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## MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

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1. A polynomial  $p(x)$  satisfies the following:

$$p(-1) = p(0) = p(1) = p(3) = p(4) = 0, p(2) \neq 0.$$

The minimum degree of such a polynomial is

- (A) 1
- (B) 5
- (C) 4
- (D) 6

2. If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ i & \frac{-1+i\sqrt{3}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1+2i & \frac{-1-i\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$  then the trace

of  $A^{102}$  is

- (A) 0
- (B) 1
- (C) 2
- (D) 3

3. Which of the following mappings is conformal everywhere?

- (A)  $\omega = z^2$
- (B)  $\omega = \frac{1}{2}(z + z^{-1})$
- (C)  $\omega = e^z$
- (D)  $\omega = c \sin z$ ,  $c$  being a constant

4. Let  $\gamma$  be any positively oriented circle whose centre is at origin. Then the value of the integral

$$\int_{\gamma} \frac{\cos z}{z^2} dz$$
 is

- (A)  $2\pi i$
- (B)  $-2\pi i$
- (C) 0
- (D)  $\pi i$

5. For the function  $f(z) = \frac{1-e^{-z}}{z}$ , the point  $z=0$  is a(an)

- (A) essential singularity
- (B) pole of order zero
- (C) pole of order one
- (D) removable singularity

6. The function  $f(z) = |z|^2$ ,  $z \in \mathbb{C}$ , is

- (A) continuous nowhere.
- (B) continuous everywhere but nowhere differentiable.
- (C) continuous everywhere but nowhere differentiable except at the origin.
- (D) continuous at the origin only.

7. The transformation  $\omega = e^{i\theta} \left( \frac{z-p}{pz-1} \right)$ , where  $p$  is a constant, maps  $|z| < 1$  onto

- (A)  $|\omega|=1$  if  $|p|=1$
- (B)  $|\omega| < 1$  if  $|p| < 1$
- (C)  $|\omega| > 1$  if  $|p| > 1$
- (D)  $|\omega|=3$  if  $p=0$

8. Residue of  $f(z) = \frac{\log(1+z)}{(1+z^2)^2}$  at  $z=i$  is given by

- (A)  $\frac{1}{8} - \frac{\pi}{16} + i \left[ -\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \log \sqrt{2} \right]$
- (B)  $-\frac{1}{8} + \frac{\pi}{16} + i \left[ \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{4} \log \sqrt{2} \right]$
- (C)  $-\frac{1}{8} + \frac{\pi}{16} + i \left[ -\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \log \sqrt{2} \right]$
- (D)  $\frac{1}{8} - \frac{\pi}{16} + i \left[ \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{4} \log \sqrt{2} \right]$

9. Let  $a_{-2}$  be the coefficient of  $\frac{1}{z^2}$  in the Laurent series of  $f(z) = \frac{z+1}{z^3(z^2+1)}$  around  $z=0$  in the region  $0 < |z| < 1$ . Then  $a_{-2}$  is equal to

- (A) 1
- (B) 0
- (C) -1
- (D) 2

10. The value of  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\cos x)^{\frac{1}{\sin^2 x}}$  is

- (A)  $1/e$
- (B)  $e$
- (C)  $1/\sqrt{e}$
- (D)  $\sqrt{e}$

11. Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$  and  $g(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ , for all  $x \in [a, b]$  with  $0 < a < b$ . Then by Cauchy's mean value theorem, there exists  $c \in (a, b)$  such that  $\frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(a)}$ , where  $c$  is

- (A) arithmetic mean of  $a$  and  $b$ .
- (B) geometric mean of  $a$  and  $b$ .
- (C) harmonic mean of  $a$  and  $b$ .
- (D)  $\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b}$ .

12. For the Cantor middle one third set  $C \subset [0, 1]$ ,

- (A)  $C + C = C$
- (B)  $C + C = 2C$
- (C)  $C + C = [0, 2]$
- (D)  $C + C = [0, 1]$

where  $A + B = \{x + y : x \in A, y \in B\}$ ,  $A, B \subset \mathbb{R}$  and  $\lambda A = \{\lambda x : x \in A\}$ ,  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$ .

