  - (2)  $U$  is disconnected but  $V$  is connected
  - (3)  $U$  is connected but  $V$  is disconnected
  - (4) both  $U$  and  $V$  are connected
15. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be normed linear spaces and let  $T : X \rightarrow Y$  be any bijective linear map with closed graph. Then which one of the following statements is *true* ?
- (1) The graph of  $T$  is equal to  $X \times Y$
  - (2)  $T^{-1}$  is continuous
  - (3) The graph of  $T^{-1}$  is closed
  - (4)  $T$  is continuous
16. Let  $V$  be a vector space over  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Which one of the following is a subspace of  $V$  ?
- (1)  $\{(x, y, z) : x - 3y + 4z = 0, x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$
  - (2)  $\{(x, y, z) : x + y \geq 0, x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$
  - (3)  $\{(x, y, z) : x \leq 0, x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$
  - (4) None of these
17. The dimension of the vector space of  $7 \times 7$  real symmetric matrices with trace zero and the sum of the off-diagonal elements zero, is :
- (1) 47                      (2) 28                      (3) 27                      (4) 26
18. Which of the following is *not* a linear transformation ?
- (1)  $T(x, y, z) = (x, y)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$
  - (2)  $T(x, y, z) = (x + 1, y + z)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$
  - (3)  $T(x, y, z) = (x - z, y)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$
  - (4)  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y + z, 0)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$

19. Suppose that  $T : R^4 \rightarrow R[x]$  is a linear transformation over  $R$  satisfying :

$$T(-1, 1, 1, 1) = x^2 + 2x^4$$

$$T(1, 2, 3, 4) = 1 - x^2$$

$$T(2, -1, -1, 0) = x^3 - x^4$$

Then the coefficient of  $x^4$  in  $T(-3, 5, 6, 6)$  is :

- (1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 3                      (4) 5

20. The rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is :

- (1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 3                      (4) None of these

21. The system of equations  $x + 2y - z = 3$ ;  $3x - y + 2z = 1$ ;  $2x - 2y + 3z = 2$  has :

- (1) no solution                      (2) a unique solution  
(3) infinite solutions                      (4) None of these

22. The eigen values of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  are :

- (1) -1, 1, 2                      (2) -2, 3, 4                      (3) 1, -1, 7                      (4) 2, -3, 5

23. The matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x & z \\ 0 & 2 & y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is diagonalizable when  $(x, y, z)$  equals :

- (1) (0, 0, 1)                      (2) (1, 1, 0)                      (3)  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, 2)$                       (4)  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$

24. Let  $u = (1 + i, i, -1)$  and  $v = (1 + 2i, 1 - i, 2i)$ . Then  $\langle u, v \rangle$  is :

- (1)  $2 - 2i$                       (2)  $-2 + 2i$                       (3)  $-2 - 2i$                       (4)  $2 + 2i$

25. The quadratic form corresponding to symmetric matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{3}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is :

- (1)  $xy + 3yz + 2zx$                       (2)  $xy - 3yz - 2zx$   
(3)  $xy + 3yz - 2zx$                       (4) None of these

26. If the power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n(z+3-i)^n$  converges at  $5i$  and diverges at  $-3i$ , then the power series :
- (1) converges at  $-2+5i$  and diverges at  $2-3i$
  - (2) converges at  $2-3i$  and diverges at  $-2+5i$
  - (3) converges at both  $2-3i$  and  $-2+5i$
  - (4) diverges at both  $2-3i$  and  $-2+5i$
27. Which of the following function  $f(z)$ , of the complex variable  $z$ , is not analytic at all the points of the complex plane ?
- (1)  $f(z) = z^2$
  - (2)  $f(z) = e^z$
  - (3)  $f(z) = \sin z$
  - (4)  $f(z) = \log z$
28. The function  $f(z)$  of complex variable  $z = x + iy$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , is given as  $f(z) = (x^3 - 3xy^2) + iv(x, y)$ . For this function to be analytic,  $v(x, y)$  should be :
- (1)  $(3xy^2 - y^3) + \text{constant}$
  - (2)  $(3x^2y^2 - y^3) + \text{constant}$
  - (3)  $(3x^2y - y^3) + \text{constant}$
  - (4) None of these
29. Let  $\Gamma$  denotes the boundary of the square region  $R$  with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(2, 0)$ ,  $(2, 2)$  and  $(0, 2)$  oriented in the counter-clockwise direction. Then value of  $\oint_{\Gamma} (1-y^2)dx + x dy$  is :
- (1) 12
  - (2) 15
  - (3) 20
  - (4) 25
30. Let  $C$  represent the unit circle centered at origin in the complex plane and, complex variable  $z = x + iy$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ . The value of the contour integral  $\oint_C \frac{\cos h3z}{2z} dz$  (where integration is taken counter clockwise) is :
- (1) 0
  - (2) 2
  - (3)  $\pi i$
  - (4)  $2\pi i$
31. The coefficient of  $\frac{1}{z}$  in the Laurent series expansion of the function  $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2(1-z)}$  about  $z = 0$ , is :
- (1) 1
  - (2) 0
  - (3) -1
  - (4) None of these

32. The residue of the function  $f(z) = \frac{z+1}{z^2(z-3)}$  at  $z = 0$ , is :
- (1)  $-\frac{9}{2}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (3)  $-\frac{4}{9}$                       (4) None of these
33. The coefficient of magnification at  $z = 2 + 3i$  for the conformal transformation  $w = z^2$  is :
- (1)  $\sqrt{3}$                       (2)  $\sqrt{5}$                       (3)  $2\sqrt{7}$                       (4)  $2\sqrt{13}$
34. Let  $T(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ ,  $ad - bc \neq 0$ , be the Mobius transformation which maps the points  $z_1 = 0$ ,  $z_2 = -i$ ,  $z_3 = \infty$  in the  $z$ - plane onto the points  $w_1 = 10$ ,  $w_2 = 5 - 5i$ ,  $w_3 = 5 + 5i$  in the  $w$ - plane respectively. Then the image of the set  $S = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re}(z) < 0\}$  under the map  $w = T(z)$  is :
- (1)  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w| < 5\}$                       (2)  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w| > 5\}$   
 (3)  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w - 5| < 5\}$                       (4)  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w - 5| > 5\}$
35. Among 100 students, 32 study Mathematics, 20 study Physics, 45 study Biology, 15 study Mathematics and Biology, 7 study Mathematics and Physics, 10 study Physics and Biology, 30 do not study any of three subjects. Then the number of students study only Mathematics, is :
- (1) 8                      (2) 15                      (3) 25                      (4) None of these
36. The no. of positive divisors of 2100 is :
- (1) 50                      (2) 44                      (3) 40                      (4) 36
37. The last two digits of  $38^{2011}$  are :
- (1) 6                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) 8
38. Which one of the following statements is *false* ?
- (1) If  $Q$  denotes the additive group of rational numbers and  $f: Q \rightarrow Q$  is a non-trivial homomorphism, then  $f$  is an isomorphism.  
 (2) Any quotient group of a cyclic group is cyclic.  
 (3) If every subgroup of a group  $G$  is a normal subgroup, then  $G$  is abelian.  
 (4) Every group of order 33 is cyclic
39. Let  $Z_n$  denotes the group of integers modulo  $n$ , under the operation of addition modulo  $n$ , for any positive integer  $n$ . Then the number of elements of order 15 in the additive group  $Z_{60} \times Z_{50}$  is :
- (1) 48                      (2) 30                      (3) 25                      (4) 10



40. The number of 5- Sylow subgroups in the symmetric group  $S_5$  of degree 5, is :
- (1) 2                      (2) 3                      (3) 5                      (4) 6
41. Let  $G$  be a group of order  $5^4$  with center having  $5^2$  elements. Then the number of conjugacy classes in  $G$  is :
- (1) 26                      (2) 48                      (3) 145                      (4) None of these
42. Let  $I$  and  $J$  be the ideals generated by  $\{5, \sqrt{10}\}$  and  $\{4, \sqrt{10}\}$  in the ring  $Z[\sqrt{10}] = \{a + b\sqrt{10} : a, b \in Z\}$ , respectively. Then :
- (1) both  $I$  and  $J$  are maximal ideals  
 (2)  $I$  is a maximal ideal but  $J$  is not a prime ideal  
 (3)  $I$  is not a maximal ideal but  $J$  is a prime ideal  
 (4) neither  $I$  nor  $J$  is a maximal ideal
43. Let  $Z$  denotes the set of all integers and  $Z_n$  denotes the set of all integers modulo  $n$ , for any positive integer  $n$ . Consider the following statements :
- I. The ring  $Z[\sqrt{-1}]$  is a unique factorization domain.  
 II. The ring  $Z[\sqrt{-5}]$  is a principal ideal domain.  
 III. In the polynomial ring  $Z_2[x]$ , the ideal generated by  $x^3 + x + 1$  is a maximal ideal.  
 IV. In the polynomial ring  $Z_3[x]$ , the ideal generated by  $x^6 + 1$  is a prime ideal.
- Which of the above statements are *true* ?
- (1) I, II and III only                      (2) I and III only  
 (3) I, II and IV only                      (4) II and III only
44. Which of the following polynomial is reducible over the field  $Q$  of rational numbers ?
- (1)  $x^2 - 4x + 2$                       (2)  $x^3 - x + 1$   
 (3)  $x^3 + 9x^2 - 3x + 6$                       (4) None of these
45. Let  $F$  be the field with 4096 elements. The number of proper subfields of  $F$  is :
- (1) 5                      (2) 20                      (3) 50                      (4) 100
46. Let  $\omega$  be a primitive complex cube root of unity. Then the degree of the field extension  $Q(i, \sqrt{3}, \omega)$  over  $Q$  (the field of rational numbers) is :
- (1) 4                      (2) 3                      (3) 2                      (4) 1

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47. For a subset  $S$  of a topological space, let  $\text{Int}(S)$  and  $\bar{S}$  denote the interior and closure of  $S$ , respectively. Then which of the following statements is *true* ?

- (1) If  $S$  is open, then  $S = \text{Int}(\bar{S})$
- (2) If the boundary of  $S$  is empty, then  $S$  is open.
- (3) If  $\bar{S} \setminus S$  is a proper subset of the boundary of  $S$ , then  $S$  is open.
- (4) None of these

48. Let  $T_1$  be the co-countable topology on  $R$  (the set of real numbers) and  $T_2$  be the co-finite topology on  $R$ . Consider the following statements :

I. In  $(R, T_1)$ , the sequence  $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to 0.

II. In  $(R, T_2)$ , the sequence  $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to 0.

III. In  $(R, T_1)$ , there is no sequence of rational numbers which converges to  $\sqrt{3}$ .

IV. In  $(R, T_2)$ , there is no sequence of rational numbers which converges to  $\sqrt{3}$ .

Which of the above statements are *true* ?

- (1) I and II only
- (2) II and III only
- (3) III and IV only
- (4) I and IV only

49. Let  $R$  denote the set of all real numbers. Consider the following topological spaces :

$X_1 = (R, T_1)$ , where  $T_1$  is the upper limit topology having all sets  $(a, b]$  as basis.

$X_2 = (R, T_2)$ , where  $T_2 = \{U \subset R : R \setminus U \text{ is finite}\} \cup \{\emptyset\}$

Then :

- (1) both  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are connected
- (2)  $X_1$  is connected and  $X_2$  is not connected
- (3)  $X_1$  is not connected and  $X_2$  is connected
- (4) neither  $X_1$  nor  $X_2$  is connected

50. Consider the following statements :

P : Any continuous image of a compact space is compact.

Q : A topological space is compact if every basic open cover has a finite subcover.

Then :

- (1) both P and Q are true                      (2) P is true and Q is false  
(3) P is false and Q is true                    (4) both P and Q are false

51. The solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3e^x + 2y$ ,  $y(0) = 0$  by Picard's method upto third approximation is :

- (1)  $21e^x - 6x^2 - 18x - 21$   
(2)  $21e^x + 6x^2 - 18x + 21$   
(3)  $21e^x + 6x^2 + 18x - 21$   
(4) None of these

52. Consider the ordinary differential equation  $y'' + P(x)y' + Q(x)y = 0$ , where  $P$  and  $Q$  are smooth functions. Let  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  be any two solutions of the ODE. Let  $W(x)$  be the corresponding Wronskian. Then which of the following is always true ?

- (1) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly dependent, then  $\exists x_1, x_2$  such that  $W(x_1) = 0$  and  $W(x_2) \neq 0$   
(2) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly independent, then  $W(x) = 0, \forall x$   
(3) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly dependent, then  $W(x) \neq 0, \forall x$   
(4) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly independent, then  $W(x) \neq 0, \forall x$

53. Consider the system of differential equations  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2x - 7y$ ;  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 3x - 8y$ . Then the critical point  $(0, 0)$  of the system is an :

- (1) unstable node  
(2) asymptotically stable node  
(3) asymptotically stable spiral  
(4) unstable spiral

54. Using method of variation of parameters, the solution of the differential equation  $y'' - 6y' + 9y = e^{3x} / x^2$  is :

(1)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{3x} - e^{3x}(\log x + 1)$

(2)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{2x} + e^{2x}(\log x + 1)$

(3)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{4x} - e^{3x}(\log x - 1)$

(4) None of these

55. Consider the boundary value problem (BVP)  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \alpha y(x) = 0$ ,  $\alpha \in R$  (the set of all real numbers), with the boundary conditions  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y(\pi) = k$  (where  $k$  is a non-zero real number). Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?

(1) For  $\alpha = 1$ , the BVP has infinitely many solutions.

(2) For  $\alpha = 1$ , the BVP has a unique solution.

(3) For  $\alpha = -1$ ,  $k < 0$ , the BVP has a solution  $y(x)$  such that  $y(x) > 0$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$

(4) For  $\alpha = -1$ ,  $k > 0$ , the BVP has a solution  $y(x)$  such that  $y(x) > 0$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$

56. Let  $R$  be the set of all real numbers and  $R^2 = \{(x, y) : x, y \in R\}$ . Let the general integral of the partial differential equation  $(2xy - 1)\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + (z - 2x^2)\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 2(x - yz)$  be given by  $F(u, v) = 0$ , where  $F: R^2 \rightarrow R$  is a continuously differentiable function. Then :

(1)  $u = x^2 + y^2 + Z$ ,  $v = xz + y$

(2)  $u = x^2 + y^2 - Z$ ,  $v = xz - y$

(3)  $u = x^2 - y^2 + z$ ,  $v = yz + x$

(4)  $u = x^2 + y^2 - Z$ ,  $v = yz - x$

57. The particular integral of the differential equation  $(D^2 + 3DD' + 2D'^2)z = 2x + 3y$  is given by :

(1)  $\frac{1}{150}(2x + 3y)^3$

(2)  $\frac{1}{240}(2x + 3y)^3$

(3)  $\frac{1}{320}(2x + 3y)^3$

(4) None of these

58. If  $u(x, y)$  is the solution of the Cauchy problem  $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 1$ ,  $u(x, 0) = -x^2$ ,  $x > 0$ .

