

# DCET 2023

## Diploma Common Entrance Test

### Question Paper

**Instructions:**

- Total Questions: 100 | Maximum Marks: 100 | Duration: 3 hours
- Each question carries 1 mark | Answer key provided at the end

**IT Skills****Q1.**

Which of the following is not a cyber crime?

- (A) Cryptography
- (B) Denial of Service
- (C) Man-in-the-middle attack
- (D) Phishing

**Q11.**

Which of the following is used to style the appearance of web pages?

- (A) Html
- (B) JavaScript
- (C) PHP
- (D) CSS

**Q2.**

DoS is abbreviated as \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) Denial of Service
- (B) Distribution of Server
- (C) Distribution of Service
- (D) Denial of Server

**Q12.**

Which of the following is an example of web browser?

- (A) Google
- (B) Firefox
- (C) Apache
- (D) MySQL

**Q3.**

\_\_\_\_\_ protects interconnected systems including hardware, software and programs and data from cyber attacks.

- (A) Cyber Security
- (B) Computer Security
- (C) Resource Security
- (D) Hardware Security

**Q13.**

Which of the following is an open source and free workflow management software?

- (A) Trello
- (B) MS Excel
- (C) Windows
- (D) Linux

**Q4.**

Basic functionality of the network device firewall is:

- (A) scans mobile applications
- (B) monitoring database
- (C) privatizes the computers
- (D) monitoring incoming and outgoing networks

**Q14.**

ERP package will handle \_\_\_\_\_ business functionality/functionalities.

- (A) One
- (B) Two
- (C) Three
- (D) Multiple/all

**Q5.**

An algorithm represented in the form of programming language is called:

- (A) Flowchart
- (B) Pseudocode
- (C) Program
- (D) Instruction

**Q15.**

\_\_\_\_\_ is a visual diagram of a company that describes what employees do, whom they report to and how decisions are made.

- (A) Physical Structure
- (B) Organizational Structure
- (C) Logical Structure
- (D) Hybrid Structure

**Q6.**

The \_\_\_\_\_ symbol is used when the flowchart is starting or ending.

- (A) Connector/Arrow
- (B) Terminal box/Rounded rectangle
- (C) Input/Output
- (D) Process

**Q16.**

\_\_\_\_\_ is a methodology used in system analysis to identify, clarify, and organize system requirements.

- (A) Workflow
- (B) Use case
- (C) Algorithm
- (D) Software

**Q7.**

MIT App Inventor allows user to

- (A) Create web application
- (B) Build Android application
- (C) Create System Software
- (D) Develop Operating System

**Q8.**

- What is the function of the "when green flag clicked" command block?
- (A) Points Sprite in the specified direction
  - (B) If condition is true, runs the blocks inside
  - (C) Runs the script
  - (D) Stops the execution of script

**Q9.**

The correct sequence of HTML tags for starting a webpage is:

- (A) Head, Title, Html, Body
- (B) Html, Head, Title, Body
- (C) Html, Body, Title, Head
- (D) Html, Title, Head, Body

**Q10.**

Web server:

- (A) is a computer system that delivers web pages
- (B) is delivery news
- (C) provides options for those seeking real-time discussions
- (D) prints documents

**Q17.**

- Which of the following is not an application of IoT?
- (A) Web browser
  - (B) Smart home
  - (C) Smart city
  - (D) Self-driven cars

**Q18.**

Which of the following is not a cloud service option?

- (A) VaaS
- (B) IaaS
- (C) PaaS
- (D) SaaS

**Q19.**

How many types of services are offered by cloud computing to the users?

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

**Q20.**

Combination of Public and Private deployment is called

- (A) Hybrid
- (B) Hyper
- (C) Public
- (D) Private

## FUNDAMENTALS OF ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING

**Q21.**

Unit of electrical power is

- (A) Volt
- (B) Watt
- (C) Watt-hour
- (D) Ampere-hour

**Q31.**

A static machine that transfers electrical power from one circuit to another without changing frequency is called

- (A) DC machine
- (B) Alternator
- (C) Induction motor
- (D) Transformer

**Q22.**

In pipe earthing, the diameter of GI pipe embedded in the pit is

- (A) 32 mm
- (B) 38 mm
- (C) 48 mm
- (D) 56 mm

**Q32.**

The initial type of connection of motor windings in a star-delta starter is

- (A) Star connection
- (B) Delta connection
- (C) Series
- (D) Parallel

**Q23.**

If a resistor of  $100\Omega$  is connected in series with a parallel combination of two  $200\Omega$  resistors, the effective resistance is

