



MATHS

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Question Paper 2015

Exercise

1. If the values of arguments are not equispaced then which of the following interpolation formula would be appropriate

for finding an entry corresponding to a given argument?

- A. Newton's forward interpolation formula
- B. Newton's backward interpolation formula
- C. Lagrange's interpolation formula
- D. None of these

Answer:



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2. If f_i , F_i , F'_i are respectively the frequency less than type cumulative frequency, greater than type cumulative frequency of i -th class and N be the total frequency then which of the following is correct?

A. $N = F_i + F'_i$

B. $N = F_i + F'_i + f_i$

C. $N = F_i + F'_i - f_i$

D. None of these

Answer:



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3. Two variables x and y are related as $y = 3 - 7x$ and Q_1, Q_3 of x are respectively 5 and 11, then the value of Q_3 of y is

A. (-)74

B. 21

C. (-)32

D. None of these

Answer:



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4. The abscissa of the point of intersection of the less than and greater than ogives corresponds to

- A. Arithmetic mean
- B. Median
- C. Geometric mean
- D. None of these

Answer:



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5. The polynomial $x^3 + 3x^2 - x - 3$ is divisible by

A. a) $(x + 2)$

B. b) $(x + 3)$

C. c) $(x - 2)$

D. d) None of these

Answer:



6. Let $f(x)$ be the polynomial of degree n , then

$\Delta^{n-1} f(x)$ is a polynomial of degree.

A. a) 0

B. b) n

C. c) 1

D. d) $(n - 1)$

Answer:



7. If E and F two events such that

$$P(E \cap F) = \frac{3}{5} \text{ and } P(E \cup F^C) = \frac{4}{5} \text{ then}$$

$P(F)$ equals to

A. a) $\frac{1}{5}$

B. b) $\frac{3}{5}$

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

D. d) None of these

Answer:



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8. The price level of a country in a certain year has increased 25% over the base period. The index number is

A. 25

B. 125

C. 225

D. None of these

Answer:





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9. Measurement of population growth is

- A. Vital index
- B. SDR
- C. TFR
- D. None of these

Answer:



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10. State Fermat's theorem.



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11. Write down the situation where C.V. is the appropriate measure of dispersion.



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12. If the relation between two variables x and y is $2x - 3y = 4$, what is the relation between

their ranges?



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13. If the 1st and 3rd quartiles of a symmetrical distribution are 11 and 17 respectively, then what is the value of the median of that distribution?



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14. Write down the sample when a die is thrown repeatedly until 6 appears.



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15. Define exhaustive events.



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16. If for independent events A and B, $P(A) = 0.3$, $P(B) = 0.6$, then what will be the value of

$$P(A \cap B)?$$



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17. If A and B are independent events, then

$$P\left(\frac{A}{B^C}\right) = \dots\dots\dots$$



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18. Draw the Venn-diagram of B^C .



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19. What is Vital index?



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20. Define Crude rate of Natural Increase.



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21. What are the tests proposed by Fisher for checking goodness of an index number?



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22. What do you mean by purchasing power of money?



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23. What is the effect of change of base and scale on central moments?



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24. What are the differences between primary data and secondary data?



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25. Distinguish between qualitative and quantitative data.



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26. Find the G.M. of n observations $a, ar, ar^2, \dots, ar^{n-1}$.



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27. Write down the classical definition of probability.



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28. Describe the different parts of table.



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29. For three distinct positive numbers a, b, c with $a + b + c = 1$, show that $8abc \leq \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3$.



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30. For three values $a, \frac{a+b}{2}$ and $b (> a)$ find the value of (Range)/(Standard Deviation).



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31. State Lagrange's interpolation formula.



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32. The first two moments of a distribution about the value 5 are 3 and 25 respectively. If the mode is 6 obtain Pearson's coefficients of skewness and coefficient of variation.



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33. In a certain distribution of the first three moments about the value 4 of a variable are 1, 4 and 10 respectively. Find the three moments about mean and β_1 .



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34. State and prove Bayes Theorem of probability.



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35. If the events E_1, E_2, \dots, E_n are independent and such that $P(E_i^C) = \frac{i}{i+1}$, $i=1, 2, \dots, n$, then find the probability that at least one of the n events occur.



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36. Define Laspeyre's and Paasche's price index formula.



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37. Define Pearson's 2nd measure of Skewness (SK_2). Show that -3



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38. Two boxes contain balls as under:

Box 1: 3 White and 2 Red balls

Box 2: 2 White and 4 Red balls

One ball is drawn at random from Box 2 and is put into Box 1. Then a ball is drawn from Box 1 at random. What is the probability that the ball drawn from Box 1 is white?



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39. State and prove Bayes Theorem of probability.



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40. Describe the different columns of a life table.



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