Then the value of  $u(2, 1)$  is equal to :

(1)  $1 - 2e^{-2}$

(2)  $1 + 4e^{-2}$

(3)  $1 - 4e^{-2}$

(4)  $1 + 2e^{-2}$

59. The partial differential equation  $(x^2 + y^2 - 1) \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + (x^2 + y^2 - 1) \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$  is :

(1) parabolic in the region  $x^2 + y^2 > 2$

(2) hyperbolic in the region  $x^2 + y^2 > 2$

(3) elliptic in the region  $0 < x^2 + y^2 < 2$

(4) hyperbolic in the region  $0 < x^2 + y^2 < 2$

60. The function  $u(x, t)$  satisfies the initial value problem

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, x \in R, t > 0$$

$$u(x, 0) = 0, \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(x, 0) = 4xe^{-x^2}$$

Then the value of  $u(5, 5)$  is :

(1)  $1 - \frac{1}{e^{100}}$

(2)  $1 - e^{100}$

(3)  $1 - \frac{1}{e^{10}}$

(4)  $1 - e^{10}$

61. Using Newton-Raphson method, the real root of the equation  $x^3 - 2x + 5 = 0$  is :

(1) 3.129

(2) 1.582

(3) -2.754

(4) -2.095

62. Using Gauss-elimination method, the solution of the following system of equations  $x + y + 2z = 7$ ,  $4x + 3y + 2z = 8$ ,  $3x + 2y + 4z = 13$ , is :

- (1)  $x = -1, y = 2, z = 3$  (2)  $x = 1, y = 3, z = 5$   
 (3)  $x = 1, y = 1, z = 2$  (4) None of these

63. Given that

$x$	10	20	30	40	50
$f(x)$	46	66	81	93	101

The value of  $\nabla^2 f(50)$  is :

- (1) 8 (2) 3 (3) -4 (4) -1

64. Given that

$x$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	1
$y$	1	$\frac{4}{5}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{4}{7}$	$\frac{1}{2}$

Using trapezoidal rule, the value of  $\int_0^1 y dx$  is :

- (1) 0.938 (2) 0.697 (3) 0.352 (4) 0.241

65. Given  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -xy^2$  with  $y(0) = 2$ . Then using modified Euler's method, the value of  $y(0.1)$  by taking step size  $h = 0.1$ , is :

- (1) 1.9804 (2) 1.5636 (3) 1.2921 (4) None of these

66. Let  $q_j$  and  $\dot{q}_j$  respectively are the generalized coordinates and velocity of a dynamical system and  $p_j$  are its generalized momenta. Then the relation between Hamiltonian

$H(q_j, p_j, t)$  and Lagrangian  $L(q_j, \dot{q}_j, t)$  is given by :

- (1)  $H = \sum \dot{p}_j q_j - L$  (2)  $H = \sum p_j \dot{q}_j - L$   
 (3)  $H = \sum \dot{p}_j \dot{q}_j - L$  (4) None of these

67. Let  $T$  be the kinetic energy and  $V$  be the potential energy of the dynamical system, then the integral  $\int_{t_1}^{t_2} (T - V) dt$  has a stationary value, where  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are fixed. This principle is known as :

- (1) Hamilton's principle (2) Principle of least action  
 (3) D' Alembert principle (4) None of these

68. Consider the motion of a planet  $P(r, \theta)$  of mass  $m$  moving around the Sun  $S(0, 0)$  under the inverse square law of attraction  $\mu m/r^2$ . Let kinetic energy  $T$  of the system is given by :

$$T = \frac{1}{2} m(\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2), \text{ where } \dot{r} = \frac{dr}{dt} \text{ and } \dot{\theta} = \frac{d\theta}{dt} \text{ with } t \text{ as time.}$$

Then Lagrange's equations are given by :

- (1)  $\ddot{r} + r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r \dot{\theta} = \text{constant}$   
 (2)  $\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r^2 \ddot{\theta} = \text{constant}$   
 (3)  $\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r^2 \dot{\theta} = \text{constant}$   
 (4) None of these

69. A rigid body under no forces is free to rotate about its centroid  $G$ , the principal moments of inertia at which are 7, 25, 32 units respectively. If  $\omega = [\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3]$  be the angular velocity, then Euler's dynamical equations of motion are :

- (1)  $\dot{\omega}_1 - \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 + \omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, 4\dot{\omega}_3 + 3\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$   
 (2)  $\dot{\omega}_1 + \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 - \omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, 16\dot{\omega}_3 + 9\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$   
 (3)  $\dot{\omega}_1 - 2\omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 - 3\omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, \dot{\omega}_3 - 3\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$   
 (4) None of these

70. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \int_{-1}^0 (y'^2 - 2xy) dx$  subject to  $y(-1) = 0, y(0) = 2$

is :

(1)  $y = -\frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{13}{6}x + 2$

(2)  $y = x^2 - 1$

(3)  $y = \frac{1}{4}x^2$

(4) None of these

71. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (y'')^2 dx$  subject to  $y(0) = 0, y(1) = \frac{1}{2};$

$y'(0) = 0, y'(1) = 1,$  is :

(1)  $y = x - 1$

(2)  $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2$

(3)  $y = \sin x$

(4) None of these

72. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \int_0^1 y'^2(x) dx$  subject to  $y(0) = 0, y(1) = 1$  and

$\int_0^1 y(x) dx = 0,$  is :

(1)  $3x^2 - 2x$

(2)  $8x^3 - 9x^2 + 2x$

(3)  $\frac{5}{4}x^4 - \frac{2}{3}x$

(4)  $\frac{-21}{2}x^5 + 10x^4 + 4x^3 - \frac{5}{2}x$

73. The solution of the linear integral equation  $\phi(x) = (\cos x - x - 2) + \int_0^x (\xi - x)\phi(\xi) d\xi,$  is :

(1)  $\phi(x) = \cos hx$

(2)  $\phi(x) = \cos x + e^x \sin x$

(3)  $\phi(x) = e^x$

(4)  $\phi(x) = -\cos x - \sin x - \frac{1}{2}x \sin x$



74. The eigen values ( $\lambda$ ) of the homogeneous integral equation  $\phi(x) = \lambda \int_0^{\pi} \cos(x + \xi)\phi(\xi) d\xi$  are :

(1)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-4}{\pi}, \lambda_2 = \frac{4}{\pi}$                       (2)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-\pi}{2}, \lambda_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 (3)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-2}{\pi}, \lambda_2 = \frac{2}{\pi}$                       (4) None of these

75. The resolvent kernel for the integral equation  $\phi(x) = x^2 + \int_0^x e^{t-x}\phi(t) dt$  is :

(1)  $e^{t-x}$                       (2) 1                      (3)  $e^{x-t}$                       (4)  $x^2 + e^{x-t}$

76. From the six letters A, B, C, D, E and F, three letters are chosen at random with replacement. What is the probability that either the word BAD or the word CAD can be formed from the chosen letters ?

(1)  $\frac{1}{216}$                       (2)  $\frac{3}{216}$                       (3)  $\frac{6}{216}$                       (4)  $\frac{12}{216}$

77. Let  $X$  be a random variable which is symmetric about 0. Let  $F$  be the cumulative distribution function of  $X$ . Which of the following statements is always *true* ?

(1)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1$  for all  $x \in R$   
 (2)  $F(x) - F(-x) = 0$  for all  $x \in R$   
 (3)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1 + P(X=x)$  for all  $x \in R$   
 (4)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1 - P(X=-x)$  for all  $x \in R$

78. The probability density function of the random vector  $(X, Y)$  is given by :

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} c & , \quad 0 < x < y < 1 \\ 0 & , \quad \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Then the value of  $c$  is equal to :

(1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) 5

79. If  $X$  and  $Y$  are random variables such that  $E[2X + Y] = 0$  and  $E[X + 2Y] = 33$ , then  $E[X] + E[Y]$  is equal to :

(1) 26                      (2) 20                      (3) 11                      (4) None of these

80. The moment generating function of a random variable  $X$  is given by :

$$M_X(t) = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3}e^t + \frac{1}{3}e^{2t} + \frac{1}{6}e^{3t}, \quad -\infty < t < \infty$$

Then  $P(X \leq 2)$  equals :

- (1)  $\frac{1}{3}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{6}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (4)  $\frac{5}{6}$

81. If  $X$  is a continuous random variable with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ , then for any positive number  $k$ , the inequality  $P\{|X - \mu| \geq k\sigma\} \leq (1/k^2)$  is known as :

- (1) Lyapunov's inequality                      (2) Chebychev's inequality  
(3) Bienayme-Chebychev's inequality      (4) Khintchine's inequality

82. With the usual notations, the value of probability  $p$  for a binomial variate  $X$ , if  $n = 6$  and  $9P(X = 4) = P(X = 2)$ , is :

- (1)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{3}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{4}$                       (4) None of these

83. The characteristics function of Poisson distribution with mean as  $m$ , is :

- (1)  $e^{m(it-1)}$                       (2)  $e^{m(e^{it}-1)}$                       (3)  $e^{mit}$                       (4) None of these

84. Which of the following do the normal distribution and the exponential density function have in common ?

- (1) Both are bell-shaped.  
(2) Both are symmetrical distributions.  
(3) Both approach infinity as  $x$  approaches infinity.  
(4) Both approach zero as  $x$  approaches infinity.

85. Let  $X$  be a random variable with uniform distribution on the interval  $(-1, 1)$  and  $Y = (X + 1)^2$ . Then the probability density function  $f(y)$  of  $Y$ , over the interval  $(0, 4)$ , is :

- (1)  $\frac{3\sqrt{y}}{16}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{4\sqrt{y}}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{6\sqrt{y}}$                       (4)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}$

86. Let  $\{X_n\}_{n \geq 0}$  be a homogeneous Markov chain whose state space is  $\{0, 1, 2\}$  and whose one-step transition probability matrix is  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0.3 & 0 & 0.7 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(X_{2n} = 2 | X_0 = 2)$  is equal to :

- (1) 0.7                      (2) 0.5                      (3) 0.3                      (4) 0.1

87. Suppose customers arrive at an ATM facility according to a Poisson process with rate 5 customers per hour. The probability that no customer arrives at the ATM facility from 1:00 pm to 1:18 pm is :

- (1) 0.94                      (2) 0.75                      (3) 0.45                      (4) 0.22

88. In a pure birth process with birth rates  $\lambda_n = 2^n$ ,  $n \geq 0$ , let the random variable  $T$  denote the time taken for the population size to grow from 0 to 5. If  $\text{Var}(T)$  denotes the variance of the random variable  $T$ , then  $\text{Var}(T)$  is equal to :

- (1)  $\frac{441}{256}$                       (2)  $\frac{341}{256}$                       (3)  $\frac{241}{256}$                       (4)  $\frac{141}{256}$

89. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_{10}$  be independent and identically distributed normal random

variables with mean 0 and variance 2. Then  $E \left( \frac{X_1^2}{\sum_{i=1}^{10} X_i^2} \right)$  is equal to :

- (1) 0.8                      (2) 0.6                      (3) 0.3                      (4) 0.1

90. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample drawn from a population with probability density function  $f_x(x; \theta) = \frac{2x}{\theta^2}$ ,  $0 < x < \theta$ . Then the method of moments estimator of  $\theta$  is :

- (1)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{2n}$                       (2)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2}{2n}$   
 (3)  $\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$                       (4)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i(X_i - 1)}{2n}$

91. Let  $\{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be an observed sample of size 4 from  $N(\theta, 5)$  distribution, where  $\theta \in [2, \infty)$ . Then the maximum likelihood estimate of  $\theta$  based on the observed sample is :
- (1) 16                      (2) 8                      (3) 4                      (4) 2
92. A random sample of size 100 is classified into 10 class intervals covering all the data points. To test whether data comes from a normal population with unknown mean and unknown variance, the chi-square goodness of fit test is used. The degrees of freedom of the test statistic is equal to :
- (1) 10                      (2) 9                      (3) 8                      (4) 7
93. A random sample of 500 apples was taken from a large consignment and 60 were found to be bad. Then the 98% confidence limits for the percentage of bad apples in the consignment are :
- (1) (8.82, 17.52)                      (2) (8.61, 15.38)  
(3) (8.32, 14.63)                      (4) (8.19, 13.52)
94. Consider a two - way fixed effects analysis of variance model without interaction effect and one observation per cell. If there are 5 factors and 4 columns, then the degrees of freedom for the error sum of squares is :
- (1) 20                      (2) 19                      (3) 12                      (4) 11
95. The simple correlation coefficients between temperature ( $X_1$ ), corn yield ( $X_2$ ) and rainfall ( $X_3$ ) are :  $r_{12} = 0.75$ ,  $r_{23} = 0.54$ ,  $r_{31} = 0.43$ . Then the partial correlation coefficient  $r_{12.3}$  is :
- (1) 0.6815                      (2) 0.4223  
(3) 0.2392                      (4) None of these
96. Let  $(X_1, X_2)$  be a random vector following bivariate normal distribution with mean vector  $(0, 0)$ , variance  $(X_1) = \text{variance}(X_2) = 1$  and correlation coefficient  $\rho$ , where  $|\rho| < 1$ . Then  $P(X_1 + X_2 > 0)$  is equal to :
- (1) 1                      (2) 0.8                      (3) 0.5                      (4) 0.2
97. The total number of standard  $4 \times 4$  Latin squares is :
- (1) 4                      (2) 8                      (3) 12                      (4) 16

98. The minimum value of  $Z = 20x + 10y$  subject to the constraints :  
 $x + 2y \leq 40$  ;  $3x + y \geq 30$  ;  $4x + 3y \geq 60$  ;  $x, y \geq 0$ , is :  
(1) 240                      (2) 215                      (3) 272                      (4) None of these
99. Consider a parallel system with two components. The lifetimes of the two components are independent and identically distributed random variables each following an exponential distribution with mean 1. The expected lifetime of the system is :  
(1) 1                      (2)  $1/2$                       (3)  $3/2$                       (4) 2
100. Consider an M/M/1 queue with interarrival time having exponential distribution with mean  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  and service time having exponential distribution with mean  $\frac{1}{\mu}$ . Which of the following is *true* ?  
(1) If  $0 < \lambda < \mu$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution Poisson  $(\mu - \lambda)$ .  
(2) If  $0 < \mu < \lambda$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution Poisson  $(\lambda - \mu)$ .  
(3) If  $0 < \lambda < \mu$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution which is geometric.  
(4) If  $0 < \mu < \lambda$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution which is geometric.

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1. The directional derivative of the function  $f(x, y, z) = xy^2 + yz^3$  at the point  $(2, -1, 1)$  in the direction of  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  is :

(1)  $-\frac{13}{3}$                       (2)  $-\frac{11}{3}$                       (3)  $-\frac{10}{3}$                       (4) None of these

2. Let  $R$  be the set of all real numbers and  $R^2 = \{(x, y) : x, y \in R\}$ . Let  $f: R^2 \rightarrow R$  be defined by  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} (x^2 + y^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2}\right) & , \text{ if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & , \text{ if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$ . Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?

- (1)  $f$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $(0, 0)$   
 (2)  $f$  is not continuous at  $(0, 0)$   
 (3)  $f$  is differentiable at  $(0, 0)$   
 (4) None of these

3. Consider the following statements :

$P: d_1(x, y) = \min\{2, |x - y|\}$  is a metric for  $R$  (the set of all real numbers).

