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- 1) Consider the vector space  $V = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 : a_i \in \mathbb{R} \text{ for } i = 0, 1, 2\}$  of polynomials of degree at most 2. Let  $f: V \to \mathbb{R}$  be a linear functional such that f(1+x) = 0,  $f(1-x^2) = 0$  and  $f(x^2-x) = 2$ . Then  $f(1 + x + x^2)$  equals \_ (GATE MA 2017)
- 2) Let A be a  $7 \times 7$  matrix such that  $2A^2 A^4 = I$ , where I is the identity matrix. If A has two distinct eigenvalues and each eigenvalue has geometric multiplicity 3, then the total number of nonzero entries in the Jordan canonical form of A equals (GATE MA 2017)
- 3) Let  $f(z) = (x^2 + y^2) + i2xy$  and  $g(z) = 2xy + i(y^2 x^2)$  for  $z = x + iy \in \mathbb{C}$ . Then, in the complex plane
  - a) f is analytic and g is NOT analytic
  - b) f is NOT analytic and g is analytic
  - c) neither f nor g is analytic
  - d) both f and g are analytic

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- 4) If  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n(z-2)^n$  is the Laurent series of the function  $f(z) = \frac{z^4 + z^3 + z^2}{(z-2)^3}$  for  $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus 2$ , then  $a_{-2}$  equals (GATE MA 2017)
- 5) Let  $f_n : \to \mathbb{R}$  be given by  $f_n(x) = \frac{2x^2}{x^2 + (1 2nx)^2}$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \ldots$  Then the sequence  $(f_n)$ 
  - a) converges uniformly on
  - b) does NOT converge uniformly on but has a subsequence that converges uniformly on
  - c) does NOT converge pointwise on
  - d) converges pointwise on but does NOT have a subsequence that converges uniformly on

- 6) Let  $C: x^2 + y^2 = 9$  be the circle in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  oriented positively. Then  $\frac{1}{\pi} \oint_C (3y e^{\cos x^2}) dx + (7x + \sqrt{y^4 + 11}) dy$ (GATE MA 2017)
- 7) Consider the following statements:
- (P): There exists an unbounded subset of  $\mathbb{R}$  whose Lebesgue measure is equal to 5.
- (Q): If  $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  is continuous and  $g: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  is such that f = g almost everywhere on  $\mathbb{R}$ , then g must be continuous almost everywhere on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

Which of the above statements hold TRUE?

a) Both P and Q

c) Only Q

b) Only P

d) Neither P nor Q

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8) If  $x^3y^2$  is an integrating factor of  $(6y^2 + axy)dx + (6xy + bx^2)dy = 0$  where  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ , then

a) 3a - 5b = 0

c) 3a + 5b = 0

b) 2a - b = 0

d) 2a + b = 0

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- 9) If x(t) and y(t) are the solutions of the system  $\frac{dx}{dt} = y$  and  $\frac{dy}{dt} = -x$  with the initial conditions x(0) = 1
- and y(0) = 1, then  $x(\pi/2) + y(\pi/2)$  equals \_\_\_\_\_. (GATE MA 2017) 10) If  $y = 3e^{2x} + e^{-2x} \alpha x$  is the solution of the initial value problem  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \beta y = 4\alpha x$ , y(0) = 4 and  $\frac{dy}{dx}(0) = 1$ , where  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ , then

a) 
$$\alpha = 3$$
 and  $\beta = 4$ 

c) 
$$\alpha = 3$$
 and  $\beta = -4$ 

b) 
$$\alpha = 1$$
 and  $\beta = 2$ 

d) 
$$\alpha = 1$$
 and  $\beta = -2$ 

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- 11) Let G be a non-abelian group of order 125. Then the total number of elements in  $Z(G) = \{x \in G : x \in G :$ gx = xg for all  $g \in G$ } equals \_ (GATE MA 2017)
- 12) Let  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  be subfields of a finite field F consisting of  $2^9$  and  $2^6$  elements, respectively. Then the total number of elements in  $F_1 \cap F_2$  equals \_ (GATE MA 2017)
- 13) Consider the normed linear space  $\mathbb{R}^2$  equipped with the norm given by |(x,y)| = |x| + |y| and the subspace  $X = (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ : x = y. Let f be the linear functional on X given by f(x, y) = 3x. If  $g(x, y) = \alpha x + \beta y, \ \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ , is a Hahn-Banach extension of f on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , then  $\alpha - \beta$  equals

