

**PART (C) : MATHEMATICS**

**Answer Key & Solution**

41. (B)

$2x^2 + 3x + 4 = 0$  has imaginary roots, conjugate powers.

$\therefore$  both roots common

$$\frac{a}{2} = \frac{b}{3} = \frac{c}{4}$$

42. (C)

$$\frac{\log^2(ab) \cdot \log(c) + \log^2(bc) \cdot \log(a) + \log^2(ca) \cdot \log(b)}{\log(a)^{\log(c) \cdot \log(b)}}$$

$$= \frac{\log^2(ab) \cdot \log(c) + \log^2(bc) \cdot \log(a) + \log^2(ca) \cdot \log(b)}{\log(c) \cdot \log(b) \cdot \log(a)}$$

(Split)

$$= \sum \frac{\log^2(ab)}{\log(a) \cdot \log(b)}$$

$$= \sum \frac{\log^2(ab)}{\log(a) \cdot \log(b)}$$

$$= \sum \frac{(\log a + \log b)^2}{\log a \cdot \log b} \quad [\because \log(abc) = 0 \Rightarrow \log a + \log b + \log c = 0]$$

$$= \sum \frac{(-\log c)^2}{\log a \cdot \log b}$$

$$= \sum \frac{\log^2 c}{\log a \cdot \log b}$$

$$= \frac{\log^3 c + \log^3 b + \log^3 a}{\log a \cdot \log b \cdot \log c}$$

$$= 3$$

43. (D)

$$x \in [0, 2\pi)$$

$$\cos x + \cos 2x + \cos 3x + \cos 4x = 0$$

$$\therefore 2 \cos \frac{5x}{2} \cos \frac{3x}{2} + 2 \cos \frac{5x}{2} \cos \frac{x}{2} = 0$$

$$2 \cos \frac{5x}{2} \left( \cos \frac{3x}{2} + \cos \frac{x}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$2 \cos \left( \frac{5x}{2} \right) \cdot 2 \cos x \cdot \cos \frac{x}{2} = 0$$

$$\cos x = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{2} / \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\cos \frac{x}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow x = \pi$$

$$\cos \frac{5x}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{5x}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2} / \frac{3\pi}{2}; \frac{7\pi}{2} / \frac{9\pi}{2}$$

7 values.

44.

(B)

$$K > 0$$

$$\alpha + \beta = 4\sqrt{2} K$$

$$\alpha \cdot \beta = 2e^{4 \ln k} - 1$$

$$= 2k^4 - 1$$

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 66$$

$$\Rightarrow (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta = 66$$

$$\Rightarrow 32k^2 - 4k^4 + 2 = 66$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = 4 \Rightarrow k = 2$$

$$\alpha^3 + \beta^3 = (\alpha + \beta)^3 - 3\alpha\beta(\alpha + \beta)$$

$$= (8\sqrt{2})^3 - 3 \cdot 31.8\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 8\sqrt{2} [128 - 93]$$

$$= 280\sqrt{2}$$

45.

(B)

$$f(x) = ax^2 + 2bx - 5c$$

$$f(2) = 4a + 4b - 5c$$

$$\text{Given, } 4a + 4b + 4c > 9c$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a + 4b - 5c > 0$$

$$\therefore f(2) > 0 \text{ \& } D > 0$$

$$f(x) > 0 \forall x \in R$$

$$f(0) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -5c > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c < 0 \text{ \& } a > 0$$



46.

(B)

$$f(0) = \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{2} + \frac{1 - \cos[2\theta + 4\pi/3]}{2} + \frac{1 - \cos[2\theta + 8\pi/3]}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ 3 - \left\{ \cos 2\theta + \cos \left( 2\theta + \frac{4\pi}{3} \right) + \cos \left( 2\theta + \frac{8\pi}{3} \right) \right\} \right]$$

$$= \frac{3}{2}$$

47. (A)

$$\sec^2(\alpha)(2 - \sec^2 \alpha) - \operatorname{cosec}^2 \alpha (2 - \operatorname{cosec}^2 \alpha) = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + \tan^2 \alpha)(1 - \tan^2 \alpha) - (1 + \cot^2 \alpha)(1 - \cot^2 \alpha) = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \tan^4 \alpha - (1 - \cot^4 \alpha) = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot^4 \alpha - \tan^4 \alpha = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$\frac{1}{x} - x = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - 4x^2 = 15x$$

$$4x^2 + 16x - x - 4 = 0$$

$$x = -4 \text{ or } x = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore \tan^4 \alpha = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

48. (A)

<p>Case-1: <math>x \geq 3</math></p> $x - 3 - x - 2 \geq 5$ $\Rightarrow -5 \geq 5$ <p>(rej)</p>	<p>Case-2: <math>x \in (-2, 3)</math></p> $-x + 3 - x - 2 \geq 5$ $-2x + 1 \geq 5$ $-2x \geq 4$ $x \leq -2$ <p>(rej)</p>	<p>Case-3: <math>x \leq -2</math></p> $-x + 3 + x + 2 \geq 5$ $\Rightarrow 5 \geq 5$ <p>true</p> $x \leq -2$
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49. (B)

$$\sqrt{2 \cot \alpha + \frac{1}{\sin^2 \alpha}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{2c}{s} + \frac{1}{s^2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sin 2\alpha}{s^2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left( \frac{c + s}{s} \right)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sqrt{(1 + \cot \alpha)^2} \\
 &= |1 + \cot \alpha| \\
 &= -(1 + \cot \alpha)
 \end{aligned}$$