$Q: d_2(x, y) = \begin{cases} |x| + |y| & , \text{ if } x \neq y \\ 0 & , \text{ if } x = y \end{cases}$  is a metric on  $(0, 1)$

Then :

- (1) both  $P$  and  $Q$  are true                      (2)  $P$  is true and  $Q$  is false  
 (3)  $P$  is false and  $Q$  is true                      (4) both  $P$  and  $Q$  are false
4. Suppose that :

$$U = R^2 \setminus \{(x, y) \in R^2 : x, y \in Q\},$$

$$V = R^2 \setminus \left\{ (x, y) \in R^2 : x > 0, y = \frac{1}{x} \right\}$$

Then with respect to the Euclidean metric on  $R^2$ ,

- (1) both  $U$  and  $V$  are disconnected  
 (2)  $U$  is disconnected but  $V$  is connected  
 (3)  $U$  is connected but  $V$  is disconnected  
 (4) both  $U$  and  $V$  are connected

5. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be normed linear spaces and let  $T : X \rightarrow Y$  be any bijective linear map with closed graph. Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?
- (1) The graph of  $T$  is equal to  $X \times Y$
  - (2)  $T^{-1}$  is continuous
  - (3) The graph of  $T^{-1}$  is closed
  - (4)  $T$  is continuous
6. Let  $V$  be a vector space over  $R^3$ . Which one of the following is a subspace of  $V$  ?
- (1)  $\{(x, y, z) : x - 3y + 4z = 0, x, y, z \in R\}$
  - (2)  $\{(x, y, z) : x + y \geq 0, x, y, z \in R\}$
  - (3)  $\{(x, y, z) : x \leq 0, x, y, z \in R\}$
  - (4) None of these
7. The dimension of the vector space of  $7 \times 7$  real symmetric matrices with trace zero and the sum of the off-diagonal elements zero, is :
- (1) 47
  - (2) 28
  - (3) 27
  - (4) 26
8. Which of the following is **not** a linear transformation ?
- (1)  $T(x, y, z) = (x, y)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in R^3$
  - (2)  $T(x, y, z) = (x + 1, y + z)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in R^3$
  - (3)  $T(x, y, z) = (x - z, y)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in R^3$
  - (4)  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y + z, 0)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in R^3$
9. Suppose that  $T : R^4 \rightarrow R[x]$  is a linear transformation over  $R$  satisfying :
- $$T(-1, 1, 1, 1) = x^2 + 2x^4$$
- $$T(1, 2, 3, 4) = 1 - x^2$$
- $$T(2, -1, -1, 0) = x^3 - x^4$$
- Then the coefficient of  $x^4$  in  $T(-3, 5, 6, 6)$  is :
- (1) 1
  - (2) 2
  - (3) 3
  - (4) 5
10. The rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is :
- (1) 1
  - (2) 2
  - (3) 3
  - (4) None of these



11. Let  $\{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be an observed sample of size 4 from  $N(\theta, 5)$  distribution, where  $\theta \in [2, \infty)$ . Then the maximum likelihood estimate of  $\theta$  based on the observed sample is :
- (1) 16                      (2) 8                      (3) 4                      (4) 2
12. A random sample of size 100 is classified into 10 class intervals covering all the data points. To test whether data comes from a normal population with unknown mean and unknown variance, the chi-square goodness of fit test is used. The degrees of freedom of the test statistic is equal to :
- (1) 10                      (2) 9                      (3) 8                      (4) 7
13. A random sample of 500 apples was taken from a large consignment and 60 were found to be bad. Then the 98% confidence limits for the percentage of bad apples in the consignment are :
- (1) (8.82, 17.52)                      (2) (8.61, 15.38)  
(3) (8.32, 14.63)                      (4) (8.19, 13.52)
14. Consider a two - way fixed effects analysis of variance model without interaction effect and one observation per cell. If there are 5 factors and 4 columns, then the degrees of freedom for the error sum of squares is :
- (1) 20                      (2) 19                      (3) 12                      (4) 11
15. The simple correlation coefficients between temperature ( $X_1$ ), corn yield ( $X_2$ ) and rainfall ( $X_3$ ) are :  $r_{12} = 0.75$ ,  $r_{23} = 0.54$ ,  $r_{31} = 0.43$ . Then the partial correlation coefficient  $r_{12.3}$  is :
- (1) 0.6815                      (2) 0.4223  
(3) 0.2392                      (4) None of these
16. Let  $(X_1, X_2)$  be a random vector following bivariate normal distribution with mean vector  $(0, 0)$ , variance  $(X_1) = \text{variance}(X_2) = 1$  and correlation coefficient  $\rho$ , where  $|\rho| < 1$ . Then  $P(X_1 + X_2 > 0)$  is equal to :
- (1) 1                      (2) 0.8                      (3) 0.5                      (4) 0.2
17. The total number of standard  $4 \times 4$  Latin squares is :
- (1) 4                      (2) 8                      (3) 12                      (4) 16

18. The minimum value of  $Z = 20x + 10y$  subject to the constraints :

$$x + 2y \leq 40; 3x + y \geq 30; 4x + 3y \geq 60; x, y \geq 0, \text{ is :}$$

- (1) 240                      (2) 215                      (3) 272                      (4) None of these

19. Consider a parallel system with two components. The lifetimes of the two components are independent and identically distributed random variables each following an exponential distribution with mean 1. The expected lifetime of the system is :

- (1) 1                      (2) 1/2                      (3) 3/2                      (4) 2

20. Consider an M/M/1 queue with interarrival time having exponential distribution with mean  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  and service time having exponential distribution with mean  $\frac{1}{\mu}$ . Which of the following is *true* ?

- (1) If  $0 < \lambda < \mu$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution Poisson  $(\mu - \lambda)$ .  
 (2) If  $0 < \mu < \lambda$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution Poisson  $(\lambda - \mu)$ .  
 (3) If  $0 < \lambda < \mu$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution which is geometric.  
 (4) If  $0 < \mu < \lambda$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution which is geometric.

21. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (y'')^2 dx$  subject to  $y(0) = 0, y(1) = \frac{1}{2}; y'(0) = 0, y'(1) = 1$ , is :

- (1)  $y = x - 1$                       (2)  $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2$   
 (3)  $y = \sin x$                       (4) None of these

22. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \int_0^1 y'^2(x) dx$  subject to  $y(0) = 0, y(1) = 1$  and

$$\int_0^1 y(x) dx = 0, \text{ is :}$$

- (1)  $3x^2 - 2x$                       (2)  $8x^3 - 9x^2 + 2x$   
 (3)  $\frac{5}{4}x^4 - \frac{2}{3}x$                       (4)  $\frac{-21}{2}x^5 + 10x^4 + 4x^3 - \frac{5}{2}x$

23. The solution of the linear integral equation  $\phi(x) = (\cos x - x - 2) + \int_0^x (\xi - x)\phi(\xi) d\xi$ , is :

(1)  $\phi(x) = \cos hx$

(2)  $\phi(x) = \cos x + e^x \sin x$

(3)  $\phi(x) = e^x$

(4)  $\phi(x) = -\cos x - \sin x - \frac{1}{2} x \sin x$

24. The eigen values ( $\lambda$ ) of the homogeneous integral equation  $\phi(x) = \lambda \int_0^\pi \cos(x + \xi)\phi(\xi) d\xi$  are :

(1)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-4}{\pi}, \lambda_2 = \frac{4}{\pi}$

(2)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-\pi}{2}, \lambda_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$

(3)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-2}{\pi}, \lambda_2 = \frac{2}{\pi}$

(4) None of these

25. The resolvent kernel for the integral equation  $\phi(x) = x^2 + \int_0^x e^{t-x}\phi(t) dt$  is :

(1)  $e^{t-x}$

(2) 1

(3)  $e^{x-t}$

(4)  $x^2 + e^{x-t}$

26. From the six letters A, B, C, D, E and F, three letters are chosen at random with replacement. What is the probability that either the word BAD or the word CAD can be formed from the chosen letters ?

(1)  $\frac{1}{216}$

(2)  $\frac{3}{216}$

(3)  $\frac{6}{216}$

(4)  $\frac{12}{216}$

27. Let  $X$  be a random variable which is symmetric about 0. Let  $F$  be the cumulative distribution function of  $X$ . Which of the following statements is always **true** ?

(1)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1$  for all  $x \in R$

(2)  $F(x) - F(-x) = 0$  for all  $x \in R$

(3)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1 + P(X=x)$  for all  $x \in R$

(4)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1 - P(X=-x)$  for all  $x \in R$

28. The probability density function of the random vector  $(X, Y)$  is given by :

$$f_{X,Y}(x, y) = \begin{cases} c & , 0 < x < y < 1 \\ 0 & , \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Then the value of  $c$  is equal to :

- (1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) 5
29. If  $X$  and  $Y$  are random variables such that  $E[2X + Y] = 0$  and  $E[X + 2Y] = 33$ , then  $E[X] + E[Y]$  is equal to :
- (1) 26                      (2) 20                      (3) 11                      (4) None of these
30. The moment generating function of a random variable  $X$  is given by :

$$M_X(t) = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3}e^t + \frac{1}{3}e^{2t} + \frac{1}{6}e^{3t}, \quad -\infty < t < \infty$$

Then  $P(X \leq 2)$  equals :

- (1)  $\frac{1}{3}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{6}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (4)  $\frac{5}{6}$
31. The solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3e^x + 2y$ ,  $y(0) = 0$  by Picard's method upto third approximation is :
- (1)  $21e^x - 6x^2 - 18x - 21$
- (2)  $21e^x + 6x^2 - 18x + 21$
- (3)  $21e^x + 6x^2 + 18x - 21$
- (4) None of these
32. Consider the ordinary differential equation  $y'' + P(x)y' + Q(x)y = 0$ , where  $P$  and  $Q$  are smooth functions. Let  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  be any two solutions of the ODE. Let  $W(x)$  be the corresponding Wronskian. Then which of the following is always true?
- (1) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly dependent, then  $\exists x_1, x_2$  such that  $W(x_1) = 0$  and  $W(x_2) \neq 0$
- (2) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly independent, then  $W(x) = 0, \forall x$
- (3) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly dependent, then  $W(x) \neq 0, \forall x$
- (4) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly independent, then  $W(x) \neq 0, \forall x$

33. Consider the system of differential equations  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2x - 7y$ ;  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 3x - 8y$ . Then the critical point  $(0, 0)$  of the system is an :
- (1) unstable node
  - (2) asymptotically stable node
  - (3) asymptotically stable spiral
  - (4) unstable spiral
34. Using method of variation of parameters, the solution of the differential equation  $y'' - 6y' + 9y = e^{3x} / x^2$  is :
- (1)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{3x} - e^{3x}(\log x + 1)$
  - (2)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{2x} + e^{2x}(\log x + 1)$
  - (3)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{4x} - e^{3x}(\log x - 1)$
  - (4) None of these
35. Consider the boundary value problem (BVP)  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \alpha y(x) = 0$ ,  $\alpha \in R$  (the set of all real numbers), with the boundary conditions  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y(\pi) = k$  (where  $k$  is a non-zero real number). Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?
- (1) For  $\alpha = 1$ , the BVP has infinitely many solutions.
  - (2) For  $\alpha = 1$ , the BVP has a unique solution.
  - (3) For  $\alpha = -1$ ,  $k < 0$ , the BVP has a solution  $y(x)$  such that  $y(x) > 0$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$
  - (4) For  $\alpha = -1$ ,  $k > 0$ , the BVP has a solution  $y(x)$  such that  $y(x) > 0$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$

36. Let  $R$  be the set of all real numbers and  $R^2 = \{(x, y) : x, y \in R\}$ . Let the general integral of the partial differential equation  $(2xy-1)\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + (z-2x^2)\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 2(x-yz)$  be given by  $F(u, v) = 0$ , where  $F: R^2 \rightarrow R$  is a continuously differentiable function. Then :

(1)  $u = x^2 + y^2 + Z, v = xz + y$

(2)  $u = x^2 + y^2 - Z, v = xz - y$

(3)  $u = x^2 - y^2 + z, v = yz + x$

(4)  $u = x^2 + y^2 - Z, v = yz - x$

37. The particular integral of the differential equation  $(D^2 + 3DD' + 2D'^2)z = 2x + 3y$  is given by :

(1)  $\frac{1}{150}(2x+3y)^3$

(2)  $\frac{1}{240}(2x+3y)^3$

(3)  $\frac{1}{320}(2x+3y)^3$

(4) None of these

38. If  $u(x, y)$  is the solution of the Cauchy problem  $x\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 1, u(x, 0) = -x^2, x > 0$ .

Then the value of  $u(2, 1)$  is equal to :

(1)  $1 - 2e^{-2}$

(2)  $1 + 4e^{-2}$

(3)  $1 - 4e^{-2}$

(4)  $1 + 2e^{-2}$

39. The partial differential equation  $(x^2 + y^2 - 1)\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + (x^2 + y^2 - 1)\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$  is :

(1) parabolic in the region  $x^2 + y^2 > 2$

(2) hyperbolic in the region  $x^2 + y^2 > 2$

(3) elliptic in the region  $0 < x^2 + y^2 < 2$

(4) hyperbolic in the region  $0 < x^2 + y^2 < 2$

40. The function  $u(x, t)$  satisfies the initial value problem

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, x \in R, t > 0$$

$$u(x, 0) = 0, \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(x, 0) = 4xe^{-x^2}$$

Then the value of  $u(5, 5)$  is :

- (1)  $1 - \frac{1}{e^{100}}$       (2)  $1 - e^{100}$       (3)  $1 - \frac{1}{e^{10}}$       (4)  $1 - e^{10}$
41. The coefficient of  $\frac{1}{z}$  in the Laurent series expansion of the function  $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2(1-z)}$  about  $z = 0$ , is :
- (1) 1      (2) 0      (3) -1      (4) None of these
42. The residue of the function  $f(z) = \frac{z+1}{z^2(z-3)}$  at  $z = 0$ , is :
- (1)  $-\frac{9}{2}$       (2)  $\frac{1}{2}$       (3)  $-\frac{4}{9}$       (4) None of these
43. The coefficient of magnification at  $z = 2 + 3i$  for the conformal transformation  $w = z^2$  is :
- (1)  $\sqrt{3}$       (2)  $\sqrt{5}$       (3)  $2\sqrt{7}$       (4)  $2\sqrt{13}$
44. Let  $T(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ ,  $ad - bc \neq 0$ , be the Mobius transformation which maps the points  $z_1 = 0$ ,  $z_2 = -i$ ,  $z_3 = \infty$  in the  $z$ - plane onto the points  $w_1 = 10$ ,  $w_2 = 5 - 5i$ ,  $w_3 = 5 + 5i$  in the  $w$ - plane respectively. Then the image of the set  $S = \{z \in C : \operatorname{Re}(z) < 0\}$  under the map  $w = T(z)$  is :
- (1)  $\{w \in C : |w| < 5\}$       (2)  $\{w \in C : |w| > 5\}$   
 (3)  $\{w \in C : |w - 5| < 5\}$       (4)  $\{w \in C : |w - 5| > 5\}$
45. Among 100 students, 32 study Mathematics, 20 study Physics, 45 study Biology, 15 study Mathematics and Biology, 7 study Mathematics and Physics, 10 study Physics and Biology, 30 do not study any of three subjects. Then the number of students study only Mathematics, is :
- (1) 8      (2) 15      (3) 25      (4) None of these

46. The no. of positive divisors of 2100 is :  
 (1) 50                      (2) 44                      (3) 40                      (4) 36
47. The last two digits of  $38^{2011}$  are :  
 (1) 6                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) 8
48. Which one of the following statements is *false* ?  
 (1) If  $Q$  denotes the additive group of rational numbers and  $f: Q \rightarrow Q$  is a non-trivial homomorphism, then  $f$  is an isomorphism.  
 (2) Any quotient group of a cyclic group is cyclic.  
 (3) If every subgroup of a group  $G$  is a normal subgroup, then  $G$  is abelian.  
 (4) Every group of order 33 is cyclic
49. Let  $Z_n$  denotes the group of integers modulo  $n$ , under the operation of addition modulo  $n$ , for any positive integer  $n$ . Then the number of elements of order 15 in the additive group  $Z_{60} \times Z_{50}$  is :  
 (1) 48                      (2) 30                      (3) 25                      (4) 10
50. The number of 5- Sylow subgroups in the symmetric group  $S_5$  of degree 5, is :  
 (1) 2                      (2) 3                      (3) 5                      (4) 6
51. The system of equations  $x + 2y - z = 3; 3x - y + 2z = 1; 2x - 2y + 3z = 2$  has :  
 (1) no solution                      (2) a unique solution  
 (3) infinite solutions                      (4) None of these
52. The eigen values of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  are :  
 (1)  $-1, 1, 2$                       (2)  $-2, 3, 4$                       (3)  $1, -1, 7$                       (4)  $2, -3, 5$
53. The matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x & z \\ 0 & 2 & y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is diagonalizable when  $(x, y, z)$  equals :  
 (1)  $(0, 0, 1)$                       (2)  $(1, 1, 0)$                       (3)  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, 2)$                       (4)  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$
54. Let  $u = (1 + i, i, -1)$  and  $v = (1 + 2i, 1 - i, 2i)$ . Then  $\langle u, v \rangle$  is :  
 (1)  $2 - 2i$                       (2)  $-2 + 2i$                       (3)  $-2 - 2i$                       (4)  $2 + 2i$



55. The quadratic form corresponding to symmetric matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{3}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is :
- (1)  $xy + 3yz + 2zx$  (2)  $xy - 3yz - 2zx$   
 (3)  $xy + 3yz - 2zx$  (4) None of these
56. If the power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n(z+3-i)^n$  converges at  $5i$  and diverges at  $-3i$ , then the power series :
- (1) converges at  $-2 + 5i$  and diverges at  $2 - 3i$   
 (2) converges at  $2 - 3i$  and diverges at  $-2 + 5i$   
 (3) converges at both  $2 - 3i$  and  $-2 + 5i$   
 (4) diverges at both  $2 - 3i$  and  $-2 + 5i$
57. Which of the following function  $f(z)$ , of the complex variable  $z$ , is not analytic at all the points of the complex plane ?
- (1)  $f(z) = z^2$  (2)  $f(z) = e^z$  (3)  $f(z) = \sin z$  (4)  $f(z) = \log z$
58. The function  $f(z)$  of complex variable  $z = x + iy$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , is given as  $f(z) = (x^3 - 3xy^2) + iv(x, y)$ . For this function to be analytic,  $v(x, y)$  should be :
- (1)  $(3xy^2 - y^3) + \text{constant}$  (2)  $(3x^2y^2 - y^3) + \text{constant}$   
 (3)  $(3x^2y - y^3) + \text{constant}$  (4) None of these
59. Let  $\Gamma$  denotes the boundary of the square region  $R$  with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(2, 0)$ ,  $(2, 2)$  and  $(0, 2)$  oriented in the counter-clockwise direction. Then value of  $\oint_{\Gamma} (1 - y^2) dx + x dy$  is :
- (1) 12 (2) 15 (3) 20 (4) 25
60. Let  $C$  represent the unit circle centered at origin in the complex plane and, complex variable  $z = x + iy$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ . The value of the contour integral  $\oint_C \frac{\cos h3z}{2z} dz$  (where integration is taken counter clockwise) is :
- (1) 0 (2) 2 (3)  $\pi i$  (4)  $2\pi i$

