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PART—A

1. Every Cauchy sequence is convergent on
- real line
 - complex plane
 - both real line and complex plane
 - None of the above

2. The value of $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \int_2^{2+h} \sqrt{t^2+2} dt$ is

- 0
- $\sqrt{6}$
- $\sqrt{2} - 2$
- $\sqrt{3}$

3. The value of

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \left(\frac{2}{1} \right) \left(\frac{3}{2} \right)^2 \left(\frac{4}{3} \right)^3 \cdots \left(\frac{n+1}{n} \right)^n \right\}^{1/n}$$

is

- e
- π
- $1/e$
- $1/\pi$

4. Let $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^2}$ be a function defined on $[-1, 1]$. Then which of the following statements is **not** true?

- f is a continuous function.
- f converges uniformly.
- f represents a bounded function.
- None of the above

5. Let $f(x) = \frac{\alpha x}{x+1}$, $x \neq -1$. Then the value of α for which $f(f(x)) = x$ is
- $\sqrt{2}$
 - $-\sqrt{2}$
 - 1
 - 1
6. Let $f(x) = [x^2 - 3]$, where $[.]$ denotes the greatest integer function. Then the number of points in the interval $(1, 2)$, where the function is discontinuous, is
- 4
 - 6
 - 2
 - ∞
7. Which one of the following d is **not** a metric on the set \mathbb{R} of real numbers?
- $d(x, y) = \frac{|x-y|}{1+|x-y|}$
 - $d(x, y) = \min(1, |x-y|)$
 - $d(x, y) = \max(1, |x-y|)$
 - $d(x, y) = \left| \frac{x}{1+|x|} - \frac{y}{1+|y|} \right|$
8. If $L: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a linear transformation given by

$$L\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

then

- $\ker(L) = \{0\}$
- $\ker(L) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
- $\ker(L) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
- $\ker(L) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

9. If in ring $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{5}] = \{a + b\sqrt{5} : a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$, then which of the following is correct?

- a. 2 and $1 + \sqrt{5}$ are irreducible and prime
- b. 2 and $1 + \sqrt{5}$ are irreducible but not prime
- c. 2 and $1 + \sqrt{5}$ are not irreducible but prime
- d. 2 and $1 + \sqrt{5}$ are neither irreducible nor prime

10. The rank of the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1^2 & 2^2 & 3^2 & 4^2 \\ 2^2 & 3^2 & 4^2 & 5^2 \\ 3^2 & 4^2 & 5^2 & 6^2 \\ 4^2 & 5^2 & 6^2 & 7^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

is

- a. 1
- b. 2
- c. 3
- d. 4

11. Let k be the sum of all the eigenvalues of a square matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 10 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & 5 \\ 6 & -7 & -8 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Then the value of k is

- a. 2
- b. 4
- c. 6
- d. 8

12. If in a group G , $a^3 = e$ and e is the identity of the group G and $aba^{-1} = b^2$ for a, b in G , then the order of b equals

- a. 31
- b. 23
- c. 11
- d. 7

13. In the ring \mathbb{Z} of integers, let $A = \{0\}$. Then which of the following is incorrect?

- a. A is a maximal ideal of \mathbb{Z} but not a prime ideal of \mathbb{Z}
- b. A is a prime ideal of \mathbb{Z} but not a maximal ideal of \mathbb{Z}
- c. A is neither maximal nor prime ideal of \mathbb{Z} .
- d. A is both maximal and prime ideal of \mathbb{Z}

14. Which of the following sets is **not** a vector sub-space of the vector space of 3×3 matrices over the field \mathbb{R} of real numbers?

- a. All upper triangular matrices of order 3
- b. All symmetric matrices of order 3
- c. All non-singular matrices of order 3
- d. All matrices of order 3, the sum of whose diagonal elements is zero

15. The ordinary differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2y}{x}$$

with the initial condition $y(0) = 0$ has

- a. no solution
- b. a unique solution
- c. exactly two solutions
- d. infinitely many solutions

16. For the wave equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = 16 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

the characteristic coordinates are given by

- a. $\xi = x + 2t, \eta = x - 2t$
- b. $\xi = x + 4t, \eta = x - 4t$
- c. $\xi = x + 16t, \eta = x - 16t$
- d. $\xi = x + 256t, \eta = x - 256t$

