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Mathematics

1. The degree of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 3\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = x^2 \log\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) \text{ is}$$

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. none of these

Answer: A



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2. The general solution of $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{ax + h}{by + k}$ represents a parabola when

A. $a = 0, b = 0$

B. $a = 1, b = 2$

C. $a = 0, b \neq 0$

D. $a = 2, b = 1$

Answer: C



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3. The rate of increase of bacteria in a certain culture is proportional to the number present . If it doubles in 5 hours , then in 25 hours , its number would be

- A. 8 times the original
- B. 16 times the original
- C. 32 times the original
- D. 64 times the original

Answer: C

4. If the vector

$$\vec{a} = \hat{i} + a\hat{j} + a^2\hat{k}, \vec{b} = \hat{i} + b\hat{j} + b^2\hat{k}, \vec{c} = \hat{i} + c\hat{j} + c^2\hat{k}$$

are three non-coplanar vectors and
$$\begin{vmatrix} a & a^2 & 1 + a^3 \\ b & b^2 & 1 + b^3 \\ c & c^2 & 1 + c^3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

, then the value of abc is equal to

A. 2

B. 1

C. 0

D. -1

Answer: D

5. If $|\vec{a}| = |\vec{b}| = |\vec{a} + \vec{b}| = 1$, then the value of $|\vec{a} - \vec{b}|$ is equal to

A. 1

B. $\sqrt{3}$

C. $\sqrt{2}$

D. $\sqrt{3}/2$

Answer: B



6. If \vec{a} , a vector of magnitude 50, is collinear with the vector $\vec{b} = 6\hat{i} - 8\hat{j} - \frac{15}{2}\hat{k}$, and makes an acute angle with the positive direction of z-axis, then the vector \vec{a} is equal to

A. $24\hat{i} - 32\hat{j} + 30\hat{k}$

B. $-24\hat{i} + 32\hat{j} + 30\hat{k}$

C. $16\hat{i} - 16\hat{j} - 15\hat{k}$

D. $-12\hat{i} + 16\hat{j} - 30\hat{k}$

Answer: B



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7. A unit vector perpendicular to the two vectors $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}$ and $2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ is equal to

A. $35(5\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - \hat{k})$

B. $\sqrt{35}(5\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - \hat{k})$

C. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{35}}(5\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - \hat{k})$

D. $\frac{1}{35}(5\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k})$

Answer: C



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8. If $\vec{p} = \vec{a} - \vec{b}$, $\vec{q} = \vec{a} + \vec{b}$ and $|\vec{a}| = |\vec{b}| = 2$, then the value of $|\vec{p} \times \vec{q}|$ is equal to

A. $2\sqrt{16 - \left(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}\right)^2}$

B. $\sqrt{16 - \left(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}\right)^2}$

C. $2\sqrt{4 - \left(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}\right)^2}$

D. $\sqrt{4 - \left(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}\right)^2}$

Answer: A



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9. Forces of magnitude 3 and 2 units acting in the directions $5\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$ and $3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$ respectively act on a particle which is displaced from the point (1, 1, -1) to (3, 3, 1). The work done by the forces is equal to

A. $80\sqrt{2}$ units

B. $40\sqrt{2}$ units

C. $16\sqrt{2}$ units

D. $8\sqrt{2}$ units

Answer: D



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10. If A , B , C , D are four points in a straight line such that distance from A to B is 10 , B to C is 5 , C to D is 4 and A to D is 1 , then their correct sequence is

A. $A - B - C - D$

B. $C - D - A - B$

C. $A - D - C - B$

D. $C - B - A - D$

Answer: C



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11. The modulus and principal argument of the complex

number $\frac{1 + 2i}{1 - (1 - i)^2}$ are , respectively

A. $1, \pi$

B. $1, -\pi$

C. $1/2, \pi$

D. 1, 0.

Answer: D



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12. If ω is a complex cube root of unity , then the value of

$$\omega^{99} + \omega^{100} + \omega^{101} \text{ is}$$

A. 1

B. -1

C. 3

D. 0

Answer: D



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13. If $S_n = nP + \frac{n(n-1)}{2} Q$ where S_n denotes the sum of the first n terms of an A.P. , then the common difference is

