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MONOTONOCITY AND MAXIMA-MINIMA OF FUNCTIONS

Single Correct Answer Type

1. If $x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$, then the function $f(x) = x \sin x + \cos x + \cos^2 x$ is (a) Increasing (b) Decreasing (c) Neither increasing nor decreasing (d) None of these

A. increasing

B. Decreasing

C. Neither increasing nor decreasing

D. None of these

Answer: B



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2. The function $f: (a, \infty) \rightarrow R$ where R denotes the range corresponding to the given domain, with rule $f(x) = 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 6$, will have an inverse provided

A. $a \leq 1$

B. $a \geq 0$

C. $a \leq 0$

D. $a \geq 1$

Answer: D



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3. Let $f(x) = 1 - x - x^3$. Then, the real values of x satisfying the inequality,

$$1 - f(x) - f^3(x) > f(1 - 5x), \text{ are}$$

A. $(-2, 0)$

B. $(2, \infty)$

C. $(0, 2)$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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4. If $g(x) = 2f(2x^3 - 3x^2) + f(6x^2 - 4x^3 - 3) \forall x \in R$ and $f''(x) > 0 \forall x \in R$ then $g(x)$ is increasing in the interval

A. $\left(-\infty, -\frac{1}{2}\right) \cup (0, 1)$

B. $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, 0\right) \cup (1, \infty)$

C. $(0, \infty)$

D. $(-\infty, 1)$

Answer: B



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5. Find the set of all values of the parameter 'a' for which the function, $f(x) = \sin 2x - 8(a + b)\sin x + (4a^2 + 8a - 14)x$ increases for all $x \in R$ and has no critical points for all $a \in R$.

A. $(-\infty, -\sqrt{5}, -2)$

B. $(1, \infty)$

C. $(\sqrt{5}, \infty)$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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6. if $f(x) = 2e^x - ae^{-x} + (2a + 1)x - 3$ monotonically increases for $\forall x \in R$ then the minimum value of 'a' is

A. 2

B. 1

C. 0

D. -1

Answer: C



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7. If the function $f(x) = 2 \cot x + (2a + 1) \ln |\cos ec x| + (2 - a)x$ is strictly decreasing in $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ then range of a is

A. $[0, \infty)$

B. $(-\infty, 0]$

C. $(-\infty, \infty)$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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8. If $x_1, x_2 \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$, then $\frac{\tan x_2}{\tan x_1}$ is (where $x_1 < x_2$)

A. $< \frac{x_1}{x_2}$

B. $= \frac{x_1}{x_2}$

C. $< x_1 x_2$

D. $> \frac{x_2}{x_1}$

Answer: D



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9. If $f(x)$ is a differentiable real valued function satisfying $f''(x) - 3f'(x) > 3 \forall x \geq 0$ and $f'(0) = -1$, then $f(x) + x \forall x > 0$ is

- A. decreasing function of x
- B. increasing function of x
- C. constant function
- D. none of these

Answer: B



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10. The roots of

$$(x - 41)^{49} + (x - 49)^{41} + (x - 2009)^{2009} = 0 \text{ are}$$

- A. all necessarily real
- B. non-real except one positive real root
- C. non-real except three positive real roots
- D. non-real except for three real roots of which exactly one is positive

Answer: B



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11. Let h be a twice continuously differentiable positive function on an open interval J . Let $g(x) = \ln(h(x))$ for each

$x \in J$ Suppose $(h'(x))^2 > h''(x)h(x)$ for each $x \in J$. Then

- A. g is increasing on H
- B. g is decreasing on H
- C. g is concave up on H
- D. g is concave down on H

Answer: D



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12. If $\sin x + x \geq |k|x^2, \forall x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$, then the greatest value of k is

A. $\frac{-2(2 + \pi)}{\pi^2}$

B. $\frac{2(2 + \pi)}{\pi^2}$

C. can't be determined finitely

D. zero

Answer: B



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13. If

$$4x + 8 \cos x + \tan x - 2 \sec x - 4 \log\{\cos x(1 + \sin x)\} \geq 6$$

for all $x \in [0, \lambda)$ then the largest value of λ is

A. $\pi/3$

B. $\pi/6$

C. $\pi/4$

D. $3\pi/4$

Answer: B



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14. The greatest possible value of the expression $\tan x + \cot x + \cos x$ on the interval $\left[\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right]$ is (a) $\frac{12}{5}\sqrt{2}$ (b) $\frac{11}{6}\sqrt{2}$ (c) $\frac{12}{5}\sqrt{3}$ (d) $\frac{11}{6}\sqrt{3}$

