



# MATHS

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1. The equations of the tangents to the circle

$x^2 + y^2 = 13$  the point whose abscissa is 2,

are

A.  $2x + 3y = 13, 2x - 3y = 13$

B.  $3x + 2y = 13, 2x - 3y = 13$

C.  $2x + 3y = 13, 3x - 2y = 13$

D. None of the above

**Answer: A**



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2. If  $\vec{a} \cdot \hat{i} = 4$  then  $(\vec{a} \times \hat{j}) \cdot (2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k})$  is equal to

A. 12

B. 2

C. 0

D. -12

**Answer: D**



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3. Prove th the following sets of three points  
are collinear:

$$-2\vec{a} + 3\vec{b} + 5\vec{c}, \vec{a} + 2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}, 6\vec{a} - \vec{c}$$

A.  $-4\vec{a}$

B.  $4\vec{a} - \vec{b} - \vec{c}$

C.  $\vec{c}$

D. None of the above

**Answer: D**



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4. If  $y = \log_{10} x + \log_x 10 + \log_x x + \log_{10} 10$

then what is  $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{x=10}$  equal to?

A.  $\frac{1}{x \log_e 10} - \frac{\log_e 10}{x(\log_e x)^2}$

B.  $\frac{1}{x \log_e 10} - \frac{1}{x \log_{10} e}$

C.  $\frac{1}{x \log_e 10} + \frac{1}{x(\log_e x)^2}$

D. None of the above

**Answer: A**



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5.  $\int \frac{x^{e-1} + e^{x-1}}{x^2 + e^x} dx$  is equal to

A.  $\log(x^e + e^x) + c$

B.  $e \log(x^e + e^x) + c$

C.  $\frac{1}{e} \log(x^e + e^x) + c$

D. None of the above

**Answer: C**



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6. The value of  $\int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} e^x (\log \sin x + \cot x) dx$

is

A.  $e^{\pi/4} \log 2$

B.  $-e^{\pi/4} \log 2$

C.  $\frac{1}{2} e^{\pi/4} \log 2$

D.  $-\frac{1}{2} e^{\pi/4} \log 2$

**Answer: C**



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7. Considering four sub-intervals, the value of

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x} dx \text{ by Trapezoidal rule, is}$$

A. 0.6870

B. 0.6677

C. 0.6977

D. 0.5970

**Answer: C**



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8. By Simpson's rule, value of  $\int_1^2 \frac{dx}{x}$  dividing the interval (1,2) into four equal parts, is

A. 0.6932

B. 0.6753

C. 0.6692

D. 7.1324

**Answer: A**



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9. Area bounded by the lines

$y = x$ ,  $x = -1$ ,  $x = 2$  and x-axis is

A.  $5/2$  sq unit

B.  $3/2$  sq unit

C.  $1/2$  sq unit

D. None of the above

**Answer: A**



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10. The focal distance of a point on the parabola  $y^2 = 16x$  whose ordinate is twice the abscis is

A. 6

B. 8

C. 10

D. 12

**Answer: B**



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11. if the line  $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$  is normal to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  then

A.  $p^2 (a^2 \cos^2 \alpha + b^2 \sin^2 \alpha) = a^2 - b^2$

B.  $p^2 (a^2 \cos^2 \alpha + b^2 \sin^2 \alpha) = (a^2 - b^2)$

C.  $p^2 (a^2 \sec^2 \alpha + b^2 \cos ec^2 \alpha) = a^2 - b^2$

D.

$$p^2 (a^2 \sec^2 \alpha + b^2 \cos ec^2 \alpha) = (a^2 - b^2)^2$$

**Answer: D**



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12. The inverse matrix of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is

A.  $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -4 & 3 & -1 \\ \frac{5}{2} & -\frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$

B.  $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -4 & \frac{5}{2} \\ 1 & -6 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

