

Engineering mathematics
(2016)

Q1. Choose the correct answer from the following questions

(i) The value of $\log_{2\sqrt{3}} 144$ is

- (a) +4 (b) -4 (c) both (d) None

Sol.(a)

$$\log_{2\sqrt{3}} 144 = x$$

$$(2\sqrt{3})^x = 144$$

$$2^x 3^{x/2} = 2^4 \cdot 3^2$$

$$x = 4$$

(ii) The value of the determinant $\begin{vmatrix} 18 & 1 & 17 \\ 22 & 3 & 19 \\ 26 & 5 & 21 \end{vmatrix} = \dots\dots\dots$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } & 18(21 \times 3 - 19 \times 5) - 1(22 \times 21 - 19 \times 26) + 17(22 \times 5 - 26 \times 3) \\ & = 18(63 - 95) - 1(462 - 494) + 17(110 - 78) \\ & = -576 + 32 + 544 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) Find the 5th term in the expansion of $(1+x)^5$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } T_{r+1} &= {}^5C_r (1)^{5-r} (x)^r \\ &= {}^5C_4 x^5 \end{aligned}$$

(iv) A square matrix A is said to be singular if $|A| = \dots\dots\dots$

Sol. One

(v) The value of $\sin\left(\frac{31\pi}{3}\right) = \dots\dots\dots$

$$\text{Sol. } \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

(vi) In $\triangle ABC$, if $a + b + c = 2s$, then $\cos \frac{A}{2} = \dots\dots\dots$

$$\text{Sol. } \cos B \text{ is equal to } = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac}$$

(vii) If two lines are parallel to each other having their slopes m_1 and m_2 , then $m_1 = \dots\dots\dots$

Sol. zero

(viii) Angle between the lines whose slopes are $1/2$ and 3 is
Sol.

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3 - \frac{1}{2}}{1 + \frac{1}{3} + 3}\right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\frac{5}{2}}{\frac{10}{3}}\right) = \tan^{-1}(1) = 95^\circ \frac{\pi}{4}$$

(Lx) The radius of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y - 5 = 0$ is

Sol. $2g = -4$; $2f = 6$.

$g = -2$; $f = 3$, $c = -5$.

radius $= \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c} = \sqrt{4 + 9 + 25} = \sqrt{38}$

(x) The value of $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) + \vec{b} \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) + \vec{c} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) = \dots$

Sol. zero

Q2.(a) If $\frac{\log a}{b-c} = \frac{\log b}{c-a} = \frac{\log c}{a-b}$, then prove that

$$a^{b+c}, b^{c+a}, c^{a+b} = 1.$$

Sol. Given, $\frac{\log a}{b-c} = \frac{\log b}{c-a} = \frac{\log c}{a-b} = k$

Taking 1st and last term

$$\frac{\log a}{b-c} = k$$

$$\log a = k(b-c)$$

$$a = 10^{k(b-c)} \dots \dots \dots (i)$$

Similarly, $b = 10^{k(c-a)} \dots \dots \dots (ii)$

$$c = 10^{k(a-b)} \dots \dots \dots (iii)$$

Now, taking powers $(b+c)$, $(c+a)$, $(a+b)$ on both sides of (i), (ii) and (iii) then multiplying, we get

$$a^{b+c}, b^{c+a}, c^{a+b} = 10^{k(b-c)(b+c)}, 10^{k(c-a)(c+a)}, 10^{k(a-b)(a+b)}$$

$$= 10^{k(b^2 - c^2) + k(c^2 - a^2) + k(a^2 - b^2)}$$

$$= 10^{k(0)} = 10^0 = 1 \quad \text{Proved.}$$

Q2.(b) Resolve $\frac{x-1}{(x-2)(x-3)}$ into partial fraction.

