

MOCK TEST - 1
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Solutions

1.Ans(3). Here $a = 2n$ or $a = 2n + 1$.

$\therefore a^2 = 4n^2$ (this is divisible by 4) or $a^2 = (2n + 1)^2 = 4n^2 + 4n + 1$.
 (This leaves the remainder 1 when divided by 4)

2.Ans(3). By property, x and y are relatively prime.

3.Ans(1). $180 = 2^2 3^2 5^1$. \therefore the sum of all the positive divisors of 180 excluding 1 and itself is $= \frac{2^3 - 1}{2 - 1} \cdot \frac{3^3 - 1}{3 - 1} \cdot \frac{5^2 - 1}{5 - 1} - 181 = 7.13.6 - 181 = 365$

4.Ans(4). The given determinant $= \begin{vmatrix} \sin(\pi) & \sin B & \cos z \\ -\sin B & 0 & \tan A \\ \cos(\pi - z) & -\tan A & 0 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & \sin B & \cos z \\ -\sin B & 0 & \tan A \\ -\cos z & -\tan A & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

\therefore the corresponding matrix is skew-symmetric.

5.Ans(2). Determinant of the matrix of the cofactors is same as the determinant of the adjoint of the matrix, which is equal to $11^2 = 121$. ($\because |adj A| = |A|^{n-1}$)

6.Ans(1). $adj(A^{-1}) = (adj A)^{-1} = \frac{A}{|A|}$. Now,

$$|A| = 1.(9 + 2) + 1.(6 - 1) + 2.(-4 - 3) = 11 + 5 - 14 = 2.$$

$$\therefore (adj A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}A.$$

7.Ans(3). Since the matrix is triangular the diagonal elements are the Eigen values. By the given condition, $x - a = x - c = x - f$. $\therefore a = c = f$.

8. Ans(2). $|\vec{a} + \vec{b}|^2 = |\vec{a}|^2 + |\vec{b}|^2 + 2|\vec{a}||\vec{b}|\cos \theta = 1 + 1 + 2\cos \theta$
 $= 2(1 + \cos \theta) = 2.2\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \therefore |\vec{a} + \vec{b}| = 2\cos \frac{\theta}{2}$.

This is less than one if $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} < \frac{1}{2}$.

This is when $\pi/3 < \theta/2 < \pi/2 \Rightarrow 2\pi/3 < \theta/2 < \pi$.

9. Ans(4). Magnitudes of the vectors are $\sqrt{49 + 121 + 1} = \sqrt{171}$,

$$\sqrt{25 + 9 + 4} = \sqrt{38} \text{ and } \sqrt{144 + 64 + 1} = \sqrt{209}.$$

Here $171 + 38 = 209$.

10. Ans(2). $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} - \vec{a} \times \vec{c} = \vec{c} \times \vec{d} - \vec{b} \times \vec{d}$
 $\Rightarrow \vec{a} \times (\vec{b} - \vec{c}) = (\vec{c} - \vec{b}) \times \vec{d}$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow \vec{a} \times (\vec{b} - \vec{c}) - (\vec{c} - \vec{b}) \times \vec{d} = \vec{o} \\ &\Rightarrow \vec{a} \times (\vec{b} - \vec{c}) - \vec{d} \times (\vec{b} - \vec{c}) = \vec{o} \\ &\Rightarrow (\vec{a} - \vec{d}) \times (\vec{b} - \vec{c}) = \vec{o} \\ &\Rightarrow \vec{a} - \vec{d} \text{ is parallel to } \vec{b} - \vec{c}. \end{aligned}$$

11. Ans(1). Observe that $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} + \vec{c}) + \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} + \vec{a}) + \vec{c} \times (\vec{a} + \vec{b})$
 $= (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) + (\vec{a} \times \vec{c}) + (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) + (\vec{b} \times \vec{a}) + (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) + (\vec{c} \times \vec{b}) = \vec{o}$.
 \therefore the value of the determinant corresponding to the given scalar triple product is zero.

12. Ans(4). 'Addition' is a binary operation on \mathbb{N} . Under $+$, \mathbb{N} has no identity element

Under this operation, \mathbb{G} is an abelian group. 'subtraction' is a binary operation on the set \mathbb{Z} . But $a - (b - c) \neq (a - b) - c$.