A. $\frac{12}{5}\sqrt{2}$

B. $\frac{11}{6}\sqrt{2}$

C. $\frac{12}{5}\sqrt{3}$

D. $\frac{11}{6}\sqrt{3}$

Answer: D



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15. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} (x + 1)^3 & -2 < x \leq -1 \\ x^{2/3} - 1 & -1 < x \leq 1 \\ -(x - 1)^2 & 1 < x < 2 \end{cases}$. The total

number of maxima and minima of $f(x)$ is

A. 4

B. 3

C. 2

D. 1

Answer: B



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16. Consider the graph of the function $f(x) = x + \sqrt{|x|}$

Statement-1: The graph of $y = f(x)$ has only one critical point

Statement-2: $f'(x)$ vanishes only at one point

- A. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is true, Statement 2 is a correct explanation for Statement 1.
- B. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is true, Statement 2 is not a correct explanation for Statement 1.
- C. Statement 1 is true, Statement 2 is false.
- D. Statement 1 is false, Statement 2 is true.

Answer: D



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17. The minimum value of the function $f(x) = \frac{\tan\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)}{\tan x}$

is:

A. 1

B. 0

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

D. 3

Answer: D



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18. Let $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 2}{[x]}$, $1 \leq x \leq 3$, where $[.]$ is the greatest

integer function. Then the least value of $f(x)$ is

A. 2

B. 3

C. 3/2

D. 1

Answer: B



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19. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} 3 - x^2, & x \leq 2 \\ \sqrt{a + 14} - |x - 48|, & x > 2 \end{cases}$ and if $f(x)$ has a

local maxima at $x = 2$, then greatest value of a is

A. 2013

B. 2012

C. 2011

D. 2010

Answer: C

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20. The function $f(x) = x^5 - 5x^4 + 5x^3$ find maximum and minimum value

- A. One minima and two maxima
- B. Two minima and one maxima
- C. Two minima and two maxima
- D. One minima and one maxima

Answer: D

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21.

If

$$f(x) = |x - 1| + |x + 4| + |x - 9| + \dots + |x - 2500| \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

, then all the values of x where $f(x)$ has minimum values lie in

A. (600, 700)

B. (576, 678)

C. (625, 678)

D. none of these

Answer: C



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22. Slope of tangent to the curve

$$y = 2e^x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{x}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{x}{2}\right), \text{ where } 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi \text{ is}$$

minimum at $x =$

A. 0

B. π

C. 2π

D. none of these

Answer: B



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23. The value of a for which all extremum of function

$$f(x) = x^3 + 3ax^2 + 3(a^2 - 1)x + 1, \text{ lie in the interval } (2, 4)$$

is

A. (3, 4)

B. (- 1, 3)

C. (- 3, - 1)

D. none of these

Answer: B



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24. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^3(1-x), & x \leq 0 \\ x \log_e x + 3x, & x > 0 \end{cases}$ then which of the following is not true?

A. $f(x)$ has point of maxima at $x = 0$

B. $f(x)$ has point minima at $x = e^{-4}$

C. $f(x)$ has range R

D. none of these

Answer: D



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25. The coordinates of the point on the curve $x^3 = y(x - a)^2$ where the ordinate is minimum is

A. $\left(3a, \frac{27}{4}a\right)$

B. $(2a, 8a)$

C. $(a, 0)$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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26. The fraction exceeds its p^{th} power by the greatest number possible, where $p \geq 2$ is

A. $\left(\frac{1}{p}\right)^{1/(p-1)}$

B. $\left(\frac{1}{p}\right)^{p-1}$

C. $p^{1/p-1}$

D. none of these

Answer: A



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27. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 2 - e^{x-1}, & 1 < x \leq 2 \\ x - e, & 2 < x \leq 3 \end{cases}$ and

$g'(x) = f(x)$, $x \in [1, 3]$, then`

A. $g(x)$ has no local maxima

B. $g(x)$ has no local minima

C. $g(x)$ has local maxima at $x = 1 + \ln 2$ and local minima

at $x = e$

D. $g(x)$ has local minima at $x = 1 + \ln 2$ and local maxima

at $x = e$

Answer: C



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28. If $g(x) = \max (y^2 - xy) (0 \leq y \leq 1)$, then the minimum value of $g(x)$ (for real x) is