- (A) 200 ohms
- (B) 250 ohms
- (C) 350 ohms
- (D) 150 ohms

**Q33.**

The cause for a 3-phase motor producing mechanical noise is

- (A) Interchanged supply terminals
- (B) High load on motor
- (C) High voltage on motor winding
- (D) Incorrect coupling

**Q24.**

If a resistor of  $20\Omega$  is connected across a source of  $5V$ , the current in the circuit is

- (A) 1 Ampere
- (B) 4 Amperes
- (C) 0.5 Amperes
- (D) 0.25 Amperes

**Q34.**

Cell is an \_\_\_\_\_ device.

- (A) electro-mechanical
- (B) electro-chemical
- (C) electro-magnetic
- (D) electro-dynamic

**Q25.**

Power factor is

- (A) ratio of resistance to inductance
- (B) ratio of apparent power to true power
- (C) ratio of resistance to impedance
- (D) ratio of inductance to capacitance

**Q35.**

The most commonly used battery in electric vehicles is

- (A) Lithium-ion battery
- (B) Lead-acid battery
- (C) Nickel-Cadmium battery
- (D) Alkaline rechargeable battery

**Q26.**

The phase-neutral voltage in a 3-phase star system is  $\sqrt{3}V$ . The line voltage is

- (A) 230 V
- (B) 398.37 V
- (C) 400 V
- (D) 440 V

**Q27.**

The time period of an AC wave at 50 Hz is

- (A) 2 ms
- (B) 10 ms
- (C) 20 ms
- (D) 50 ms

**Q28.**

The type of fuse used for domestic purpose is

- (A) HRC fuse
- (B) Kit-kat fuse
- (C) Ceramic cartridge fuse
- (D) Glass cartridge fuse

**Q29.**

MCCB stands for

- (A) Moulded Case Circuit Breaker
- (B) Miniature Case Circuit Breaker
- (C) Maximum Current Circuit Breaker
- (D) Minimum Current Circuit Breaker

**Q30.**

ELCB is used for detecting current leakage

- (A) above 8 kVA
- (B) below 5 kVA
- (C) above 5 kVA
- (D) below 8 kVA

**Q36.**

Digital signals are characterized by

- (A) Continuous voltage levels
- (B) Infinite resolution
- (C) Discrete voltage levels
- (D) Variable voltage levels

**Q37.**

According to Boolean Algebra,  $A + A =$

- (A) 2A
- (B) A
- (C) 1
- (D)  $A^2$

**Q38.**

Photo diode is used in which application?

- (A) Voltage regulation
- (B) Temperature measurement
- (C) Light detection
- (D) RF amplification

**Q39.**

If resistor band = Brown (1), Black (0), Red ( $\times 100$ ), resistance is

- (A) 1 k $\Omega$
- (B) 10 k $\Omega$
- (C) 100  $\Omega$
- (D) 100 k $\Omega$

**Q40.**

Binary equivalent of decimal 9 is

- (A) 1001
- (B) 1000
- (C) 1100
- (D) 1010

**PROJECT MANAGEMENT SKILLS****Q41.**

Project Management is a combination of

- (A) human and non-human resources
- (B) only human resources
- (C) only non-human resources
- (D) no resources at all

**Q51.**

The Project Life Cycle Curve indicates

- (A) Work packaging
- (B) Number of workers in the project
- (C) Growth, maturity and decline
- (D) Project manual

**Q42.**

The consultant appointed to carry out the project work is

- (A) Compound house consultant
- (B) In-house consultant
- (C) Out-house consultant
- (D) Bridge consultant

**Q52.**

Taking actions to measure the quality accurately is the function of

- (A) Quality management
- (B) Cost management
- (C) Review management
- (D) Risk management

**Q43.**

The type of project which requires minimum amount of capital is

- (A) Crash project
- (B) Normal project
- (C) Disaster project
- (D) Consultant project

**Q53.**

Project planning methodologies involve

- (A) Planning by non-incentive and direction
- (B) Planning by incentive and direction
- (C) Unplanned initiation
- (D) Changing the project policies

**Q44.**

Projects like building a hospital, park, playground and highway construction are examples of