13. If  $\alpha, \beta$  are the roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} \frac{1 - \cos(ax^2 + bx + c)}{(x - \alpha)^2}$  is

- (A) 0
- (B)  $\frac{a}{2}(\alpha - \beta)^2$
- (C)  $-\frac{a^2}{2}(\alpha - \beta)^2$
- (D)  $\frac{a^2}{2}(\alpha - \beta)^2$

14. The function  $f(x) = x^{1/3}$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  (set of all reals) is

- (A) not continuous.
- (B) not differentiable.
- (C) of bounded variation on every finite interval in  $\mathbb{R}$ .
- (D) not of bounded variation on every finite interval in  $\mathbb{R}$ .

15. The value of the integral  $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \cos(\alpha x) dx$  is

- (A)  $\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi} e^{-\alpha^2/4}$
- (B)  $\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi} e^{-\alpha/2}$
- (C)  $\frac{\alpha^2}{4}$
- (D)  $\frac{\alpha}{2}$

16. Which of the following series is not uniformly convergent on  $[0, 1]$ ?

- (A)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)} - \frac{x^{n+1}}{2n+2} \right]$
- (B)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n (1-x)$
- (C)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^n (1-x)$
- (D)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n$

17. In  $\bar{\mathbb{R}} = \mathbb{R} \cup \{-\infty, \infty\}$ , every sequence
- has a convergent subsequence.
  - is convergent.
  - is monotone.
  - is unbounded.
18. Let  $\omega$  be a complex number such that  $\omega^3 = 1$  and  $\omega \neq 1$ . Suppose  $L$  is the field  $Q(\sqrt[3]{2}, \omega)$  generated by  $\sqrt[3]{2}$  and  $\omega$  over the field  $Q$  of rational numbers. Then the number of sub fields  $K$  of  $L$  such that  $Q \subset K \subset L$  is
- 2
  - 3
  - 4
  - 5
19. The degree of  $\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{5}$  over field of rationals  $Q$  is
- 2
  - 3
  - 5
  - 4
20. The number of elements in the quotient ring  $z[i] / \langle 3+i \rangle$  is
- 3
  - 10
  - 9
  - infinite
21. Let  $p, q$  be distinct primes and  $Z$  be the set of integers. Then
- $Z/[p^2qZ]$  has exactly three distinct ideals.
  - $Z/[p^2qZ]$  has exactly three distinct prime ideals.
  - $Z/[p^2qZ]$  has exactly two distinct ideals.
  - $Z/[p^2qZ]$  has a unique maximal ideal.
22. Which one of the following systems of linear congruences is not solvable?
- $x \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$   
 $x \equiv 4 \pmod{21}$   
 $x \equiv 3 \pmod{14}$
  - $x \equiv 5 \pmod{8}$   
 $x \equiv 9 \pmod{12}$   
 $x \equiv 3 \pmod{18}$
  - $x \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$   
 $x \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$   
 $x \equiv 4 \pmod{7}$
  - $x \equiv 7 \pmod{11}$   
 $x \equiv 3 \pmod{13}$   
 $x \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$
23. The polynomial  $x^3 - 312312x + 123123$  is irreducible in  $F[x]$  if  $F$  is
- $Z_3$
  - $Z_7$
  - $Z_{13}$
  - $Q$
24. The class equation of a group of order 10 is
- $1 + 2 + 3 + 4 = 10$
  - $1 + 1 + 3 + 5 = 10$
  - $1 + 2 + 2 + 5 = 10$
  - $2 + 3 + 5 = 10$
25. Let  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $T: M_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_2(\mathbb{R})$  be a linear mapping defined by  $T(A) = XA - AX$  for all  $A \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ . Then the dimension of  $\text{Ker}(T)$  is
- 0
  - 1
  - 2
  - 4

26. The row space of a matrix  $A$  of order  $20 \times 50$  has dimension 13. Then the dimension of the space of solutions of  $AX = O$  is

- (A) 7
- (B) 13
- (C) 33
- (D) 37

27. Suppose the minimal polynomial of a  $5 \times 5$  matrix  $A$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  is  $x(x-1)(x-2)^2$ . Then

- (A)  $A$  is a singular matrix and is not diagonalisable.
- (B)  $A$  is a singular matrix and is diagonalisable.
- (C)  $A$  is a nonsingular matrix and is diagonalisable.
- (D)  $A$  is a nonsingular matrix and is not diagonalisable.

28. Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and let  $\alpha_n$  and  $\beta_n$  be two eigenvalues of  $A^n$  such that  $|\alpha_n| \geq |\beta_n|$ . Then

- (A)  $\alpha_n \rightarrow 0$  and  $\beta_n \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$
- (B)  $\alpha_n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $\beta_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$
- (C)  $\alpha_n \rightarrow 0$  and  $\beta_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$
- (D)  $\alpha_n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $\beta_n \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

29. A matrix  $M$  has eigenvalues 1 and 4 with corresponding eigenvectors  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  respectively. Then  $M$  is

- (A)  $\begin{bmatrix} -4 & -8 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$
- (B)  $\begin{bmatrix} 9 & -8 \\ 5 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$
- (C)  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$
- (D)  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

30. Consider the nonlinear optimization problem:  
Minimize  $Z = \sin(x_1 x_2) - \cos(x_1 - x_2)$ .

$Z_{\min}$  occurs at

- (A)  $x_1 \neq x_2$
- (B)  $x_1 = x_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$
- (C)  $x_1 = x_2 = \sqrt{\frac{3\pi}{2}}$
- (D)  $x_1 = 0, x_2 = \pi$

31. Suppose  $Q_1$  is the optimal lot size when inventories and shortages are equally costly and  $Q_2$  is the optimal lot size when shortages are not allowed. Then,

- (A)  $Q_1 = \frac{1}{2} Q_2$
- (B)  $Q_1 = \sqrt{2} Q_2$
- (C)  $\sqrt{2} Q_1 = Q_2$
- (D)  $\frac{1}{2} Q_1 = Q_2$

32. Consider the L.P.P. :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } z &= x_1 + 3x_2 \\ \text{subject to } 3x_1 + 6x_2 &\leq 8 \\ 5x_1 + 2x_2 &\leq 10 \\ x_1, x_2 &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

The problem

- (A) has no feasible solution.
- (B) has infinitely many optimal solutions.
- (C) has a unique solution.
- (D) has an unbounded solution.

33. In a queuing system arrival process is Poisson. Then the inter-arrival process is

- (A) Poisson
- (B) Normal
- (C) Binomial
- (D) Exponential

34. A TV mechanic finds that the time spent on his jobs has an exponential distribution with mean 30 minutes. If he repairs sets in the order in which they came in and if the arrival of sets is approximately Poisson with an average rate of 10 per 8-hour day, the expected idle time of each day is equal to

- (A) 2 hours
- (B) 3 hours
- (C) 4 hours
- (D) 1 hour

35. If  $(X, T)$  be a topological space defined as follows :  $X$  consists of the integer 0, 1, 2 where  $A$  consists of 0,  $B$  consists of 0, 1 and  $T$  consists of void set  $\phi$ ,  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $X$  and  $f$  is a continuous function of  $X$  into itself such that  $f(1) = 0$  and  $f(2) = 1$  then

- (A)  $f(0) = 1$
- (B)  $f(0) = 2$
- (C)  $f(0) = 0$
- (D)  $f(0)$  does not exist

36. Which of the following is true?

- (A) Intervals in real line are not the only connected sets.
- (B) Adjoining a limit point with a connected set would not make it a connected set.
- (C) Real line is not union of two totally disconnected sets.
- (D) Cantor set is a totally disconnected set.

37. State which of the following is not correct:

- (A) Singleton sets in a  $T_1$ -space are closed.
- (B) Every separable metric space is second countable.
- (C) The boundary of a closed set is nowhere dense.
- (D) Product of two normal spaces is necessarily a normal space.

38. Let  $f \in C[a, b]$ ,  $m(x) = \inf \{f(t) : t \in [a, x]\}$ ,  
 $M(x) = \sup \{f(t) : t \in [a, x]\}$ , where  $a \leq x \leq b$ .