61. Let  $G$  be a group of order  $5^4$  with center having  $5^2$  elements. Then the number of conjugacy classes in  $G$  is :  
 (1) 26                      (2) 48                      (3) 145                      (4) None of these
62. Let  $I$  and  $J$  be the ideals generated by  $\{5, \sqrt{10}\}$  and  $\{4, \sqrt{10}\}$  in the ring  $Z[\sqrt{10}] = \{a + b\sqrt{10} : a, b \in Z\}$ , respectively. Then :  
 (1) both  $I$  and  $J$  are maximal ideals  
 (2)  $I$  is a maximal ideal but  $J$  is not a prime ideal  
 (3)  $I$  is not a maximal ideal but  $J$  is a prime ideal  
 (4) neither  $I$  nor  $J$  is a maximal ideal
63. Let  $Z$  denotes the set of all integers and  $Z_n$  denotes the set of all integers modulo  $n$ , for any positive integer  $n$ . Consider the following statements :  
 I. The ring  $Z[\sqrt{-1}]$  is a unique factorization domain.  
 II. The ring  $Z[\sqrt{-5}]$  is a principal ideal domain.  
 III. In the polynomial ring  $Z_2[x]$ , the ideal generated by  $x^3 + x + 1$  is a maximal ideal.  
 IV. In the polynomial ring  $Z_3[x]$ , the ideal generated by  $x^6 + 1$  is a prime ideal.  
 Which of the above statements are **true** ?  
 (1) I, II and III only                      (2) I and III only  
 (3) I, II and IV only                      (4) II and III only
64. Which of the following polynomial is reducible over the field  $Q$  of rational numbers ?  
 (1)  $x^2 - 4x + 2$                       (2)  $x^3 - x + 1$   
 (3)  $x^3 + 9x^2 - 3x + 6$                       (4) None of these
65. Let  $F$  be the field with 4096 elements. The number of proper subfields of  $F$  is :  
 (1) 5                      (2) 20                      (3) 50                      (4) 100
66. Let  $\omega$  be a primitive complex cube root of unity. Then the degree of the field extension  $Q(i, \sqrt{3}, \omega)$  over  $Q$  (the field of rational numbers) is :  
 (1) 4                      (2) 3                      (3) 2                      (4) 1

67. For a subset  $S$  of a topological space, let  $\text{Int}(S)$  and  $\bar{S}$  denote the interior and closure of  $S$ , respectively. Then which of the following statements is **true** ?

- (1) If  $S$  is open, then  $S = \text{Int}(\bar{S})$
- (2) If the boundary of  $S$  is empty, then  $S$  is open.
- (3) If  $\bar{S} \setminus S$  is a proper subset of the boundary of  $S$ , then  $S$  is open.
- (4) None of these

68. Let  $T_1$  be the co-countable topology on  $R$  (the set of real numbers) and  $T_2$  be the co-finite topology on  $R$ . Consider the following statements :

I. In  $(R, T_1)$ , the sequence  $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to 0.

II. In  $(R, T_2)$ , the sequence  $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to 0.

III. In  $(R, T_1)$ , there is no sequence of rational numbers which converges to  $\sqrt{3}$ .

IV. In  $(R, T_2)$ , there is no sequence of rational numbers which converges to  $\sqrt{3}$ .

Which of the above statements are **true** ?

- (1) I and II only
- (2) II and III only
- (3) III and IV only
- (4) I and IV only

69. Let  $R$  denote the set of all real numbers. Consider the following topological spaces :

$X_1 = (R, T_1)$ , where  $T_1$  is the upper limit topology having all sets  $(a, b]$  as basis.

$X_2 = (R, T_2)$ , where  $T_2 = \{U \subset R : R \setminus U \text{ is finite}\} \cup \{\emptyset\}$

Then :

- (1) both  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are connected
- (2)  $X_1$  is connected and  $X_2$  is not connected
- (3)  $X_1$  is not connected and  $X_2$  is connected
- (4) neither  $X_1$  nor  $X_2$  is connected

70. Consider the following statements :

P : Any continuous image of a compact space is compact.

Q : A topological space is compact if every basic open cover has a finite subcover.

Then :

- (1) both P and Q are true                      (2) P is true and Q is false  
 (3) P is false and Q is true                    (4) both P and Q are false
71. Using Newton-Raphson method, the real root of the equation  $x^3 - 2x + 5 = 0$  is :  
 (1) 3.129                      (2) 1.582                      (3) -2.754                      (4) -2.095
72. Using Gauss- elimination method, the solution of the following system of equations  $x + y + 2z = 7$ ,  $4x + 3y + 2z = 8$ ,  $3x + 2y + 4z = 13$ , is :  
 (1)  $x = -1, y = 2, z = 3$                       (2)  $x = 1, y = 3, z = 5$   
 (3)  $x = 1, y = 1, z = 2$                       (4) None of these

73. Given that

$x$	10	20	30	40	50
$f(x)$	46	66	81	93	101

The value of  $\nabla^2 f(50)$  is :

- (1) 8                      (2) 3                      (3) -4                      (4) -1
74. Given that

$x$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	1
$y$	1	$\frac{4}{5}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{4}{7}$	$\frac{1}{2}$

Using trapezoidal rule, the value of  $\int_0^1 y \, dx$  is :

- (1) 0.938                      (2) 0.697                      (3) 0.352                      (4) 0.241

75. Given  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -xy^2$  with  $y(0) = 2$ . Then using modified Euler's method, the value of  $y(0.1)$  by taking step size  $h = 0.1$ , is :
- (1) 1.9804                      (2) 1.5636                      (3) 1.2921                      (4) None of these

76. Let  $q_j$  and  $\dot{q}_j$  respectively are the generalized coordinates and velocity of a dynamical system and  $p_j$  are its generalized momenta. Then the relation between Hamiltonian  $H(q_j, p_j, t)$  and Lagrangian  $L(q_j, \dot{q}_j, t)$  is given by :

(1)  $H = \sum \dot{p}_j q_j - L$                       (2)  $H = \sum p_j \dot{q}_j - L$

(3)  $H = \sum \dot{p}_j \dot{q}_j - L$                       (4) None of these

77. Let  $T$  be the kinetic energy and  $V$  be the potential energy of the dynamical system, then the integral  $\int_{t_1}^{t_2} (T - V) dt$  has a stationary value, where  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are fixed. This principle is known as :

(1) Hamilton's principle                      (2) Principle of least action

(3) D' Alembert principle                      (4) None of these

78. Consider the motion of a planet  $P(r, \theta)$  of mass  $m$  moving around the Sun  $S(0, 0)$  under the inverse square law of attraction  $\mu m/r^2$ . Let kinetic energy  $T$  of the system is given by :

$$T = \frac{1}{2} m(\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2), \text{ where } \dot{r} = \frac{dr}{dt} \text{ and } \dot{\theta} = \frac{d\theta}{dt} \text{ with } t \text{ as time.}$$

Then Lagrange's equations are given by :

(1)  $\ddot{r} + r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r \dot{\theta} = \text{constant}$

(2)  $\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r^2 \ddot{\theta} = \text{constant}$

(3)  $\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r^2 \dot{\theta} = \text{constant}$

(4) None of these

79. A rigid body under no forces is free to rotate about its centroid  $G$ , the principal moments of inertia at which are 7, 25, 32 units respectively. If  $\omega = [\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3]$  be the angular velocity, then Euler's dynamical equations of motion are :

(1)  $\dot{\omega}_1 - \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 + \omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, 4\dot{\omega}_3 + 3\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$

(2)  $\dot{\omega}_1 + \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 - \omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, 16\dot{\omega}_3 + 9\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$

(3)  $\dot{\omega}_1 - 2\omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 - 3\omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, \dot{\omega}_3 - 3\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$

(4) None of these

80. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \int_{-1}^0 (y'^2 - 2xy) dx$  subject to  $y(-1) = 0, y(0) = 2$  is :

(1)  $y = -\frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{13}{6}x + 2$

(2)  $y = x^2 - 1$

(3)  $y = \frac{1}{4}x^2$

(4) None of these

81. Let  $Q$  is the set of all rational numbers,  $Z$  is the set of all integers and  $N$  is the set of all natural numbers. Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?

(1) The set  $Q \times Z$  is uncountable.

(2) The set  $\{f : f \text{ is a function from } N \text{ to } \{0, 1\}\}$  is uncountable.

(3) The set  $\{\sqrt{p} : p \text{ is a prime number}\}$  is uncountable.

(4) None of these

82. The sequence  $\left\langle \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{3}\right)}{\sqrt{n}} \right\rangle$  converges to the limit :

(1) 0

(2) 1

(3) 2

(4) None of these

83. Let  $a_n = \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n!}$ ,  $n \geq 0$  and  $b_n = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k$ ,  $n \geq 0$ . Then for  $|x| < 1$ , the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n$  converges to :

- (1)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1+x}$       (2)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1-x^2}$       (3)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1-x}$       (4)  $-(1+x)e^{-x}$

84. The number of limit points of the set  $\left\{ \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{n} : m, n \in N \right\}$  is :

- (1) 1      (2) 2  
(3) finitely many      (4) infinitely many

85. Which of the following functions is uniformly continuous on the specified domain ?

(1)  $f_1(x) = e^{x^2}$ ,  $-\infty < x < \infty$

(2)  $f_2(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} & , 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 0 & , x = 0 \end{cases}$

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86. For  $n \in N$ , let  $f_n, g_n : (0, 1) \rightarrow R$  be functions defined by  $f_n(x) = x^n$ ,  $g_n(x) = x^n(1-x)$ . Then :

- (1)  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly but  $\{g_n\}$  does not converge uniformly.  
(2)  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly but  $\{f_n\}$  does not converge uniformly.  
(3) both  $\{f_n\}$  and  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly.  
(4) neither  $\{f_n\}$  nor  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly.

87. For which of the following function, Lagrange's mean value theorem is *not* applicable ?

(1)  $f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$  in  $[1, 3]$

(2)  $f(x) = \sqrt{25-x^2}$  in  $[-3, 4]$

(3)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{4x-1}$  in  $[1, 4]$

(4)  $f(x) = x^{1/5}$  in  $[-1, 1]$

88.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{n}{n^2 + k^2}$  is equal to :

- (1)  $\frac{e}{3}$                       (2)  $\frac{5}{6}$                       (3)  $\frac{3}{4}$                       (4)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

89. Consider the following improper integrals  $I_1 = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{1 - \sin x}} dx$ ,  $I_2 = \int_0^1 \frac{\log x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}} dx$ ,

$$I_3 = \int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x-1} dx, \text{ then :}$$

- (1) All are convergent  
 (2) All are divergent  
 (3)  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  are convergent whereas  $I_3$  is divergent  
 (4)  $I_1$  and  $I_3$  are convergent whereas  $I_2$  is divergent
90. Consider the following statements :

P : There exists an unbounded subset of  $R$  whose Lebesgue measure is equal to 5.

Q : If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is continuous and  $g: R \rightarrow R$  is such that  $f = g$  almost everywhere on  $R$ , then  $g$  must be continuous almost everywhere on  $R$ .

Which of the above statements hold true ?

- (1) only P                      (2) only Q  
 (3) both P and Q              (4) neither P nor Q
91. If  $X$  is a continuous random variable with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ , then for any positive number  $k$ , the inequality  $P\{|X - \mu| \geq k\sigma\} \leq (1/k^2)$  is known as :
- (1) Lyapunov's inequality              (2) Chebychev's inequality  
 (3) Bienayme-Chebychev's inequality      (4) Khintchine's inequality
92. With the usual notations, the value of probability  $p$  for a binomial variate  $X$ , if  $n = 6$  and  $9P(X = 4) = P(X = 2)$ , is :

- (1)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{3}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{4}$                       (4) None of these



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93. The characteristics function of Poisson distribution with mean as  $m$ , is :

- (1)  $e^{m(it-1)}$       (2)  $e^{m(e^{it}-1)}$       (3)  $e^{mit}$       (4) None of these

94. Which of the following do the normal distribution and the exponential density function have in common ?

- (1) Both are bell-shaped.  
 (2) Both are symmetrical distributions.  
 (3) Both approach infinity as  $x$  approaches infinity.  
 (4) Both approach zero as  $x$  approaches infinity.

95. Let  $X$  be a random variable with uniform distribution on the interval  $(-1, 1)$  and  $Y = (X+1)^2$ . Then the probability density function  $f(y)$  of  $Y$ , over the interval  $(0, 4)$ , is :

- (1)  $\frac{3\sqrt{y}}{16}$       (2)  $\frac{1}{4\sqrt{y}}$       (3)  $\frac{1}{6\sqrt{y}}$       (4)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}$

96. Let  $\{X_n\}_{n \geq 0}$  be a homogeneous Markov chain whose state space is  $\{0, 1, 2\}$  and

whose one-step transition probability matrix is  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0.3 & 0 & 0.7 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(X_{2n} = 2 | X_0 = 2)$  is equal to :

- (1) 0.7      (2) 0.5      (3) 0.3      (4) 0.1

97. Suppose customers arrive at an ATM facility according to a Poisson process with rate 5 customers per hour. The probability that no customer arrives at the ATM facility from 1:00 pm to 1:18 pm is :

- (1) 0.94      (2) 0.75      (3) 0.45      (4) 0.22

98. In a pure birth process with birth rates  $\lambda_n = 2^n$ ,  $n \geq 0$ , let the random variable  $T$  denote the time taken for the population size to grow from 0 to 5. If  $\text{Var}(T)$  denotes the variance of the random variable  $T$ , then  $\text{Var}(T)$  is equal to :

- (1)  $\frac{441}{256}$       (2)  $\frac{341}{256}$       (3)  $\frac{241}{256}$       (4)  $\frac{141}{256}$

99. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_{10}$  be independent and identically distributed normal random

variables with mean 0 and variance 2. Then  $E\left(\frac{X_1^2}{\sum_{i=1}^{10} X_i^2}\right)$  is equal to :

- (1) 0.8                      (2) 0.6                      (3) 0.3                      (4) 0.1

100. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample drawn from a population with probability density function  $f_x(x; \theta) = \frac{2x}{\theta^2}, 0 < x < \theta$ . Then the method of moments estimator of  $\theta$  is :

(1)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{2n}$

(2)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2}{2n}$

(3)  $\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$

(4)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i(X_i - 1)}{2n}$

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1. Let  $G$  be a group of order  $5^4$  with center having  $5^2$  elements. Then the number of conjugacy classes in  $G$  is :  
(1) 26                      (2) 48                      (3) 145                      (4) None of these
2. Let  $I$  and  $J$  be the ideals generated by  $\{5, \sqrt{10}\}$  and  $\{4, \sqrt{10}\}$  in the ring  $Z[\sqrt{10}] = \{a + b\sqrt{10} : a, b \in Z\}$ , respectively. Then :  
(1) both  $I$  and  $J$  are maximal ideals  
(2)  $I$  is a maximal ideal but  $J$  is not a prime ideal  
(3)  $I$  is not a maximal ideal but  $J$  is a prime ideal  
(4) neither  $I$  nor  $J$  is a maximal ideal
3. Let  $Z$  denotes the set of all integers and  $Z_n$  denotes the set of all integers modulo  $n$ , for any positive integer  $n$ . Consider the following statements :  
I. The ring  $Z[\sqrt{-1}]$  is a unique factorization domain.  
II. The ring  $Z[\sqrt{-5}]$  is a principal ideal domain.  
III. In the polynomial ring  $Z_2[x]$ , the ideal generated by  $x^3 + x + 1$  is a maximal ideal.  
IV. In the polynomial ring  $Z_3[x]$ , the ideal generated by  $x^6 + 1$  is a prime ideal.  
Which of the above statements are *true* ?  
(1) I, II and III only                      (2) I and III only  
(3) I, II and IV only                      (4) II and III only
4. Which of the following polynomial is reducible over the field  $Q$  of rational numbers ?  
(1)  $x^2 - 4x + 2$ .                      (2)  $x^3 - x + 1$   
(3)  $x^3 + 9x^2 - 3x + 6$                       (4) None of these
5. Let  $F$  be the field with 4096 elements. The number of proper subfields of  $F$  is :  
(1) 5                      (2) 20                      (3) 50                      (4) 100
6. Let  $\omega$  be a primitive complex cube root of unity. Then the degree of the field extension  $Q(i, \sqrt{3}, \omega)$  over  $Q$  (the field of rational numbers) is :  
(1) 4                      (2) 3                      (3) 2                      (4) 1

7. For a subset  $S$  of a topological space, let  $\text{Int}(S)$  and  $\bar{S}$  denote the interior and closure of  $S$ , respectively. Then which of the following statements is *true* ?
- (1) If  $S$  is open, then  $S = \text{Int}(\bar{S})$
  - (2) If the boundary of  $S$  is empty, then  $S$  is open.
  - (3) If  $\bar{S} \setminus S$  is a proper subset of the boundary of  $S$ , then  $S$  is open.
  - (4) None of these
8. Let  $T_1$  be the co-countable topology on  $R$  (the set of real numbers) and  $T_2$  be the co-finite topology on  $R$ . Consider the following statements :

I. In  $(R, T_1)$ , the sequence  $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to 0.

II. In  $(R, T_2)$ , the sequence  $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to 0.

III. In  $(R, T_1)$ , there is no sequence of rational numbers which converges to  $\sqrt{3}$ .

IV. In  $(R, T_2)$ , there is no sequence of rational numbers which converges to  $\sqrt{3}$ .

Which of the above statements are *true* ?