The operation $*$ defined on \mathbb{N} by $a * b = a^b + b^a$ is both binary and commutative. But this is not associative (verify this).

If $*$ is a binary operation defined on the singleton set $\mathbb{G} = \{a\}$ then $a * a = a$.

13. Ans(4). $2^{n^2} = 2^{2^2} = 16$.

14. Ans(2). Here identity is 3. \therefore inverse of 3 is 3 itself.

15. Ans (1). $\sqrt{1 + \sin x} = \sqrt{\cos^2 \frac{x}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} + 2 \cdot \sin \frac{x}{2} \cdot \cos \frac{x}{2}}$
 $= \sqrt{\left(\cos \frac{x}{2} + \sin \frac{x}{2}\right)^2} = \cos \frac{x}{2} + \sin \frac{x}{2}$.

Similarly $\sqrt{1 - \sin x} = \cos \frac{x}{2} - \sin \frac{x}{2}$.

(Since $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ we have, $\cos \frac{x}{2} > \sin \frac{x}{2}$).

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \cot^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{1 + \sin x} + \sqrt{1 - \sin x}}{\sqrt{1 + \sin x} - \sqrt{1 - \sin x}} \right\} &= \cot^{-1} \frac{\cos \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + \sin \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + \cos \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - \sin \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{\cos \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + \sin \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - \left(\cos \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - \sin \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right)} \\ &= \cot^{-1} \cot \frac{x}{2} = \frac{x}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

16. Ans (3). By definition, $-1 \leq x - 1 \leq 1$. $\therefore 0 \leq x \leq 2$.

17. Ans(1). The given equation is $\frac{1 + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} + \frac{1 - \tan \theta}{1 + \tan \theta} = 4$
 $\Rightarrow (1 + \tan \theta)^2 + (1 - \tan \theta)^2 = 4(1 + \tan \theta)(1 - \tan \theta)$
 $\Rightarrow 2(1 + \tan^2 \theta) = 4(1 - \tan^2 \theta)$
 $\Rightarrow 3 \cdot \tan^2 \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \tan \theta = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$.

18. Ans(2). $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ and $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}} + i \frac{1}{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}} \right)^{10} &= (\cos 75^\circ + i \sin 75^\circ)^{10} = \cos 750^\circ + i \sin 750^\circ \\ &= \cos 30^\circ + i \sin 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + i \frac{1}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

$$19.\text{Ans}(4). \frac{(\sqrt{3} + i)^{4n+1}}{(1 - i\sqrt{3})^{4n}} = \frac{(\sqrt{3} + i)^{4n} (\sqrt{3} + i)}{(1 - i\sqrt{3})^{4n}} = \frac{(i(1 - i\sqrt{3}))^{4n} (\sqrt{3} + i)}{(1 - i\sqrt{3})^{4n}} = \sqrt{3} + i.$$

$$\therefore \text{argument} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\pi}{6}.$$

$$20.\text{Ans}(3). x^2 + y^2 = \frac{5^2 + 2^2}{7^2 + 1^2} = \frac{29}{50}.$$

21. Ans(1). Let OP and OQ are the tangents drawn from the origin to the given circle (draw a figure). Now, center $C \equiv (7, 1)$ and the radius $CP = 5$.

$$\text{Also } OC = \sqrt{49 + 1} = 5\sqrt{2}.$$

$$\text{If '2A' is the angle between the 2 tangents then } \sin A = \frac{CP}{OC} = \frac{5}{5\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

$$\therefore A = \pi/4 \therefore 2A = \pi/2.$$

22. Ans(2). The circle, $x^2 + y^2 + ax = 0$ has its center on the x-axis and passes through the origin. The circle, $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$, $c > 0$ is centered at the origin. \therefore 2 circles intersect at two points.

$$23.\text{Ans}(3). 16x = 4 - 9 \Rightarrow 16x = 5.$$

24. Ans(4). Length of the perpendicular from the center to the given line,

$$\left| \frac{0 + 0 - 1}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2}} \right| = a \Rightarrow \frac{1}{h^2 + k^2} = a^2 \Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = \frac{1}{a^2}.$$

$$\therefore \text{the locus of } (h, k) \text{ is } x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{a^2}.$$

25. Ans (2). Slope of the normal is $\tan 45^\circ = 1$. \therefore Slope of the tangent is -1 .

$$\therefore \text{the required point is } \left(\frac{a}{m^2}, \frac{2a}{m} \right) \equiv \left(\frac{1}{1}, \frac{2}{-1} \right) \equiv (1, -2).$$

26. Ans (3). Point of intersection of the perpendicular tangents lies on the directrix, $x = -a = -3$. Equation of the tangent having slope $3/2$ is $y = (3/2)x + \frac{3}{3/2}$. By taking $x = -3$ we get, $y = -5/2$.

27. Ans (4). (2, 3). This is by the definition of parametric form of a parabola.

$$28.\text{Ans} (1). 16x^2 + 9y^2 = 144 \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1. \therefore \text{the auxiliary circle is } x^2 + y^2 = 16.$$

$$29.\text{Ans} (4). fog(x) + gof(x) = e^{\log x} + \log(e^x) = x + x = 2x.$$

\therefore the derivative of $fog + gof$ is 2.

$$30.\text{Ans} (3). \sec y = x + y \Rightarrow \sec y \cdot \tan y = \frac{dx}{dy} + 1. \therefore \frac{dt}{dy} = \sec y \cdot \tan y \Rightarrow t = \sec y.$$

$$31.\text{Ans} (2). \text{Let } \sin x = \tan y. \text{ Then } f(x) = \sec^{-1} \left(\frac{1 + \tan^2 y}{1 - \tan^2 y} \right) \\ = \sec^{-1}(\sec 2y) = 2y = 2\tan^{-1}(\sin x). \therefore f'(x) = \frac{2 \cdot \cos x}{1 + \sin^2 x}$$

$$\therefore f' \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \frac{2(1/\sqrt{2})}{1 + (1/2)} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}.$$

$$32.\text{Ans (1). } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{g'}{f'} \therefore \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{f' \cdot g'' - g' \cdot f''}{(f')^2} \cdot \frac{1}{f'}$$

$$33.\text{Ans (4). } xy = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y}{x} \therefore \text{slope of the normal } \frac{x}{y} = -\frac{a}{b}$$

Now $xy = 1 \Rightarrow$ both x and y have the same sign.

$\therefore a > 0, b < 0$ is the correct choice.

$$34.\text{Ans (3). } x^2 + y^2 = 4x \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4 - 2x}{2y} \therefore \text{slope at } (2, 2) \text{ is } = 0. \text{ Here the tangent is parallel to the x-axis.}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 8 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{y} \therefore \text{slope at } (2, 2) \text{ is } = -1.$$

Therefore the angle between the curves is $= \frac{\pi}{4}$ (Draw the figure).

$$\therefore p = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

35.Ans.(1). The perimeter is least when the rectangle is a square.

Area = 100 \Rightarrow length of the side is 10.

Thus the least perimeter is $= 4 \cdot 10 = 40$.

$$36.\text{Ans.(2). } \frac{ds}{dt} = 6t^2 - 18t + 15 \text{ and } \frac{d^2s}{dt^2} = 12t - 18. \text{ Now } 12t - 18 = 0 \Rightarrow t = 3/2.$$

37.Ans.(1). Derivative of $\log(x^2 + 1)$ is $\frac{2x}{x^2 + 1}$.

$$\therefore \int e^x \left\{ \log(x^2 + 1) + \frac{2x}{x^2 + 1} \right\} dx = e^x \cdot \log(x^2 + 1) \therefore (b, c) \equiv (2, 1)$$

$$38.\text{Ans.(4). } \int \sqrt{\frac{\cos x - \cos^3 x}{1 - \cos^3 x}} dx = \int \sqrt{\frac{\cos x \cdot \sin^2 x}{1 - \cos^3 x}} dx = \int \frac{\sqrt{\cos x}}{\sqrt{1 - (\cos^{3/2} x)^2}} \sin x \cdot dx.$$

Put $\cos^{3/2} x = y$. Then $-\frac{3}{2} \cos^{1/2} x \cdot \sin x \cdot dx = dy$.

