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Test Booklet No.

MATHEMATICS

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IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

- (i) The question paper is in the form of Test-Booklet containing **50 (Fifty)** questions. All questions are compulsory. Each question carries four answers marked (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which only one is correct.
- (ii) On receipt of the Test-Booklet (Question Paper), the candidate should immediately check it and ensure that it contains all the pages, i.e., **50** questions. Discrepancy, if any, should be reported by the candidate to the invigilator immediately after receiving the Test-Booklet.
- (iii) A separate Answer-Sheet is provided with the Test-Booklet/Question Paper. On this sheet there are **50** rows containing four circles each. One row pertains to one question.
- (iv) The candidate should write his/her Application number at the places provided on the cover page of the Test-Booklet/Question Paper and on the Answer-Sheet and **NOWHERE ELSE**.
- (v) No second Test-Booklet/Question Paper and Answer-Sheet will be given to a candidate. The candidates are advised to be careful in handling it and writing the answer on the Answer-Sheet.
- (vi) For every correct answer of the question **One (1) mark will be awarded**. For every unattempted question, Zero (0) mark shall be awarded. **There is no Negative Marking**.
- (vii) Marking shall be done only on the basis of answers responded on the Answer-Sheet.
- (viii) To mark the answer on the Answer-Sheet, candidate should **darken** the appropriate circle in the row of each question with Blue or Black pen.
- (ix) For each question only **one** circle should be **darkened** as a mark of the answer adopted by the candidate. If more than one circle for the question are found darkened or with one black circle any other circle carries any mark, the question will be treated as cancelled.
- (x) The candidates should not remove any paper from the Test-Booklet/Question Paper. Attempting to remove any paper shall be liable to be punished for use of unfair means.
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- (xiii) No candidate shall be permitted to leave the examination hall before the expiry of the time.

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1. Which of the following series is not convergent?
- (A) $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3 \log n}$
- (B) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n} + \sqrt{n+1}}$
- (C) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{n^3}{n+1}$
- (D) None of these
2. The infimum and the supremum of the set $\left\{ \frac{(-1)^n}{n} : n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}$ are respectively
- (A) $1, -\frac{1}{2}$
- (B) $-1, 0$
- (C) $-1, \frac{1}{2}$
- (D) None of these
3. Which of the following statement is false?
- (A) $f(x) = \sin x$ is not uniformly continuous on $(0, \infty)$
- (B) $f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 2$ is uniformly continuous on $[1, 2]$
- (C) $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ is not uniformly continuous on $(0, 1]$
- (D) None of these
4. Every bounded sequence has at least one limit point. This represents
- (A) Archimedean Property
- (B) Heine-Borel Theorem
- (C) Bolzano-Weierstrass theorem
- (D) Denseness Property
5. Lagrange's mean value theorem is not applicable to the function
- (A) $f(x) = e^x$ in $[0, 1]$
- (B) $f(x) = |x+2|$ in $[-3, 4]$
- (C) $f(x) = \cos x$ in $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$
- (D) $f(x) = x - 2 \sin x$ in $[-\pi, \pi]$
6. Consider the following improper integrals $I = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx$ and $J = \int_1^{\infty} \frac{x^3}{(1+x)^5} dx$, then
- (A) Both I and J are divergent
- (B) I converges but not J
- (C) J converges but not I
- (D) Both I and J are convergent

7. The directional derivative of the function $f(x, y, z) = xy^2 + yz^3$ at the point $(2, -1, 1)$ in the direction of $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ is

- (A) $\frac{-13}{3}$
- (B) $\frac{-11}{3}$
- (C) $\frac{-10}{3}$
- (D) $\frac{-7}{3}$

8. Which of the following spaces is not compact?

- (A) Any closed interval with the usual metric
- (B) The discrete space (X, d) , Where X is a finite set
- (C) The space (\mathbb{R}, d) , Where \mathbb{R} is the set of reals and d is the usual metric
- (D) None of these

9. The value of k for which the vector $u = (1, k, 5)$ in $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ can be expressed as a linear combination of vectors $v = (1, -3, 2)$ and $w = (2, -1, 1)$ is given by :