- (1) I and II only
  - (2) II and III only
  - (3) III and IV only
  - (4) I and IV only
9. Let  $R$  denote the set of all real numbers. Consider the following topological spaces :
- $X_1 = (R, T_1)$ , where  $T_1$  is the upper limit topology having all sets  $(a, b]$  as basis.
- $X_2 = (R, T_2)$ , where  $T_2 = \{U \subset R : R \setminus U \text{ is finite}\} \cup \{\emptyset\}$
- Then :
- (1) both  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are connected
  - (2)  $X_1$  is connected and  $X_2$  is not connected
  - (3)  $X_1$  is not connected and  $X_2$  is connected
  - (4) neither  $X_1$  nor  $X_2$  is connected

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10. Consider the following statements :

P : Any continuous image of a compact space is compact.

Q : A topological space is compact if every basic open cover has a finite subcover.

Then :

(1) both P and Q are true

(2) P is true and Q is false

(3) P is false and Q is true

(4) both P and Q are false

11. The system of equations  $x + 2y - z = 3$ ;  $3x - y + 2z = 1$ ;  $2x - 2y + 3z = 2$  has :

(1) no solution

(2) a unique solution

(3) infinite solutions

(4) None of these

12. The eigen values of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  are :

(1)  $-1, 1, 2$

(2)  $-2, 3, 4$

(3)  $1, -1, 7$

(4)  $2, -3, 5$

13. The matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x & z \\ 0 & 2 & y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is diagonalizable when  $(x, y, z)$  equals :

(1)  $(0, 0, 1)$

(2)  $(1, 1, 0)$

(3)  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, 2)$

(4)  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$

14. Let  $u = (1 + i, i, -1)$  and  $v = (1 + 2i, 1 - i, 2i)$ . Then  $\langle u, v \rangle$  is :

(1)  $2 - 2i$

(2)  $-2 + 2i$

(3)  $-2 - 2i$

(4)  $2 + 2i$

15. The quadratic form corresponding to symmetric matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{3}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is :

(1)  $xy + 3yz + 2zx$

(2)  $xy - 3yz - 2zx$

(3)  $xy + 3yz - 2zx$

(4) None of these

16. If the power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n(z + 3 - i)^n$  converges at  $5i$  and diverges at  $-3i$ , then the power series :

(1) converges at  $-2 + 5i$  and diverges at  $2 - 3i$

(2) converges at  $2 - 3i$  and diverges at  $-2 + 5i$

(3) converges at both  $2 - 3i$  and  $-2 + 5i$

(4) diverges at both  $2 - 3i$  and  $-2 + 5i$

17. Which of the following function  $f(z)$ , of the complex variable  $z$ , is not analytic at all the points of the complex plane ?  
 (1)  $f(z) = z^2$       (2)  $f(z) = e^z$       (3)  $f(z) = \sin z$       (4)  $f(z) = \log z$
18. The function  $f(z)$  of complex variable  $z = x + iy$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , is given as  $f(z) = (x^3 - 3xy^2) + iv(x, y)$ . For this function to be analytic,  $v(x, y)$  should be :  
 (1)  $(3xy^2 - y^3) + \text{constant}$       (2)  $(3x^2y^2 - y^3) + \text{constant}$   
 (3)  $(3x^2y - y^3) + \text{constant}$       (4) None of these
19. Let  $\Gamma$  denotes the boundary of the square region  $R$  with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(2, 0)$ ,  $(2, 2)$  and  $(0, 2)$  oriented in the counter- clockwise direction. Then value of  $\oint_{\Gamma} (1 - y^2)dx + x dy$  is :  
 (1) 12      (2) 15      (3) 20      (4) 25
20. Let  $C$  represent the unit circle centered at origin in the complex plane and, complex variable  $z = x + iy$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ . The value of the contour integral  $\oint_C \frac{\cos h3z}{2z} dz$  (where integration is taken counter clockwise) is :  
 (1) 0      (2) 2      (3)  $\pi i$       (4)  $2\pi i$
21. Let  $Q$  is the set of all rational numbers,  $Z$  is the set of all integers and  $N$  is the set of all natural numbers. Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?  
 (1) The set  $Q \times Z$  is uncountable.  
 (2) The set  $\{f : f \text{ is a function from } N \text{ to } \{0, 1\}\}$  is uncountable.  
 (3) The set  $\{\sqrt{p} : p \text{ is a prime number}\}$  is uncountable.  
 (4) None of these
22. The sequence  $\left\langle \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{3}\right)}{\sqrt{n}} \right\rangle$  converges to the limit :  
 (1) 0      (2) 1      (3) 2      (4) None of these

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23. Let  $a_n = \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n!}$ ,  $n \geq 0$  and  $b_n = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k$ ,  $n \geq 0$ . Then for  $|x| < 1$ , the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n$  converges to :

- (1)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1+x}$                       (2)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1-x^2}$                       (3)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1-x}$                       (4)  $-(1+x)e^{-x}$

24. The number of limit points of the set  $\left\{ \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{n} : m, n \in N \right\}$  is :

- (1) 1    (2) 2  
 (3) finitely many                              (4) infinitely many

25. Which of the following functions is uniformly continuous on the specified domain ?

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(4)  $f_4(x) = \begin{cases} x & , |x| \leq 1 \\ x^2 & , |x| > 1 \end{cases}$

26. For  $n \in N$ , let  $f_n, g_n : (0, 1) \rightarrow R$  be functions defined by  $f_n(x) = x^n$ ,  $g_n(x) = x^n(1-x)$ . Then :

- (1)  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly but  $\{g_n\}$  does not converge uniformly.  
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(3)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{4x-1}$  in  $[1, 4]$

(4)  $f(x) = x^{1/5}$  in  $[-1, 1]$

28.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{n}{n^2 + k^2}$  is equal to :

(1)  $\frac{e}{3}$

(2)  $\frac{5}{6}$

(3)  $\frac{3}{4}$

(4)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

29. Consider the following improper integrals  $I_1 = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{1 - \sin x}} dx$ ,  $I_2 = \int_0^1 \frac{\log x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}} dx$ ,

$I_3 = \int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x-1} dx$ , then :

(1) All are convergent

(2) All are divergent

(3)  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  are convergent whereas  $I_3$  is divergent

(4)  $I_1$  and  $I_3$  are convergent whereas  $I_2$  is divergent

30. Consider the following statements :

P : There exists an unbounded subset of  $R$  whose Lebesgue measure is equal to 5.

Q : If  $f : R \rightarrow R$  is continuous and  $g : R \rightarrow R$  is such that  $f = g$  almost everywhere on  $R$ , then  $g$  must be continuous almost everywhere on  $R$ .

Which of the above statements hold true ?

(1) only P

(2) only Q

(3) both P and Q

(4) neither P nor Q

31. Let  $\{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be an observed sample of size 4 from  $N(\theta, 5)$  distribution, where  $\theta \in [2, \infty)$ . Then the maximum likelihood estimate of  $\theta$  based on the observed sample is :
- (1) 16                      (2) 8                      (3) 4                      (4) 2
32. A random sample of size 100 is classified into 10 class intervals covering all the data points. To test whether data comes from a normal population with unknown mean and unknown variance, the chi-square goodness of fit test is used. The degrees of freedom of the test statistic is equal to :
- (1) 10                      (2) 9                      (3) 8                      (4) 7
33. A random sample of 500 apples was taken from a large consignment and 60 were found to be bad. Then the 98% confidence limits for the percentage of bad apples in the consignment are :
- (1) (8.82, 17.52)                      (2) (8.61, 15.38)  
 (3) (8.32, 14.63)                      (4) (8.19, 13.52)
34. Consider a two - way fixed effects analysis of variance model without interaction effect and one observation per cell. If there are 5 factors and 4 columns, then the degrees of freedom for the error sum of squares is :
- (1) 20                      (2) 19                      (3) 12                      (4) 11
35. The simple correlation coefficients between temperature ( $X_1$ ), corn yield ( $X_2$ ) and rainfall ( $X_3$ ) are :  $r_{12} = 0.75$ ,  $r_{23} = 0.54$ ,  $r_{31} = 0.43$ . Then the partial correlation coefficient  $r_{12.3}$  is :
- (1) 0.6815                      (2) 0.4223  
 (3) 0.2392                      (4) None of these
36. Let  $(X_1, X_2)$  be a random vector following bivariate normal distribution with mean vector  $(0, 0)$ , variance  $(X_1) = \text{variance}(X_2) = 1$  and correlation coefficient  $\rho$ , where  $|\rho| < 1$ . Then  $P(X_1 + X_2 > 0)$  is equal to :
- (1) 1                      (2) 0.8                      (3) 0.5                      (4) 0.2
37. The total number of standard  $4 \times 4$  Latin squares is :
- (1) 4                      (2) 8                      (3) 12                      (4) 16

38. The minimum value of  $Z = 20x + 10y$

subject to the constraints :

$$x + 2y \leq 40 ; 3x + y \geq 30 ; 4x + 3y \geq 60 ; x, y \geq 0, \text{ is :}$$

- (1) 240                      (2) 215                      (3) 272                      (4) None of these

39. Consider a parallel system with two components. The lifetimes of the two components are independent and identically distributed random variables each following an exponential distribution with mean 1. The expected lifetime of the system is :

- (1) 1                      (2) 1/2                      (3) 3/2                      (4) 2

40. Consider an M/M/1 queue with interarrival time having exponential distribution with mean  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  and service time having exponential distribution with mean  $\frac{1}{\mu}$ . Which of the following is *true* ?

- (1) If  $0 < \lambda < \mu$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution Poisson  $(\mu - \lambda)$ .  
 (2) If  $0 < \mu < \lambda$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution Poisson  $(\lambda - \mu)$ .  
 (3) If  $0 < \lambda < \mu$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution which is geometric.  
 (4) If  $0 < \mu < \lambda$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution which is geometric.

41. Using Newton-Raphson method, the real root of the equation  $x^3 - 2x + 5 = 0$  is :

- (1) 3.129                      (2) 1.582                      (3) -2.754                      (4) -2.095

42. Using Gauss- elimination method, the solution of the following system of equations  $x + y + 2z = 7, 4x + 3y + 2z = 8, 3x + 2y + 4z = 13$ , is :

- (1)  $x = -1, y = 2, z = 3$                       (2)  $x = 1, y = 3, z = 5$   
 (3)  $x = 1, y = 1, z = 2$                       (4) None of these

43. Given that

$x$	10	20	30	40	50
$f(x)$	46	66	81	93	101

The value of  $\nabla^2 f(50)$  is :

- (1) 8                      (2) 3                      (3) -4                      (4) -1

44. Given that

$x$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	1
$y$	1	$\frac{4}{5}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{4}{7}$	$\frac{1}{2}$

Using trapezoidal rule, the value of  $\int_0^1 y dx$  is :

- (1) 0.938                      (2) 0.697                      (3) 0.352                      (4) 0.241

45. Given  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -xy^2$  with  $y(0) = 2$ . Then using modified Euler's method, the value of  $y(0.1)$  by taking step size  $h = 0.1$ , is :

- (1) 1.9804                      (2) 1.5636                      (3) 1.2921                      (4) None of these

46. Let  $q_j$  and  $\dot{q}_j$  respectively are the generalized coordinates and velocity of a dynamical system and  $p_j$  are its generalized momenta. Then the relation between Hamiltonian  $H(q_j, p_j, t)$  and Lagrangian  $L(q_j, \dot{q}_j, t)$  is given by :

- (1)  $H = \sum \dot{p}_j q_j - L$                       (2)  $H = \sum p_j \dot{q}_j - L$   
 (3)  $H = \sum \dot{p}_j \dot{q}_j - L$                       (4) None of these

47. Let  $T$  be the kinetic energy and  $V$  be the potential energy of the dynamical system, then the integral  $\int_{t_1}^{t_2} (T - V) dt$  has a stationary value, where  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are fixed. This principle is known as :

- (1) Hamilton's principle                      (2) Principle of least action  
 (3) D' Alembert principle                      (4) None of these

48. Consider the motion of a planet  $P(r, \theta)$  of mass  $m$  moving around the Sun  $S(0, 0)$  under the inverse square law of attraction  $\mu m/r^2$ . Let kinetic energy  $T$  of the system is given by :

$$T = \frac{1}{2} m(\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2), \text{ where } \dot{r} = \frac{dr}{dt} \text{ and } \dot{\theta} = \frac{d\theta}{dt} \text{ with } t \text{ as time.}$$

Then Lagrange's equations are given by :

- (1)  $\ddot{r} + r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r \dot{\theta} = \text{constant}$
  - (2)  $\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r^2 \ddot{\theta} = \text{constant}$
  - (3)  $\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r^2 \dot{\theta} = \text{constant}$
  - (4) None of these
49. A rigid body under no forces is free to rotate about its centroid  $G$ , the principal moments of inertia at which are 7, 25, 32 units respectively. If  $\omega = [\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3]$  be the angular velocity, then Euler's dynamical equations of motion are :

- (1)  $\dot{\omega}_1 - \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 + \omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, 4\dot{\omega}_3 + 3\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$
- (2)  $\dot{\omega}_1 + \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 - \omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, 16\dot{\omega}_3 + 9\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$
- (3)  $\dot{\omega}_1 - 2\omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 - 3\omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, \dot{\omega}_3 - 3\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$
- (4) None of these

50. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \int_{-1}^0 (y'^2 - 2xy) dx$  subject to  $y(-1) = 0, y(0) = 2$  is :

- (1)  $y = -\frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{13}{6}x + 2$
- (2)  $y = x^2 - 1$
- (3)  $y = \frac{1}{4}x^2$
- (4) None of these