- (A) Social needs
- (B) Customer needs
- (C) Market needs
- (D) Ecological needs

**Q54.**

Identify the incorrect statement

- (A) Project objective should be specific
- (B) Project objective should be realistic
- (C) Project objective should not be framed timely
- (D) Project objective should be measurable

**Q45.**

In Project Management, WBS stands for

- (A) Work Breakdown Structure
- (B) Waste Breakdown Structure
- (C) Window Breakdown Structure
- (D) Wireless Breakdown Structure

**Q46.**

The first step in Project Execution Plan is

- (A) Work packaging plan
- (B) Contracting plan
- (C) Organization plan
- (D) Procedure plan

**Q47.**

The team which gives the idea to start a project is

- (A) Core project team
- (B) Full project team
- (C) Advising project team
- (D) Initial project team

**Q48.**

In PEP, the letter 'E' stands for

- (A) Execution
- (B) Estimation
- (C) Evaluation
- (D) Enthusiasm

**Q49.**

In Project Life Cycle, more time is required for

- (A) Project closure
- (B) Project initiation
- (C) Project execution
- (D) Project planning

**Q50.**

Innovation is the hallmark of every project. Innovation means

- (A) New ideas
- (B) Project success
- (C) Professional approach
- (D) Project Management

**Q55.**

WBS, PEP and PPM are the tools used to design

- (A) Project plan
- (B) Project work system
- (C) Project diary
- (D) Project direction

**Q56.**

The earliest method used for planning of project was

- (A) CPM
- (B) PERT
- (C) Bar Chart
- (D) Milestone Chart

**Q57.**

The expansion of PERT is

- (A) Programme Evaluation and Review Technique
- (B) Project Estimation and Recording Tool
- (C) Project Estimation and Resource Technology
- (D) Performance Estimation and Resource Tool

**Q58.**

For non-repetitive projects, \_\_\_\_\_ tool is used in production planning and scheduling

- (A) CPM
- (B) PERT
- (C) Both CPM and PERT
- (D) Bar Chart

**Q59.**

The purpose of conducting a project review is

- (A) To close the project
- (B) To initiate the project
- (C) To develop the project scope
- (D) To assess project performance

**Q60.**

A project review does not contain

- (A) Performance evaluation
- (B) Evaluating the capital budget
- (C) Data collection
- (D) Initial review

## ENGINEERING MATHEMATICS

**Q61.**

In a square matrix, if the elements above the principal diagonal are zero, then it is called

- (A) Identity matrix
- (B) Lower triangular matrix
- (C) Upper triangular matrix
- (D) Diagonal matrix

**Q62.**

The value of x if  $\begin{vmatrix} x-1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$  is singular

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

**Q71.**

The simplified value of  $\frac{\sin 3A + \sin A}{\sin 3A - \sin A}$  is

- (A)  $\cot A \tan 5A$
- (B)  $\tan A \cot 2A$
- (C)  $\tan 2A \cot A$
- (D)  $\tan 3A \cot 2A$

**Q72.**

If  $y = \log x + \sec 2x$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is

- (A)  $-\frac{1}{x^2} \sec 2x \tan x$
- (B)  $\frac{1}{x^2} \sec 2x \tan 2x$
- (C)  $\frac{1}{x^2} \sqrt{x^2 + \sec x \tan x}$
- (D)  $-\frac{1}{x^2} \sqrt{x^2 + \sec 3x \tan 2x}$

**Q73.**

The derivative of  $\frac{1+x}{1-x}$  is

- (A)  $-\frac{2(1-x)^2}{(1+x)^2}$
- (B)  $\frac{2x(1-x)^2}{(1+x)^2}$
- (C)  $-\frac{2x(1-x)^2}{(1+x)^2}$
- (D)  $\frac{2(1-x)^2}{(1+x)^2}$

**Q63.**

The inverse of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$  is

- (A)  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 7 & \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 & -5 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$
- (B)  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 7 & \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 & -5 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$
- (C)  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 7 & \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 & -5 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$
- (D)  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 7 & \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 & 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$

**Q64.**

The eigenvalues of matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$  are

- (A) 2,2
- (B) -3,-3
- (C) 3,3
- (D) -3,3

**Q65.**

The two lines  $ax + by = c$  and  $a'x + b'y = c'$  are perpendicular if

- (A)  $ab' = ba'$
- (B)  $aa' + bb' = 0$
- (C)  $a'b + ab' = 0$
- (D)  $ab' + ba' = 0$