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14) For  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , define  $c_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{i(n-i)x} dx$ , where  $i^2 = -1$ . Then  $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} |c_n|^2$  equals

- a)  $\cosh(\pi)$
- b)  $sinh(\pi)$
- c)  $\cosh(2\pi)$
- d)  $sinh(2\pi)$

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- 15) If the fourth order divided difference of  $f(x) = \alpha x^4 + 5x^3 + 3x + 2$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ , at the points 0.1, 0.2, 0.3,
- 16) If the quadrature rule  $\int_0^2 f(x)dx \approx c_1 f(0) + 3f(c_2)$ , where  $c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ , is exact for all polynomials of degree  $\leq 1$ , then  $c_1 + 3c_2$  equals \_\_\_\_\_.
- 17) If u(x,y) = 1 + x + y + f(xy), where  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  is a differentiable function, then u satisfies

a) 
$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x^2 - y^2$$
  
b)  $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0$ 

c) 
$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x - y$$

b) 
$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 0$$

c) 
$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x - y$$
  
d)  $y \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - x \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x - y$ 

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- 18) The partial differential equation  $x\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + (x y)\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} y\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{1}{4}\left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\right) = 0$  is
  - a) hyperbolic along the line x + y = 0
- c) elliptic along the line x + y = 0
- b) elliptic along the line x y = 0
- d) parabolic along the line x + y = 0

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- 19) Let X and Y be topological spaces and let  $f: X \to Y$  be a continuous surjective function. Which one of the following statements is TRUE?
  - a) If X is separable, then Y is separable
  - b) If X is first countable, then Y is first countable
  - c) If X is Hausdorff, then Y is Hausdorff
  - d) If X is regular, then Y is regular

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- 20) Consider the topology  $\mathcal{T} = U \subseteq \mathbb{Z} : \mathbb{Z} \setminus U$  is finite or  $0 \notin U$  on  $\mathbb{Z}$ . Then, the topological space  $(\mathbb{Z}, \mathcal{T})$ is
  - a) compact but NOT connected

c) both compact and connected

b) connected but NOT compact

d) neither compact nor connected

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21) Let F(x) be the distribution function of a random variable X. Consider the functions:

$$G_1(x) = (F(x))^2, x \in \mathbb{R},$$
  
 $G_2(x) = 1 - (1 - F(x))^2, x \in \mathbb{R}.$ 

Which of the above functions are distribution functions?