17. A homogenous linear differential equation with real constant coefficients, which has $y = xe^{-3x} \cos 2x + e^{-3x} \sin 2x$ as one of its solutions, is given by
- $(D^2 - 6D + 13)y = 0$
 - $(D^2 + 6D + 13)y = 0$
 - $(D^2 - 6D + 13)^2 y = 0$
 - $(D^2 + 6D + 13)^2 y = 0$
18. The orthogonal trajectory to the family of circles $x^2 + y^2 = 2cx$ (c arbitrary) is described by the differential equation
- $(y^2 - x^2)y' = xy$
 - $(y^2 - x^2)y' = 2xy$
 - $(x^2 - y^2)y' = 2xy$
 - $(x^2 + y^2)y' = 2xy$
19. The partial differential equation $y^3 u_{xx} - (x^2 + 1)u_{yy} = 0$ is
- hyperbolic in $\{(x, y) : y > 0\}$
 - parabolic in $\{(x, y) : y < 0\}$
 - parabolic in $\{(x, y) : y > 0\}$
 - elliptic in \mathbb{R}^2

20. In the solution of the partial differential equation $(D^2 - 6DD' + 9D'^2)z = 6x + 2y$, the complementary function is given by

- a. $\phi_1(y + 3x) + \phi_2(y - 3x)$
- b. $\phi_1(3y + x) + \phi_2(3y - x)$
- c. $\phi_1(y + 3x) + x\phi_2(y + 3x)$
- d. $\phi_1(3y + x) + x\phi_2(3y + x)$

21. If $J_n(x)$ denotes the Bessel's function of first kind of order n , then which one of the following is true?

- a. $xJ'_n(x) = nJ_n(x) - xJ_{n+1}(x)$
- b. $xJ'_n(x) = nJ_n(x) + xJ_{n+1}(x)$
- c. $xJ'_n(x) = nJ_{n-1}(x) - xJ_{n+1}(x)$
- d. $xJ'_n(x) = nJ_{n-1}(x) + xJ_{n+1}(x)$

22. The iterative formula to compute the reciprocal of a given positive real number α , using Newton-Raphson method is

- a. $x_{n+1} = x_n(2 + \alpha x_n)$
- b. $x_{n+1} = x_n^2(2 + \alpha x_n)$
- c. $x_{n+1} = x_n^2(2 - \alpha x_n)$
- d. $x_{n+1} = x_n(2 - \alpha x_n)$

23. The quadrature formula $\int_{-1}^1 f(x) dx = f(\alpha) + \beta f(1)$ is exact for all polynomials of degree ≤ 1 for
- $\alpha = 1, \beta = 1$
 - $\alpha = 1, \beta = -1$
 - $\alpha = -1, \beta = 1$
 - $\alpha = -1, \beta = -1$
24. The backward Euler method for solving the differential equation $y' = f(t, y)$ is
- $y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(t_n, y_n)$
 - $y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(t_{n+1}, y_{n+1})$
 - $y_{n+1} = y_{n-1} + 2hf(t_n, y_n)$
 - $y_{n+1} = y_{n-1} + 2hf(t_n, y_{n+1})$
25. In geometric distribution, the relationship between the mean and variance is
- variance $<$ mean
 - 3 variance $<$ 2 mean
 - variance = mean
 - variance $>$ mean
26. If the density function of a random variable X is given by $f(x) = kx(2-x)$, $0 \leq x \leq 2$, then variance of the random variable is
- 1/4
 - 1/5
 - 1/6
 - 1/7

27. A coin is tossed until a head appears. Expectation of the number of tosses is
- a. 2
 - b. 6
 - c. 4
 - d. 8
28. A basic solution of a linear programming problem is called degenerate if
- a. the value of at least one of the basic variables is non-zero
 - b. the value of all the basic variables is zero
 - c. the value of at least one of the basic variables is zero
 - d. the value of all the basic variables is non-zero
29. Which one of the following statements is **not** true about primal and dual?
- a. The solution of the primal problem can be interpreted from the last simple table.
 - b. The decision variables in both primal and dual are positive.
 - c. If the primal problem is of maximization-type, then the dual will be of minimization-type.
 - d. The dual of dual is primal.
30. If the primal constraint is originally in equation form, then the corresponding dual variable is necessarily
- a. non-negative
 - b. positive
 - c. negative
 - d. unrestricted

PART—B

31. If

$$f(z) = \frac{z^8 + z^4 + 2}{(z-1)^3(3z+2)^2}$$

then which one of the following is true?

