

# MATHS

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### MODEL TEST 5

Mcqs

1.  $x^{2/3} + x^{4/3} =$

A.  $x^{2/3}$

B.  $x^{8/9}$

C.  $x$

D.  $x^{2/3} (x^{2/3} + 1)$

**Answer: D**



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2. In three dimensions , what is the set of all points for which  $x = 0$  ?

A. the origin

B. a line parallel to the x-axis

C. the  $yz$ -plane

D. a plane containing the  $x$ -axis

**Answer: C**



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3. Expressed with positive exponents only ,

$\frac{ab^{-1}}{a^{-1} - b^{-1}}$  is equivalent to

A.  $\frac{a^2}{a - b}$

B.  $\frac{a^2}{a - 1}$

C.  $\frac{b - a}{ab}$

D.  $\frac{a^2}{b - a}$

**Answer: D**



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4. If  $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$  and  $g(x) = x^3 + 8$ , find  $(f \circ g)(3)$ .

A. 3.3

B. 5

C. 11

D. 35

**Answer: A**



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5.  $x > \sin x$  for

A. all  $x > 0$

B. all  $x < 0$

C. all  $x$  for which  $x \neq 0$

D. all  $x$

**Answer: A**



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6. The sum of the zero of  $f(x) = 3x^2 - 5$  is

A. 3.3

B. 1.8

C. 1.7

D. 0

**Answer: D**



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7. The intersection of a plane with a right circular cylinder could be which of the following ?

I. A circle

II . Parallel lines

III. Intersecting lines

A. I only

B. II only

C. III only

D. I and II only

**Answer: D**



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8. Two dice are tossed . What is the probability that the sum is 5 ?

A.  $\frac{1}{11}$

B.  $\frac{1}{9}$

C.  $\frac{1}{6}$

D.  $\frac{1}{4}$

**Answer: B**



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9. The graph of  $f(x) = \frac{10}{x^2 - 10x + 25}$  has a vertical asymptote at  $x =$

A. 0 only

B. 5 only

C. 10 only

D. 0 and 5 only

**Answer: B**



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10. When  $P(x) = 2x^3 - 6x^2 + Kx$  is divided by  $x + 2$ ,

the remainder is  $-10$ . Then  $K =$

A.  $-30$

B.  $-15$

C.  $-6$

D.  $-1$

**Answer: B**



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11. Of the following lists of numbers , which has the largest standard deviation ?

A. 2,7,15

B. 3,7,14

C. 5,7,12

D. 10,11,12

**Answer: A**



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12. If  $f(x)$  is a linear function and  $f(2) = 1$  and  $f(4) = -2$ ,  
then  $f(x) =$

A.  $-\frac{3}{2}x + 4$

B.  $\frac{3}{2}x - 2$

C.  $-\frac{3}{2}x + 2$

D.  $\frac{3}{2}x - 4$

**Answer: A**



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13. The length of the radius of a circle is one-half the length of an arc of the circle . What is the radian measure of the central angle that intercepts that arc ?

A.  $60^\circ$

B.  $120^\circ$

C.  $1^R$

D.  $2^R$

**Answer: D**



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14. If  $f(x) = 2^x + 1$ , then  $f^{-1}(7) =$

A. 2.4

B. 2.6

C. 2.8

D. 3

**Answer: B**



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15. Find all values of  $x$  that satisfy the determinant

equation  $\begin{vmatrix} 2x & 1 \\ x & x \end{vmatrix} = 3$

A.  $-1$

B.  $-1$  or  $1.5$

C.  $1.5$

D.  $-1.5$

**Answer: B**



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**16.** The 71st term of  $30, 27, 24, 21, \dots$ , is

A.  $5325$

B.  $240$

C. 180

D.  $-180$

**Answer: D**



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17. If  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\tan 5x = 3$ , to the nearest tenth, what is the value of  $\tan x$ ?

A. 0.5

B. 0.4

C. 0.3



D. 0.2

**Answer: C**



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**18.** If  $4.05^p = 5.25^q$ , what is the value of  $\frac{p}{q}$  ?

A.  $-0.11$

B.  $0.11$

C.  $1.19$

D.  $1.30$

**Answer: C**



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**19.** A cylinder has a base radius of 2 and a height of 9 . To the nearest whole number , by how much does the lateral area exceed the sum of the areas of the two bases ?