	<ul> <li>a) Neither G<sub>1</sub> nor G<sub>2</sub></li> <li>b) Only G<sub>1</sub></li> </ul>		<ul><li>c) Only G<sub>2</sub></li><li>d) Both G<sub>1</sub> and G<sub>2</sub></li></ul>				
22)		2) be independent and $=\frac{1}{n}\sum_{i=1}^{n}X_{i}$ . Then the cov	•	(GATE MA 2017) andom variables with finite $X_1 - \bar{X}$ is			
	a) 0	b) $-\sigma^2$	c) $-\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$	d) $\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$			
23)				(GATE MA 2017) tion, where $\sigma^2 = 144$ . The for $\mu$ will not exceed 10 is (GATE MA 2017)			
24)	Consider the linear programming problem (LPP): Maximize $4x_1+6x_2$ Subject to $x_1+x_2 \le 8$ $2x_1+3x_2 \ge 18$ $x_1 \ge 6$ $x_2$ is unrestricted in sign. Then the LPP has a) no optimal solution b) only one basic feasible solution and that is optimal						
	d) infinitely many optim	feasible solution and a unal solutions	inique optimal solution				
(GATE MA 2017) 25) For a linear programming problem (LPP) and its dual, which one of the following is NOT TRUE?  a) The dual of the dual is primal b) If the primal LPP has an unbounded objective function, then the dual LPP is infeasible c) If the primal LPP is infeasible, then the dual LPP must have unbounded objective function d) If the primal LPP has a finite optimal solution, then the dual LPP also has a finite optimal solution (GATE MA 2017) 26) If U and V are the null spaces of (1 1 0 0 0 0 1 1) and (1 2 3 2 0 1 2 1), respectively, then the dimension of the subspace U + V equals (GATE MA 2017) 27) Given two n × n matrices A and B with entries in ℂ, consider the following statements: (P): If A and B have the same minimal polynomial, then A is similar to B. (Q): If A has n distinct eigenvalues, then there exists u ∈ ℂ <sup>n</sup> such that u, Au,, A <sup>n-1</sup> u are linearly							
	independent. Which of the above sta	ntements hold TRUE?					
	<ul><li>a) Both P and Q</li><li>b) Only P</li></ul>		<ul><li>c) Only Q</li><li>d) Neither P nor Q</li></ul>				
29)	(GATE MA 2017)  8) Let $A = (a_{ij})$ be a $10 \times 10$ matrix such that $a_{ij} = 1$ for $i \neq j$ and $a_{ii} = \alpha + 1$ , where $\alpha > 0$ . Let $\lambda$ and $\mu$ be the largest and the smallest eigenvalues of A, respectively. If $\lambda + \mu = 24$ , then $\alpha$ equals  (GATE MA 2017)  1) Let C be the simple, positively oriented circle of radius 2 centered at the origin in the complex plane. Then $\frac{2}{\pi i} \int_C \left(ze^{1/z} + \tan\left(\frac{z}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{(z-1)(z-3)^2}\right) dz$ equals (GATE MA 2017)  2) Let $Re(z)$ and $Im(z)$ respectively, denote the real part and the imaginary part of a complex number z. Let $T: \mathbb{C} \cup \infty \to \mathbb{C} \cup \infty$ be the bilinear transformation such that $T(6) = 0$ , $T(3 - 3i) = i$ and $T(0) = \infty$ . Then, the image of $D = z \in \mathbb{C} :  z - 3  < 3$ under the mapping $w = T(z)$ is						
	a) $w \in \mathbb{C}$ : $Im(w) < 0$ b) $w \in \mathbb{C}$ : $Re(w) < 0$		c) $w \in \mathbb{C}$ : $Im(w) > 0$ d) $w \in \mathbb{C}$ : $Re(w) > 0$				

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- 31) Let  $(x_n)$  and  $(y_n)$  be two sequences in a complete metric space (X,d) such that  $d(x_n,x_{n+1}) \leq \frac{1}{n^2}$  and  $d(y_n, y_{n+1}) \leq \frac{1}{n}$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then
  - a) both  $(x_n)$  and  $(y_n)$  converge
  - b)  $(x_n)$  converges but  $(y_n)$  need NOT converge
  - c)  $(y_n)$  converges but  $(x_n)$  need NOT converge
  - d) neither  $(x_n)$  nor  $(y_n)$  converges

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- 32) Let  $f:\to \mathbb{R}$  be given by f(x)=0 if x is rational, and if x is irrational then  $f(x)=9^n$ , where n is the number of zeroes immediately after the decimal point in the decimal representation of x. Then the Lebesgue integral  $\int_0^1 f(x)dx$  equals \_\_\_\_ (GATE MA 2017)
- 33) Let  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  be defined by  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \sin(\frac{y^2}{x}) \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ . Then, at (0, 0),
  - a) f is continuous and the directional derivative of f does NOT exist in some direction
  - b) f is NOT continuous and the directional derivatives of f exist in all directions
  - c) f is NOT differentiable and the directional derivatives of f exist in all directions
  - d) f is differentiable

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- 34) Let D be the region in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  bounded by the parabola  $y^2 = 2x$  and the line y = x. Then  $\iint_D 3xy, dx, dy$ equals \_\_\_\_\_ (GATE MA 2017)
- 35) Let  $y_1(x) = x^3$  and  $y_2(x) = x^2|x|$  for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . Consider the following statements:

  - (P):  $y_1(x)$  and  $y_2(x)$  are linearly independent solutions of  $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} 4x \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$  on  $\mathbb{R}$ . (Q): The Wronskian  $W(y_1, y_2)(x) = y_1(x) \frac{dy_2}{dx}(x) y_2(x) \frac{dy_1}{dx}(x) = 0$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . Which of the above statements hold TRUE?
    - a) Both P and Q

c) Only Q

b) Only P

d) Neither P nor Q

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  36) Let  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  with  $\alpha > \beta$  be the roots of the indicial equation of  $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} (x+1)\frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$  at x = 0.

  Then  $\alpha 4\beta$  equals \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 37) Let  $S_9$  be the group of all permutations of the set 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9. Then the total number of elements of  $S_9$  that commute with  $\tau = (1\ 2\ 3)(4\ 5\ 6\ 7)$  in  $S_9$  equals \_\_\_\_\_. (GATE MA 2017)
- 38) Let  $\mathbb{Q}[x]$  be the ring of polynomials over  $\mathbb{Q}$ . Then the total number of maximal ideals in the quotient ring  $\mathbb{Q}[x]/\langle x^4 - 1 \rangle$  equals \_\_\_\_\_. (GATE MA 2017)
- 39) Let  $e_n: n \in \mathbb{N}$  be an orthonormal basis of a Hilbert space H. Let  $T: H \to H$  be given by Tx = 1 $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \langle x, e_n \rangle e_n$ . For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , define  $T_n : H \to H$  by  $T_n x = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k} \langle x, e_k \rangle e_k$ . Then
  - a)  $|T_n T| \to 0$  as  $n \to \infty$
  - b)  $|T_n T| \to 0$  as  $n \to \infty$  but for each  $x \in H$ ,  $|T_n x Tx| \to 0$  as  $n \to \infty$
  - c) for each  $x \in H$ ,  $|T_n x T x| \to 0$  as  $n \to \infty$  but the sequence  $(|T_n|)$  is unbounded
  - d) there exist  $x, y \in H$  such that  $\langle T_n x, y \rangle \to \langle T x, y \rangle$  as  $n \to \infty$

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- 40) Consider the subspace  $V = (x_n)n \in \mathbb{N}$ :  $\sum n = 1^{\infty}|x_n| < \infty$  of the Hilbert space  $\ell^2$  of all square summable real sequences. For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , define  $T_n : V \to \mathbb{R}$  by  $T_n((x_k)) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$ . Consider the following statements:
  - (P):  $T_n : n \in \mathbb{N}$  is pointwise bounded on V.
  - (Q):  $T_n : n \in \mathbb{N}$  is uniformly bounded on  $x \in V : |x|_2 = 1$ .

Which of the above statements hold TRUE?