51. The coefficient of  $\frac{1}{z}$  in the Laurent series expansion of the function  $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2(1-z)}$  about  $z = 0$ , is :
- (1) 1                      (2) 0                      (3) -1                      (4) None of these
52. The residue of the function  $f(z) = \frac{z+1}{z^2(z-3)}$  at  $z = 0$ , is :
- (1)  $-\frac{9}{2}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (3)  $-\frac{4}{9}$                       (4) None of these
53. The coefficient of magnification at  $z = 2 + 3i$  for the conformal transformation  $w = z^2$  is :
- (1)  $\sqrt{3}$                       (2)  $\sqrt{5}$                       (3)  $2\sqrt{7}$                       (4)  $2\sqrt{13}$
54. Let  $T(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ ,  $ad - bc \neq 0$ , be the Mobius transformation which maps the points  $z_1 = 0$ ,  $z_2 = -i$ ,  $z_3 = \infty$  in the  $z$ - plane onto the points  $w_1 = 10$ ,  $w_2 = 5 - 5i$ ,  $w_3 = 5 + 5i$  in the  $w$ - plane respectively. Then the image of the set  $S = \{z \in C : \operatorname{Re}(z) < 0\}$  under the map  $w = T(z)$  is :
- (1)  $\{w \in C : |w| < 5\}$                       (2)  $\{w \in C : |w| > 5\}$   
 (3)  $\{w \in C : |w - 5| < 5\}$                       (4)  $\{w \in C : |w - 5| > 5\}$
55. Among 100 students, 32 study Mathematics, 20 study Physics, 45 study Biology, 15 study Mathematics and Biology, 7 study Mathematics and Physics, 10 study Physics and Biology, 30 do not study any of three subjects. Then the number of students study only Mathematics, is :
- (1) 8                      (2) 15                      (3) 25                      (4) None of these
56. The no. of positive divisors of 2100 is :
- (1) 50                      (2) 44                      (3) 40                      (4) 36
57. The last two digits of  $38^{2011}$  are :
- (1) 6                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) 8
58. Which one of the following statements is *false* ?
- (1) If  $Q$  denotes the additive group of rational numbers and  $f: Q \rightarrow Q$  is a non-trivial homomorphism, then  $f$  is an isomorphism.  
 (2) Any quotient group of a cyclic group is cyclic.  
 (3) If every subgroup of a group  $G$  is a normal subgroup, then  $G$  is abelian.  
 (4) Every group of order 33 is cyclic

59. Let  $Z_n$  denotes the group of integers modulo  $n$ , under the operation of addition modulo  $n$ , for any positive integer  $n$ . Then the number of elements of order 15 in the additive group  $Z_{60} \times Z_{50}$  is :

- (1) 48                      (2) 30                      (3) 25                      (4) 10

60. The number of 5- Sylow subgroups in the symmetric group  $S_5$  of degree 5, is :

- (1) 2                      (2) 3                      (3) 5                      (4) 6

61. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (y'')^2 dx$  subject to  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y(1) = \frac{1}{2}$ ;  $y'(0) = 0$ ,  $y'(1) = 1$ , is :

- (1)  $y = x - 1$                       (2)  $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2$   
 (3)  $y = \sin x$                       (4) None of these

62. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \int_0^1 y'^2(x) dx$  subject to  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y(1) = 1$  and  $\int_0^1 y(x) dx = 0$ , is :

- (1)  $3x^2 - 2x$                       (2)  $8x^3 - 9x^2 + 2x$   
 (3)  $\frac{5}{4}x^4 - \frac{2}{3}x$                       (4)  $\frac{-21}{2}x^5 + 10x^4 + 4x^3 - \frac{5}{2}x$

63. The solution of the linear integral equation  $\phi(x) = (\cos x - x - 2) + \int_0^x (\xi - x)\phi(\xi) d\xi$ , is :

- (1)  $\phi(x) = \cos hx$                       (2)  $\phi(x) = \cos x + e^x \sin x$   
 (3)  $\phi(x) = e^x$                       (4)  $\phi(x) = -\cos x - \sin x - \frac{1}{2}x \sin x$

64. The eigen values ( $\lambda$ ) of the homogeneous integral equation  $\phi(x) = \lambda \int_0^{\pi} \cos(x + \xi)\phi(\xi) d\xi$  are :

(1)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-4}{\pi}, \lambda_2 = \frac{4}{\pi}$

(2)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-\pi}{2}, \lambda_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$

(3)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-2}{\pi}, \lambda_2 = \frac{2}{\pi}$

(4) None of these

65. The resolvent kernel for the integral equation  $\phi(x) = x^2 + \int_0^x e^{t-x}\phi(t) dt$  is :

(1)  $e^{t-x}$

(2) 1

(3)  $e^{x-t}$

(4)  $x^2 + e^{x-t}$

66. From the six letters A, B, C, D, E and F, three letters are chosen at random with replacement. What is the probability that either the word BAD or the word CAD can be formed from the chosen letters ?

(1)  $\frac{1}{216}$

(2)  $\frac{3}{216}$

(3)  $\frac{6}{216}$

(4)  $\frac{12}{216}$

67. Let  $X$  be a random variable which is symmetric about 0. Let  $F$  be the cumulative distribution function of  $X$ . Which of the following statements is always **true** ?

(1)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1$  for all  $x \in R$

(2)  $F(x) - F(-x) = 0$  for all  $x \in R$

(3)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1 + P(X=x)$  for all  $x \in R$

(4)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1 - P(X=-x)$  for all  $x \in R$

68. The probability density function of the random vector  $(X, Y)$  is given by :

$$f_{X,Y}(x, y) = \begin{cases} c & , 0 < x < y < 1 \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Then the value of  $c$  is equal to :

(1) 1

(2) 2

(3) 4

(4) 5

69. If  $X$  and  $Y$  are random variables such that  $E[2X + Y] = 0$  and  $E[X + 2Y] = 33$ , then  $E[X] + E[Y]$  is equal to :

(1) 26

(2) 20

(3) 11

(4) None of these



70. The moment generating function of a random variable  $X$  is given by :

$$M_X(t) = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3}e^t + \frac{1}{3}e^{2t} + \frac{1}{6}e^{3t}, \quad -\infty < t < \infty$$

Then  $P(X \leq 2)$  equals :

- (1)  $\frac{1}{3}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{6}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (4)  $\frac{5}{6}$

71. If  $X$  is a continuous random variable with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ , then for any positive number  $k$ , the inequality  $P\{|X - \mu| \geq k\sigma\} \leq (1/k^2)$  is known as :

- (1) Lyapunov's inequality                      (2) Chebychev's inequality  
(3) Bienayme-Chebychev's inequality      (4) Khintchine's inequality

72. With the usual notations, the value of probability  $p$  for a binomial variate  $X$ , if  $n = 6$  and  $9P(X = 4) = P(X = 2)$ , is :

- (1)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{3}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{4}$                       (4) None of these

73. The characteristics function of Poisson distribution with meas as  $m$ , is :

- (1)  $e^{m(it-1)}$                       (2)  $e^{m(e^{it}-1)}$                       (3)  $e^{mit}$                       (4) None of these

74. Which of the following do the normal distribution and the exponential density function have in common ?

- (1) Both are bell- shaped.  
(2) Both are symmetrical distributions.  
(3) Both approach infinity as  $x$  approaches infinity.  
(4) Both approach zero as  $x$  approaches infinity.

75. Let  $X$  be a random variable with uniform distribution on the interval  $(-1, 1)$  and  $Y = (X + 1)^2$ . Then the probability density function  $f(y)$  of  $Y$ , over the interval  $(0, 4)$ , is :

- (1)  $\frac{3\sqrt{y}}{16}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{4\sqrt{y}}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{6\sqrt{y}}$                       (4)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}$

76. Let  $\{X_n\}_{n \geq 0}$  be a homogeneous Markov chain whose state space is  $\{0, 1, 2\}$  and whose one-step transition probability matrix is  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0.3 & 0 & 0.7 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(X_{2n} = 2 | X_0 = 2)$  is equal to :

- (1) 0.7                      (2) 0.5                      (3) 0.3                      (4) 0.1

77. Suppose customers arrive at an ATM facility according to a Poisson process with rate 5 customers per hour. The probability that no customer arrives at the ATM facility from 1:00 pm to 1:18 pm is :

- (1) 0.94                      (2) 0.75                      (3) 0.45                      (4) 0.22

78. In a pure birth process with birth rates  $\lambda_n = 2^n$ ,  $n \geq 0$ , let the random variable  $T$  denote the time taken for the population size to grow from 0 to 5. If  $\text{Var}(T)$  denotes the variance of the random variable  $T$ , then  $\text{Var}(T)$  is equal to :

- (1)  $\frac{441}{256}$                       (2)  $\frac{341}{256}$                       (3)  $\frac{241}{256}$                       (4)  $\frac{141}{256}$

79. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_{10}$  be independent and identically distributed normal random

variables with mean 0 and variance 2. Then  $E \left[ \frac{X_1^2}{\sum_{i=1}^{10} X_i^2} \right]$  is equal to :

- (1) 0.8                      (2) 0.6                      (3) 0.3                      (4) 0.1

80. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample drawn from a population with probability density function  $f_x(x; \theta) = \frac{2x}{\theta^2}$ ,  $0 < x < \theta$ . Then the method of moments estimator of  $\theta$  is :

- (1)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{2n}$                       (2)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2}{2n}$   
 (3)  $\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$                       (4)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i (X_i - 1)}{2n}$

81. The directional derivative of the function  $f(x, y, z) = xy^2 + yz^3$  at the point  $(2, -1, 1)$  in the direction of  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  is :

- (1)  $-\frac{13}{3}$                       (2)  $-\frac{11}{3}$                       (3)  $-\frac{10}{3}$                       (4) None of these

82. Let  $R$  be the set of all real numbers and  $R^2 = \{(x, y) : x, y \in R\}$ . Let  $f : R^2 \rightarrow R$  be

$$\text{defined by } f(x, y) = \begin{cases} (x^2 + y^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2}\right) & , \text{ if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & , \text{ if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases} . \text{ Then which one of}$$

the following statements is **true** ?

- (1)  $f$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $(0, 0)$   
 (2)  $f$  is not continuous at  $(0, 0)$   
 (3)  $f$  is differentiable at  $(0, 0)$   
 (4) None of these

83. Consider the following statements :

$P : d_1(x, y) = \min\{2, |x - y|\}$  is a metric for  $R$  (the set of all real numbers).

$$Q : d_2(x, y) = \begin{cases} |x| + |y| & , \text{ if } x \neq y \\ 0 & , \text{ if } x = y \end{cases} \text{ is a metric on } (0, 1)$$

Then :

- (1) both  $P$  and  $Q$  are true                      (2)  $P$  is true and  $Q$  is false  
 (3)  $P$  is false and  $Q$  is true                      (4) both  $P$  and  $Q$  are false

84. Suppose that :

$$U = R^2 \setminus \{(x, y) \in R^2 : x, y \in Q\},$$

$$V = R^2 \setminus \left\{ (x, y) \in R^2 : x > 0, y = \frac{1}{x} \right\}$$

Then with respect to the Euclidean metric on  $R^2$ ,

- (1) both  $U$  and  $V$  are disconnected  
 (2)  $U$  is disconnected but  $V$  is connected  
 (3)  $U$  is connected but  $V$  is disconnected  
 (4) both  $U$  and  $V$  are connected

85. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be normed linear spaces and let  $T : X \rightarrow Y$  be any bijective linear map with closed graph. Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?

- (1) The graph of  $T$  is equal to  $X \times Y$
- (2)  $T^{-1}$  is continuous
- (3) The graph of  $T^{-1}$  is closed
- (4)  $T$  is continuous

86. Let  $V$  be a vector space over  $R^3$ . Which one of the following is a subspace of  $V$  ?

- (1)  $\{(x, y, z) : x - 3y + 4z = 0, x, y, z \in R\}$
- (2)  $\{(x, y, z) : x + y \geq 0, x, y, z \in R\}$
- (3)  $\{(x, y, z) : x \leq 0, x, y, z \in R\}$
- (4) None of these

87. The dimension of the vector space of  $7 \times 7$  real symmetric matrices with trace zero and the sum of the off-diagonal elements zero, is :

- (1) 47
- (2) 28
- (3) 27
- (4) 26

88. Which of the following is **not** a linear transformation ?

- (1)  $T(x, y, z) = (x, y)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in R^3$
- (2)  $T(x, y, z) = (x + 1, y + z)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in R^3$
- (3)  $T(x, y, z) = (x - z, y)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in R^3$
- (4)  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y + z, 0)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in R^3$

89. Suppose that  $T : R^4 \rightarrow R[x]$  is a linear transformation over  $R$  satisfying :

$$T(-1, 1, 1, 1) = x^2 + 2x^4$$

$$T(1, 2, 3, 4) = 1 - x^2$$

$$T(2, -1, -1, 0) = x^3 - x^4$$

Then the coefficient of  $x^4$  in  $T(-3, 5, 6, 6)$  is :

- (1) 1
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 5

90. The rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is :
- (1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 3                      (4) None of these
91. The solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3e^x + 2y$ ,  $y(0) = 0$  by Picard's method upto third approximation is :
- (1)  $21e^x - 6x^2 - 18x - 21$   
 (2)  $21e^x + 6x^2 - 18x + 21$   
 (3)  $21e^x + 6x^2 + 18x - 21$   
 (4) None of these
92. Consider the ordinary differential equation  $y'' + P(x)y' + Q(x)y = 0$ , where  $P$  and  $Q$  are smooth functions. Let  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  be any two solutions of the ODE. Let  $W(x)$  be the corresponding Wronskian. Then which of the following is always true ?
- (1) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly dependent, then  $\exists x_1, x_2$  such that  $W(x_1) = 0$  and  $W(x_2) \neq 0$   
 (2) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly independent, then  $W(x) = 0, \forall x$   
 (3) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly dependent, then  $W(x) \neq 0, \forall x$   
 (4) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly independent, then  $W(x) \neq 0, \forall x$
93. Consider the system of differential equations  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2x - 7y$ ;  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 3x - 8y$ . Then the critical point  $(0, 0)$  of the system is an :
- (1) unstable node  
 (2) asymptotically stable node  
 (3) asymptotically stable spiral  
 (4) unstable spiral

94. Using method of variation of parameters, the solution of the differential equation  $y'' - 6y' + 9y = e^{3x}/x^2$  is :

(1)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{3x} - e^{3x}(\log x + 1)$

(2)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{2x} + e^{2x}(\log x + 1)$

(3)  $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^{4x} - e^{3x}(\log x - 1)$

(4) None of these

95. Consider the boundary value problem (BVP)  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \alpha y(x) = 0$ ,  $\alpha \in R$  (the set of all real numbers), with the boundary conditions  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y(\pi) = k$  (where  $k$  is a non-zero real number). Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?

(1) For  $\alpha = 1$ , the BVP has infinitely many solutions.

(2) For  $\alpha = 1$ , the BVP has a unique solution.

(3) For  $\alpha = -1$ ,  $k < 0$ , the BVP has a solution  $y(x)$  such that  $y(x) > 0$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$

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96. Let  $R$  be the set of all real numbers and  $R^2 = \{(x, y) : x, y \in R\}$ . Let the general integral of the partial differential equation  $(2xy - 1)\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + (z - 2x^2)\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 2(x - yz)$  be given by  $F(u, v) = 0$ , where  $F: R^2 \rightarrow R$  is a continuously differentiable function. Then :

(1)  $u = x^2 + y^2 + Z$ ,  $v = xz + y$

(2)  $u = x^2 + y^2 - Z$ ,  $v = xz - y$

(3)  $u = x^2 - y^2 + z$ ,  $v = yz + x$

(4)  $u = x^2 + y^2 - Z$ ,  $v = yz - x$

97. The particular integral of the differential equation  $(D^2 + 3DD' + 2D'^2)z = 2x + 3y$  is given by :

(1)  $\frac{1}{150}(2x + 3y)^3$

(2)  $\frac{1}{240}(2x + 3y)^3$

(3)  $\frac{1}{320}(2x + 3y)^3$

(4) None of these

98. If  $u(x, y)$  is the solution of the Cauchy problem  $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 1, u(x, 0) = -x^2, x > 0$ .