A. $P + Q$

B. $2P + 3Q$

C. $2Q$

D. Q

Answer: D



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14. If $x > 1, y > 1, z > 1$ are in G.P. , then

$\frac{1}{1 + \log x}, \frac{1}{1 + \log y}$ and $\frac{1}{1 + \log z}$ are in

A. A.P.

B. H.P.

C. G.P.

D. none of these

Answer: B



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15. The roots of the equation

$(q - r)x^2 + (r - p)x + (p - q) = 0$ are

A. $\frac{r - p}{q - r}, \frac{1}{2}$

B. $\frac{p - q}{q - r}, 1$

C. $\frac{q - r}{p - q}, 1$

D. $\frac{r - p}{p - q}, \frac{1}{2}$

Answer: B



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16. If the equation $(x + m)^2 - (x + n)^2 = (m - n)^2$ where m, n are non-zero constants and $m^2 \neq n^2$, satisfied by $x = pm + pn$, then the ordered pair (p, q) is equal to

A. (0 , -1)

B. (-1 , 0)

C. (1 , 0)

D. (0, 1)

Answer: A



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17. If a man and his wife enter a bus , in which five seats are vacant , then the number of different ways in which they can be seated is

A. 2

B. 5

C. 20

D. 40

Answer: C



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18. The expansion of $(1 + 2x)^{-1/2}$, by binomial theorem, is valid when

A. $x > 1/2$

B. $x < 1/2$

C. $-1/2 < x < 12$

D. $-2 < x < 2$.

Answer: C



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19. If

$$(1 + x + x^2)^n = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{2n}x^{2n},$$

then $a_0 + a_2 + a_4 + \dots + a_{2n}$ equals

A. $\frac{3^n + 1}{2}$

B. $\frac{3^n - 1}{2}$

C. $\frac{1 - 3^n}{2}$

D. $3^n + \frac{1}{2}$

Answer: A



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20. If $\log_4 7 = x$, then $\log_7 16$ is equal to

A. $2/x$

B. x^2

C. x

D. $2x$

Answer: A



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21. The matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 & 1 \\ 1 & 9 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ is of order

A. 3×2

B. 2×3

C. 6×9

D. 2×1

Answer: B



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22. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ x & -4 \end{bmatrix}$ and $A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 7 \\ 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

, then the value of x must be

A. 6

B. 1

C. 0

D. -1 .

Answer: B



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23. If α, β are the roots of the equation $1 + x + x^2 = 0$

, then the matrix product $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \beta \\ \alpha & \alpha \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ 1 & \beta \end{bmatrix}$ is equal to

A. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

B. $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

C. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

D. $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

Answer: B



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24. If the determinant $\begin{vmatrix} x & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & x & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 0$, then x is equal to

A. 2 or -2

B. 3 or -3

C. 1 or -1

D. 3 or 4

Answer: C



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25. The value of the determinant

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x + z \\ 1 & y & z + x \\ 1 & z & x + y \end{vmatrix} \text{ is}$$

A. x

B. y

C. z

D. 0

Answer: D



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26. If the matrix B be the adjoint of the square matrix A , I be the identify matrix of the same order as A , and $k(\neq 0)$ be the value of the determinant of A , then AB is equal to

A. I

B. KI

C. k^2I

D. $(1/k)I$.

Answer: B

27. If the system of equation :
 $x + y + z = 0$, $2x + 3y + 4z = 0$, $kx + y - z = 0$ has
a non - zero solution , then the value of k is

A. -1

B. 1

C. 3

D. 5

Answer: C



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28. The value of $\sin 10^\circ + \sin 20^\circ + \sin 30^\circ + \dots + \sin 360^\circ$ is equal to

A. 0

B. $1/2$

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: A



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29. If $A + B + C = 3\pi/2$, then the value of $\cos 2A + \cos 2B + \cos 2C$ is equal to

A. $1 - 4 \cos A \cdot \cos B \cdot \cos C$

B. $4 \sin A \cdot \sin B \cdot \sin C$

C. $1 + 2 \cos A \cdot \cos B \cdot \cos C$

D. $1 - 4 \sin A \cdot \sin B \cdot \sin C$

Answer: D



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30. If $\frac{\sin(x + y)}{\sin(x - y)} = \frac{a + b}{a - b}$, then the value of $\frac{\tan x}{\tan y}$ is

