



## MATHS

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1.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\int_0^{2x} x e^{x^2}}{e^{4x^2}}$  equals

A. 0

B.  $\infty$

C. 2

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

**Answer: D**



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2. If  $\omega$  is the complex cube root of unity, then the value of

$$\omega + \omega \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{8} + \frac{9}{32} + \frac{27}{128} + \dots \right),$$

A.  $-1$

B.  $1$

C.  $-i$

D.  $i$

**Answer: A**



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3. The root of the equation

$$2(1 + i)x^2 - 4(2 - i)x - 5 - 3i = 0, \quad \text{where } i = \sqrt{-1},$$

which has greater modulus is

A.  $\frac{3 - 5i}{2}$

B.  $\frac{5 - 3i}{2}$

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

D. none

**Answer: A**



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4.  $\frac{3}{4} + \frac{15}{16} + \frac{63}{64} + \dots \dots \dots n\text{terms}$

A.  $n - \frac{4^n}{3} - \frac{1}{3}$

B.  $n + \frac{4^{-n}}{3} - \frac{1}{3}$

C.  $n + \frac{4^n}{3} - \frac{1}{3}$

D.  $n - \frac{4^{-n}}{3} + \frac{1}{3}$

**Answer: B**



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5. The period of  $\tan 3\theta$  is

A.  $\pi$

B.  $3\pi/4$

C.  $\pi/2$

D. None of these

**Answer: D**



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6. If a function  $f(x)$  is given by

$$f(x) = \frac{x}{1+x} + \frac{x}{(x+1)(2x+1)} + \frac{x}{(2x+1)(3x+1)} + \dots \infty$$

then at  $x = 0$ ,  $f(x)$

- A. has no limit
- B. is not continuous
- C. is continuous but not differentiable
- D. is differentiable

**Answer:**



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7. If  $g$  is inverse of function  $f$  and  $f'(x) = \sin x$ , then  $g'(x) =$

A.  $\operatorname{cosec}\{g(x)\}$

B.  $\sin\{g(x)\}$

C.  $\frac{1}{\sin\{g(x)\}}$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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8. A bag contains  $(2n + 1)$  coins. It is known that  $n$  of these coins have a head on both sides, whereas the remaining  $(n + 1)$  coins are fair. A coin is picked up at random from the bag

and tossed. If the probability that the toss results in a head is  $\frac{31}{42}$ , then  $n$  is equal to

- A. 10
- B. 11
- C. 12
- D. 13

**Answer: A**

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**9.** If  $\phi(x)$  is a differentiable function, then the solution of the differential equation  $dy + \{y\phi'(x) - \phi(x)\phi'(x)\}dx = 0$ , is

A.  $y = \{\phi(x) - 1\} + Ce^{-\phi(x)}$

B.  $y\phi(x) = \{\phi(x)\}^2 + C$

C.  $ye^{\phi(x)} = \phi(x)e^{\phi(x)} + C$

D.  $y - \phi(x) = \phi(x)e^{-\phi(x)}$

**Answer: A**



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10. The area of the region

$$R = \{(x, y) : |x| \leq |y| \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$$
 is

A.  $\frac{3\pi}{8}$  sq units

B.  $\frac{5\pi}{8}$  sq units

C.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  sq units

D.  $\frac{\pi}{8}$  sq units



**Answer: C**



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11. Universal set  $U = \{x \mid x^5 - 6x^4 + 11x^3 - 6x^2 = 0\}$

$A = \{x \mid x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0\}$        $B = \{x \mid x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0\}$

What is  $(A \cap B)$  'equal to?

A.  $\{1, 3\}$

B.  $\{1, 2, 3\}$

C.  $\{0, 1, 3\}$

D.  $\{0, 1, 2, 3\}$

**Answer: C**



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12. If  $\cot^{-1} x - \cos^{-1} \frac{y}{2} = \alpha$ , then  $4x^2 - 4xy \cos \alpha + y^2$  is equal to :

A.  $2 \sin 2\alpha$

B. 4

C.  $4 \sin^2 \alpha$

D.  $-4 \sin^2 \alpha$

**Answer: C**



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13. If  $\frac{e^x + e^{5x}}{e^{3x}} = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3 + \dots$  then the value of  $2a_1 + 2^3a_3 + 2^5a_5 + \dots$  is

A.  $e^2 + e^{-2}$

B.  $e^4 - e^{-4}$

C.  $e^4 + e^{-4}$

D. 0

**Answer: D**



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**14.** Let  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  be three vectors satisfying

$$a \times b = (a \times c), |a| = |c| = 1, |b| = 4 \text{ and } |b \times c| = \sqrt{15}.$$