- (A) 3
- (B) -8
- (C) -2
- (D) 4

10. The matrix representing the linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $T(x_1, x_2) = (2x_2, 3x_1 - x_2)$ relative to the basis $\{(1, 3), (2, 5)\}$ is

(A) $\begin{bmatrix} 30 & 48 \\ -18 & -29 \end{bmatrix}$

(B) $\begin{bmatrix} 30 & 48 \\ 18 & 29 \end{bmatrix}$

(C) $\begin{bmatrix} -30 & 48 \\ 18 & -29 \end{bmatrix}$

(D) $\begin{bmatrix} -30 & -48 \\ 18 & 29 \end{bmatrix}$

11. Consider the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$, then

- (A) All real-eigen values of the matrix A are positive
- (B) All real eigen-values of the matrix A are negative
- (C) The matrix A has both positive and negative real eigen-values
- (D) The matrix A has no real eigen-values

12. The quadratic form corresponding to

symmetric matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 9 & 3 & -3 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 \\ -3 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ is

- (A) $9x^2 - 2y^2 + 2z^2 - 6xy - 6xz - 8yz$
 (B) $9x^2 + 2y^2 - 2z^2 + 6xy + 6xz + 8yz$
 (C) $9x^2 + 2y^2 + 2z^2 + 6xy - 6xz - 8yz$
 (D) $9x^2 - 2y^2 - 2z^2 + 6xy + 6xz - 8yz$

13. Let $f(x)$ be a minimal polynomial of the

4×4 matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Then the rank of the 4×4 matrix $f(A)$ is

- (A) 0
 (B) 1
 (C) 2
 (D) 4

14. The radius of convergence of the power

series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(|n|)^2}{|2n|} z^n$ is

- (A) 2
 (B) 3
 (C) 4
 (D) 5

15. The harmonic conjugate (v) of the harmonic function $u = y^3 - 3x^2y$ is

- (A) $v = -3x^2y + x^3 + c$
 (B) $v = -3xy^2 + x^3 + c$
 (C) $v = 3xy^2 - x^2 + c$
 (D) $v = 3x^2y - x^2 + c$

16. The value of the integral $\int_C \frac{\sin z}{\left(z - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^3} dz$,

where C is $\left|z - \frac{\pi}{4}\right| = \frac{1}{2}$, is equal to

- (A) $2\pi i$
 (B) 0
 (C) $\frac{-\pi i}{\sqrt{2}}$
 (D) $\sqrt{2}\pi i$

17. The residue of the function $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z^2 + 1)^3}$ at $z = i$ is

- (A) $\frac{3}{2i}$
 (B) $\frac{3}{16i}$
 (C) $\frac{4}{3i}$
 (D) $\frac{4}{7i}$

18. The coefficient of $\frac{1}{z}$ in the Laurent series expansion of the function $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2(1-z)}$ about $z = 0$ is
- (A) 0
 (B) 1
 (C) -1
 (D) -2
19. In a survey of 200 musicians, it was found that 40 wore gloves on the left hand and 39 wore gloves on the right hand. If 160 wore no gloves at all, then how many wore a glove only on the right hand?
- (A) 5
 (B) 3
 (C) 1
 (D) 0
20. The congruence $35x \equiv 14 \pmod{21}$ has
- (A) No solution
 (B) 5 solutions
 (C) 6 solutions
 (D) 7 solutions
21. Which of the following groups is not simple?
- (A) Group of order 30
 (B) Group of order 36
 (C) Group of order 40
 (D) All of the above
22. Which of the following statement is not correct?
- (A) $\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle$ is a prime ideal of $Z_2[x]$
 (B) The polynomial $x^2 + x + 4$ is irreducible over the field of integers modulo 11
 (C) $Z[\sqrt{-5}] = \{a + b\sqrt{-5} : a, b \in Z\}$ is an integral domain but not a unique factorization domain
 (D) None of these
23. The degree of splitting field of $x^4 - x^2 - 2$ over the field Q of rational numbers, is
- (A) 2
 (B) 3
 (C) 4
 (D) 6
24. Which of the following statement is true?
- (A) A closed subspace of a normal space is normal
 (B) Every locally compact Hausdorff space is regular
 (C) Every regular Lindelof space is normal
 (D) All of these