C.  $\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

D.  $\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ -8 & 6 & -2 \\ 5 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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13. The equation

$$12x^2 + 7xy + ay^2 + 13x - y + 3 = 0$$

represents a pair of perpendicular lines. Then, the value of  $a$  is

A.  $\frac{7}{2}$

B.  $-19$

C.  $-12$

D.  $12$

**Answer: C**



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**14.** The symmetric equation of lines  $3x + 2y + z - 5 = 0$  and  $x + y - 2z - 3 = 0$ , is

A.  $\frac{x - 1}{5} = \frac{y - 4}{7} = \frac{z - 0}{1}$

B.  $\frac{x + 1}{5} = \frac{y + 4}{7} = \frac{z - 0}{1}$

C.  $\frac{x + 1}{-5} = \frac{y - 4}{7} = \frac{z - 0}{1}$

D.  $\frac{x - 1}{-5} = \frac{y - 4}{7} = \frac{z - 0}{1}$

**Answer: C**



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**15.** A wholesale merchant wants to start the business of cereal with ₹ 24000. Wheat is ₹ 400 per quintal and rice is ₹ 600 per quintal. He has capacity to store 200 quintal cereal. He earns the profit ₹ 25 per quintal on wheat and 40 per quintal on rice. If he stores  $x$  quintal rice and  $y$  quintal wheat, then for maximum profit the objective function is



A.  $25x + 40y$

B.  $40x + 25y$

C.  $400x + 600y$

D.  $\frac{400}{40}x + \frac{600}{25}y$

**Answer: B**



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**16.** The chances to fail in Physics are 20% and the chances to fail in Mathematics are 10%.

What are the chances to fail in atleast one subject ?

A. 0.28

B. 0.38

C. 0.72

D. 0.82

**Answer: A**



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17.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos ax - \cos bx}{x^2}$  is equal to

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

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

C.  $a^2 - b^2$

D.  $b^2 - a^2$

**Answer: B**



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18. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous

at  $x=0$ , then the value of  $k$  is

A. 1

B. -1

C. 0

D. 2

**Answer: C**



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19. The solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x - y + 3}{2x(x - y) + 5} \text{ is}$$

A.  $2(x - y) + \log(x - y) = x + c$

B.  $2(x - y) - \log(x - y + 2) = x + c$

C.  $2(x - y) + \log(x - y + 2) = x + c$

D. None of the above

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20. If  $x = \frac{1 - t^2}{1 + t^2}$  and  $y = \frac{2t}{1 + t^2}$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$

is equal to

A.  $\frac{a(1 - t^2)}{2t}$

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

C.  $\frac{a(t^2 + 1)}{2t}$

D.  $\frac{a(t^2 - 1)}{t}$

**Answer: B**



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21. The velocity of particle at time  $t$  is given by the relation  $v = 6t - \frac{t^2}{6}$ . The distance traveled in 3 s is, if  $s=0$  at  $t=0$

A.  $\frac{39}{2}$

B.  $\frac{57}{2}$

C.  $\frac{51}{2}$

D.  $\frac{33}{2}$

**Answer: C**



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22. The maximum value of function

$f(x) = x^3 - 12x^2 + 36x + 17$  in the interval

$[1, 10]$  is 17 b. 177 c. 77 d. none of these

A. 17

B. 177

C. 77

D. None of these

**Answer: B**



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23.  $\vec{a} \times \left[ \vec{a} \times \left( \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \right) \right]$  is equal to

A.  $\left( \vec{a} \times \vec{a} \right) \cdot \left( \vec{b} \times \vec{a} \right)$

B.  $\vec{a} \cdot \left( \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \right) - \vec{b} \cdot \left( \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \right)$

C.  $\left[ \vec{a} \cdot \left( \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \right) \right] \vec{a}$

D.  $\left( \vec{a} \cdot \vec{a} \right) \left( \vec{b} \times \vec{a} \right)$

**Answer: D**



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24. If one end of the diameter is  $(1, 1)$  and the other end lies on the line  $x + y = 3$ , then find the locus of the center of the circle.