If  $b - 2c = \lambda a$ , then  $\lambda$  equals

A. 1

B. -1

C. 2

D.  $\pm 4$

**Answer: D**



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**15.** The total number of 4 digit numbers in which the digit are in descending order, is

A.  ${}^{10}C_4 \times 4!$

B.  ${}^{10}C_4$

C.  $\frac{10!}{4!}$

D. None of these

**Answer: B**



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16. The line, which is parallel to  $X$ -axis and crosses the curve

$y = \sqrt{x}$  at an angle  $45^\circ$ , is

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

B.  $y = \frac{1}{4}$

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

D.  $y = 1$

**Answer: C**



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17. In a triangle, the lengths of the two larger sides are 10 and 9, respectively. If the angles are in A.P., then the length of the third side can be  $5 - \sqrt{6}$  (b)  $3\sqrt{3}$  (c) 5 (d)  $5 + \sqrt{6}$

A.  $5 \pm \sqrt{6}$

B.  $3\sqrt{3}$

C. 5

D. None of these

**Answer: A**



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18. The mean of the Numbers 0,1,2,3.....n with respective weights  ${}^n C_0, {}^n C_1, {}^n C_2, \dots, {}^n C_n$  is

A.  $n$

B.  $\frac{2^n}{n}$

C.  $n + 1$

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

**Answer: D**



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**19.** The mean square deviation of a set of  $n$  observation

$x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  about a point  $c$  is defined as  $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - c)^2$ .

The mean square deviations about  $-2$  and  $2$  are  $18$  and  $10$

respectively, the standard deviation of this set of observations

is

A.  $3$

B. 2

C. 1

D. None of these

**Answer: A**



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**20.** Let  $S$  be the focus of the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  and let  $PQ$  be the common chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$  and the given parabola. The area of the triangle  $PQS$  is

A. 4 sq units

B. 3 sq units

C. 2 sq units



D. 8 sq units

**Answer: A**



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21. The number of real root of the equation  $e^{x-1} + x - 2 = 0$ , is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

**Answer: A**



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22. Minimise  $Z = \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^m c_{ij} x_{ij}$  Subject to

$$\sum_{i=1}^m x_{ij} = b_j, j = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad \sum_{j=1}^n x_{ij} = b_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

is a *LPP* with number of constraints

A.  $m - n$

B.  $mn$

C.  $m + n$

D.  $\frac{m}{n}$

**Answer: C**



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23. A bag contains 3 red and 3 white balls. Two balls are drawn one by one. The probability that they are of different colours is.

A.  $3/10$

B.  $2/5$

C.  $3/5$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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24. If  $M$  be a  $3 \times 3$  non-singular matrix with  $\det(M) = \alpha$ . If

$M^{-1} \text{adj}(\text{adj}A) = KI$ , then the value of  $K$  is

A. 1

B.  $\alpha$

C.  $\alpha^2$

D.  $\alpha^3$

**Answer: B**



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**25.** Tangents are drawn from the origin to the curve  $y = \cos X$ . Their points of contact lie on

A.  $x^2y^2 = y^2 - x^2$

B.  $x^2y^2 = x^2 + y^2$

C.  $x^2y^2 = x^2 - y^2$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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26. The slope of the tangent to the curve  $y = e^x \cos x$  is minimum at  $x = a$ ,  $0 \leq a \leq 2\pi$ , then the value of  $a$  is

A. 0

B.  $\pi$

C.  $2\pi$

D.  $3\pi/2$

**Answer: B**



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27. Two lines  $L_1: x = 5, \frac{y}{3 - \alpha} = \frac{z}{-2}$

$L_2: x = \alpha, \frac{y}{-1} = \frac{z}{2 - \alpha}$  are coplanar. Then,  $\alpha$  can take

value (s)

A. 1, 4, 5

B. 1, 2, 5

C. 3, 4, 5

D. 2, 4, 5

**Answer: A**



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28. The eccentricity of an ellipse with its centre at the origin is  $\frac{1}{2}$ . If one of the directrices is  $x = 4$ , then the equation of ellipse is

A.  $4x^2 + 3y^2 = 1$

B.  $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$

C.  $4x^2 + 3y^2 = 12$

D.  $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 1$

**Answer: B**



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29. The function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{2}{x}$  has a local minimum at  $x = 2$  (b)  $x = -2$   $x = 0$  (d)  $x = 1$

A.  $x = 2$

B.  $x = -2$

C.  $x = 0$

D.  $x = 1$

**Answer:**



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30. If  $y = (x + \sqrt{1 + x^2})^n$  then  $(1 + x^2) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx}$

A.  $n^2y$

B.  $-n^2y$

C.  $-y$

D.  $2x^2y$



**Answer: A**



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31. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = A$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = B$ ,

then which one of the following is correct?