50. (A)

$$\text{Let } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2^{10}}$$

$$2\theta = \frac{\pi}{2^9}$$

$$(\cos \theta \cdot \cos 2\theta \dots 9 \text{ terms}) \times \sin \theta$$

$$= \frac{\sin(2^9 \cdot \theta)}{2^9 \sin \theta} \cdot \sin \theta$$

$$= \frac{\sin \left[ 2^9 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2^{10}} \right]}{2^9}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^9}$$

51. (A)

$$8 \cos x \left[ \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{6} - \sin^2 x - \frac{1}{2} \right] = 1$$

$$8 \cos x \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \sin^2 x \right] = 1$$

$$\cos 3x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x \in [0, \pi]$$

$$3x \in [0, 3\pi]$$

$\therefore$  3 Solutions.

52. (C)

$$|\sqrt{x} - 2| + \sqrt{x}(\sqrt{x} - 4) + 2 = 0$$

$$\text{Let } \sqrt{x} = t$$

$$|t - 2| + t(t - 4) + 2 = 0$$

$$\text{C-1: } t \geq 2$$

$$t - 2 + t^2 - 4t + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 - 3t = 0$$

$$t = 0, t = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{x} = 3 \Rightarrow x = 9$$

**C-2:**  $t < 2$

$$\Rightarrow -t + 2 + t^2 - 4t + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 - 5t + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 1 \text{ or } t = 4$$

$$\sqrt{x} = 1$$

$$x = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of solution} = 1 + 9 = 10$$

53. (A)

$$x^2 + 5 = 2x - 4 \cos(a + bx)$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{(x-1)^2 + 4}_{[4, \infty)} = \underbrace{-4 \cos(a + bx)}_{[-4, 4]}$$

$$\therefore (x-1)^2 + 4 = 4 \text{ \& } -4 \cos(a + bx) = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$-4 \cos(a + b) = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(a + b) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = 2n\pi + \pi$$

$$a, b \in (0, 5)$$

$$(a + b) \Big|_{\max} = 3\pi$$

$$a + b \in (0, 10)$$

54. (C)

$$B = \frac{1}{\tan 66^\circ \cdot \tan 78^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\tan 6^\circ \cdot \tan 54^\circ}{\tan 6^\circ \cdot \tan 66^\circ \cdot \tan 54^\circ \cdot \tan 78^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\tan 6^\circ \cdot \tan 54^\circ \cdot \tan 42^\circ}{\tan 18^\circ \cdot \tan 78^\circ \cdot \tan 42^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\tan 6^\circ \cdot \tan 54^\circ \cdot \tan 42^\circ}{\tan 54^\circ} = A$$

55. (C)



56. (B, C)

$$y = \frac{3x}{1+x^2}$$

$$yx^2 - 3x + y = 0$$

$$\because x \in R$$

$$D \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 - 4y^2 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 \leq \frac{9}{4}$$

$$y \in \left[-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right]$$

57. (B, C, D)

$$4^{\sqrt{\log_{16} 2}} = 4^{\sqrt{\log_{2^4} 2}}$$

$$= 4^{\sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}}$$

$$= 4^{\frac{1}{2}} = 2$$

$$(A) \ 2^{\sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}} = 2^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{2} < 2$$

$$(B) \ 16^{\sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}} = 16^{\frac{1}{2}} = 4 > 2$$

$$(C) \ 16^{\sqrt{2}} > 2$$

$$(D) \ 2^{\sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \times 4}} = 2^{\sqrt{2}} > 2$$

58. (B, C)

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\cos \alpha + \cos \beta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right) \cdot \cos \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{So, } \cos(\alpha - \beta) = 2 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - 1 = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Now, } |\cos \alpha - \cos \beta|^2$$

$$= (\cos \alpha + \cos \beta)^2 - 4 \cos \alpha \cdot \cos \beta$$

$$= 1^2 - 2 [\cos(\alpha + \beta) + \cos(\alpha - \beta)]$$

$$= 1 - 2 \left[ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right]$$

$$= 1 - \frac{2}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$$

59. (B, C, D)

$$\because a = 1 > 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{-D}{4a} = \frac{13 + 36K - 9K^2}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow D = 9K^2 - 36K - 13$$

$$= (3K - 13)(3K + 1)$$

$$(A) \ D > 0 \ K \in \left(-\infty, -\frac{1}{3}\right) \cup \left(\frac{13}{3}, \infty\right)$$

$$(B) \ D < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow K \in \left(-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{13}{3}\right)$$

$$(D) \ D = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow K = -\frac{1}{3}, \frac{13}{3}$$

60. (A, B)

$$\sin x + \sin 3x - 3 \sin 2x = \cos x + \cos 3x - 3 \cos 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 2x (2 \cos x - 3) = \cos 2x (2 \cos x - 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos x - 3 = 0 \text{ or } \sin 2x = \cos 2x$$

(rej)

$$\tan 2x = 1$$

$$2x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8}$$