A.  $x+y=1$

B.  $2(x-y)=5$

C.  $2x+2y=5$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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25. For the circuits shown below, the Boolean polynomial is



A.  $(\sim p \vee q) \vee (p \vee \sim q)$

B.  $(\sim p \vee \sim q) \wedge (q \wedge q)$

C.  $(\sim p \wedge \sim q) \wedge (q \wedge p)$

D.  $(\sim p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge \sim q)$

**Answer: D**



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26. Dual of  $(x' \vee y')' = x \wedge y$  is

A.  $(x' \vee y')' = x \vee y$

B.  $(x' \wedge y')' = x \vee y$

C.  $(x' \wedge y')' = x \wedge y$

D. None of the above

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27. Negation of the conditional "If it rains, I shall go to school" is

- A. It rains and I shall go to school
- B. It rains and I shall not go to school
- C. It does not rain and I shall go to school
- D. None of the above

**Answer: B**



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28. The value of  $\int x \sin x \sec^3 x dx$  is

A.  $\frac{1}{2} [\sec^2 x - \tan x] + c$

B.  $\frac{1}{2} [x \sec^2 x - \tan x] + c$

C.  $\frac{1}{2} [x \sec^2 x + \tan x] + c$

D.  $\frac{1}{2} [\sec^2 x + \tan x] + c$

**Answer: B**



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29. The value of  $\int_0^{\pi} x \sin^3 x dx$  is

A.  $\frac{4\pi}{3}$

B.  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

C. 0

D. None of these

**Answer: B**



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**30.** A parents has two children. If one of them is boy, then the probability that other is, also a boy is

A.  $1/2$

B.  $1/4$

C.  $1/3$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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**31.** For the LPP Min  $z = x_1 + x_2$  such that  
inequalities



$$5x_1 + 10x_2 \geq 0, x_1 + x_2 \leq 1, x_2 \leq 4 \quad \text{and}$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0$$

- A. There is a bounded solution
- B. There is no solution
- C. There are infinite solutions
- D. None of the above

**Answer: A**



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32. Find the equation of the plane passing through the point  $(0, 7, -7)$  and containing the line  $\frac{x + 1}{-3} = \frac{y - 3}{2} = \frac{z + 2}{1}$ .

A.  $x + y + z = 1$

B.  $x + y + z = 2$

C.  $x + y + z = 0$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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33. Angle of intersection of the curve

$r = \sin \theta + \cos \theta$  and  $r = 2 \sin \theta$  is equal to

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

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

C.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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34. The equation of the tangent parallel to

$y - x + 5 = 0$  drawn to  $\frac{x^2}{3} - \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$  is

A.  $x - y - 1 = 0$

B.  $x - y + 2 = 0$

C.  $x + y - 1 = 0$

D.  $x + y + 2 = 0$

**Answer: A**



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35. The volume of solid generated by revolving about the  $y$ -axis the figure bounded by the parabola  $y = x^2$  and  $x = y^2$  is

A.  $\frac{21}{5} \pi$

B.  $\frac{24}{5} \pi$

C.  $\frac{2}{15} \pi$

D.  $\frac{5}{24} \pi$

**Answer: C**



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36. The value of  $\Delta \log f(x) + \Delta^2(3^x)$  is

A.  $\log \left[ 1 + \frac{\Delta f(x)}{f(x)} \right] + 4 \cdot 3^x$

B.  $\log \left[ 1 + \frac{\Delta f(x)}{f(x)} \right] + 3^x$

C.  $\log \left[ \frac{\Delta f(x)}{1 + f(x)} \right] + 4 \cdot 3^x$

D.  $\log \left[ \frac{\Delta f(x)}{1 + f(x)} \right] + 3^x$

**Answer: A**



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37. Show that

$$(3xy + x^2)dy + (y^2 + xy)dx = 0 \quad \text{is}$$

homogeneous differential equation. Also find its general solution.