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q(x) is a polyi	Let $p(x)$ be the polynomial of degree at most 2 that interpolates the data $(-1,2)$ , $(0,1)$ and $(1,2)$ . If $q(x)$ is a polynomial of degree at most 3 such that $p(x)+q(x)$ interpolates the data $(-1,2)$ , $(0,1)$ , $(1,2)$ and $(2,11)$ then $q(3)$ equals $(GATE MA, 2017)$								
42) Let $J$ be the	Jacobi iteration matrix of	f the linear system (1 2	$12 \ 1 \ 2 \ -4 \ 2 \ 1)(x$	(v, z) =					
(1 2 3). Cons	ider the following statemen	nts:	)(	<i>y</i> •)					
	eigenvalues of $J$ lies in the								
(Q): The Jacobi	iteration converges for the	above system.							
Which of the	above statements hold TR	UE?							
a) Both P and	l Q	c) Only Q							
b) Only P		d) Neither P nor	Q						
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	the solution of $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 4$ equals	u satisfying the condition		$y^2 = 1.$					
	the bounded solution of th	e following boundary val	•						
	$r^2\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial r^2} + r\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} +$	$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial \theta^2} = 0,  0 < r < 2, \ 0 \le$	$\theta \leq 2\pi$ ,						
	<i>u</i> (2,	$\theta) = \cos^2 \theta, \ 0 \le \theta \le 2\pi.$							
Then $u(1, \pi/2)$	$u(1, \pi/4)$ equals								
a) 1	b) $\frac{9}{8}$	c) $\frac{7}{8}$	d) $\frac{3}{8}$						
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	denote the usual topology	and the discrete topolog	(GATE MA) on $\mathbb{R}$ , respectively. Consi						
following thre		ial topology on $\mathbb{R}^2 = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$	₹						
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4	$T_2$ = topology generated by								
	$T_3 = \text{diction}$	nary order topology on $\mathbb R$	× ℝ.						
Then									
a) $T_3 \subseteq T_1 \subseteq T_2$	$arGamma_2$	c) $T_3 \subseteq T_2 \subseteq T_1$							
b) $T_1 \subseteq T_2 \subseteq T_2$	$\Gamma_3$	$d) T_1 \subseteq T_2 = T_3$							
			(GATE MA	2017)					
46) Let $X$ be a range $F(X) = 2 + X$	andom variable with probab	polity mass function $p(n)$	$= \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$ for $n = 1, 2,$	Then					
	3) equals be independent and iden	tically distributed random	(GATE MA) variables with probability						
,		,		,					

c) Only Q

d) Neither P nor Q

a) Both P and Q

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with mean 4. Then

b) Only P

 $\lim_{n \to \infty} P\left(4 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{n}} < \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i < 4 + \frac{2}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$ 

48) Let  $X_1, X_2, \ldots$  be a sequence of independent and identically distributed Poisson random variables

function  $p(n) = 2^{-n}, n = 1, 2, ...$  Then  $P(X \ge 2Y)$  equals (rounded to 2 decimal places) \_\_\_\_\_.

50)	equals (GATE MA 2017) Let $X$ and $Y$ be independent and identically distributed exponential random variables with probability density function $f(x) = e^{-x}$ , $x > 0$ . Then $P(\max(X, Y) < 2)$ equals (rounded to 2 decimal places) (GATE MA 2017) Let $E$ and $E$ be any two events with $E$ = 0.4, $E$ = 0.3, and $E$ = 3 $E$ = 3 $E$ = 3 $E$ = 0.7. Then $E$ = 1 and $E$ = 2 $E$ be a random sample from a binomial distribution with parameters $E$ = 1 and $E$ = 1, an								
	a) $\frac{m}{m-1}\bar{X}\left(1-\bar{X}\right)$ b) $\bar{X}\left(1-\bar{X}\right)$		c) $\frac{m-1}{m}\bar{X}$ (d) $\frac{1}{m}\left(1-\frac{1}{m}\right)$	$\left(1-ar{X}\right)$					
	<ul> <li>(GATE MA 2017</li> <li>2) Let X<sub>1</sub>, X<sub>2</sub>,, X<sub>9</sub> be a random sample from a N(0, σ²) population. For testing H<sub>0</sub>: σ² = 2 agains H<sub>1</sub>: σ² = 1, the most powerful test rejects H<sub>0</sub> if ∑<sub>i=1</sub><sup>9</sup> X<sub>i</sub>² &lt; c, where c is to be chosen such that the level of significance is 0.1. Then the power of this test equals (GATE MA 2017</li> <li>3) Let X<sub>1</sub>, X<sub>2</sub>,, X<sub>n</sub> (n ≥ 2) be a random sample from N(0, θ) population, where θ &gt; 0, and le W = ∑<sub>i=1</sub><sup>n</sup> X<sub>i</sub>². Then the maximum likelihood estimator of θ is</li> </ul>								
	a) $\sqrt{1-4W}/2$ b) $\sqrt{1+4W}/2$		c) $-\sqrt{1}$ d) $-\sqrt{1}$	$\frac{-4W}{+4W}/2$					
54)	Consider the following transition):  Origin 1 Origin 2 Origin 3 Demand	Destination 1 1 4 7 8 10			per unit cost	ΓΕ MA 2017) of transporta-			
	With demands: 10, 30, 60 units respectively. The optimal cost of transportation equals (GATE MA 2017) $(5)$ Consider the linear programming problem (LPP): Maximize $kx_1+5x_2$ subject to $x_1+x_2 \le 1$ , $2x_1+3x_2 \le 1$ , $x_1, x_2 \ge 0$ . If $x = (x, x)$ is an optimal solution of the above LPP with $k = 2$ , then the largest value of $k$ (rounded to 2 decimal places) for which $x$ remains optimal equals (GATE MA 2017) $(6)$ The ninth and the tenth of this month are Monday and Tuesday								
57)	<ul><li>a) figuratively</li><li>b) retrospectively</li></ul>	ages's taythook	c) respect d) rightfu	ılly	(GA	ГЕ МА 2017)			
31)	It is to read this y  a) easier, than b) most easy, than	cai s iexiuuuk <u></u>	c) easier, d) easies	from	(CA)	ΓΕ ΜΑ 2017)			