Then the value of  $u(2, 1)$  is equal to :

(1)  $1 - 2e^{-2}$

(2)  $1 + 4e^{-2}$

(3)  $1 - 4e^{-2}$

(4)  $1 + 2e^{-2}$

99. The partial differential equation  $(x^2 + y^2 - 1) \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + (x^2 + y^2 - 1) \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$  is :

(1) parabolic in the region  $x^2 + y^2 > 2$

(2) hyperbolic in the region  $x^2 + y^2 > 2$

(3) elliptic in the region  $0 < x^2 + y^2 < 2$

(4) hyperbolic in the region  $0 < x^2 + y^2 < 2$

100. The function  $u(x, t)$  satisfies the initial value problem

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, x \in R, t > 0$$

$$u(x, 0) = 0, \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(x, 0) = 4xe^{-x^2}$$

Then the value of  $u(5, 5)$  is :

(1)  $1 - \frac{1}{e^{100}}$

(2)  $1 - e^{100}$

(3)  $1 - \frac{1}{e^{10}}$

(4)  $1 - e^{10}$

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1. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (y'')^2 dx$  subject to  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y(1) = \frac{1}{2}$ ;  $y'(0) = 0$ ,  $y'(1) = 1$ , is :

- (1)  $y = x - 1$  (2)  $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2$   
 (3)  $y = \sin x$  (4) None of these

2. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \int_0^1 y'^2(x) dx$  subject to  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y(1) = 1$  and

$$\int_0^1 y(x) dx = 0, \text{ is :}$$

- (1)  $3x^2 - 2x$  (2)  $8x^3 - 9x^2 + 2x$   
 (3)  $\frac{5}{4}x^4 - \frac{2}{3}x$  (4)  $\frac{-21}{2}x^5 + 10x^4 + 4x^3 - \frac{5}{2}x$

3. The solution of the linear integral equation  $\phi(x) = (\cos x - x - 2) + \int_0^x (\xi - x)\phi(\xi) d\xi$ , is :

- (1)  $\phi(x) = \cos hx$  (2)  $\phi(x) = \cos x + e^x \sin x$   
 (3)  $\phi(x) = e^x$  (4)  $\phi(x) = -\cos x - \sin x - \frac{1}{2}x \sin x$

4. The eigen values ( $\lambda$ ) of the homogeneous integral equation  $\phi(x) = \lambda \int_0^\pi \cos(x + \xi)\phi(\xi) d\xi$  are :

- (1)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-4}{\pi}$ ,  $\lambda_2 = \frac{4}{\pi}$  (2)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-\pi}{2}$ ,  $\lambda_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 (3)  $\lambda_1 = \frac{-2}{\pi}$ ,  $\lambda_2 = \frac{2}{\pi}$  (4) None of these

5. The resolvent kernel for the integral equation  $\phi(x) = x^2 + \int_0^x e^{t-x} \phi(t) dt$  is :

- (1)  $e^{t-x}$                       (2) 1                      (3)  $e^{x-t}$                       (4)  $x^2 + e^{x-t}$

6. From the six letters A, B, C, D, E and F, three letters are chosen at random with replacement. What is the probability that either the word BAD or the word CAD can be formed from the chosen letters ?

- (1)  $\frac{1}{216}$                       (2)  $\frac{3}{216}$                       (3)  $\frac{6}{216}$                       (4)  $\frac{12}{216}$

7. Let  $X$  be a random variable which is symmetric about 0. Let  $F$  be the cumulative distribution function of  $X$ . Which of the following statements is always *true* ?

- (1)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1$  for all  $x \in R$   
 (2)  $F(x) - F(-x) = 0$  for all  $x \in R$   
 (3)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1 + P(X = x)$  for all  $x \in R$   
 (4)  $F(x) + F(-x) = 1 - P(X = -x)$  for all  $x \in R$

8. The probability density function of the random vector  $(X, Y)$  is given by :

$$f_{X,Y}(x,y) = \begin{cases} c & , 0 < x < y < 1 \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Then the value of  $c$  is equal to :

- (1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) 5

9. If  $X$  and  $Y$  are random variables such that  $E[2X + Y] = 0$  and  $E[X + 2Y] = 33$ , then  $E[X] + E[Y]$  is equal to :

- (1) 26                      (2) 20                      (3) 11                      (4) None of these

10. The moment generating function of a random variable  $X$  is given by :

$$M_X(t) = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3}e^t + \frac{1}{3}e^{2t} + \frac{1}{6}e^{3t}, \quad -\infty < t < \infty$$

Then  $P(X \leq 2)$  equals :

- (1)  $\frac{1}{3}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{6}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (4)  $\frac{5}{6}$

11. The solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3e^x + 2y$ ,  $y(0) = 0$  by Picard's method upto third approximation is :
- (1)  $21e^x - 6x^2 - 18x - 21$
  - (2)  $21e^x + 6x^2 - 18x + 21$
  - (3)  $21e^x + 6x^2 + 18x - 21$
  - (4) None of these
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  - (2) If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly independent, then  $W(x) = 0, \forall x$
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18. If  $u(x, y)$  is the solution of the Cauchy problem  $x\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 1$ ,  $u(x, 0) = -x^2$ ,  $x > 0$ . Then the value of  $u(2, 1)$  is equal to :
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$$u(x, 0) = 0, \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(x, 0) = 4xe^{-x^2}$$

Then the value of  $u(5, 5)$  is :

- (1)  $1 - \frac{1}{e^{100}}$       (2)  $1 - e^{100}$       (3)  $1 - \frac{1}{e^{10}}$       (4)  $1 - e^{10}$

21. The coefficient of  $\frac{1}{z}$  in the Laurent series expansion of the function  $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2(1-z)}$  about  $z = 0$ , is :

- (1) 1      (2) 0      (3) -1      (4) None of these

22. The residue of the function  $f(z) = \frac{z+1}{z^2(z-3)}$  at  $z = 0$ , is :

- (1)  $-\frac{9}{2}$       (2)  $\frac{1}{2}$       (3)  $-\frac{4}{9}$       (4) None of these

23. The coefficient of magnification at  $z = 2 + 3i$  for the conformal transformation  $w = z^2$  is :

- (1)  $\sqrt{3}$       (2)  $\sqrt{5}$       (3)  $2\sqrt{7}$       (4)  $2\sqrt{13}$

24. Let  $T(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ ,  $ad-bc \neq 0$ , be the Mobius transformation which maps the points  $z_1 = 0$ ,  $z_2 = -i$ ,  $z_3 = \infty$  in the  $z$ -plane onto the points  $w_1 = 10$ ,  $w_2 = 5 - 5i$ ,  $w_3 = 5 + 5i$  in the  $w$ -plane respectively. Then the image of the set  $S = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re}(z) < 0\}$  under the map  $w = T(z)$  is :
- (1)  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w| < 5\}$                       (2)  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w| > 5\}$   
 (3)  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w - 5| < 5\}$                       (4)  $\{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w - 5| > 5\}$
25. Among 100 students, 32 study Mathematics, 20 study Physics, 45 study Biology, 15 study Mathematics and Biology, 7 study Mathematics and Physics, 10 study Physics and Biology, 30 do not study any of three subjects. Then the number of students study only Mathematics, is :
- (1) 8                      (2) 15                      (3) 25                      (4) None of these
26. The no. of positive divisors of 2100 is :
- (1) 50                      (2) 44                      (3) 40                      (4) 36
27. The last two digits of  $38^{2011}$  are :
- (1) 6                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) 8
28. Which one of the following statements is *false* ?
- (1) If  $\mathcal{Q}$  denotes the additive group of rational numbers and  $f: \mathcal{Q} \rightarrow \mathcal{Q}$  is a non-trivial homomorphism, then  $f$  is an isomorphism.  
 (2) Any quotient group of a cyclic group is cyclic.  
 (3) If every subgroup of a group  $G$  is a normal subgroup, then  $G$  is abelian.  
 (4) Every group of order 33 is cyclic
29. Let  $Z_n$  denotes the group of integers modulo  $n$ , under the operation of addition modulo  $n$ , for any positive integer  $n$ . Then the number of elements of order 15 in the additive group  $Z_{60} \times Z_{50}$  is :
- (1) 48                      (2) 30                      (3) 25                      (4) 10
30. The number of 5- Sylow subgroups in the symmetric group  $S_5$  of degree 5, is :
- (1) 2                      (2) 3                      (3) 5                      (4) 6
31. The directional derivative of the function  $f(x, y, z) = xy^2 + yz^3$  at the point  $(2, -1, 1)$  in the direction of  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  is :
- (1)  $-\frac{13}{3}$                       (2)  $-\frac{11}{3}$                       (3)  $-\frac{10}{3}$                       (4) None of these

32. Let  $R$  be the set of all real numbers and  $R^2 = \{(x, y) : x, y \in R\}$ . Let  $f : R^2 \rightarrow R$  be defined by  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} (x^2 + y^2) \sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2}\right) & , \text{ if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & , \text{ if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$ . Then which one of

the following statements is **true** ?

- (1)  $f$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $(0, 0)$
- (2)  $f$  is not continuous at  $(0, 0)$
- (3)  $f$  is differentiable at  $(0, 0)$
- (4) None of these

33. Consider the following statements :

$P : d_1(x, y) = \min \{2, |x - y|\}$  is a metric for  $R$  (the set of all real numbers).

$Q : d_2(x, y) = \begin{cases} |x| + |y| & , \text{ if } x \neq y \\ 0 & , \text{ if } x = y \end{cases}$  is a metric on  $(0, 1)$

Then :

- (1) both  $P$  and  $Q$  are true
- (2)  $P$  is true and  $Q$  is false
- (3)  $P$  is false and  $Q$  is true
- (4) both  $P$  and  $Q$  are false

34. Suppose that :

$$U = R^2 \setminus \{(x, y) \in R^2 : x, y \in Q\},$$

$$V = R^2 \setminus \left\{ (x, y) \in R^2 : x > 0, y = \frac{1}{x} \right\}$$

Then with respect to the Euclidean metric on  $R^2$ ,

- (1) both  $U$  and  $V$  are disconnected
- (2)  $U$  is disconnected but  $V$  is connected
- (3)  $U$  is connected but  $V$  is disconnected
- (4) both  $U$  and  $V$  are connected

35. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be normed linear spaces and let  $T : X \rightarrow Y$  be any bijective linear map with closed graph. Then which one of the following statements is *true* ?
- (1) The graph of  $T$  is equal to  $X \times Y$
  - (2)  $T^{-1}$  is continuous
  - (3) The graph of  $T^{-1}$  is closed
  - (4)  $T$  is continuous
36. Let  $V$  be a vector space over  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Which one of the following is a subspace of  $V$  ?
- (1)  $\{(x, y, z) : x - 3y + 4z = 0, x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$
  - (2)  $\{(x, y, z) : x + y \geq 0, x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$
  - (3)  $\{(x, y, z) : x \leq 0, x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$
  - (4) None of these
37. The dimension of the vector space of  $7 \times 7$  real symmetric matrices with trace zero and the sum of the off-diagonal elements zero, is :
- (1) 47
  - (2) 28
  - (3) 27
  - (4) 26
38. Which of the following is *not* a linear transformation ?
- (1)  $T(x, y, z) = (x, y)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$
  - (2)  $T(x, y, z) = (x + 1, y + z)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$
  - (3)  $T(x, y, z) = (x - z, y)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$
  - (4)  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y + z, 0)$  for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$
39. Suppose that  $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}[x]$  is a linear transformation over  $\mathbb{R}$  satisfying :
- $$T(-1, 1, 1, 1) = x^2 + 2x^4$$
- $$T(1, 2, 3, 4) = 1 - x^2$$
- $$T(2, -1, -1, 0) = x^3 - x^4$$
- Then the coefficient of  $x^4$  in  $T(-3, 5, 6, 6)$  is :
- (1) 1
  - (2) 2
  - (3) 3
  - (4) 5



40. The rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is :
- (1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 3                      (4) None of these
41. Let  $\{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be an observed sample of size 4 from  $N(\theta, 5)$  distribution, where  $\theta \in [2, \infty)$ . Then the maximum likelihood estimate of  $\theta$  based on the observed sample is :
- (1) 16                      (2) 8                      (3) 4                      (4) 2
42. A random sample of size 100 is classified into 10 class intervals covering all the data points. To test whether data comes from a normal population with unknown mean and unknown variance, the chi-square goodness of fit test is used. The degrees of freedom of the test statistic is equal to :
- (1) 10                      (2) 9                      (3) 8                      (4) 7
43. A random sample of 500 apples was taken from a large consignment and 60 were found to be bad. Then the 98% confidence limits for the percentage of bad apples in the consignment are :
- (1) (8.82, 17.52)                      (2) (8.61, 15.38)  
(3) (8.32, 14.63)                      (4) (8.19, 13.52)
44. Consider a two - way fixed effects analysis of variance model without interaction effect and one observation per cell. If there are 5 factors and 4 columns, then the degrees of freedom for the error sum of squares is :
- (1) 20                      (2) 19                      (3) 12                      (4) 11
45. The simple correlation coefficients between temperature ( $X_1$ ), corn yield ( $X_2$ ) and rainfall ( $X_3$ ) are :  $r_{12} = 0.75$ ,  $r_{23} = 0.54$ ,  $r_{31} = 0.43$ . Then the partial correlation coefficient  $r_{12.3}$  is :
- (1) 0.6815                      (2) 0.4223  
(3) 0.2392                      (4) None of these

46. Let  $(X_1, X_2)$  be a random vector following bivariate normal distribution with mean vector  $(0, 0)$ , variance  $(X_1) = \text{variance}(X_2) = 1$  and correlation coefficient  $\rho$ , where  $|\rho| < 1$ . Then  $P(X_1 + X_2 > 0)$  is equal to :
- (1) 1                      (2) 0.8                      (3) 0.5                      (4) 0.2
47. The total number of standard  $4 \times 4$  Latin squares is :
- (1) 4                      (2) 8                      (3) 12                      (4) 16
48. The minimum value of  $Z = 20x + 10y$  subject to the constraints :
- $x + 2y \leq 40$  ;  $3x + y \geq 30$ ;  $4x + 3y \geq 60$ ;  $x, y \geq 0$ , is :
- (1) 240                      (2) 215                      (3) 272                      (4) None of these
49. Consider a parallel system with two components. The lifetimes of the two components are independent and identically distributed random variables each following an exponential distribution with mean 1. The expected lifetime of the system is :
- (1) 1                      (2)  $1/2$                       (3)  $3/2$                       (4) 2
50. Consider an M/M/1 queue with interarrival time having exponential distribution with mean  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  and service time having exponential distribution with mean  $\frac{1}{\mu}$ . Which of the following is *true* ?
- (1) If  $0 < \lambda < \mu$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution Poisson  $(\mu - \lambda)$ .
- (2) If  $0 < \mu < \lambda$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution Poisson  $(\lambda - \mu)$ .
- (3) If  $0 < \lambda < \mu$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution which is geometric.
- (4) If  $0 < \mu < \lambda$ , then the queue length has limiting distribution which is geometric.
51. Using Newton-Raphson method, the real root of the equation  $x^3 - 2x + 5 = 0$  is :
- (1) 3.129                      (2) 1.582                      (3) -2.754                      (4) -2.095
52. Using Gauss- elimination method, the solution of the following system of equations  $x + y + 2z = 7$ ,  $4x + 3y + 2z = 8$ ,  $3x + 2y + 4z = 13$ , is :
- (1)  $x = -1, y = 2, z = 3$                       (2)  $x = 1, y = 3, z = 5$
- (3)  $x = 1, y = 1, z = 2$                       (4) None of these

53. Given that

$x$	10	20	30	40	50
$f(x)$	46	66	81	93	101

The value of  $\nabla^2 f(50)$  is :

- (1) 8                      (2) 3                      (3) -4                      (4) -1

54. Given that

$x$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	1
$y$	1	$\frac{4}{5}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{4}{7}$	$\frac{1}{2}$

Using trapezoidal rule, the value of  $\int_0^1 y dx$  is :

- (1) 0.938                      (2) 0.697                      (3) 0.352                      (4) 0.241

55. Given  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -xy^2$  with  $y(0) = 2$ . Then using modified Euler's method, the value of  $y(0.1)$  by taking step size  $h = 0.1$ , is :

- (1) 1.9804                      (2) 1.5636                      (3) 1.2921                      (4) None of these

56. Let  $q_j$  and  $\dot{q}_j$  respectively are the generalized coordinates and velocity of a dynamical system and  $p_j$  are its generalized momenta. Then the relation between Hamiltonian  $H(q_j, p_j, t)$  and Lagrangian  $L(q_j, \dot{q}_j, t)$  is given by :

- (1)  $H = \sum \dot{p}_j q_j - L$                       (2)  $H = \sum p_j \dot{q}_j - L$   
 (3)  $H = \sum \dot{p}_j \dot{q}_j - L$                       (4) None of these