$$\therefore \text{above integral} = \int \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1 - t^2}} \frac{2}{3} dy = \frac{2}{3} \cdot \cos^{-1} y.$$

$$39.\text{Ans.(2). } \int \cos x \cdot \operatorname{cosec}^2 x dx = \int \cot x \cdot \operatorname{cosec} x \cdot dx = -\operatorname{cosec} x.$$

40.Ans:(3). If $0 < x < \pi$, $y = x \cdot \sin x$ is positive and if $\pi < x < 2\pi$,

$y = x \cdot \sin x$ is negative. \therefore the area of the region

$$= \int_0^\pi x \cdot \sin x dx + \int_\pi^{2\pi} -x \cdot \sin x dx$$

$$= [-x \cdot \cos x + \sin x]_0^\pi - [-x \cdot \cos x + \sin x]_\pi^{2\pi}$$

$$= -\pi \cdot \cos \pi - (-2\pi \cos 2\pi + \pi \cos \pi) = 4\pi.$$

$$41.\text{Ans:(4). } \int_0^{3/2} [x^2] dx = \int_0^1 0 dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} 1 dx + \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{3/2} 2 dx$$

$$= 0 + (\sqrt{2} - 1) + (2(3/2) - 2\sqrt{2}) = 2 - \sqrt{2}.$$

42.Ans:(3). Put $\tan^{-1} x = t$. Then $dx = \sec^2 t \cdot dt$.

Also when $x = 0$, $t = 0$ and when $x = 1$, $t = \pi/4$.

$$\therefore I_1 = \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{t}{\tan t} \sec^2 t \cdot dt = \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{t}{\sin t \cdot \cos t} dt = \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{2t}{\sin 2t} dt.$$

By taking $2t = x$, we get, $2dt = dx$.

Also when $t = 0, x = 0$ and $t = \pi/4, x = \pi/2$.

$$\therefore I_1 = \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{2t}{\sin 2t} dt = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{x}{\sin x} \frac{dx}{2} = I_2.$$

43.Ans:(2). By replacing x by $1 - k + k - x = 1 - x$, we get,

$$I_1 = \int_{1-k}^k (1-x) \cdot f((1-x)x) dx = I_2.$$

44.Ans:(1). $y = \cos bx \Rightarrow \cos^{-1} y = bx \Rightarrow \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-y^2}} y_1 = b.$

By squaring we get, $\frac{y_1^2}{1-y^2} = b^2 = \left(\frac{\cos^{-1} y}{x}\right)^2.$

45.Ans:(4). Put $x + y = v$. Then $1 + \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dv}{dx}.$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(x+y) \Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dx} - 1 = \cos v \Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dx} = 2 \cdot \cos^2 \left(\frac{v}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \left(\frac{v}{2}\right) \cdot dv = dx. \text{ By integrating we get, } \tan \frac{v}{2} = x + c$$

$$\Rightarrow v = 2 \tan^{-1}(x + c) \Rightarrow x + y = 2 \tan^{-1}(x + c).$$

When $x = 0$ and $y = \pi/2$ we get $c = 1$.

Thus the particular solution is $y = 2 \tan^{-1}(x + 1) - x$.

46. Ans(4). n^{th} term $= \frac{2n+1}{n^2(n+1)^2} = \frac{(n+1)^2 - n^2}{n^2(n+1)^2} = \frac{1}{n^2} - \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}.$

The sum to n terms is

$$= \left(\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2}\right) + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{n^2} - \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}\right)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}. \therefore 1 - \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} = \frac{624}{625} = 1 - \frac{1}{625}$$

$$\Rightarrow n + 1 = 25 \Rightarrow n = 24.$$

47. Ans(3). $\log_{100} 5 = \frac{\log_4 5}{\log_4 100} = \frac{k}{\log_4 25 + \log_4 4} = \frac{k}{2 \log_4 5 + 1} = \frac{k}{2k + 1}.$

48.Ans(2). $2[{}^nC_1 + 2\{{}^nC_2 + 2({}^nC_3 + 2(\dots + 2 \cdot {}^nC_n))\}]$

$$= {}^nC_1 \cdot 2 + {}^nC_2 \cdot 2^2 + {}^nC_3 \cdot 2^3 + \dots + {}^nC_n \cdot 2^n$$

$$= (1 + 2)^n - {}^nC_0 = 3^n - 1. \text{ Now } 3^n - 1 = 242 \Rightarrow 3^n = 243 \Rightarrow n = 5.$$

49.Ans(1). $\sim (p \leftrightarrow q) \equiv \sim \{(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)\}$

$$\equiv \sim (p \rightarrow q) \vee \sim (q \rightarrow p)$$

$$\equiv \{(p \wedge \sim q) \vee \sim (q \rightarrow p)\}.$$

50.Ans(2). $f(x)$ is defined only when $|x| - x > 0$.