25. Let X and Y be two topological spaces and let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a continuous function. Then
- (A) $f(K)$ is connected if $K \subset X$ is connected
- (B) $f^{-1}(K)$ is connected if $K \subset Y$ is connected
- (C) $f^{-1}(K)$ is compact if $K \subset Y$ is compact
- (D) None of these
26. Using method of variation of parameters, the solution of the differential equation $y'' - 6y' + 9y = \frac{e^{3x}}{x^2}$ is
- (A) $y = (C_1 + C_2x)e^{3x} - e^{3x}(\log x + 1)$
- (B) $y = (C_1 + C_2x)e^{3x} + e^{3x}(\log x + 1)$
- (C) $y = (C_1 + C_2x)e^{3x} - e^{3x}(\log x - 1)$
- (D) None of these
27. Green's function for the boundary value problem $\frac{d^2u}{dx^2} = 0, u(0) = u'(1)$ and $u'(0) = u(1)$ is given by
- (A) $G(x, \xi) = (2 - \xi)x - \xi, \xi < x \leq 1$
- (B) $G(x, \xi) = (1 - \xi)x + 1, \xi < x \leq 1$
- (C) $G(x, \xi) = (1 - \xi)x + \xi, \xi < x \leq 1$
- (D) None of these
28. The critical point $(0, 0)$ of the system $x'(t) = x - y; y'(t) = x + 5y$ is a
- (A) Stable spiral point
- (B) Stable centre point
- (C) Unstable saddle point
- (D) Unstable node point
29. Which of the following is true?
- (A) All the eigen-values of a Sturm-Liouville BVP are always natural numbers
- (B) All the eigen-values of a Sturm-Liouville BVP are always real
- (C) All the eigen-values of a Sturm-Liouville BVP are always in the pair of complex conjugate
- (D) None of these
30. The solution of partial differential equation $y^2p - xyq = x(z - 2y)$ is
- (A) $\phi(x + y, yz - y^2) = 0$
- (B) $\phi(x^2 - y^2, z + y^2) = 0$
- (C) $\phi(x^2 + y^2, yz - y^2) = 0$
- (D) None of these

31. The partial differential equation

$$y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - 3u = 0$$

is

- (A) Parabolic
- (B) Elliptic
- (C) Hyperbolic
- (D) None of these

32. The integral surface for the Cauchy problem

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 1 \text{ which passes through the circle}$$

$$z = 0, x^2 + y^2 = 1 \text{ is}$$

- (A) $x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2 + 2zx - 2yz + 1 = 0$
- (B) $x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2 - 2zx - 2yz - 1 = 0$
- (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2 + 2zx + 2yz - 1 = 0$
- (D) None of these

33. Using Bisection method, a root of equation

$$x^3 - x^2 - 1 = 0 \text{ is}$$

- (A) 3.136
- (B) 2.432
- (C) 4.053
- (D) 1.46

34. The value of a function $f(x)$ at 5 discrete points is given below :

$x :$	0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4
$f(x) :$	0	10	40	90	160

Using Trapezoidal rule, the value of

$$\int_0^{0.4} f(x) dx \text{ is given by}$$

- (A) 10.8
- (B) 22.0
- (C) 38.5
- (D) 42.5

35. Given $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 - 2xy$ with $y(0) = 0$. Then

using Euler's method, the value of $y(0.6)$ by taking step size $h = 0.2$ is

- (A) 3.1686
- (B) 2.1278
- (C) 1.4311
- (D) 0.5225

36. The Euler's equation corresponding to the

functional $\int_0^{\pi} (y'^2 - y^2 + 4y \cos x) dx$ subject to $y(0) = 0, y(\pi) = 0$ is

- (A) $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + y = 2 \cos x$
- (B) $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + y = 2 \sin x$
- (C) $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - y = 2 \cos x$
- (D) None of these

