

## 1 SECTION-A

1) Let  $f(z) = 2z^2 - 1$ . Then the maximum value of  $|f(z)|$  on the unit disc  $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| \leq 1\}$  equals

- a) 1                      b) 2                      c) 3                      d) 4

2) Let

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2 - 3z + 2}$$

Then the coefficient of  $\frac{1}{z^3}$  in the Laurent series expansion of  $f(z)$  for  $|z| > 2$  is

- a) 1                      b) 2                      c) 3                      d) 4

3) Let  $f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be an arbitrary analytic function satisfying  $f(0) = 0$  and  $f(1) = 2$ . Then

- a) there exists a sequence  $\{z_n\}$  such that  $|z_n| > n$  and  $|f(z_n)| > n$   
 b) there exists a sequence  $\{z_n\}$  such that  $|z_n| > n$  and  $|f(z_n)| < n$   
 c) there exists a bounded sequence  $\{z_n\}$  such that  $|f(z_n)| > n$   
 d) there exists a sequence  $\{z_n\}$  such that  $z_n \rightarrow 0$  and  $f(z_n) \rightarrow 2$

4) Define  $f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \operatorname{Re}(z) \text{ or } \operatorname{Im}(z) = 0 \\ z & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Then the set of points where  $f$  is analytic is

- a)  $\{z : \operatorname{Re}(z) \neq 0 \text{ and } \operatorname{Im}(z) \neq 0\}$   
 b)  $\{z : \operatorname{Re}(z) \neq 0\}$   
 c)  $\{z : \operatorname{Re}(z) \neq 0 \text{ or } \operatorname{Im}(z) \neq 0\}$   
 d)  $\{z : \operatorname{Im}(z) \neq 0\}$

5) Let  $U(n)$  be the set of all positive integers less than  $n$  and relatively prime to  $n$ . Then  $U(n)$  is a group under multiplication modulo  $n$ . For  $n = 248$ , the number of elements in  $U(n)$  is

- a) 160                      b) 120                      c) 180                      d) 240

6) Let  $R[x]$  be the polynomial ring in  $x$  with real coefficients and let  $I = (x^2 + 1)$  be the ideal generated by the polynomial  $x^2 + 1$  in  $R[x]$ . Then

- a)  $I$  is a maximal ideal  
 b)  $I$  is a prime ideal but NOT a maximal ideal  
 c)  $I$  is NOT a prime ideal  
 d)  $R[x]/I$  has zero divisors
- 7) Consider  $Z_5$  and  $Z_{20}$  as rings modulo 5 and 20, respectively. Then the number of homomorphisms  $\phi : Z_5 \rightarrow Z_{20}$

- a) 1                                      b) 2                                      c) 4                                      d) 5

- 8) Let  $Q$  be the field of rational numbers and consider  $Z_2$  as a field modulo 2. Let

$$f(x) = x^3 - 9x^2 + 9x + 3$$

Then  $f(x)$  is

- a) irreducible over  $Q$  but reducible over  $Z_2$   
 b) irreducible over both  $Q$  and  $Z_2$   
 c) reducible over  $Q$  but irreducible over  $Z_2$   
 d) reducible over both  $Q$  and  $Z_2$
- 9) Consider  $Z_5$  as a field modulo 5 and let

$$f(x) = x^5 + 4x^4 + 4x^3 + 4x^2 + x + 1$$

Then the zeros of  $f(x)$  over  $Z_5$  are 1 and 3 with respective multiplicity

- a) 1 and 4                                      c) 2 and 2  
 b) 2 and 3                                      d) 1 and 2

- 10) Consider the Hilbert space  $l^2 = \{x = \{x_n\} : x_n \in \mathbb{R}, \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n^2 < \infty\}$ . Let

$$E = \left\{ \{x_n\} : |x_n| \leq \frac{1}{n} \text{ for all } n \right\}$$

be a subset of  $l^2$ . Then

- a)  $E^\circ = \{x : |x_n| < \frac{1}{n} \text{ for all } n\}$   
 b)  $E^\circ = E$   
 c)  $E^\circ = \{x : |x_n| < \frac{1}{n} \text{ for all but finitely many } n\}$   
 d)  $E^\circ = \emptyset$
- 11) Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be normed linear spaces and let  $T : X \rightarrow Y$  be a linear map. Then  $T$  is continuous if
- a)  $Y$  is finite dimensional  
 b)  $X$  is finite dimensional  
 c)  $T$  is one to one  
 d)  $T$  is onto

- 12) Let  $X$  be a normed linear space and let  $E_1, E_2 \subseteq X$ . Define

$$E_1 + E_2 = \{x + y : x \in E_1, y \in E_2\}$$

Then  $E_1 + E_2$  is

- a) open if  $E_1$  or  $E_2$  is open
- b) NOT open unless both  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  are open
- c) closed if  $E_1$  or  $E_2$  is closed
- d) closed if both  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  are closed

- 13) For each  $a \in R$ , consider the linear programming problem  $\text{Max. } z = x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 4x_4$  subject to

$$ax_1 + 2x_3 \leq 1$$

$$x_1 + ax_2 + 3x_4 \leq 2$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 \geq 0$$

Let  $S = \{a \in R : \text{the given LP problem has a basic feasible solution}\}$ . Then

- a)  $S = \emptyset$
- b)  $S = R$
- c)  $S = (0, \infty)$
- d)  $S = (-\infty, 0)$

- 14) Consider the linear programming problem

$$\text{Max. } z = x_1 + 5x_2 + 3x_3$$

subject to

$$2x_1 - 3x_2 + 5x_3 \leq 3$$

$$3x_1 + 2x_3 \leq 5$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$$

Then the dual of this LP problem

- a) has a feasible solution but does NOT have a basic feasible solution
- b) has a basic feasible solution
- c) has infinite number of feasible solutions
- d) has no feasible solution

- 15) Consider a transportation problem with two warehouses and two markets. The warehouse capacities are  $a_1 = 2$  and  $a_2 = 4$  and the market demands are  $b_1 = 3$  and  $b_2 = 3$ . Let  $x_{ij}$  be the quantity shipped from warehouse  $i$  to market  $j$  and  $c_{ij}$  be the corresponding unit cost. Suppose that  $c_{11} = 1, c_{21} = 1$  and  $c_{22} = 2$ . Then  $(x_{11}, x_{12}, x_{21}, x_{22}) = (2, 0, 1, 3)$  is optimal for every

- a)  $c_{12} \in [1, 2]$
- b)  $c_{12} \in [0, 3]$
- c)  $c_{12} \in [1, 3]$
- d)  $c_{12} \in [2, 4]$

- 16) The smallest degree of the polynomial that interpolates the data

$x$	-2	-1	0	1	2	3
$f(x)$	-58	-21	-12	-13	-6	27

is

a) 3

b) 4

c) 5

d) 6

17) Suppose that  $x_0$  is sufficiently close to 3 . Which of the following iterations  $x_{n+1} = g(x_n)$  will converge to the fixed point  $x = 3$  ?

a)  $x_{n+1} = -16 + 6x_n + \frac{3}{x_n}$

b)  $x_{n+1} = \sqrt{3 + 2x_n}$

c)  $x_{n+1} = \frac{3}{x_n - 2}$

d)  $x_{n+1} = \frac{x_n - 3}{2}$