



MATHS

BOOKS - KVPY PREVIOUS YEAR

MOCK TEST 4

Exercise

1. If x and y co-ordinates of any point P are chosen randomly from intervals $[0, 2]$ and $[0, 1]$ respectively, then the probability $y \leq x^2$ is (A) $\frac{1}{2}$ (B) $\frac{2}{3}$ (C) $\frac{3}{4}$ (D) $\frac{1}{4}$

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

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

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

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

Answer:



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2. Which of the following result is valid?

A. $(1 + x)^n > (1 + nx)$, for all natural numbers n

B. $(1 + x)^n \geq (1 + nx)$, for all numbers n , where

$$x > -1$$

C. $(1 + x)^n \leq (1 + nx)$, for all natural numbers n

D. $(1 + x)^n < (1 + nx)$, for all natural numbers n

Answer:



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3. Consider a circle with its centre lying on the focus of the parabola, $y^2 = 2px$ such that it touches the directrix of the parabola. Then a point of intersection of the circle & the parabola is:

A. $\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$

B. $(2p, 2p)$

C. $\left(-\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$

D. $\left(-\frac{p}{8}, \frac{p}{2}\right)$

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4. A circle is given by $x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$, another circle C touches it externally and also the x-axis, then the locus of center is:

A. $\{(x, y) : x^2 = 4y\} \cup \{(x, y) : y \leq 0\}$

B. $\{(x, y) : x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 4\} \cup \{(x, y) : y \leq 0\}$

C. $\{(x, y) : x^2 = y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y \leq 0\}$

D. $\{(x, y) : x^2 = 4y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y \leq 0\}$

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5. If p, q, r are any real numbers, then (A)

$$\max(p, q) < \max(p, q, r) \quad (\text{B})$$

$$\min(p, q) = \frac{1}{2}(p + q - |p - q|) \quad (\text{C})$$

$\max(p, q) < \min(p, q, r)$ (D) None of these

A. $\max(p, q) < \max(p, q, r)$

B. $\min(p, q) = \frac{1}{2}(p + q - |p - q|)$

C. $\max(p, q) < \min(p, q, r)$

D. none of these

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6. If $(\log)_2(a + b) + (\log)_2(c + d) \geq 4$. Then find the minimum value of the expression $a + b + c + ..$

A. 2

B. 4

C. 8

D. 16

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7. If r_1 and r_2 are the distances of points on the curve $10(z\bar{z}) - 3i(z^2 - (\bar{z})^2) - 16 = 0$ which are at maximum and minimum distance from the origin then the value of $r_1 + r_2$

A. 4

B. 3

C. 2

D. None of these

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8. Let f be a real valued function satisfying

$$f(x)+f(x+6)=f(x+3)+f(x+9). \text{ Then } \int_x^{x+12} f(t) dt \text{ is}$$

- A. a linear function of x
- B. an exponential function of x
- C. a constant function
- D. None of these

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9. If $a_n = \sqrt{7 + \sqrt{7 + \sqrt{7 + \dots}}}$ having n radical signs then by methods of mathematical induction which

is true

A. $a_n > 7 \forall n \geq 1$

B. $a_n < 7 \forall n \geq 1$

C. $a_n < 4 \forall n \geq 1$

D. $a_n > 3 \forall n \geq 1$

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10. Let $\sum_{r=1}^n (r^4) = f(n)$. Then $\sum_{r=1}^n (2r - 1)^4$ is equal to :

A. $f(2n) - 16f(n)$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$

B. $f(n) - 16f - \left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)$ when n is odd

C. $f(n) - 16f(n/2)$ when n is even

D. None of these

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11. A hat contains a number of cards with 30% white on both sides, 50% black on one side and white on the other side, 20% black on both sides. The cards are mixed up, and a single card is drawn at random and placed on the table. Its upper side shows up black. The probability that its other side is also black is $\frac{2}{9}$ b. $\frac{4}{9}$ c. $\frac{2}{3}$ d. $\frac{2}{7}$

A. $\frac{2}{9}$

B. $\frac{4}{9}$

C. $\frac{2}{3}$

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

Answer:



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12. If x is real, then the maximum value of

$$y = 2(a - x) \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + b^2} \right)$$

A. $a^2 + b^2$

B. $a^2 - b^2$

C. $a^2 + 2b^2$

D. None of these

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13. The minimum value of $px + py$ when $xy = r^2$ is equal to