A. a/b

B. b/a

C. ab

D. $(a - b) / (a + b)$

Answer: A



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31. The value of $\frac{\sin^2 3A}{\sin^2 A} - \frac{\cos^2 3A}{\cos^2 A}$ is equal to

A. $\cos 2A$

B. $8 \cos 2A$

C. $\frac{1}{8 \cos 2A}$

D. $\frac{\cos 2A}{8}$

Answer: B



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32. If $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2a}{1+a^2}\right) + \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2b}{1+b^2}\right) = 2 \tan^{-1} x$

, then x is equal to

A. $\frac{a-b}{1+ab}$

B. $\frac{b}{1+ab}$

C. $\frac{b}{1-ab}$

D. $\frac{a+b}{1-ab}$

Answer: D



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33. If in a ΔABC $a + c = 2b$, then the value of

$\cot \frac{A}{2} \cdot \cot \frac{B}{2}$ is equal to

A. 4.5

B. 3

C. 1.5

D. 1

Answer: B



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34. A flag-staff 6 metre high is placed on the top of a tower . The flag-staff casts a shadow , which is $2\sqrt{3}$ metre long when measured along the ground . The angle , in degrees , that the sun-rays make with the ground is

A. 60°

B. 45°

C. 30°

D. 15°

Answer: A



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35. The equation $ax + by + c = 0$ represents a straight line

A. for all real numbers a, b, c

B. only when $a \neq 0$

C. only when $b \neq 0$

D. only when at least one of a and b is non-zero

Answer: D



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36. The equation of the line passing through $(-1, -2)$ and having a slope of $4/7$ is

A. $7y + 10 = 4x$

B. $y = \frac{4}{7}x + \frac{10}{7}$

C. $x = \frac{4}{7}y + \frac{10}{7}$

D. $4x + 7y = 10.$

Answer: A



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37. The angle between the lines $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = a$
and $x \sin \beta - y \cos \alpha = a$ is

A. $\beta - \alpha$

B. $\pi + \beta - \alpha$

C. $\frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha + \beta$

D. $\frac{\pi}{2} - \beta + \alpha.$

Answer: D



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38. The co-ordinates of the centre and the radius of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 36 = 0$, are , respectively given by

A. $(-4, 6)$ and 6

B. $(4, -6)$ and 7

C. $(2, -3)$ and 6

D. (-2 , 3) and 7

Answer: D



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39. The equation $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ represents a circle of non-zero radius if

A. $g^2 + f^2 > c$

B. $g^2 + f^2 < c$

C. $g^2 > f^2 + c$

D. $g^2 < f^2 + c$

Answer: A



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40. The length of the latus rectum of the ellipse

$$25x^2 + 4y^2 = 100, \text{ is}$$

A. $25/2$

B. $16/5$

C. $8/5$

D. $5/8$

Answer: C



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41. The standard equation of the hyperbola having the distance between foci as 32 and eccentricity $2\sqrt{2}$ is

A. $7x^2 - y^2 = 56$

B. $x^2 - 7y^2 = 56$

C. $7x^2 - y^2 = 224$

D. $x^2 - 7y^2 = 224$

Answer: C



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42. Find the eccentricity of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

A. $7/16$

B. $9/16$

C. $\sqrt{7}/3$

D. $\sqrt{7}/4$

Answer: D



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43. If the angle between the lines whose direction ratios are $2, -1, 2$ and $x, 3, 5$ is $\pi/4$, then the smallest value of x is

A. 52

B. 4

C. 2

D. 1

Answer: C



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44. The point of intersection of the lines

$$\frac{x + 1}{3} = \frac{y + 3}{5} = \frac{z + 5}{7} \quad \text{and}$$
$$\frac{x - 2}{1} = \frac{y - 4}{3} = \frac{z - 6}{5} \quad \text{is}$$

A. $(1/2, 1/2, -3/2)$

B. $(-1/2, -1/2, 3/2)$

C. $(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2})$

D. $(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2})$

Answer: C



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45. The point of intersection of the line joining the points $(-3, 4, -8)$ and $(5, -6, 4)$ with XY- plane is