A.  $x^2(2xy + y^2) = c^2$

B.  $x^2(2xy - y^2) = c^2$

C.  $x^2(y^2 - 2xy) = c^2$

D. None of these

**Answer: A**



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38. The order and degree of the differential

equation  $\sqrt{\frac{dy}{dx}} - 4\frac{dy}{dx} - 7x = 0$  are

A. 1 and 1/2

B. 2 and 1

C. 1 and 1

D. 1 and 2

**Answer: D**



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39.

If

$$f(x) = \sqrt{\frac{x - \sin x}{x + \cos^2 x}}, \text{ then } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) \text{ is}$$

A. 0

B.  $\infty$

C. 1

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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40. If the vectors  $\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ ,  $-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j}$  represents the diagonals of a parallelogram, then its area will be

A.  $\sqrt{21}$

B.  $\frac{\sqrt{21}}{2}$

C.  $2\sqrt{21}$

D.  $\frac{\sqrt{21}}{4}$

**Answer: B**



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41. The position vectors of the points A, B and C are  $(2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k})$ ,  $(3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k})$  and  $(\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 3\hat{k})$  respectively. Show that the points A, B and C are collinear.

A. form an isosceles triangle

B. form a right angled triangle

C. are collinear

D. form a scalene triangle

**Answer: C**



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42. The equation of common tangent of

$x^2 + y^2 = 2$  and  $y^2 = 8x$  is

A.  $y=x+1$

B.  $y=x+2$

C.  $y=x-2$

D.  $y=-x+2$

**Answer: B**



43. If  $y = x^n \log x + x(\log x)^n$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is equal to

A.

$$x^{n-1}(1 + n \log x) + (\log x)^{n+1}[n + \log x]$$

B.

$$x^{n-2}(1 + n \log x) + (\log x)^{n-1}[n + \log x]$$

C.

$$x^{n-1}(1 + n \log x) + (\log x)^{n-1}[n - \log x]$$

D. None of the above

**Answer: A**



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44. If  $x^3 + y^3 = 3axy$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$

A.  $\frac{ay - x^2}{y^2 - ax}$

B.  $\frac{ay - x^2}{ay - y^2}$

C.  $\frac{x^2 + ay}{y^2 + ax}$

D.  $\frac{x^2 + ay}{ax - y^2}$

**Answer: A**



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**45.** The region represented by the inequality system  $x, y \geq 0, y \leq 6, x + y \leq 3$ , is

- A. unbounded in first quadrant
- B. unbounded in first and second quadrants
- C. bounded in first quadrant
- D. None of the above

**Answer: C**



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**46.** A random variable  $X$  has the probability distribution



For the events  $E = \{x \text{ is prime number} \}$  and

$F = \{x < 4\}$  the probability of  $P(E \cup F)$  is

A. 0.50

B. 0.77



C. 0.35

D. 0.87

**Answer: B**



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**47.** The solution of  $(x, y, z)$  the equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is } (x, y, z)$$

A. (1,1,1)

B. (0,-1,2)

C. (-1,2,2)

D. (-1, 0, 2)

**Answer: D**



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**48.** The point of the curve  $y^2 = 2(x - 3)$  at which the normal is parallel to the line  $y - 2x + 1 = 0$  is

A. (5,2)

B.  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, -2\right)$

C. (5,-2)

D.  $\left(\frac{3}{2}, 2\right)$

**Answer: C**



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**49.** If  $|\vec{a}| = 2$ ,  $|\vec{b}| = 3$  and  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}$  are mutually perpendicular, then the area of the

triangle whose vertices are

$\vec{0}, \vec{a} + \vec{b}, \vec{a} - \vec{b}$  is

A. 5

B. 1

C. 6

D. 8

**Answer: C**



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50. The abscissa of the points, where the tangent to curve  $y = x^3 - 3x^2 - 9x + 5$  is parallel to X-axis are

A.  $x=0$  and  $0$

B.  $x=1$  and  $-1$

C.  $x=1$  and  $-3$

D.  $x=-1$  and  $3$

**Answer: D**



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