PARISHRAM 2026

Mathematics

Matrices

DPP: 2

Q1 If
$$\begin{bmatrix} x+y & 2 \\ 5 & xy \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 5 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$
, then the value of $\left(\frac{24}{x} + \frac{24}{y}\right)$ is :

(A)7

(B)6

(C) 8

(D) 18

Q2 If
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{4} & 3\mathbf{b} \\ 8 & -\mathbf{6} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2\mathbf{a} + 2 & \mathbf{b} + 2 \\ 8 & \mathbf{a} - 8\mathbf{b} \end{bmatrix}$$
, write the value of $\mathbf{a} - 2\mathbf{b}$.

(A) 0

(B)2

(C) -6

(D) 10

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{4} & 3\mathbf{b} \\ 8 & -6 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 2\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{2} & \mathbf{b}^2 + \mathbf{2} \\ 8 & \mathbf{b}^2 - 5\mathbf{b} \end{bmatrix}$$

- (A) 0, 0
- (C) -6, 2
- (D) 10, 12

Q4 If
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2x+y & 4x \\ 5x-7 & 4x \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 7y-13 \\ y & x+6 \end{bmatrix}$$
, then the

value of x + y is

- (A) x = 3, y = 1 (B) x = 2, y = 3 (C) x = 2, y = 4 (D) x = 3, y = 3

Q5 If
$$2\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & x \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & y \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 10 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
, then find (x - y).

(A)6

(B) 8

(C) 10

(D) 12

Q6 If
$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{1} & \mathbf{0} & -\mathbf{2} \\ \mathbf{2} & -\mathbf{3} & \mathbf{4} \end{bmatrix}$$
, then the matrix X for which 2X + 3A = 0 holds true is

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{2} & 0 & -3 \\ -3 & -\frac{9}{2} & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

(B)
$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{2} & 0 & -3 \\ 3 & -\frac{9}{2} & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

(C) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{2} & 0 & 3 \\ 3 & \frac{9}{2} & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix}
3 & 0 & 3 \\
3 & \frac{9}{2} & 6
\end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{2} & 0 & 3 \\ -3 & \frac{9}{2} & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q7 If
$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & a \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and $3X - \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

then a is equal to -

(A) 1

(B)2

(C) 0

(D) -2

If
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} & \mathbf{4} \\ \mathbf{z} + \mathbf{6} & \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{8} & \mathbf{w} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{6} \end{bmatrix}$$
, write the value of $(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{z})$.

- (A) 6
- (B) 8

(C) 10

(D) 0

Q9 The elements
$$\mathbf{a_{ij}}$$
 of a 3 × 3 matrix are given by $\mathbf{a_{ij}} = \frac{1}{2} |-3\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}|$. Write the value of element $\mathbf{a_{32}}$.

(C) $\frac{11}{9}$

Q10 If
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$
 then element a_{21} of A^2 is

(A) 22

- (B) 15
- (C) -10
- (D) 7

Answer Key

Q1	D	
Q2	Α	
Q3	В	
Q4	В	
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Q6	D
Q7	В
Q8	D
Q9	В
Q10	В



Hints & Solutions

Note: scan the OR code to watch video solution

Q1 Text Solution:

Given
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} & \mathbf{2} \\ \mathbf{5} & \mathbf{x} \mathbf{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{6} & \mathbf{2} \\ \mathbf{5} & \mathbf{8} \end{bmatrix}$$

then x + y = 6, xy = 8 By compare

$$x = 4$$
, $y = 2$ or $x = 2$, $y = 4$

then
$$\frac{24}{x} + \frac{24}{y} = \frac{24}{4} + \frac{24}{2} = 6 + 12 = 18$$

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Q2 Text Solution:

Given
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a}+4 & 3\mathbf{b} \\ 8 & -6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2\mathbf{a}+2 & \mathbf{b}+2 \\ 8 & 9-8\mathbf{b} \end{bmatrix}$$

By Comparing

$$3b = b + 2 \otimes b = 1$$

then the value of a – 2b is zero.

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Q3 Text Solution:

Given
$$\mathbf{A} = \left[egin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{4} & 3\mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{8} & -\mathbf{6} \end{array}
ight]$$
 and

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 2\mathbf{a} + 2 & \mathbf{b}^2 + 2 \\ 8 & \mathbf{b}^2 - 5\mathbf{b} \end{bmatrix}$$

A = B then

$$a + 4 = 2a + 2$$

$$2 = a$$

$$b^2 + 2 = 3b$$

$$b^2 - 3b + 2 = 0$$

$$(b-2)(b-1)=0$$

$$b = 2 \text{ or } b = 1$$

Again

$$b^2 - 5b = -6$$

$$b^2 - 5b + 6 = 0$$

$$(b-2)(b-3)=0$$

$$b = 2 \text{ or } b = 3$$

So
$$a = 2$$
 and $b = 2$

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Q4 Text Solution:

Given
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2x + y & 4x \\ 5x - 7 & 4x \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 7y - 13 \\ y & x + 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

then

$$4x = x + 6$$
,

$$3x = 6$$

$$x = 2$$

$$2x + y = 7$$

$$2(2) + y = 7$$

$$y = 3$$

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Q5 Text Solution:

Given,
$$2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & x \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & y \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 10 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 10 & 2x \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & y \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 10 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 + y \\ 10 & 2x + 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 10 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

By Comparing

$$8 + y = 0$$
 then $y = -8$

and
$$2x + 1 = 5$$
 then $x = 2$

then
$$x - y = 2 - (-8) \Rightarrow 10$$

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Q6 Text Solution:

If
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$
,

$$2X + 3A = 0$$

$$2X = -3A$$

$$X = -\frac{3}{2}A$$

$$X = -\frac{3}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{2} & 0 & 3 \\ -3 & \frac{9}{2} & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Q7 Text Solution:

$$3X = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3a \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 L.H.S. $= \begin{bmatrix} 3-2 & 3a-3 \\ 0-0 & 3-2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3a - 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now by equality of two matrices, we have 3a -

$$\Rightarrow$$
a = 2

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Q8 Text Solution:

Given

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} & \mathbf{4} \\ \mathbf{z} + \mathbf{6} & \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{8} & \mathbf{w} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

By Compare

$$x \cdot y = 8 \text{ then } x = 4 \text{ or } 2$$

$$x + y = 6$$
 $y = 2 \text{ or } 4$

and

$$z + 6 = 0$$

$$z = -6$$

$$x + y + z$$

$$4 + 2 + (-6) = 0$$

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Q9 Text Solution:

Given

$$\mathbf{a_{ij}} = \frac{1}{2} \left| -3\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} \right|$$

$$a_{32} = \frac{1}{2} |-3(3) + 2|$$

$$a_{32}=\frac{1}{2}\left|-7\right|\Rightarrow\frac{7}{2}$$

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Q10 Text Solution:

The element $\mathbf{a_{21}}$ is product of second row of A to the first column of A

$$\therefore a_{21} = [3 -4] \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = -3 - 12 = -15$$

Video Solution:





