

# Assignment 2

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## SECTION - B JEE MAIN/AIEEE

20) Let  $a, b, c$  be such that  $b(a + c) \neq 0$  if

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & a+1 & a-1 \\ b & b+1 & b-1 \\ c & c-1 & c+1 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a+1 & b+1 & c-1 \\ a-1 & b-1 & c+1 \\ (-1)^{n+2}a & (-1)^{n+1}b & (-1)^n c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

, then the value of  $n$  is: (2009)

- a) any even integer    b) any odd integer  
c) any integer    d) zero

21) The number of  $3 \times 3$  non-singular matrices with four entries as 1 and all other entries as 0, is (2010)

- a) 5    b) 6  
c) atleast 7    d) less than 4

22) Let  $A$  be a  $2 \times 2$  matrix with non-zero entries and let  $A^2 = I$ , where  $I$  is  $2 \times 2$  identity matrix. Define

$Tr(A)$  - sum of diagonal elements of  $A$  and  
 $|A|$  - determinant of matrix  $A$ .

**Statement - 1:**  $Tr(A) = 0$ .

**Statement - 2:**  $|A| = 1$

(2010)

- a) Statement - 1 is true, Statement - 2 is true;  
Statement - 2 is **not** a correct explanation for Statement-1.  
b) Statement - 1 is true, Statement - 2 is false.  
c) Statement - 1 is false, Statement - 2 is true.  
d) Statement - 1 is true, Statement - 2 is true;  
Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.

23) Consider the system of linear equations;

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 &= 3 \\ 2x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 &= 3 \\ 3x_1 + 5x_2 + 2x_3 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

(2010)

- a) exactly 3 solutions  
b) a unique solution  
c) no solution  
d) infinite number of solutions

24) The number of values of  $k$  for which the linear equations  $4x + ky + 2z = 0$ ,  $kx + 4y + z = 0$  and  $2x + 2y + z = 0$  possess a non zero solution is (2011)

- a) 2    b) 1    c) zero    d) 3

25) Let  $A$  and  $B$  be two symmetric matrices of order 3.

**Statement - 1:**  $A(BA)$  and  $(AB)A$  are symmetric matrices.

**Statement - 2:**  $AB$  is symmetric matrix if matrix multiplication of  $A$  with  $B$  is commutative.

- a) Statement - 1 is true, Statement - 2 is true;  
Statement - 2 is **not** a correct explanation for Statement-1.  
b) Statement - 1 is true, Statement - 2 is false.  
c) Statement - 1 is false, Statement - 2 is true.  
d) Statement - 1 is true, Statement - 2 is true;  
Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.

26) Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

If  $u_1$  and  $u_2$  are column matrices such that

$$Au_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$Au_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

, then  $u_1 + u_2$  is equal to: (2012)

- a)                      b)                      c)                      d)

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- 27) Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be  $3 \times 3$  matrices  $P \neq Q$ . If  $P^3 = Q^3$  and  $P^2Q = Q^2P$  then determinant of  $(P^2 + Q^2)$  is equal to (2012)

- a)  $-2$               b)  $1$               c)  $0$               d)  $-1$

- 28) If

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

is the adjoint of a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $A$  and  $|A| = 4$ , then  $\alpha$  is equal to: (JEEM2014)

- a)  $4$               b)  $11$               c)  $5$               d)  $0$

- 29) If  $\alpha, \beta \neq 0$  and  $f(n) = \alpha^n + \beta^n$  and

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1+f(1) & 1+f(2) \\ 1+f(1) & 1+f(2) & 1+f(3) \\ 1+f(2) & 1+f(3) & 1+f(4) \end{vmatrix}$$

$= K(1-\alpha)^2(1-\beta)^2(\alpha-\beta)^2$ , then  $K$  is equal to

(JEEM2014)

- a)  $1$               b)  $-1$               c)  $\alpha\beta$               d)  $\frac{1}{\alpha\beta}$

- 30) If  $A$  is a  $3 \times 3$  non-singular matrix such that  $AA' = A'A$  and  $B = A^{-1}A'$ , then  $BB'$  equals: (JEEM2014)

- a)  $B^{-1}$               b)  $(B^{-1})'$               c)  $I + B$               d)  $I$

- 31) The set of all values of  $\lambda$  for which the system of linear equations:

$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3 &= \lambda x_1 \\ 2x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3 &= \lambda x_2 \\ -x_1 + 2x_2 &= \lambda x_3 \end{aligned}$$

has a non-trivial solution

(JEEM2015)

- a) contains two elements  
b) contains more than two elements  
c) is an empty set

- d) is a singleton

- 32) If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ a & 2 & b \end{pmatrix}$  is a matrix satisfying the equation  $AA^T = 9I$ , where  $I$  is  $3 \times 3$  identity matrix, then the ordered pair  $(a, b)$  is equal to: (JEEM2015)

- a)  $(2, 1)$                               b)  $(-2, -1)$   
c)  $(2, -1)$                               d)  $(-2, 1)$

- 33) The system of linear equations

$$\begin{aligned} x + \lambda y - z &= 0 \\ \lambda x - y - z &= 0 \\ x + y - \lambda z &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

has a non-trivial solution for:

(JEEM2016)

- a) exactly two values of  $\lambda$   
b) exactly three values of  $\lambda$   
c) infinitely many values of  $\lambda$   
d) exactly one value of  $\lambda$

- 34) If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 5a & -b \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $A \text{adj} A = AA^T$ , then  $5a+b$  is equal to: (JEEM2016)

- a)  $4$                               b)  $13$   
c)  $-1$                               d)  $5$

- 35) Let  $k$  be an integer such that triangle with vertices  $(k, -3k)$ ,  $(5, k)$ ,  $(-k, 2)$  has area 28 sq. units. Then the orthocentre of this triangle is at the point: (JEEM2017)

- a)  $(2, \frac{1}{2})$                               b)  $(2, \frac{-1}{2})$   
c)  $(1, \frac{3}{4})$                               d)  $(1, \frac{-3}{4})$

- 36) Let  $\omega$  be a complex number such that  $2\omega+1 = z$  where  $z = \sqrt{-3}$ . If  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -\omega^2 - 1 & \omega^2 \\ 1 & \omega^2 & \omega^7 \end{vmatrix} = 3k$ , then  $k$  is equal to: (JEEM2017)

- (a)  $1$                               (b)  $-z$   
(c)  $z$                               (d)  $-1$