A. $(\frac{7}{3}, -\frac{8}{3}, 0)$

B. $(-\frac{7}{3}, -\frac{8}{3}, 0)$

C. $(-\frac{7}{3}, \frac{8}{3}, 0)$

D. $(\frac{7}{3}, \frac{8}{3}, 0)$

Answer: A



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46. If a real valued function of a real variable is defined as $f(x) = \cos^{-1}(3x - 1)$, then the domain of the function f , is given by

A. $\left\{ x : 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{3} \right\}$

B. $\{ x : 1 \leq x \leq 2 \}$

C. $\left\{ x : 0 \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3} \right\}$

D. $\left\{ x : 0 \leq x \leq \frac{3}{2} \right\}$

Answer: C



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47. If $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $Y = \{0, 1\}$ and $f: X \rightarrow Y$ defined by $f = \{(1, 1), (2, 1), (3, 0)\}$, then f is

- A. one-to-one but onto
- B. onto but not one-to-one
- C. one-to-one and onto
- D. neither one-to-one nor into.

Answer: B



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48. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x+6}{x+1} \right)^{x+4}$, is equal to

A. 5

B. e

C. e^5

D. $1/e^5$

Answer: C



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49. If the function .

$$f(x) = 4 \times 5^x \text{ for } x < 0$$

$= 8a + x$ for $x \geq 0$, is continuous, then the value of a is

A. $1/2$

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: A



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50. If $f(a) = 2$, $f'(a) = 1$, $g(a) = -1$, $g'(a) = 2$,

then $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{g(x) \cdot f(a) - g(a) \cdot f(x)}{x - a}$ is equal to

A. -5

B. 0

C. $1/5$

D. 5

Answer: D



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51. The derivative of $\tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}-1}{x} \right]$ with

respect to $\tan^{-1} x$ is

A. $1/4$

B. $1/3$

C. $1/2$

D. 1

Answer: C



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52. The value of dy/dx , when $\cos x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+t^2}}$ and $\sin y = \frac{t}{\sqrt{1+t^2}}$ is

A. -2

B. -1

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: C



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53. If $y = a \cos 2x + b \sin 2x$, then

A. $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = 0$

B. $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2y = 0$

C. $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 3y = 0$

D. $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4y = 0$

Answer: D



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54. If $l_1 = \frac{d}{dx}(e^{\sin x})$, $l_2 = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\sin(x+h)} - e^{\sin x}}{h}$
and $l_3 = \int e^{\sin x} \cdot \cos x dx$, then

A. $l_1 \neq l_2$

B. $\frac{d}{dx}(l_3) = l_2$

C. $\int l_3 dx = l_2$

D. $l_2 = l_3$.

Answer: B



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55. The value of the integral $\int e^{\tan^{-1} x} \cdot \frac{(1+x+x^2)}{(1+x^2)}$

dx is equal to

A. $e^{\tan^{-1} x} + c$

B. $x^2 e^{\tan^{-1} x} + c$

C. $(1+x)e^{\tan^{-1} x} + c$

D. $x e^{\tan^{-1} x} + c$

Answer: D



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56. The value of the integral $\int \frac{dx}{x(1+\log x)^2}$ is equal to

A. $\frac{-1}{1+x}$

B. $\frac{-1}{1+\log x}$

C. $\frac{1}{1+\log x}$

D. $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$

Answer: B



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57. If the binary operation $*$ is defined on a set of ordered pairs of real numbers as

$(a, b) * (c, d) = (ad + bc, bd)$ and is associative, then

$(1, 2) * (3, 5) * (3, 4) =$

A. (74 , 40)

B. (32 , 40)

C. (23 , 11)

D. (7 , 11)

Answer: A



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58. The set of matrices $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x & -x \\ -x & x \end{bmatrix} \mid 0 \neq x \in R \right\}$

forms a group under multiplication operation with

identify element

A. $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

B. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

C. $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

D. $\begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & -1/2 \\ -1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$

Answer: D



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59. Let p and q denote the following propositions : p : To become an army officer you should be a graduate q : To become an army officer you should have good health .

Then the compound proposition "To become an army officer you should be a graduate and you should have good health " is represented as

A. $p \vee q$

B. $p \rightarrow q$

C. $p \wedge q$

D. $p \Leftrightarrow q$

Answer: C



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60. Indicate which of the following is a tautology .

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

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

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

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

Answer: D



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