- a. $z = 1$, $z = -2/3$ and $z = \infty$ are the poles of order 3, 2 and 3 respectively
- b. $z = 1$, $z = -2/3$ are the poles of order 3 and 2 respectively
- c. $z = \infty$, $z = 1$ and $z = -2/3$ are the poles of order 2, 3 and 2 respectively
- d. $z = 1$, $z = -2/3$ and $z = \infty$ are the poles of order 3, 2 and 1 respectively

32. If \mathbb{R} is a metric space with usual metric and $A = \left\{1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots\right\}$, then the boundary of A is the set

- a. $\{0\}$
- b. $\left\{0, 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots\right\}$
- c. $\{1, \infty\}$
- d. $\{0, \infty\}$

33. Which one of the following is a compact subset of \mathbb{R} but is **not** connected?

- a. $(0, 1)$
- b. $[1, 2)$
- c. $[1, 2]$
- d. $\left\{0, 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots\right\}$

34. Let $d(x, y) = |x - y|$ be the metric defined on the set \mathbb{N} of natural numbers. The open sphere $S_2(3)$ in \mathbb{N} is the set

- a. $\{1, 5\}$
- b. $\{1, 10\}$
- c. $\{2, 3, 4\}$
- d. $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

35. If $f_n(x) = \frac{x}{1+nx^2}$, and if $f(x) = 0$ for all real x , then which of the following is **not** true?
- $\langle f'_n(x) \rangle$ is point-wise convergent to some non-differentiable function
 - $f'_n(x) \rightarrow f'(x)$ for all x
 - $\langle f_n \rangle$ converges point-wise to f
 - $\langle f_n \rangle$ converges uniformly to f
36. The number of roots of $z^7 - 4z^3 + z + 1 = 0$ which lie interior to the unit circle $|z| = 1$ is
- 3
 - 4
 - 5
 - 7
37. Which one of the following statements is incorrect?
- Every subspace of T_0 topological space is T_0 .
 - Every subspace of T_1 topological space is T_1 .
 - Every subspace of normal topological space is normal.
 - Every subspace of Hausdorff topological space is Hausdorff.
38. Which one of the following statements is **not** true with reference to Lebesgue measurability?
- Every continuous function is measurable.
 - Every characteristic function is measurable.
 - Every constant function is measurable.
 - Every monotonic function is measurable.

39. The value of the Lebesgue integral

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right)^n x^{\frac{1}{n}}}$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$ equals

- a. 1
- b. ∞
- c. e
- d. 0

40. If $L: V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation with V and W finite dimensional, then which one of the following is correct?

- a. If L is one-one, then $\dim(V) \geq \dim(W)$
- b. If L is onto, then $\dim(V) \leq \dim(W)$
- c. If L is onto, then $\dim(V) = \dim(W)$
- d. If L is onto, then $\dim(V) \geq \dim(W)$

41. If $L: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a linear transformation given by $L(1, 1) = (0, 1)$, $L(-1, 1) = (2, 3)$, then the matrix of L with respect to standard basis of \mathbb{R}^2 is

- a. $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- b. $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- c. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- d. $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

42. In a complex inner product space, which one of the following relations is always satisfied?

- a. $(u, z_1 v_1 + z_2 v_2) = \bar{z}_1 (u, v_1) + \bar{z}_2 (u, v_2)$
- b. $(u, z_1 v_1 + z_2 v_2) = z_1 (u, v_1) + z_2 (u, v_2)$
- c. $(u, z_1 v_1 + z_2 v_2) = \bar{z}_1 (u, v_1) + z_2 (u, v_2)$
- d. $(u, z_1 v_1 + z_2 v_2) = z_1 (u, v_1) + z_2 (u, v_2)$

43. Which one of the following is **not** true?
- The homomorphic image of an Abelian group is Abelian
 - The homomorphic image of a cyclic group is cyclic
 - The homomorphic image of a finite group is finite
 - The homomorphic image of an infinite group is infinite
44. If G be a finite group and simple, and if $O(G) = n$, then n can be which one of the following?
- 33
 - 32
 - 31
 - 30
45. Let R be a ring with unity. Then R may **not** be commutative in which of the following situations?
- When $(x + y)^2 = x^2 + y^2 + 2xy, \forall x, y \in R$
 - When $x^2 = x, \forall x \in R$
 - When $(xy)^2 = x^2y^2, \forall x, y \in R$
 - When $2x = 0, \forall x \in R$
46. Let V be the set of all 2×2 matrices over \mathbb{R} and let $W_1 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x & z \\ 0 & y \end{pmatrix} : x, y, z \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ and $W_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ z & y \end{pmatrix} : x, y, z \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$. Then which of the following is **not** true?
- $W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\}$
 - V is a vector space over \mathbb{R} and $\dim(V) = 2$
 - W_1 and W_2 are subspaces of V each of dimension 3
 - $V = W_1 + W_2$