Sol. $\frac{x-1}{(x-2)(x-3)} = \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{x-3}$

Putting $k = 2$ in LHS and then

We get, $x = 3$

$A = -1$ and $B = 2$

Or

$$x-1 = A(x-3) + B(x-2)$$

Equating the coefficient of x^2 , x and constant term.

$$x-1 = Ax - 3A + Bx - 2B$$

$$A + B = 1 \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$-3A - 2B = -1 \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

$$2A + 2B = 2$$

$$3A + 2B = 1$$

$$\underline{\quad \quad \quad}$$

$$-A = 1$$

$$A = -1$$

$$B = 2$$

\therefore Required partial fraction

$$= -\frac{1}{x-2} + \frac{2}{x-3}$$

Q3.(a) Find the coefficient of x^7 in the expansion of

$$\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^{11}$$

Sol. $T_{r+1} = {}^{11}C_r (x^2)^{11-r} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^r$

$$= {}^{11}C_r x^{22-2r} \cdot x^{-r}$$

$$= {}^{11}C_r x^{22-3r}$$

But $x^7 = x^{22-3r}$

$$22-3r = 7$$

$$3r = 15$$

$$r = 5$$

\therefore the Co-efficient of $x^7 = {}^{11}C_5$

Q3.(b) Prove that

$$\begin{vmatrix} x+a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & x+b & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & x+c \end{vmatrix} = x^2(x+a+b+c).$$

Sol. $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} x+a & b & c \\ a & x+b & c \\ a & b & x+c \end{vmatrix}$

$$C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2 + C_3$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} x+a+b+c & b & c \\ x+a+b+c & x+b & c \\ x+a+b+c & b & x+c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (x+a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b & c \\ 1 & x+b & c \\ 1 & b & x+c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1; R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$= (x+a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b & c \\ 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & x \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= x^2(x+a+b+c)$$

Proved.

Q4. Solve the following system of equation by matrix method:

$$2x - y + 3z = 9; x + y + z = 6; x - y + z = 2$$

Sol. Same as 2013, Ques. 4.

Q5. Prove that $\cos x \cos 2x \cos 4x \cos 8x = \frac{\sin 16x}{16 \sin x}$

Sol. L.H.S. = $\cos x \cos 2x \cos 4x \cos 8x$

$$= \frac{(2 \sin x \cos x)}{2 \sin x} \cos 2x \cos 4x \cos 8x$$

$$= \frac{(2 \sin 2x \cos 2x)}{4 \sin x} \cos 4x \cos 8x$$

$$= \frac{(2 \sin 4x \cos 4x)}{8 \sin x} \cos 8x$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin 8x}{16 \sin x} \cos 8x$$

$$= \frac{\sin 16x}{16 \sin x} = \text{R.H.S.} \quad \text{Proved.}$$

Q6.(b) Prove that $2 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = \frac{\pi}{4}$.

Sol. L.H.S. = $2 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7}$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2 \times \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{9}} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{7} \right) \left(\because 2 \tan^{-1} x = \tan^{-1} \frac{2x}{1-x^2} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{7} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{7}}{1 - \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{7}} \right)$$

$$\left(\because \tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} y = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy} \right) \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} (1) = \frac{\pi}{4} = \text{R.H.S.} \quad \text{Proved.}$$

Q7.(a) If the point $(h, 0)$, (a, b) and $(0, k)$ lie on a line, show

$$\text{that } \frac{a}{h} + \frac{b}{k} = 1.$$

Sol. This three points lie on a line i.e. collinear,

$$\text{Area } \Delta ABC = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} a & b & 1 \\ h & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & k & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a(0-k) - b(h-0) + 1(hk-0) = 0$$

$$-ak - bh + hk = 0$$

$$ak + bh = hk$$

$$\frac{a}{h} + \frac{b}{k} = 1$$

Proved.

Q7.(b) Find the equation of the line passing through the point $(-2, -4)$ and perpendicular to the line $3x - y + 5 = 0$.

Sol. Let the required equation of St. line which is perpendicular to the given line and passes through $(-2, -4)$ be $-x + 3y + k = 0$.

