

**PART (C) : MATHEMATICS**

**SECTION – I : SINGLE CORRECT ANSWER TYPE**  
(Maximum Marks : 30)

This section contains 10 multiple choice questions. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) for its answer, out of which ONLY ONE is correct.

**Marking Scheme : +3 for correct answer, 0 if not attempted and -1 in all other cases.**

41. The value of  $k$  for which the equation  $x^2 + 2(k-1)x + k + 5 = 0$  possess at least one positive root is  
 (A)  $[4, \infty)$   
 (B)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup [4, \infty)$   
 (C)  $[-1, 4]$   
 (D)  $(-\infty, -1]$
42. The value of  $\cos \frac{\pi}{19} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{19} + \cos \frac{5\pi}{19} + \dots + \cos \frac{17\pi}{19}$  is equal to  
 (A)  $1/2$   
 (B)  $0$   
 (C)  $1$   
 (D) None of these
43. If  $f(\theta) = \sin^4 \theta + \cos^2 \theta$ , then range of  $f(\theta)$  is  
 (A)  $\left[\frac{1}{2}, 1\right]$   
 (B)  $\left[\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}\right]$   
 (C)  $\left[\frac{3}{4}, 1\right]$   
 (D) None of these
44. The number of positive integral solutions of  $\frac{x^2(3x-4)^3(x-2)^4}{(x-5)^5(2x-7)^6} \leq 0$  is  
 (A) four  
 (B) three  
 (C) two  
 (D) only one
45. If  $a, b, c \in R$  and  $x^2 + (a+b)x + c = 0$  has no real roots then  
 (A)  $c(a+b+c) > 0$   
 (B)  $c+c(a+b+c) > 0$   
 (C)  $c+c(a+b-c) > 0$   
 (D)  $c(a+b-c) > 0$

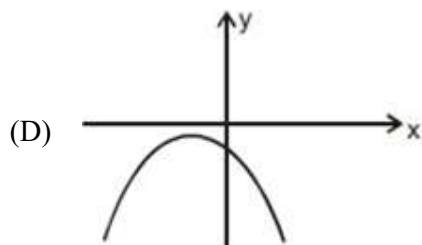
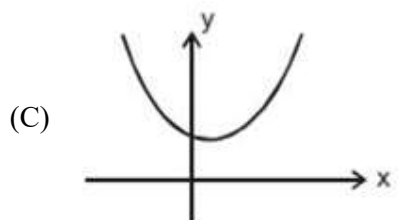
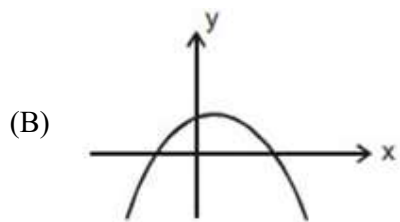
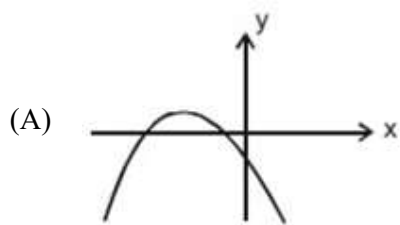
46. If  $0^\circ < x < 90^\circ$  and  $\cos x = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$ , then the value of  $\log_{10} \sin x + \log_{10} \cos x + \log_{10} \tan x$  is  
(A) 0  
(B) 1  
(C) -1  
(D) None of these
47. The value of  $\tan \frac{\pi}{16} + 2 \tan \frac{\pi}{8} + 4$  is equal to  
(A)  $\cot \frac{\pi}{8}$   
(B)  $\cot \frac{\pi}{16}$   
(C)  $\cot \frac{\pi}{16} - 4$   
(D) None of these
48. If the roots of the equation  $x^3 + Px^2 + Qx - 19 = 0$  are each one more than the roots of the equation  $x^3 - Ax^2 + Bx - C = 0$ , where  $A, B, C, P$  &  $Q$  are constants, then the value of  $A + B + C$  is equal to  
(A) 18  
(B) 19  
(C) 20  
(D) None of these
49. The value of  $\frac{2 \cos 40^\circ - \cos 20^\circ}{\sin 20^\circ}$  is  
(A)  $\sin 20^\circ$   
(B)  $\cos 20^\circ$   
(C) 1  
(D)  $\sqrt{3}$
50. Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are roots of the equations  $x^3 + qx + q = 0$ , then find the value of  $(\alpha + \beta)^{-1} + (\beta + \gamma)^{-1} + (\gamma + \alpha)^{-1}$ .  
(A) 0  
(B) -1  
(C) 1  
(D) None

**SECTION – II : MULTIPLE CORRECT ANSWER TYPE**  
(Maximum Marks : 20)

This section contains 5 multiple choice questions. Each question has 4 options (A), (B), (C) and (D) for its answer, out of which ONE OR MORE than ONE option can be correct.

**Marking Scheme : +4 for correct answer, +1 Partial Mark, 0 if not attempted and -1 in all other cases.**

51. For which of the following graphs of the quadratic expression  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ , then product  $abc$  is negative.



52.  $\cos 4x \cos 8x - \cos 5x \cos 9x = 0$  if
- (A)  $\cos 12x = \cos 14x$
  - (B)  $\sin 13x = 0$
  - (C)  $\sin x = 0$
  - (D)  $\cos x = 0$

53. The equation  $4x^2 - 11x + 2k = 0$  and  $x^2 - 3x - k = 0$  have a common root  $\alpha$ , then

- (A)  $k = 0$
- (B)  $k = -17/36$
- (C)  $\alpha = 0$
- (D)  $\alpha = 17/6$

54. The equation  $|x^2 - x - 6| = x + 2$  has :

- (A) two positive roots
- (B) two real roots
- (C) three real roots
- (D) four real roots

55. The expression  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x+2}\sqrt{x-1}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-2}\sqrt{x-1}}$  simplifies to :

- (A)  $\frac{2}{3-x}$  if  $1 < x < 2$
- (B)  $\frac{2}{2-x}$  if  $1 < x < 2$
- (C)  $\frac{2\sqrt{x-1}}{(x-2)}$  if  $x > 2$
- (D)  $\frac{2\sqrt{x-1}}{x+2}$  if  $x > 2$

### SECTION – III : INTEGER ANSWER TYPE

(Maximum Marks : 10)

This section contains 5 questions. The answer to each question is a **SINGLE DIGIT INTEGER** ranging from **0 to 9, BOTH INCLUSIVE**.

**Marking scheme: +2 for correct answer, 0 if not attempted and 0 in all other cases.**

56. Let  $f_k(x) = \frac{1}{k}(\sin^k x + \cos^k x)$  for  $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ . Then for all  $x \in R$ , the value of  $f_4(x) - f_6(x)$  is equal to  $\lambda$ , then  $24\lambda = ?$ .

57. If  $\sin^4 \alpha + 4\cos^4 \beta + 2 = 4\sqrt{2} \sin \alpha \cos \beta$ ;  $\alpha, \beta \in [0, \pi]$ , then  $\cos(\alpha + \beta) - \cos(\alpha - \beta) = -\sqrt{K}$ ;  $K$  is ?

58. The total number of solution of  $\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x = \sin x \cdot \cos x$  is  $[0, 2\pi]$  is equal to

59. If  $f(n, \theta) = (\sec 2^{n-1} \theta) \dots (\sec 2\theta)(\sec \theta) \sec\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) (1 + \cos \theta)(1 + \cos 2\theta)(1 + \cos 2^2 \theta) \dots (1 + \cos 2^n \theta)$ ,  
 $n \in N$ , then value of  $f\left(3, \frac{2\pi}{17}\right)$  is
60. The number of real solutions of the equation  $-x^2 + x - 1 = \sin^4 x$  is