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58) A rule states that in order to drink beer, one must be over 18 years old. In a bar, there are 4 people: P (16 years old), Q (25 years old), R (drinking milkshake), and S (drinking a beer). What must be checked to ensure that the rule is being followed?

- a) Only P's drink
- b) Only P's drink and S's age
- c) Only S's age
- d) Only P's drink, Q's drink and S's age

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- 59) Fatima starts from point P, goes North for 3 km, and then East for 4 km to reach point Q. She then turns to face point P and goes 15 km in that direction. She then goes North for 6 km. How far is she from point P, and in which direction should she go to reach point P?
  - a) 8 km, East

c) 6 km, East

b) 12 km, North

d) 10 km, North

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60) 500 students are taking one or more courses out of Chemistry, Physics, and Mathematics. Registration records indicate course enrolment as follows: Chemistry (329), Physics (186), Mathematics (295), Chemistry and Physics (83), Chemistry and Mathematics (217), Physics and Mathematics (63). How many students are taking all 3 subjects?

a) 37

c) 47

b) 43

d) 53

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- 61) "If you are looking for a history of India, or for an account of the rise and fall of the British Raj, or for the reason of the cleaving of the subcontinent into two mutually antagonistic parts and the effects this mutilation will have in the respective sections, and ultimately on Asia, you will not find it in these pages; for though I have spent a lifetime in the country, I lived too near the seat of events, and was too intimately associated with the actors, to get the perspective needed for the impartial recording of these matters." Which of the following statements best reflects the author's opinion?
  - a) An intimate association does not allow for the necessary perspective.
  - b) Matters are recorded with an impartial perspective.
  - c) An intimate association offers an impartial perspective.
  - d) Actors are typically associated with the impartial recording of matters.

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- 62) Each of P, Q, R, S, W, X, Y and Z has been married at most once. X and Y are married and have two children P and Q. Z is the grandfather of the daughter S of P. Further, Z and W are married and are parents of R. Which one of the following must necessarily be FALSE?
  - a) X is the mother-in-law of R

c) P is a son of X and Y

b) P and R are not married to each other

d) Q cannot be married to R

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63) 1200 men and 500 women can build a bridge in 2 weeks. 900 men and 250 women will take 3 weeks to build the same bridge. How many men will be needed to build the bridge in one week?

a) 3000

c) 3600

b) 3300

d) 3900

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64) The number of 3-digit numbers such that the digit 1 is never to the immediate right of 2 is

a) 781

c) 881

b) 791

d) 891

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65) A contour line joins locations having the same height above the mean sea level. The following is a contour plot of a geographical region. Contour lines are shown at 25 m intervals in this plot. (Listed locations P, Q, R, S, T with heights; diagram referenced.)

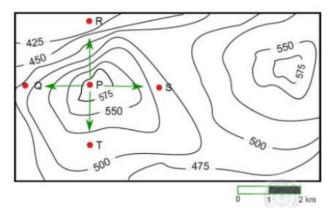


Fig. 1. Q.65

Which of the following is the steepest path leaving from P?

a) P to Q

c) P to S

b) P to R

d) P to T

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