47. Which one of the following sets of vectors is linearly dependent over \mathbb{R} ?

- a. $\{(1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1)\}$
- b. $\{(2, -2, 5), (0, 8, -15), (3, 1, 0)\}$
- c. $\{(0, 1, -2), (1, -1, 1), (1, 2, 1)\}$
- d. $\{(1, -1, 1), (0, 1, 1), (1, 1, 1)\}$

48. The solution of $(2x^2 + 2xy + 2xz^2 + 1)dx + dy + 2zdz = 0$ is

- a. $(x + y + z)e^x = c$
- b. $(x + y + z^2)e^x = c$
- c. $(x + y + z^2)e^{x^2} = c$
- d. $(x + y + z)e^{-x} = c$

49. Let n be a non-negative integer. The eigenvalues of the Sturm-Liouville problem

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \lambda y = 0$$

with boundary conditions $y(0) = y(\pi) = 0$ is

- a. n
- b. n^2
- c. $n\pi$
- d. $n^2\pi^2$

50. For the equation

$$x^3(x-2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x^3\frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$$

which one of the following is true?

- a. $x = 0$ is an ordinary point
- b. $x = 2$ is an ordinary point
- c. $x = 0$ is a regular singular point
- d. $x = 2$ is a regular singular point

51. The region in which the partial differential equation

$$u_{xx} - \sqrt{y}u_{xy} + xu_{yy} = \cos(x^2 - 2y), y \geq 0$$

is hyperbolic is

- $\{(x, y) : y > 4x\}$
- \mathbb{R}^2
- $\{(x, y) : y = 4x\}$
- $\{(x, y) : y < 4x\}$

52. If $P_n(x)$ is the Legendre polynomial of degree n , then the value of $P_2(x)$ is

- 1
- x
- $\frac{1}{2}(3x^2 - 1)$
- $\frac{1}{2}(5x^3 - 3x)$

53. The solution of

$$\frac{(y-z)}{yz} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + \frac{(z-x)}{zx} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{x-y}{xy}$$

is

- $x + y + z = f(xyz)$
 - $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = f(xyz)$
 - $x - y + z = f(x^2 yz)$
 - $x^2 - y^2 + z^2 = f(xyz)$
54. The d'Alembert solution of the initial value problem

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, u(x, 0) = \sin x, u_t(x, 0) = 0$$

is

- $u(x, t) = -\sin x \cos ct$
- $u(x, t) = -\cos x \sin ct$
- $u(x, t) = \sin x \cos ct$
- $u(x, t) = \cos x \sin ct$

55. The general solution of $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$ is

a. $u(x, y) = f(x + y) + g(x - y)$

b. $u(x, y) = f(x + iy) + g(x - iy)$

c. $u(x, y) = e^x (f(x + iy) + g(x - iy))$

d. $u(x, y) = e^{-x} (f(x + iy) + g(x - iy))$

56. Let $g: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a three-times continuously differentiable function and the iterates defined by $x_{n+1} = g(x_n)$, $n \geq 0$ converge to the fixed point ξ of g . If the order of convergence is three, then

a. $g'(\xi) \neq 0, g''(\xi) \neq 0$

b. $g'(\xi) \neq 0, g''(\xi) = 0$

c. $g'(\xi) = 0, g''(\xi) \neq 0$

d. $g'(\xi) = 0, g''(\xi) = 0$

57. If $f: [0, 4] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a three-times continuously differentiable function, then the value of the divided difference $f[1, 2, 3, 4]$ is

a. $\frac{f''(\eta)}{3}$ for $\eta \in (0, 4)$

b. $\frac{f''(\eta)}{6}$ for $\eta \in (0, 4)$

c. $\frac{f'''(\eta)}{3}$ for $\eta \in (0, 4)$

d. $\frac{f'''(\eta)}{6}$ for $\eta \in (0, 4)$

58. A quadratic polynomial $f(x)$ is constructed by interpolating the data points $(0, 1)$, $(1, e)$ and $(2, e^2)$. If \sqrt{e} is approximated by using $f(x)$, then its approximate value is