Also it passes through $(-2, -4)$

$$2 + 3 \times -4 + k = 0$$

$$k = 10$$

$$\therefore \text{Required equation} = -x + 3y + 10 = 0.$$

Q8.(a) If the straight line $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$ passing through the points $(8, -9)$ and $(12, -15)$, find the value of a and b .

Sol. Given, $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$

$$bx + ay = ab \quad \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

It passes through the point $(8, -9)$ and $(12, -15)$

$$\text{Then, } 8b - 9a = ab \quad \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

$$12b - 15a = ab \quad \dots\dots\dots(iii)$$

Solving (ii) and (iii)

$$8b - 9 = 12b - 15a$$

$$4b = 5a$$

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

Putting the value of b in eq.(ii)

$$48 \times \frac{3}{2}a - 9a = a \times \frac{3}{2}a$$

$$12a - 9a = \frac{3}{2}a^2$$

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

$$a = 2; b = 3.$$

Q8.(b) Show that the equation $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 12x - 18y - 11 = 0$ represent a circle. Also find its centre and radius.

Sol. Given $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 12x - 18y - 11 = 0$ be a 2nd degree non homogeneous equation in x and y .

$$\text{i.e., } 3x^2 + 12x + 3y^2 - 18y - 11 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 4x + y^2 - 6y - \frac{11}{3} = 0$$

$$(x+2)^2 + (y-3)^2 - \frac{11}{3} = 0$$

$$(x - (-2))^2 + (y - (3))^2 = \frac{11}{3} \quad \dots\dots(i)$$

Co-ordinates of its centre (α, β) and radius is r and we know the general equation of circle.

$$\text{i.e. } (x - \alpha)^2 + (y - \beta)^2 = r^2$$

Compare (i) and (ii)

$$\text{Centre } (-g, -f) \text{ and radius } = \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Centre } (-2, 3) \text{ and radius } &= \sqrt{4 + 9 - \frac{11}{3}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{12 + 27 - 11}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{28}{3}} \end{aligned}$$

Q9.(a) Find the area of the triangle whose two adjacent sides are determined by the vectors $\vec{a} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$.

$$\text{Sol. Given: } \vec{F} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{r} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

Moment of force about the given point.

$$\therefore \text{Moment} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F}$$

$$= (\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$$

$$= \hat{k} - \hat{j} - \hat{k} + \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{i}$$

$$= 3\hat{i} - 3\hat{j}$$

Q10.(a) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, then find the value of $A^3 - 4A + 5I_3$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } A^2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1+4+4 & 2+2+4 & 2+4+2 \\ 2+2+4 & 4+1+4 & 4+2+2 \\ 2+4+2 & 4+2+2 & 4+4+1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 8 & 8 \\ 8 & 9 & 8 \\ 8 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$-4A = -4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -8 & -8 \\ -8 & -4 & -8 \\ -8 & -8 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 - 4A + 5I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 8 & 8 \\ 8 & 9 & 8 \\ 8 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -8 & -8 \\ -8 & -4 & -8 \\ -8 & -8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 9-4+5 & 8-8+0 & 8-8+0 \\ 8-8+0 & 9-4+5 & 8-8+0 \\ 8-8+0 & 8-8+0 & 9-4+4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \text{ Ans.}$$

Q10.(b) Find the adjoint of matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Sol.

$$C_{11} = (4+6) = 10; C_{12} = -(4-9) = 5; C_{13} = (-4-6) = -10$$

$$C_{21} = -(-6+6) = 0; C_{22} = (4+9) = 13; C_{23} = -(-4+9) = -5$$

$$C_{31} = (-9-6) = -15; C_{32} = -(6-6) = 0; C_{33} = (4+6) = 10$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Adj. of matrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 5 & 10 \\ 0 & 13 & -5 \\ -15 & 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}^T \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 & -15 \\ 5 & 13 & 0 \\ -10 & -5 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$