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

B. $3 - \sqrt{3}$

C. $3 + \sqrt{8}$

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

Answer: B



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29. If $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ distinct numbers satisfying $|a-1| + |b-1| = |a| + |b| = |a+1| + |b+1|$, Then the minimum value of $|a-b|$ is :

A. 3

B. 0

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: D



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30. If equation $2x^3 - 6x + 2\sin a + 3 = 0, a \in (0, \pi)$ has only one real root, then the largest interval in which a lies is

A. $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}, \pi\right)$

Answer: C



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31. Let f be a continuous and differentiable function in

(x_1, x_2) . If $f(x) \cdot f'(x) \geq x\sqrt{1 - (f(x))^4}$ and

$\lim_{x \rightarrow x_1} (f(x))^2 = 1$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_2} (f(x))^2 = \frac{1}{2}$, then minimum

value of $(x_1^2 - x_2^2)$ is

A. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

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

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

D. none of these

Answer: C



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32. If $ab = 2a + 3b$, $a > 0$, $b > 0$, then the minimum value of ab is

A. 12

B. 24

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

D. none of these

Answer: B



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33. Let a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h be distinct elements in the set $\{-7, -5, -3, -2, 2, 4, 6, 13\}$. The minimum value of

$(a + b + c + d)^2 + (e + f + g + h)^2$ is: (1) 30 (2) 32 (3) 34 (

4) 40

A. 30

B. 32

C. 34

D. 40

Answer: B



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34. The perimeter of a sector is p . The area of the sector is maximum when its radius is

A. \sqrt{p}

B. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{p}}$

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

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

Answer: D



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35. Minimum integral value of k for which the equation

$e^x = kx^2$ has exactly three real distinct solution,

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: B



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36. Let $f(x) = x^3 - 3x + 1$. Find the number of different real solutions of the equation $f(f(x)) = 0$

A. 2

B. 4

C. 5

D. 7

Answer: D



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Multiple Correct Answer Type

1. Which of the following statement(s) is/are true?

A. Differentiable function satisfying $f(-1) = f(1)$ and

$f'(x) \geq 0$ for all x must be a constant function on the interval $[-1, 1]$.

B. There exists a function with domain \mathbb{R} satisfying $f(x) > 0$,

for all x , $f'(x) > 0$ for all x and $f''(x) > 0$ for all x .

C. If $f''(x) = 0$ then $(c, f(c))$ is an inflection point.

D. Suppose $f(x)$ is a function whose derivative is the

function $f'(x) = 2x^2 + 2x - 12$. Then $f(x)$ is decreasing

for $-3 < x < 2$ and concave up for $x > -\frac{1}{2}$.

Answer: A::D



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2. Let $f: R \rightarrow R, f(x) = x + \log_e(1 + x^2)$. Then $f(x)$ is what kind of function

A. f is injective

B. f is surjective

C. there is a point on the graph of $y = f(x)$ where tangent is not parallel to any of the chords

D. invenser of $f(x)$ exists.

Answer: A::B::C::D



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3. Let $f(x) = x - \frac{1}{x}$ then which one of the following statements is true?

- A. $f(x)$ is one-one function.
- B. $f(x)$ is increasing function.
- C. $f(x) = k$ has two distinct real roots for any real k .
- D. $x = 0$ is point inflection.

Answer: B::C::D



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4. Let $f(x)$ be an even function in \mathbb{R} . If $f(x)$ is monotonically increasing in $[2, 6]$, then

- A. $f(3) < f(-5)$

B. $f(4) < f(-3)$

C. $f(2) > f(-3)$

D. $f(-3) < f(5)$

Answer: A::D



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5. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} -e^{-x} + k & , x \leq 0 \\ e^x + 1 & , 0 < x < 1 \\ ex^2 + \lambda & , x \geq 1 \end{cases}$ is one-one and

monotonically increasing $\forall x \in R$, then

A. maximum value of k is 1

B. maximum value of k is 3

C. minimum value of λ is 0

D. minimum value of λ is 1

Answer: B::D



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6. If the function $f(x) = axe^{-bx}$ has a local maximum at the point (2,10), then