A.  $A = 1$  and  $B = 0$

B.  $A = 0$  and  $B = 1$

C.  $A = 0$  and  $B = 0$

D.  $A = 1$  and  $B = 1$

**Answer: A**



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32. If  $a$  and  $b$  ( $\neq 0$ ) are the roots of the quadratic  $x^2 + ax + b = 0$  then the least value of  $x^2 + ax + b$  ( $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ) is

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

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

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

D. 1

**Answer: B**



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33. If  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$  then

A.  $\tan x < x < \sin x$

B.  $x < \sin x < \tan x$

C.  $\sin x < \tan x < x$

D. None of these

**Answer: D**



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**34.** The degree of the differential equation satisfying

$$\sqrt{1-x^2} + \sqrt{1-y^2} = a(x-y), \text{ is}$$

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

**Answer: A**



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**35.** Let  $f(x)$  be a polynomial of degree three  $f(0) = -1$  and  $f(1) = 0$ . Also, 0 is a stationary point of  $f(x)$ . If  $f(x)$  does not have an extremum at  $x = 0$ , then the

value of integral  $\int \frac{f(x)}{x^3 - 1} dx$ , is

A.  $\frac{x^2}{2} + C$

B.  $x + C$

C.  $\frac{x^3}{6} + C$

D. None of these

**Answer: B**



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36. The domain of the function  $f(x) = \frac{\sin^{-1}(x - 3)}{\sqrt{9 - x^2}}$ , is

A.  $[1, 2]$

B.  $[2, 3]$

C.  $[1, 2]$

D.  $[2, 3]$

**Answer: B**



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37. If the lines  $p_1x + q_1y = 1$ ,  $p_2x + q_2y = 1$  and  $p_3x + q_3y = 1$  be concurrent, show that the point

$(p_1, q_1)$ ,  $(p_2, q_2)$  and  $(p_3, q_3)$  are collinear.

- A. are collinear
- B. form an equilateral triangle
- C. form a scalene triangle
- D. form a right angled triangle

**Answer: A**



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**38.** Area of the circle in which a chord of length  $\sqrt{2}$  makes an angle  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  at the centre,

- A.  $\pi/2$  sq units
- B.  $2\pi$  sq units

C.  $\pi$  sq units

D.  $\pi/4$  sq units

**Answer: C**



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39. If  $\frac{\cos A}{\cos B} = n$  and  $\frac{\sin A}{\sin B} = m$ , then  $(m^2 - n^2)\sin^2 B =$

A.  $1 + n^2$

B.  $1 - n^2$

C.  $n^2$

D.  $-n^2$

**Answer: B**



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40. If complex number  $Z_1$ ,  $Z_2$  and 0 are vertices of equilateral triangle, then  $Z_1^2 + Z_2^2 - Z_1 Z_2$  is equal to

- A. 0
- B.  $Z_1 - Z_2$
- C.  $Z_1 + Z_2$
- D. 1

**Answer: A**



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41. If  $\rho = \{(x, y) \mid x^2 + y^2 = 1, x, y \in A\}$ . Then,  $\rho$  is



A. reflexive

B. symmetric

C. transitive

D. anti-symmetric

**Answer: B**



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**42.** A line makes the same angle  $\theta$  with each of the  $x$  and  $z$ -axes. If the angle  $\beta$ , which it makes with  $y$ -axis, is such that  $\sin^2 \beta = 3 \sin^2 \theta$  then  $\cos^2 \theta$  equals

A.  $2/5$

B.  $1/5$

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

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

**Answer: C**



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**43.** If in a binomial distribution

$n = 4$ ,  $P(X = 0) = \frac{16}{81}$ , then  $P(X = 4)$  equals  $\frac{1}{16}$  b.  $\frac{1}{81}$

c.  $\frac{1}{27}$  d.  $\frac{1}{8}$

A.  $\frac{1}{16}$

B.  $\frac{1}{81}$

C.  $\frac{1}{27}$

D.  $\frac{1}{8}$

**Answer: B**



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**44.** Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a function such that  $f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y)$  for all,  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

If  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=0$ . then, which one of the following is incorrect?

A.  $f(x)$  is continuous,  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$

B.  $f'(x)$  is constant,  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$

C.  $f(x)$  is differentiable,  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$

D.  $f(x)$  is differentiable only in a finite interval containing zero.

**Answer: D**



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**45.** If binomial coefficients of three consecutive terms of  $(1 + x)^n$  are in H.P., then the maximum value of  $n$ , is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 0

D. None of these

**Answer:**



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