A. 101

B. 96

C. 88

D. 81

**Answer: C**



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20. If  $\cos 67^\circ = \tan x^\circ$ , then  $x =$

A. 0.4

B. 6.8

C. 7.8

D. 21

**Answer: D**



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21.  $P(x) = x^3 + 18x - 30$  has a zero in the interval

A.  $(0, 0.5)$

B.  $(0.5, 1)$

C.  $(1, 1.5)$

D.  $(1.5, 2)$

**Answer: C**



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22. The lengths of the sides of a triangle are 23, 32 , and 37 . To the nearest degree , what is the value of

the largest angle ?

A.  $71^\circ$

B.  $83^\circ$

C.  $122^\circ$

D.  $128^\circ$

**Answer: B**



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23. If  $f(x) = \frac{3}{x-2}$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x+1}$ , find the domain of  $f \circ g$ .

A.  $x \geq -1$

B.  $x \neq 2$

C.  $x \geq -1, x \neq 2$

D.  $x \geq -1, x \neq 3$

**Answer: D**



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**24.** The overall average grade of a math course is based on homework (10 %) , quizzes (40 %) , and tests (50 %) . Ted has a 90 average for howework , 81

for quizzes , and 85 for tests . What is his overall average ?

A. 83

B. 84

C. 85

D. 86

**Answer: B**



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25. If  $\sqrt{y} = 3.216$  , then  $\sqrt{10y} =$

A. 321.6

B. 32.16

C. 10.17

D. 5.67

**Answer: C**



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**26.** What is the domain of the function

$$f(x) \log \sqrt{2x^2 - 15} ?$$

A.  $-7.5 < x < 7.5$



B.  $x < -7.5$  or  $x > 7.5$

C.  $x < -2.7$  or  $x > 2.7$

D.  $x < -3.2$  or  $x > 3.2$

**Answer: C**



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27. A magazine has 1,200,000 subscribers , of whom 400,000 are women and 800,000 are men . Twenty percent of the women and 60 percent of the men read the advertisements in the magazine . What is

the probability that a randomly selected subscriber reads the advertisements ?

A. 0.30

B. 0.36

C. 0.40

D. 0.47

**Answer: D**



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**28.** Let  $S$  be the sum of the first  $n$  terms of the arithmetic sequence 3, 7, 11, ..., and let  $T$  be the sum

of the first  $n$  terms of the arithmetic sequence  $8, 10, 12, \dots$ . For  $n > 1$ ,  $S = T$  for

- A. no value of  $n$
- B. one value of  $n$
- C. two values of  $n$
- D. three values of  $n$

**Answer: B**



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29. On the interval  $\left[-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right]$ , the function

$f(x) = \sqrt{1 + \sin^2 x}$  has a maximum value of

A. 0.78

B. 1

C. 1.1

D. 1.2

**Answer: D**



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**30.** A point has rectangular coordinates  $(3,4)$  . The polar coordinates are  $(5, \theta)$  . What is the value of  $\theta$  ?

A.  $30^\circ$

B.  $37^\circ$

C.  $51^\circ$

D.  $53^\circ$

**Answer: D**



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**31.** If  $f(x) = x^2 - 4$ , for what real number values of  $x$  will  $f(f(x)) = 0$  ?

A. 2.4

B.  $\pm 2.4$

C. 2 or 6

D.  $\pm 1.4$  or  $\pm 2.4$

**Answer: D**



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**32.** If  $f(x) = x \log x$  and  $g(x) = 10^x$ , then  $g(f(2)) =$

A. 24

B. 17

C. 4

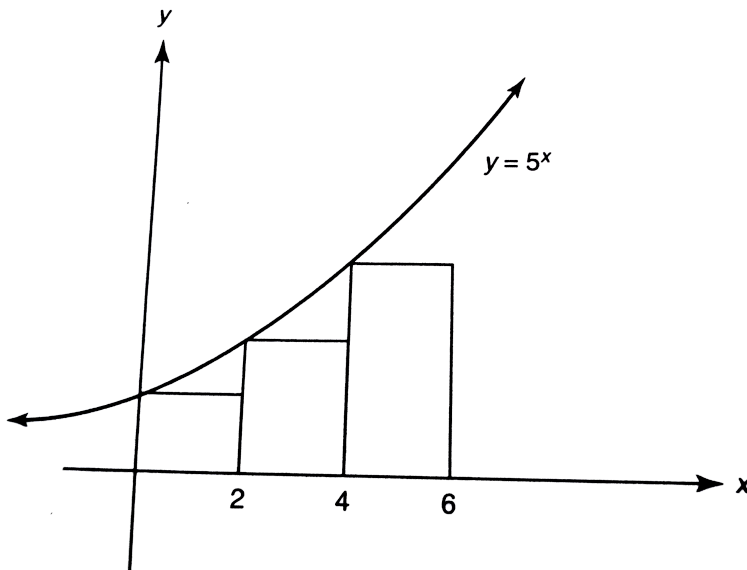
D. 2

Answer: C



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33. If  $f(x) = x^{\sqrt{x}}$ , then  $f(\sqrt{2}) =$



A. 1.4

B. 1.5

C. 1.6

D. 2.0

**Answer: B**



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**34.** The figure above shows the graph of  $5^x$ . What is the sum of the areas of the rectangle ?