A. $a = 5e$

B. $a = 5$

C. $b = 1$

D. $b = 1/2$

Answer: A::D



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7. Let $f(x) = \frac{e^x}{1+x^2}$ and $g(x) = f'(x)$, then

- A. $g(x)$ has two local maxima and two local minima points
- B. $g(x)$ has exactly one local maxima and one local minima point
- C. $x = 1$ is a point of local maxima for $g(x)$
- D. There is a point of local maxima for $g(x)$ in the interval $(-1,0)$

Answer: B::D



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8. If $f'(x) = (x - a)^{2010}(x - b)^{2009}$ and $a > b$, then

- A. $f(x)$ has relative maxima at $x = b$

B. $f(x)$ has relative minima at $x = b$

C. $f(x)$ has relative maxima at $x = a$

D. $f(x)$ has neither maxima, nor minima at $x = a$

Answer: B::D



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9. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x)]$ ($[.]$ denotes the greatest integer function) and $f(x)$ is non-constant continuous function, then

A. $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$ is an integer

B. $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$ is non-integer

C. $f(x)$ has local maximum at $x = a$

D. $f(x)$ has local minimum at $x = a$

Answer: A::D

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10. Consider the function $f(x) = \ln(\sqrt{1-x^2} - x)$ then which of the following is/are true?

A. $f(x)$ increases in the on $x = \left(-1, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$

B. f has local maximum at $x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

C. Least value of f does not exist

D. Least value of f exists

Answer: A::B::C

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Comprehension Type

1.

Let

$f: R \rightarrow R, y = f(x), f(0) = 0, f'(x) > 0$ and $f''(x) > 0$.

Three point $A(\alpha, f(\alpha)), B(\beta, f(\beta)), C(\gamma, f(\gamma))$ on $y = f(x)$

such that $0 < \alpha < \beta < \gamma$.

Which of the following is false ?

A. $\alpha f(\beta) > \beta f(\alpha)$

B. $\alpha f(\beta) < \beta f(\alpha)$

C. $\gamma f(\beta) < \beta f(\gamma)$

D. $\gamma f(\alpha) < \alpha f(\gamma)$

Answer: B



2.

Let

$f: R \rightarrow R, y = f(x), f(0) = 0, f'(x) > 0$ and $f''(x) > 0$.

Three point $A(\alpha, f(\alpha)), B(\beta, f(\beta)), C(\gamma, f(\gamma))$ on $y = f(x)$

such that $0 < \alpha < \beta < \gamma$.

Which of the following is false ?

A. $\frac{f(\alpha) + f(\beta)}{2} < f\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right)$

B. $f(\alpha) + f(\beta) \frac{1}{2} > f\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right)$

C. $f(\alpha) + f(\beta) \frac{1}{2} = f\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right)$

D. $\frac{2f(\alpha) + f(\beta)}{3} < f\left(\frac{2\alpha + \beta}{3}\right)$

Answer: B



3.

Let

$f: R \rightarrow R, y = f(x), f(0) = 0, f'(x) > 0$ and $f''(x) > 0$.

Three point $A(\alpha, f(\alpha)), B(\beta, f(\beta)), C(\gamma, f(\gamma))$ on $y = f(x)$ such that $0 < \alpha < \beta < \gamma$.

Which of the following is true?

A. (a) $\gamma f(\gamma + \beta - \alpha) > (\gamma + \beta - \alpha) f(\gamma)$

B. (b) $\gamma f(\gamma + \beta - \alpha) < (\gamma + \beta - \alpha) f(\gamma)$

C. (c) $\alpha f(\gamma + \beta - \alpha) > (\gamma + \beta - \alpha) f(\alpha)$

D. (d) None of these

Answer: A



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4. Let f be a twice differentiable function such that $f''(x) > 0 \forall x \in R$. Let $h(x)$ is defined by $h(x) = f(\sin^2 x) + f(\cos^2 x)$ where $|x| < \frac{\pi}{2}$.

The number of critical points of $h(x)$ are

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. more than 3

Answer: C



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5. $f'(\sin^2 x) < f'(\cos^2 x)$ for $x \in$

A. $\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

B. $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \cup \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

C. $\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}, 0\right) \cup \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

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

Answer: A



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6. $h(x)$ is increasing for $x \in$

A. $\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

B. $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \cup \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

C. $\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}, 0\right) \cup \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

D. $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \cup \left(0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

Answer: B



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