**Q66.**

The y-intercept of any line passing through origin is

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

**Q67.**

Slope form of straight line is

- (A)  $y + mx - c = 0$
- (B)  $x = my + c$
- (C)  $y = x + m$
- (D)  $y = mx + c$

**Q68.**

The tangent of the angle between two lines having slopes  $m_1, m_2$  is

- (A)  $\frac{m_1+m_2}{1-m_1m_2}$
- (B)  $\frac{m_1+m_2}{1+m_1m_2}$
- (C)  $\frac{m_1-m_2}{1-m_1m_2}$
- (D)  $\frac{m_1-m_2}{1+m_1m_2}$

**Q69.**

If the ladder is inclined making  $135^\circ$  with wall, the inclination in radians is

- (A)  $\frac{4\pi}{3}$
- (B)  $\frac{3\pi}{4}$
- (C)  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$
- (D)  $\frac{4\pi}{5}$

**Q70.**

The value of  $\sin 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ - \cos 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ$  is

- (A)  $\frac{1}{2}$
- (B)  $-\frac{1}{2}$
- (C)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
- (D) 0

**Q74.**

Find the second order derivative of  $y = e^{2x} - e^{-x}$

- (A)  $4e^{2x} - e^{-x}$
- (B)  $4e^{2x} + e^{-x}$
- (C)  $-4e^{2x} - e^{-x}$
- (D)  $4e^{2x} + e^x$

**Q75.**

Equation of tangent to  $y = 2x^2 + x$  at (1,2) is

- (A)  $5x - y - 3 = 0$
- (B)  $5x + y + 3 = 0$
- (C)  $5x + y - 6 = 0$
- (D)  $5x + y + 6 = 0$

**Q76.**

The value of  $\int (\sec x \tan x + \sec^2 x) dx$  is

- (A)  $\sec 2x + \tan x + c$
- (B)  $\sec x + \cosec x + c$
- (C)  $\sec x + \tan x + c$
- (D)  $\sec x - \cosec^2 x + c$

**Q77.**

The value of  $\int (2x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x)^{10} (3x^2 + 3x + 1) dx$  is

- (A)  $\frac{1}{11} (2(6x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x)^{11} + c)$
- (B)  $\frac{1}{11} (2(2x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x)^{11} + c)$
- (C)  $\frac{1}{12} (2(2x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x)^{12} + c)$
- (D)  $\frac{1}{12} (12(2x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x)^{12} + c)$

**Q78.**

The value of  $\int_{-0}^{\pi/4} \tan^2 x dx$  is

- (A)  $1 + \frac{\pi}{4}$
- (B)  $1 + \frac{4\pi}{2}$
- (C)  $1 - \frac{\pi}{4}$
- (D)  $1 - \frac{4\pi}{2}$

**Q79.**

Area bounded by  $y = \sin x$  and x-axis from  $x = 0$  to  $x = \pi$  is

- (A) 2
- (B) -2
- (C) 3
- (D) 1

**Q80.**

The value of  $\tan 45^\circ \cot 225^\circ + \tan^2 60^\circ$  is

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

**Q81.**

\_\_\_\_\_ is an example of quantitative data.

- (A) Volume
- (B) Words
- (C) Symbols
- (D) Colour

**Q91.**

The percentile divides a series into \_\_\_\_\_ equal parts.

- (A) fifty
- (B) twenty
- (C) ten
- (D) hundred

**STATISTICS & ANALYTICS**

**Q82.**

Data cleaning is the process of

- (A) removing viruses
- (B) correctly formatting data
- (C) removing duplicate data
- (D) properly formatting data

**Q83.**

\_\_\_\_\_ is not a data collection tool.

- (A) Word
- (B) Focus Group Discussion
- (C) Survey
- (D) Questionnaire

**Q84.**

The graph of cumulative frequency is called

- (A) Frequency polygon
- (B) Histogram
- (C) Cumulative frequency polygon
- (D) Frequency histogram

**Q85.**

To calculate percentage frequency, we use \_\_\_\_\_ formula.

- (A)  $P.f. = (f \times n) \div 100$
- (B)  $P.f. = (f \div n) \times 100$
- (C)  $P.f. = (100) \div (f \times n)$
- (D)  $P.f. = (100) \times (f \div n)$

**Q86.**

If  $X_1, X_2, X_3 \dots X_n$  are the observations of a given data, then the mean will be:

- (A)  $\frac{\text{Total number of observations}}{\text{Sum of observations}}$
- (B) Sum of observations + Total number of observations
- (C)  $\frac{\text{Sum of observations}}{\text{Total number of observations}}$
- (D) Total number of observations – Sum of observations

**Q87.**

The end points of a class interval are the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ values a variable can take.

- (A) Lowest and Highest
- (B) Minimum and Maximum
- (C) Numeral and Average
- (D) Mean and Mode

**Q88.**

In which years did the girls participate more than the boys?

- (A) 2020, 2023
- (B) 2021, 2022
- (C) 2022, 2023
- (D) 2020, 2021

**Q89.**

In which two years did an equal number of boys participate?

- (A) 2020, 2021
- (B) 2020, 2022
- (C) 2020, 2023
- (D) 2021, 2022

**Q90.**

To find third quartile in Excel, we use \_\_\_\_\_ formula.

- (A) = QUARTER (3, Range)
- (B) = QUARTILE (3, Range)
- (C) = QUARTER (Range, 3)
- (D) = QUARTILE (Range, 3)

**Q92.**

If the first quartile is 23 and interquartile range is 20, the third quartile is

- (A) 23
- (B) 33
- (C) 43
- (D) 53

**Q93.**

The algebraic sum of the deviations of a frequency distribution from its mean is always

- (A) a non-zero number
- (B) zero
- (C) less than zero
- (D) greater than zero

**Q94.**

The Excel formula for ‘Mean’ is

- (A) = MEDIAN (array of numbers)
- (B) = AVERAGE (array of numbers)
- (C) = MEAN (array of numbers)
- (D) = MODE (array of numbers)

**Q95.**

What is output syntax in Python?

- (A) Print()
- (B) PRINT()
- (C) print()
- (D) Printf()

**Q96.**

'str' is a

- (A) Text Type
- (B) Numeric Type
- (C) Binary Type
- (D) Sequence Type

**Q97.**

In Python, \_\_\_\_\_ standard data types are commonly used.

- (A) three
- (B) five
- (C) ten
- (D) four

**Q98.**

The result of Python program gets displayed in \_\_\_\_\_

- (A) IDLE Shell 3.9.1 window
- (B) IDLE Shell 3.1.9 window
- (C) ILDE Shell 3.9.1 window
- (D) IELD Shell 3.9.1 window

**Q99.**

Which Python quotation does not accept quotes to denote strings?

- (A) ( ' )
- (B) ( \\ \" )
- (C) ( )
- (D) ( " \\ \" )

**Q100.**

In Python, \_\_\_\_\_ is used to end the physical line or ignore the comment.

- (A) \*\*
- (B) #
- (C) &
- (D) \\



## ANSWER KEY

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1. (A)	2. (A)	3. (A)	4. (D)	5. (C)	6. (B)	7. (B)	8. (C)	9. (B)	10. (A)
11. (D)	12. (B)	13. (A)	14. (D)	15. (B)	16. (B)	17. (A)	18. (A)	19. (C)	20. (A)
21. (B)	22. (B)	23. (A)	24. (A)	25. (C)	26. (C)	27. (B)	28. (C)	29. (A)	30. (C)
31. (D)	32. (A)	33. (D)	34. (B)	35. (A)	36. (C)	37. (A)	38. (B)	39. (A)	40. (A)
41. (A)	42. (B)	43. (A)	44. (A)	45. (A)	46. (A)	47. (A)	48. (A)	49. (C)	50. (A)
51. (C)	52. (A)	53. (B)	54. (C)	55. (A)	56. (A)	57. (A)	58. (B)	59. (D)	60. (D)
61. (C)	62. (C)	63. (A)	64. (C)	65. (B)	66. (A)	67. (D)	68. (A)	69. (B)	70. (D)
71. (B)	72. (B)	73. (A)	74. (A)	75. (A)	76. (C)	77. (B)	78. (A)	79. (A)	80. (C)
81. (A)	82. (B)	83. (B)	84. (C)	85. (B)	86. (C)	87. (B)	88. (B)	89. (D)	90. (D)
91. (D)	92. (C)	93. (B)	94. (B)	95. (C)	96. (B)	97. (B)	98. (A)	99. (C)	100. (B)