37. The extremal of the functional $I[y(x)] = \int_1^2 (y'^2 - 2xy) dx$ subject to $y(1) = 0, y(2) = -1$
- (A) $y = x^2 - 1$
- (B) $y = \frac{1}{6}x(1 - x^2)$
- (C) $y = \frac{1}{6}x(7 - x^2)$
- (D) None of these
38. The solution of the linear integral equation $\phi(x) = (1+x)^2 + \int_{-1}^1 (x\xi + x^2\xi^2)\phi(\xi)d\xi$, is
- (A) $\phi(x) = 1 + 6x + \frac{25}{9}x^2$
- (B) $\phi(x) = 1 - 6x + \frac{5}{9}x^2$
- (C) $\phi(x) = 1 + 3x - \frac{25}{9}x^2$
- (D) None of these
39. Hamiltonian H is defined as (where L is Lagrangian)
- (A) $H = \sum q_i p_i^\bullet + L$
- (B) $H = \sum p_i^\bullet q_i - L$
- (C) $H = \sum p_i q_i^\bullet - L$
- (D) $H = \sum p_i^\bullet q_i^\bullet - L$
40. Let T and V be the kinetic and potential energy of mechanical system, respectively, then the integral $\int_{t_1}^{t_2} (T - V) dt$ has a stationary value. This principle is known as
- (A) Hamilton's principle
- (B) D' Alembert principle
- (C) Principle of least action
- (D) None of these
41. The value of λ for which the function $f(x)$ is a valid probability density function, where
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} \lambda(x-1)(2-x), & \text{for } 1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
- is given by
- (A) 5
- (B) 6
- (C) 7
- (D) 1
42. For a certain normal distribution, the first moment about 10 is 40 and the fourth moment about 50 is 48. Then the mean and standard deviation of the distribution respectively are :
- (A) 50, 2
- (B) 40, 4
- (C) 30, 4
- (D) 48, 2

43. The moment generating function of Chi-square distribution with n degrees of freedom is
- (A) $(1-2it)^{n/2}$
- (B) $(1+2t)^{n/2}$
- (C) $(1-t)^{-n}$
- (D) $(1-2t)^{\frac{-n}{2}}$
44. Any consistent solution of the likelihood equation provides a maximum of the likelihood with
- (A) Probability tending to unity as the sample size (n) tends to infinity
- (B) Probability tending to infinity as the sample size (n) tends to infinity
- (C) Probability tending to zero as the sample size (n) tends to infinity
- (D) None of these
45. The mean time to failure (MTTF) for an exponential distribution with parameter θ is
- (A) θ^2
- (B) θ
- (C) $\frac{1}{\theta}$
- (D) $\frac{1}{\theta^2}$
46. The total number of decision variables in the objective function of an assignment problem of size $n \times n$ (n jobs and n machines) is
- (A) n^2
- (B) n
- (C) $2n$
- (D) $2n - 1$
47. Suppose that the probability of a dry day following a rainy day is $\frac{2}{3}$ and that the probability of rainy day following a dry day is $\frac{1}{2}$. Given that January 19 is a dry day, what is the probability that January 21 will be a dry day?
- (A) $\frac{5}{12}$
- (B) $\frac{7}{12}$
- (C) $\frac{7}{18}$
- (D) $\frac{11}{18}$
48. The minimum value of $z = 20x + 10y$ subject to the constraints : $x + 2y \leq 40$; $3x + y \geq 30$; $4x + 3y \geq 60$; $x, y \geq 0$ is
- (A) 272
- (B) 215
- (C) 240
- (D) 286

49. Let $X(t)$ be the number of customers in an $M/M/1$ queuing system with arrival rate $\lambda > 0$ and service rate $\mu > 0$. The process $X(t)$ is a
- (A) Poisson process with rate $\lambda - \mu$
 - (B) Birth and death process with birth rate λ and death rate μ
 - (C) Pure birth process with birth rate $\lambda - \mu$
 - (D) Birth and death process with birth rate $\frac{1}{\lambda}$ and death rate $\frac{1}{\mu}$
50. If Tchebycheff's inequality for a random variable X with mean 12 is $P\{6 < X < 18\} \geq \frac{3}{4}$, then the standard deviation of X is
- (A) 4
 - (B) 8
 - (C) 2
 - (D) 3

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