This is when $|x| > x. \therefore x < 0$.

51.Ans(3). $\sum \frac{\alpha}{\beta\gamma\delta} = \sum \frac{\alpha^2}{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} = \frac{1}{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \cdot ((\sum \alpha)^2 - 2 \sum \alpha\beta) = \frac{1}{5} ((2)^2 - 2 \cdot 3) = \frac{-2}{5}.$

52.Ans(1). Here $D \equiv (a/2, 0)$ and $E \equiv (a/2, b/2)$.

Now slopes of AD and BE are $\frac{-b}{a/2}$ and $\frac{b/2}{a/2}.$

Product of the slopes $= -1 \Rightarrow \frac{-b^2/2}{a^2/4} = -1 \Rightarrow a^2 = 2b^2 \Rightarrow a = \pm\sqrt{2}b.$

53.Ans(1). The lines represented by the given equation are perpendicular (here $a + b = 0$). \therefore diagonals are perpendicular.

54.Ans(2). By squaring and adding the equations we get $x^2 + y^2 = a^2 + b^2$. The point $(2, 3)$ lies on the locus. $\therefore a^2 + b^2 = 2^2 + 3^2 = 13$.

55.Ans(4). $\cos 2\theta + 2\cos \theta = 2\cos^2 \theta - 1 + 2\cos \theta$
 $= 2(\cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta + \frac{1}{4}) - \frac{1}{2} - 1 = 2\left(\cos \theta + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{3}{2}$.

The greatest value is $2\left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{3}{2} = 3$ and least value is $-\frac{3}{2}$.

Since $3 \leq 2\left(\cos \theta + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{3}{2} \leq -\frac{3}{2}$ The expression can be zero or one for some θ .

56.Ans(3). By using the half angle formulae for $\tan\left(\frac{A}{2}\right)$ and $\tan\left(\frac{B}{2}\right)$ we establish that $(s - a) \cdot \tan\left(\frac{A}{2}\right) = (s - b) \cdot \tan\left(\frac{B}{2}\right)$.

57.Ans(2). $\sin 12^\circ \cdot \sin 24^\circ \cdot \sin 48^\circ \cdot \sin 84^\circ$
 $= \frac{1}{\sin 72^\circ \cdot \sin 36^\circ} (\sin 12^\circ \cdot \sin 72^\circ \cdot \sin 48^\circ) \cdot (\sin 24^\circ \cdot \sin 36^\circ \cdot \sin 84^\circ)$
 $= \frac{1}{\sin 72^\circ \cdot \sin 36^\circ} \cdot \frac{1}{4} (\sin 3(12^\circ)) \cdot \frac{1}{4} (\sin 3(24^\circ)) = \frac{1}{16}$.
 (Note : $\sin \theta \cdot \sin(60^\circ + \theta) \cdot \sin(60^\circ - \theta) = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \sin 3\theta$)

58.Ans(3). By using the formula $s = r\theta$ we conclude that $\frac{r_1}{r_2} = \frac{\theta_2}{\theta_3} = \frac{75}{60} = \frac{5}{4}$.

59. Ans(1). $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(x \cdot \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x) \cdot \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)\right)$
 $= 0 \cdot (\text{a real number}) = 0 = f(0)$.

60. Ans(4). $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3^{2x} - 2^{2x}}{x}\right)^2 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3^{2x} - 1 - (2^{2x} - 1)}{x}\right)^2$
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3^{2x} - 1}{x} - \frac{2^{2x} - 1}{x}\right)^2 = (\log_e 9 - \log_e 4)^2 = (\log(9/4))^2$.