

- 1) If the maximum distance of normal to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$, $b < 2$, from the origin is 1, then the eccentricity of the ellipse is :
 - a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
 - b) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 - c) $\frac{1}{2}$
 - d) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$
- 2) For all $z \in C$ on the curve $C_1 : |z| = 4$, let the locus of the point $z + \frac{1}{z}$ be the curve C_2 . Then
 - a) the curve C_1 and C_2 intersect at 4 points
 - b) the curve C_1 lies inside C_2
 - c) the curves C_1 and C_2 intersect at 2 points
 - d) the curve C_2 lies inside C_1
- 3) A wire of length $20m$ is to be cut into two pieces. A piece of length l_1 is bent into the shape of area A_1 and the other piece of length l_2 is made into circle of area A_2 . If $2A_1 + 3A_2$ is minimum then $(\pi l_1) : l_2$ is equal to :
 - a) 6 : 1
 - b) 3 : 1
 - c) 1 : 6
 - d) 4 : 1
- 4) For the system of linear equations

$$x + y + z = 6$$

$$\alpha x + \beta y + 7z = 3$$

$$x + 2y + 3z = 14,$$
 which of the following is NOT true?
 - a) If $\alpha = \beta = 7$, then the system has no solution
 - b) If $\alpha = \beta$ and $\alpha \neq 7$ then the system has a unique solution
 - c) There is a unique point (α, β) on the line $x + 2y + 18 = 0$ for which the system has infinitely many solutions
 - d) For every point $(\alpha, \beta) \neq (7, 7)$ on the line $x - 2y + 7 = 0$, the system has infinitely many solutions
- 5) Let the shortest distance between the lines

$$L: \frac{x-5}{-2} = \frac{y-\lambda}{0} = \frac{z+\lambda}{1}, \lambda \geq 0$$
 and

$$L_1: x + 1 = y - 1 = z = 2\sqrt{6}.$$
 If (α, β, γ) lies on L , then which of the following is NOT possible ?
 - a) $\alpha + 2\gamma = 24$
 - b) $2\alpha + \gamma = 7$
 - c) $2\alpha - \gamma = 9$

- d) $\alpha - 2\gamma = 19$
- 6) Let $y = f(x)$ represent a parabola with focus $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, 0\right)$ and directrix $y = -\frac{1}{2}$. Then $S = \left\{x \in \mathbb{R} : \tan^{-1} \left(\sqrt{f(x)} + \sin^{-1} \left(\sqrt{f(x)+1} \right) \right) = \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}$:
- contains exactly two elements
 - contains exactly one element
 - is an infinite set
 - is an empty set
- 7) Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & 12 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$. Then the sum of the diagonal elements of the matrix $(A + I)^{11}$ is equal to :
- 6144
 - 4094
 - 4097
 - 2050
- 8) Let R be a relation $N \times N$ defined by $(a, b) R (c, d)$ if and only if $ad(b - c) = bc(a - d)$. Then R is
- symmetric but neither reflexive nor transitive
 - transitive but neither reflexive nor symmetric
 - reflexive and symmetric but not transitive
 - symmetric and transitive but not reflexive
- 9) Let $y = f(x) = \sin^3 \left(\frac{\pi}{3} \left(\cos \left(\frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{2}} (-4x^3 + 5x^2 + 1) \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right) \right)$
Then , at $x = 1$,
- $2y' + \sqrt{3}\pi^2 y = 0$
 - $2y' + 3\pi^2 y = 0$
 - $\sqrt{2}y' - 3\pi^2 y = 0$
 - $y' + 3\pi^2 y = 0$
- 10) If sum and product of four positive consecutive terms of a $G.P.$, are 126 and 1296, respectively, then the sum of common ratios of all such $G.P.s$ is :
- 7
 - $\frac{9}{2}$
 - 3
 - 14
- 11) The number of real roots of the equation $\sqrt{x^2 - 4x + 3} + \sqrt{x^2 - 9} = \sqrt{4x^2 - 14x + 6}$, is :
- 0
 - 1
 - 3
 - 2
- 12) Let a differentiable function f satisfy $f(x) + \int_3^x \frac{f(t)}{t} dt = \sqrt{x+1}, x \geq 3$. Then $12f(8)$ is equal to :

- a) 34
- b) 19
- c) 17
- d) 1

13) If the domain of the function $f(x) = \frac{[x]}{1+x^2}$, where $[x]$ is greatest integer $\leq x$, is $[2, 6)$, then its range is

- a) $\left(\frac{5}{26}, \frac{2}{5}\right] - \left\{\frac{9}{29}, \frac{27}{109}, \frac{18}{89}, \frac{9}{53}\right\}$
- b) $\left(\frac{5}{26}, \frac{2}{5}\right]$
- c) $\left(\frac{5}{37}, \frac{2}{5}\right] - \left\{\frac{9}{29}, \frac{27}{109}, \frac{18}{89}, \frac{9}{53}\right\}$
- d) $\left(\frac{5}{37}, \frac{2}{5}\right]$

14) Let $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and \vec{b} and \vec{c} be two nonzero vectors such that $|\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c}| = |\vec{a} + \vec{b} - \vec{c}|$ and $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = 0$. Consider the following two statements :

- (A) $|\vec{a} + \lambda \vec{c}| \geq |\vec{a}|$ for all $\lambda \in R$
- (B) \vec{a} and \vec{c} are always parallel

- a) only (B) is correct
- b) neither (A) nor (B) is correct
- c) only (A) is correct
- d) both (A) and (B) are correct

15) Let $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ and $\beta = \log_e (1 - \alpha)$. Let $P_n(x) = x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n}$, $x \in (0, 1)$.

Then, the integral $\int_0^\alpha \frac{t^{50}}{1-t} dt$ is equal to :

- a) $\beta - P_{50}(\alpha)$
- b) $-(\beta + P_{50}(\alpha))$
- c) $P_{50}(\alpha) - \beta$
- d) $\beta + P_{50}(\alpha)$