57. Let  $T$  be the kinetic energy and  $V$  be the potential energy of the dynamical system. the the integral  $\int_{t_1}^{t_2} (T - V) dt$  has a stationary value, where  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are fixed. This principle is known as :

- (1) Hamilton's principle (2) Principle of least action  
 (3) D' Alembert principle (4) None of these

58. Consider the motion of a planet  $P(r, \theta)$  of mass  $m$  moving around the Sun  $S(0, 0)$  under the inverse square law of attraction  $\mu m/r^2$ . Let kinetic energy  $T$  of the system is given by :

$$T = \frac{1}{2} m (\dot{r}^2 + r^2 \dot{\theta}^2), \text{ where } \dot{r} = \frac{dr}{dt} \text{ and } \dot{\theta} = \frac{d\theta}{dt} \text{ with } t \text{ as time.}$$

Then Lagrange's equations are given by :

- (1)  $\ddot{r} + r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r \dot{\theta} = \text{constant}$   
 (2)  $\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r^2 \ddot{\theta} = \text{constant}$   
 (3)  $\ddot{r} - r \dot{\theta}^2 = -\mu/r^2, r^2 \dot{\theta} = \text{constant}$   
 (4) None of these

59. A rigid body under no forces is free to rotate about its centroid  $G$ , the principal moments of inertia at which are 7, 25, 32 units respectively. If  $\omega = [\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3]$  be the angular velocity, then Euler's dynamical equations of motion are :

- (1)  $\dot{\omega}_1 - \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 + \omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, 4\dot{\omega}_3 + 3\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$   
 (2)  $\dot{\omega}_1 + \omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 - \omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, 16\dot{\omega}_3 + 9\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$   
 (3)  $\dot{\omega}_1 - 2\omega_2 \omega_3 = 0, \dot{\omega}_2 - 3\omega_3 \omega_1 = 0, \dot{\omega}_3 - 3\omega_1 \omega_2 = 0$   
 (4) None of these

60. The external of the functional  $I[y(x)] = \int_{-1}^0 (y'^2 - 2xy) dx$  subject to  $y(-1) = 0, y(0) = 2$

is :

(1)  $y = -\frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{13}{6}x + 2$

(2)  $y = x^2 - 1$

(3)  $y = \frac{1}{4}x^2$

(4) None of these

61. If  $X$  is a continuous random variable with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ , then for any positive number  $k$ , the inequality  $P\{|X - \mu| \geq k\sigma\} \leq (1/k^2)$  is known as :

(1) Lyapunov's inequality

(2) Chebychev's inequality

(3) Bienayme-Chebychev's inequality

(4) Khintchine's inequality

62. With the usual notations, the value of probability  $p$  for a binomial variate  $X$ , if  $n = 6$  and  $9P(X = 4) = P(X = 2)$ , is :

(1)  $\frac{1}{2}$

(2)  $\frac{1}{3}$

(3)  $\frac{1}{4}$

(4) None of these

63. The characteristics function of Poisson distribution with meas as  $m$ , is :

(1)  $e^{m(it-1)}$

(2)  $e^{m(e^{it}-1)}$

(3)  $e^{mit}$

(4) None of these

64. Which of the following do the normal distribution and the exponential density function have in common ?

(1) Both are bell- shaped.

(2) Both are symmetrical distributions.

(3) Both approach infinity as  $x$  approaches infinity.

(4) Both approach zero as  $x$  approaches infinity.

65. Let  $X$  be a random variable with uniform distribution on the interval  $(-1, 1)$  and  $Y = (X + 1)^2$ . Then the probability density function  $f(y)$  of  $Y$ , over the interval  $(0, 4)$ , is :

(1)  $\frac{3\sqrt{y}}{16}$

(2)  $\frac{1}{4\sqrt{y}}$

(3)  $\frac{1}{6\sqrt{y}}$

(4)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}$

66. Let  $\{X_n\}_{n \geq 0}$  be a homogeneous Markov chain whose state space is  $\{0, 1, 2\}$  whose one-step transition probability matrix is  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0.3 & 0 & 0.7 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(X_{2n} = 2 | X_0 = 2)$  is equal to :

- (1) 0.7                      (2) 0.5                      (3) 0.3                      (4) 0.1
67. Suppose customers arrive at an ATM facility according to a Poisson process with rate  $\lambda$  customers per hour. The probability that no customer arrives at the ATM facility from 1:00 pm to 1:18 pm is :
- (1) 0.94                      (2) 0.75                      (3) 0.45                      (4) 0.22
68. In a pure birth process with birth rates  $\lambda_n = 2^n$ ,  $n \geq 0$ , let the random variable  $T$  denote the time taken for the population size to grow from 0 to 5. If  $\text{Var}(T)$  denotes the variance of the random variable  $T$ , then  $\text{Var}(T)$  is equal to :
- (1)  $\frac{441}{256}$                       (2)  $\frac{341}{256}$                       (3)  $\frac{241}{256}$                       (4)  $\frac{141}{256}$
69. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_{10}$  be independent and identically distributed normal random variables with mean 0 and variance 2. Then  $E \left( \frac{X_1^2}{\sum_{i=1}^{10} X_i^2} \right)$  is equal to :

- (1) 0.8                      (2) 0.6                      (3) 0.3                      (4) 0.1

70. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample drawn from a population with probability density function  $f_x(x; \theta) = \frac{2x}{\theta^2}$ ,  $0 < x < \theta$ . Then the method of moments estimator of  $\theta$  is :

- (1)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{2n}$                       (2)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2}{2n}$
- (3)  $\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$                       (4)  $\frac{3 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i (X_i - 1)}{2n}$

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71. Let  $G$  be a group of order  $5^4$  with center having  $5^2$  elements. Then the number of conjugacy classes in  $G$  is :
- (1) 26                      (2) 48                      (3) 145                      (4) None of these
72. Let  $I$  and  $J$  be the ideals generated by  $\{5, \sqrt{10}\}$  and  $\{4, \sqrt{10}\}$  in the ring  $Z[\sqrt{10}] = \{a + b\sqrt{10} : a, b \in Z\}$ , respectively. Then :
- (1) both  $I$  and  $J$  are maximal ideals  
 (2)  $I$  is a maximal ideal but  $J$  is not a prime ideal  
 (3)  $I$  is not a maximal ideal but  $J$  is a prime ideal  
 (4) neither  $I$  nor  $J$  is a maximal ideal
73. Let  $Z$  denotes the set of all integers and  $Z_n$  denotes the set of all integers modulo  $n$ , for any positive integer  $n$ . Consider the following statements :
- I. The ring  $Z[\sqrt{-1}]$  is a unique factorization domain.  
 II. The ring  $Z[\sqrt{-5}]$  is a principal ideal domain.  
 III. In the polynomial ring  $Z_2[x]$ , the ideal generated by  $x^3 + x + 1$  is a maximal ideal.  
 IV. In the polynomial ring  $Z_3[x]$ , the ideal generated by  $x^6 + 1$  is a prime ideal.
- Which of the above statements are *true* ?
- (1) I, II and III only                      (2) I and III only  
 (3) I, II and IV only                      (4) II and III only
74. Which of the following polynomial is reducible over the field  $Q$  of rational numbers ?
- (1)  $x^2 - 4x + 2$                       (2)  $x^3 - x + 1$   
 (3)  $x^3 + 9x^2 - 3x + 6$                       (4) None of these
75. Let  $F$  be the field with 4096 elements. The number of proper subfields of  $F$  is :
- (1) 5                      (2) 20                      (3) 50                      (4) 100
76. Let  $\omega$  be a primitive complex cube root of unity. Then the degree of the field extension  $Q(i, \sqrt{3}, \omega)$  over  $Q$  (the field of rational numbers) is :
- (1) 4                      (2) 3                      (3) 2                      (4) 1

77. For a subset  $S$  of a topological space, let  $\text{Int}(S)$  and  $\bar{S}$  denote the interior and closure of  $S$ , respectively. Then which of the following statements is *true* ?

- (1) If  $S$  is open, then  $S = \text{Int}(\bar{S})$
- (2) If the boundary of  $S$  is empty, then  $S$  is open.
- (3) If  $\bar{S} \setminus S$  is a proper subset of the boundary of  $S$ , then  $S$  is open.
- (4) None of these

78. Let  $T_1$  be the co-countable topology on  $R$  (the set of real numbers) and  $T_2$  be the cofinite topology on  $R$ . Consider the following statements :

I. In  $(R, T_1)$ , the sequence  $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to 0.

II. In  $(R, T_2)$ , the sequence  $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  converges to 0.

III. In  $(R, T_1)$ , there is no sequence of rational numbers which converges to  $\sqrt{3}$ .

IV. In  $(R, T_2)$ , there is no sequence of rational numbers which converges to  $\sqrt{3}$ .

Which of the above statements are *true* ?

- (1) I and II only
- (2) II and III only
- (3) III and IV only
- (4) I and IV only

79. Let  $R$  denote the set of all real numbers. Consider the following topological spaces :

$X_1 = (R, T_1)$ , where  $T_1$  is the upper limit topology having all sets  $(a, b]$  as basis.

$X_2 = (R, T_2)$ , where  $T_2 = \{U \subset R : R \setminus U \text{ is finite}\} \cup \{\emptyset\}$

Then :

- (1) both  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are connected
- (2)  $X_1$  is connected and  $X_2$  is not connected
- (3)  $X_1$  is not connected and  $X_2$  is connected
- (4) neither  $X_1$  nor  $X_2$  is connected



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80. Consider the following statements :

P : Any continuous image of a compact space is compact.

Q : A topological space is compact if every basic open cover has a finite subcover.

Then :

- (1) both P and Q are true                      (2) P is true and Q is false  
 (3) P is false and Q is true                      (4) both P and Q are false

81. The system of equations  $x + 2y - z = 3$ ;  $3x - y + 2z = 1$ ;  $2x - 2y + 3z = 2$  has :

- (1) no solution                                      (2) a unique solution  
 (3) infinite solutions                              (4) None of these

82. The eigen values of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  are :

- (1)  $-1, 1, 2$                       (2)  $-2, 3, 4$                       (3)  $1, -1, 7$                       (4)  $2, -3, 5$

83. The matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x & z \\ 0 & 2 & y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is diagonalizable when  $(x, y, z)$  equals :

- (1)  $(0, 0, 1)$                       (2)  $(1, 1, 0)$                       (3)  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, 2)$                       (4)  $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$

84. Let  $u = (1 + i, i, -1)$  and  $v = (1 + 2i, 1 - i, 2i)$ . Then  $\langle u, v \rangle$  is :

- (1)  $2 - 2i$                       (2)  $-2 + 2i$                       (3)  $-2 - 2i$                       (4)  $2 + 2i$

85. The quadratic form corresponding to symmetric matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{3}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is :

- (1)  $xy + 3yz + 2zx$                       (2)  $xy - 3yz - 2zx$   
 (3)  $xy + 3yz - 2zx$                       (4) None of these

86. If the power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n(z+3-i)^n$  converges at  $5i$  and diverges at  $-3i$ , then the power series :
- (1) converges at  $-2+5i$  and diverges at  $2-3i$
  - (2) converges at  $2-3i$  and diverges at  $-2+5i$
  - (3) converges at both  $2-3i$  and  $-2+5i$
  - (4) diverges at both  $2-3i$  and  $-2+5i$
87. Which of the following function  $f(z)$ , of the complex variable  $z$ , is not analytic at all the points of the complex plane ?
- (1)  $f(z) = z^2$
  - (2)  $f(z) = e^z$
  - (3)  $f(z) = \sin z$
  - (4)  $f(z) = \log z$
88. The function  $f(z)$  of complex variable  $z = x + iy$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , is given as  $f(z) = (x^3 - 3xy^2) + iv(x, y)$ . For this function to be analytic,  $v(x, y)$  should be :
- (1)  $(3xy^2 - y^3) + \text{constant}$
  - (2)  $(3x^2y^2 - y^3) + \text{constant}$
  - (3)  $(3x^2y - y^3) + \text{constant}$
  - (4) None of these
89. Let  $\Gamma$  denotes the boundary of the square region  $R$  with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(2, 0)$ ,  $(2, 2)$  and  $(0, 2)$  oriented in the counter-clockwise direction. Then value of  $\oint_{\Gamma} (1-y^2)dx + x dy$  is :
- (1) 12
  - (2) 15
  - (3) 20
  - (4) 25
90. Let  $C$  represent the unit circle centered at origin in the complex plane and, complex variable  $z = x + iy$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ . The value of the contour integral  $\oint_C \frac{\cos h3z}{2z} dz$  (where integration is taken counter clockwise) is :
- (1) 0
  - (2) 2
  - (3)  $\pi i$
  - (4)  $2\pi i$
91. Let  $Q$  is the set of all rational numbers,  $Z$  is the set of all integers and  $N$  is the set of all natural numbers. Then which one of the following statements is **true** ?
- (1) The set  $Q \times Z$  is uncountable.
  - (2) The set  $\{f : f \text{ is a function from } N \text{ to } \{0, 1\}\}$  is uncountable.
  - (3) The set  $\{\sqrt{p} : p \text{ is a prime number}\}$  is uncountable.
  - (4) None of these

92. The sequence  $\left\langle \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{3}\right)}{\sqrt{n}} \right\rangle$  converges to the limit :
- (1) 0                      (2) 1                      (3) 2                      (4) None of these
93. Let  $a_n = \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n!}$ ,  $n \geq 0$  and  $b_n = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k$ ,  $n \geq 0$ . Then for  $|x| < 1$ , the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n$  converges to :
- (1)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1+x}$               (2)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1-x^2}$               (3)  $\frac{-e^{-x}}{1-x}$               (4)  $-(1+x)e^{-x}$
94. The number of limit points of the set  $\left\{ \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{n} : m, n \in N \right\}$  is :
- (1) 1                      (2) 2  
 (3) finitely many              (4) infinitely many
95. Which of the following functions is uniformly continuous on the specified domain ?
- (1)  $f_1(x) = e^{x^2}$ ,  $-\infty < x < \infty$   
 (2)  $f_2(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} & , 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 0 & , x = 0 \end{cases}$   
 (3)  $f_3(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & , |x| \leq 1 \\ \frac{2}{1+x^2} & , |x| > 1 \end{cases}$   
 (4)  $f_4(x) = \begin{cases} x & , |x| \leq 1 \\ x^2 & , |x| > 1 \end{cases}$
96. For  $n \in N$ , let  $f_n, g_n : (0, 1) \rightarrow R$  be functions defined by  $f_n(x) = x^n, g_n(x) = x^n(1-x)$ . Then :
- (1)  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly but  $\{g_n\}$  does not converge uniformly.  
 (2)  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly but  $\{f_n\}$  does not converge uniformly.  
 (3) both  $\{f_n\}$  and  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly.  
 (4) neither  $\{f_n\}$  nor  $\{g_n\}$  converges uniformly.

97. For which of the following function, Lagrange's mean value theorem is *not* applicable ?

(1)  $f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$  in  $[1, 3]$

(2)  $f(x) = \sqrt{25 - x^2}$  in  $[-3, 4]$

(3)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{4x-1}$  in  $[1, 4]$

(4)  $f(x) = x^{1/5}$  in  $[-1, 1]$

98.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{n}{n^2 + k^2}$  is equal to :

(1)  $\frac{e}{3}$

(2)  $\frac{5}{6}$

(3)  $\frac{3}{4}$

(4)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

99. Consider the following improper integrals  $I_1 = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{1 - \sin x}} dx$ ,  $I_2 = \int_0^1 \frac{\log x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}} dx$ ,

$I_3 = \int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x-1} dx$ , then :

(1) All are convergent

(2) All are divergent

(3)  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  are convergent whereas  $I_3$  is divergent

(4)  $I_1$  and  $I_3$  are convergent whereas  $I_2$  is divergent

100. Consider the following statements :

P : There exists an unbounded subset of  $R$  whose Lebesgue measure is equal to 5.

Q : If  $f : R \rightarrow R$  is continuous and  $g : R \rightarrow R$  is such that  $f = g$  almost everywhere on  $R$ , then  $g$  must be continuous almost everywhere on  $R$ .

Which of the above statements hold true ?

(1) only P

(2) only Q

(3) both P and Q

(4) neither P nor Q

**Answerkey of Entrance test of PHD/URS Mathematics  
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6	2	1	1	1
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