A. 32550

B. 16225

C. 2604



D. 651

**Answer: D**



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35.  $(p,q)$  is called a lattice point if  $p$  and  $q$  are both integers . How many lattice points lie in the area strictly between the two curves  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 5 = 0$  ?

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

**Answer: D**



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36. If  $9^x = \sqrt{3}$  and  $2^{x+y} = 32$ , then  $y =$

A.  $\frac{1}{2}$

B.  $\frac{3}{4}$

C.  $\frac{5}{2}$

D.  $\frac{19}{4}$

**Answer: D**



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37. For all real numbers  $x$  ,  $f(2x) = x^2 - x + 3$ . An expression for  $f(x)$  in terms of  $x$  is

A.  $2x^2 - 2x + 3$

B.  $4x^2 - 2x + 3$

C.  $\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{x}{2} + 3$

D.  $\frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x}{2} + 3$

**Answer: C**



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38. For what value (s) of  $k$  is  $x^2 - kx + k$  divisible by  $x - k$ ?

A. only 0

B. only 0 or  $-\frac{1}{2}$

C. only 1

D. any value of  $k$

**Answer: A**



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39. If the graphs of  $x^2 = 4(y + 9)$  and  $x + ky = 6$  intersect on the x-axis, then  $k =$

A. 0

B. 6

C.  $-6$

D. any real number

**Answer: D**



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40. The length of the major axis of the ellipse

$$\frac{(x - 3)^2}{16} + \frac{(y + 2)^2}{25} = 1 \text{ is}$$

A. 3

B. 4

C. 6

D. 10

**Answer: D**



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41.

If

$$f_n = \begin{cases} \frac{f_{n-1}}{2} & \text{when } f_{n-1} \text{ is an even number} \\ 3 \cdot f_{n-1} + 1 & \text{when } f_{n-1} \text{ is an odd number} \end{cases}$$

and  $f_1 = 3$ , then  $f_5 =$

A. 1

B. 2

C. 4

D. 8

**Answer: D**



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42. How many different rearrangements of the letters in the word CONTEST start with the two vowels ?

A. 120

B. 60

C. 10

D. 5

**Answer: A**



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43. Which of the following translations of the graph of  $y = x^2$  would result in the graph of  $y = x^2 - 6x + k$ , where  $k$  is a constant greater than 10?

- A. left 6 units and up  $k$  units
- B. left 3 units and up  $k + 9$  units
- C. right 3 units and up  $k + 9$  units
- D. right 3 units and up  $k - 9$  units

**Answer: D**



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44. How many positive integers are there in the solution set of  $\frac{x}{x-2} > 5$ ?

A. 0

B. 2

C. 4

D. 5

**Answer: A**



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45. During the year 1995 the price of ABC Company stock increased by 125% and during the year 1996 the price of stock increased by 80% . Over the period from January 1 , 1995 , through December 31 , 1996 by what percentage did the price of ABC Company stock rise ?

A. 103

B. 205

C. 305

D. 405

**Answer: C**





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46. If  $x_0 = 3$  and  $x_{n+1} = x_n \sqrt{x_n + 1}$ , then  $x_3 =$

A. 15.9

B. 31.7

C. 44.9

D. 65.2

Answer: D



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47. When the smaller root of the equation  $3x^2 + 4x - 1 = 0$  is subtracted from the larger root, the result is

A.  $-1.3$

B.  $0.7$

C.  $1.3$

D.  $1.8$

**Answer: D**



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**48.** A committee of 4 is to be selected from a group of 7 women and 4 men . How many different committees of 2 men and 2 women can be formed ?

- A. 22
- B. 24
- C. 126
- D. 128

**Answer: C**



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49. If  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  are positive, with  $xy = 24$ ,  $xz = 48$ , and  $yz = 72$ , then  $x + y + z =$

A. 22

B. 36

C. 50

D. 62

**Answer: A**



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50. In radians,  $\sin^{-1}(\cos 100^\circ) =$

A.  $-1.4$

B.  $-0.2$

C.  $0.2$

D.  $1.0$

**Answer: B**



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