A. $2r\sqrt{pq}$

B. $2pq\sqrt{r}$

C. $-2r\sqrt{pq}$

D. \sqrt{pq}

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14. Let z_1, z_2 be two complex numbers represented by points on the circle $|z| = 1$ and $|z| = 2$ respectively, then which of the following is incorrect

A. $\max |2z_1 + z_2| = 4$

B. $\min |z_1 - z_2| = 1$

C. $\left| z_2 + \frac{1}{z_1} \right| \leq 3$

D. None of these

Answer:



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15. Let A be a set consisting of n elements. The probability of selecting two subsets P and Q of set A such that $Q = \overline{P}$, is

A. $1/2$

B. $1/(2^k - 1)$

C. $1/2^k$

D. $1/3^k$

Answer:

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16. If p, q, r are positive and are in A.P., the roots of quadratic equation $px^2 + qx + r = 0$ are all real for $\left| \frac{r}{p} - 7 \right| \geq 4\sqrt{3}$ b. $\left| \frac{p}{r} - 7 \right| \geq 4\sqrt{3}$ c. *all p and r* d. *no p and r*

A. $\left| \frac{r}{p} - 7 \right| \geq 4\sqrt{3}$

B. $\left| \frac{p}{r} - 7 \right| < 4\sqrt{3}$

C. all p and r

D. no p and r

Answer:



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17. The general solution of the trigonometric equation $\sin x + \cos x = 1$ is given by

A. $x = 2n\pi, n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

B. $x = 2n\pi + \pi/2, n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

C. $x = n\pi + (-1)^n \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2$

D. None of these

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18. Let $p = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & \alpha \\ 3 & -5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, where $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$. Suppose

$Q = [q_{ij}]$ is a matrix such that $PQ = kl$, where

$k \in \mathbb{R}, k \neq 0$ and l is the identity matrix of order 3. If

$q_{23} = -\frac{k}{8}$ and $\det(Q) = \frac{k^2}{2}$, then

A. $a=0, k=8$

B. $4a-k+8=0$

C. $\det(PadjQ)2^9(d)$

D. $\det(QadjP) = 2^9$

Answer:



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19. The total number of distinct $x \in (0, 1]$ for which

$$\int_0^x \frac{t^2}{1+t^4} dt = 2x - 1 \text{ is}$$

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer:



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20. $P(a, b)$ is a point in the first quadrant. Circles are drawn through P touching the coordinate axes such that

the length of common chord of these circles is maximum, if possible values of $\frac{a}{b}$ is k_1 and k_2 , then $k_1 + k_2$ is equal to

A. $3 \pm 3\sqrt{2}$

B. $3 + 2\sqrt{3}$

C. $3 - 2\sqrt{3}$

D. $3 \pm 2\sqrt{2}$

Answer:



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21. Given that n is odd, number of ways in which three numbers in AP can be selected from $1, 2, 3, \dots, n$, is

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

B. $\frac{(n + 1)^2}{2}$

C. $\frac{n^2 - 1}{4}$

D. $\frac{(n - 1)^2}{4}$

Answer:



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22. A certain polynomial $P(x) \in R$ when divided by $x - a$, $x - b$ and $x - c$ leaves remainders a , b , and c respectively. Then find remainder when $P(x)$ is divided by $(x - a)(x - b)(x - c)$ where a, b, c are distinct.

A. 0

B. x

C. $ax+b-c$

D. $ax^2 + bx + c$

Answer:



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23. The point of intersection of two tangents to the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$, the product of whose slopes is c^2 , lies on the curve

A. $y^2 - b^2 = c^2(x^2 + a^2)$

B. $y^2 + a^2 = c^2(x^2 - b^2)$

C. $y^2 + b^2 = c^2(x^2 - a^2)$

D. $y^2 - a^2 = c^2(x^2 + b^2)$

Answer:



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24.

If

$$f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y) - xy - 1 \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } f(1) = 1,$$

then the number of solution of $f(n) = n, n \in \mathbb{N}$, is 0

(b) 1 (c) 2 (d) more than 2

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. more than 2

Answer:



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25. The area of the region bounded by the curves $y = |x - 1|$ and $y = 3 - |x|$ is (A) 6 sq. units (B) 2 sq. units (C) 3 sq. units (D) 4 sq. units

A. 6 sq.units

B. 2 sq.units

C. 3 sq.units

D. 4 sq.units

Answer:



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