- a. $(3 - 6e - e^2) / 8$
- b. $(3 + 6e - e^2) / 8$
- c. $(3 + 6e - 2e^2) / 8$
- d. $(3 - 6e + 2e^2) / 8$

59. For a sufficiently smooth function $f(x)$, a formula for estimating its derivative is given by

$$f'(x) = \frac{f(x+2h) - f(x-2h)}{4h} + \text{error term}$$

Which of the following expressions is correct for the error term?

- a. $-f'(\xi)h$
- b. $\frac{-f''(\xi)h^2}{2}$
- c. $\frac{-2f'''(\xi)h^2}{3}$
- d. $\frac{-f^{(4)}(\xi)h^4}{12}$

60. Using Euler's method and taking the step size as 0.5, the approximate solution corresponding to $x = 2$ for the initial value problem

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + \frac{y}{x}, \quad y(1) = 1$$

is

- a. 3.167
- b. 2.048
- c. 4.456
- d. 2.218

61. A man is known to speak the truth 3 out of 4 times. He throws a die and reports that it is six. The probability that it is actually a six is
- a. $3/8$
 - b. $1/5$
 - c. $3/4$
 - d. $5/6$
62. If the integers m and n are chosen at random between 1 and 100, then the probability that a number of the form $(7^m + 7^n)$ is divisible by 5 is
- a. $1/7$
 - b. $1/8$
 - c. $1/4$
 - d. $1/49$
63. If (X, Y) is uniformly distributed over the semi-circle bounded by $y = \sqrt{1-x^2}$ and $y=0$, then the value of $E(X/Y)$ is
- a. 1
 - b. 0
 - c. $\frac{4}{3\pi}$
 - d. $\frac{2}{3\pi}$
64. Suppose a random variable X has a binomial distribution $B(6, \frac{1}{2})$. The most likely outcome for X is
- a. 6
 - b. 4
 - c. 5
 - d. 3

65. If

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & , x \leq -1 \\ m(x+1) & , -1 < x \leq 3 \\ 4m & , 3 < x \leq 4 \\ 0 & , x > 4 \end{cases}$$

represents the density function, then the value of x , when the mean deviation of this distribution is the least, is

- a. $\sqrt{3} + 1$
- b. $\sqrt{3} - 1$
- c. $2\sqrt{3} - 1$
- d. $2\sqrt{3} + 1$

66. Consider the primal problem

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 4x + 3y$$

subject to

$$x + y \leq 8$$

$$2x + y \leq 10$$

$$x \geq 0$$

$$y \geq 10$$

together with its dual. Then which one of the following statements is correct?

- a. Primal and dual both are infeasible
- b. Primal and dual both are feasible
- c. Primal is feasible but dual is infeasible
- d. Primal is infeasible but dual is feasible

67. If $S_1 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$ and $S_2 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : y \leq x^2\}$, then which one of the following statements is correct?

- a. S_1 is a convex set but S_2 is not a convex set
- b. S_2 is a convex set but S_1 is not a convex set
- c. Neither S_1 nor S_2 is a convex set
- d. S_1 and S_2 are both convex sets

68. If a primal linear programming problem admits an optimal solution, then the corresponding dual problem
- does not have a feasible solution
 - has a feasible solution but does not have any optimal solution
 - does not have a convex feasible region
 - has an optimal solution

69. For a linear programming problem

$$\text{Minimize } Z = x - y$$

subject to

$$2x + 3y \leq 6$$

$$0 \leq x \leq 3$$

$$0 \leq y \leq 3$$

which of the following represents the correct number of extreme points of its feasible region and of basic feasible solutions respectively?

- 3 and 3
 - 4 and 4
 - 3 and 5
 - 4 and 5
70. Consider the linear programming problem

$$\text{Minimize } Z = -2x - 5y$$

subject to

$$3x + 4y \leq 5$$

$$x \geq 0$$

$$y \geq 0$$

Then which one of the following statements is correct?

- Set of feasible solutions is empty.
- Set of feasible solutions is non-empty but there is no optimal solution.
- Optimal value is attained at $(0, 5/4)$.
- Optimal value is attained at $(5/3, 0)$.

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