

ANSWER KEYS

1. (1) 2. (4) 3. (2) 4. (3) 5. (1) 6. (3) 7. (2) 8. (2)
9. (2) 10. (3)

1. (1)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^n - 3^n}{x - 3} = 108$$
 Using standard limit $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left(\frac{x^n - a^n}{x - a} \right) = na^{n-1}$, we get

$$n \times 3^{n-1} = 108$$

$$\Rightarrow n \cdot 3^{n-1} = 4 \cdot 3^{4-1}$$
 Hence, $n = 4$.
2. (4)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{xf(5) - 5f(x)}{x - 5}$$
 Given limit is of the form $\frac{0}{0}$, so apply L' Hospital Rule.

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{f(5) - 5f'(x)}{1 - 0}$$

$$= f(5) - 5f'(5)$$

$$= 7 - 5 \cdot 7 = 7 - 35 = -28.$$
3. (2) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x-1}{\sqrt{x^2+2x+1}} = \lim_{y \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-2-\frac{1}{y}}{\sqrt{1-\frac{2}{y}+\frac{1}{y^2}}}$
 [put $x = -y$ $\therefore x \rightarrow -\infty$ ie, $y \rightarrow \infty$]

$$= -\frac{2}{1} = -2$$
4. (3)
 We have to evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\sin x} - 1}{x}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{(e^{\sin x} - 1)}{\sin x} \times \frac{\sin x}{x} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\sin x} - 1}{\sin x} \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x}$$

$$= 1 \times 1 = 1.$$
5. (1)
 Let, $I = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+3x^2)}{x(e^{5x}-1)}$

$$\Rightarrow I = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+3x^2)}{3x^2} \times \frac{5x}{(e^{5x}-1)} \times \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \frac{3}{5} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+3x^2)}{3x^2} \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{5x}{(e^{5x}-1)}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+x)}{x} = 1 \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{x} = 1$$

$$\therefore I = \frac{3}{5} \times 1 \times 1$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \frac{3}{5}.$$
6. (3)
 Let $l = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1-\cos 2x)(3+\cos x)}{x \tan 4x}$

$$\Rightarrow l = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{(1-\cos 2x)(2x)^2}{(2x)^2} \right) \left(\frac{3+1}{\left(\frac{\tan 4x}{4x} \right) \cdot 4x} \right)$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1-\cos x}{x^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$
 and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x}{x} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow l = 2$$

7. (2) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(3+x) - \log(3-x)}{x}$

$$k = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(3+x) - \log(3-x)}{x}$$

$$k = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log\left(3\left(1+\frac{x}{3}\right)\right) - \log\left(3\left(1-\frac{x}{3}\right)\right)}{x}$$

Using $\log(mn) = \log m + \log n$, we get

$$k = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log\left(1+\frac{x}{3}\right) + \log 3 - \left[\log\left(1-\frac{x}{3}\right) + \log 3\right]}{x}$$

$$k = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log\left(1+\frac{x}{3}\right) - \log\left(1-\frac{x}{3}\right)}{x}$$

$$k = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{\log\left(1+\frac{x}{3}\right)}{x} - \frac{\log\left(1-\frac{x}{3}\right)}{x} \right]$$

$$k = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{\log\left(1+\frac{x}{3}\right)}{3\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)} + \frac{\log\left(1-\frac{x}{3}\right)}{3\left(-\frac{x}{3}\right)} \right]$$

Using, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+x)}{x} = 1$, we get

$$k = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

8. (2)

Let,

$$L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \{x\} \frac{\sin(x-2)}{(x-2)^2}$$

Put $x = 2 + h$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\{2+h\} \cdot \sin(2+h-2)}{(2+h-2)^2}, [\because \{2+h\} = h]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h \sin h}{h^2}$$

We know that Standard limit:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$$

$$\therefore L = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} = 1$$

9. (2) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x-1}{\sqrt{x^2+2x+1}} = \lim_{y \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-2-\frac{1}{y}}{\sqrt{1-\frac{2}{y}+\frac{1}{y^2}}}$

$$[\text{put } x = -y \therefore x \rightarrow -\infty \text{ i.e., } y \rightarrow \infty]$$

$$= -\frac{2}{1} = -2$$

10. (3)

$$l = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (1-x) \tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right)$$

Put, $1-x = y$ as $x \rightarrow 1$, $y \rightarrow 0$

$$\therefore l = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} y \tan \frac{\pi(1-y)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow l = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} y \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi y}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow l = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} y \cot\left(\frac{\pi y}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow l = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{\left(\frac{\pi y}{2}\right)}{\tan\left(\frac{\pi y}{2}\right)}$$

Using $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{\tan x} = 1$, we get

$$l = \frac{2}{\pi}$$