Then

- (A)  $m \in C[a, b]$ ,  $M \notin C[a, b]$
- (B)  $m \notin C[a, b]$ ,  $M \in C[a, b]$
- (C)  $m \notin C[a, b]$ ,  $M \notin C[a, b]$
- (D)  $m \in C[a, b]$ ,  $M \in C[a, b]$

39. Let  $T$  be a self-adjoint operator on a Hilbert space  $H$ , then which of the following statements is not correct?

- (A)  $\langle x, Tx \rangle$  is real for all  $x$  in  $H$
- (B)  $\|T\| = \sup_{\substack{x \in H \\ \|x\|=1}} |\langle x, Tx \rangle|$
- (C) Eigenvalues of  $T$  (if exists) are real.
- (D)  $T$  is always invertible.

40. Let  $A : H \rightarrow H$  be any bounded linear operator on a complex Hilbert space  $H$  such that  $\|Ax\| = \|A^*x\|$  for all  $x$  in  $H$  where  $A^*$  is the adjoint of  $A$ . If there is a non-zero  $x$  in  $H$  such that  $A^*(x) = (2 + 3i)x$ , then  $A$  is

- (A) an unitary operator on  $H$ .
- (B) a self-adjoint operator on  $H$  but not unitary.
- (C) a self-adjoint operator on  $H$  but not normal.
- (D) a normal operator.

41. The values of  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  for which the state of stress at a given point in a continuum can be represented by the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a+b & a+b-c & c-a \\ 2b & b-a & 2a-2b+c \\ c+b & a+b+c & c \end{bmatrix} \text{ are}$$

- (A) 1, -1 and 2 respectively.
- (B) -1, 1 and 2 respectively.
- (C) -1, 1 and 1 respectively.
- (D) 1, 1 and 0 respectively.

42. There is a source of strength  $m$  at the origin of coordinates. Combine its flow pattern with that of uniform flow at velocity  $u$  parallel to the line  $\theta = 0$ . The fluid is assumed to extend to infinity in all directions. The stream function for the resulting flow is

- (A)  $-u - \frac{m\theta}{2\pi}$   
 (B)  $-u r \sin \theta + \frac{m}{2\pi} \cos \theta$   
 (C)  $u r \cos \theta - m\theta$   
 (D)  $-u r \sin \theta - \frac{m\theta}{2\pi}$

43. A particle of mass  $m$  slides down without friction along a curve  $z = 1 + \frac{x^2}{2}$  in the  $x$ - $z$  plane under the action of constant gravity. Suppose the  $z$ -axis be vertically upwards. Then Lagrangian of the motion is (with  $\dot{x} = dx/dt$ )

- (A)  $\frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{2}\right) - mg \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{2}\right)$   
 (B)  $\frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{2}\right) + mg \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{2}\right)$   
 (C)  $\frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 \dot{x}^2 - mg \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{2}\right)$   
 (D)  $\frac{1}{2} m \dot{x}^2 \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2}\right) - mg \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{2}\right)$

44. State which of the following is not correct:

- (A) For a closed system, isotropy of space implies conservation of angular momentum.  
 (B) For a closed system, homogeneity of space implies conservation of linear momentum.  
 (C) For a closed system, homogeneity in time implies conservation of energy.  
 (D) For a closed system, homogeneity of space implies conservation of energy.

45. For what values of  $m$  and  $n$  the transformation  $(q, p) \rightarrow (Q, P)$  given by

$$Q = q^m \cos(np)$$

$$P = q^m \sin(np)$$

represents a canonical transformation?

- (A)  $m = \frac{1}{2}, n = 1$   
 (B)  $m = 1, n = 2$   
 (C)  $m = \frac{1}{2}, n = 2$   
 (D)  $m = 1, n = 1$

46. For the differential equation

$$x(x-1) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \cot(\pi x) \frac{dy}{dx} + \operatorname{cosec}^2(\pi x) y = 0$$

which of the following statements is true?

- (A) Both 0 and 1 are irregular singular points.  
 (B) 0 is an irregular and 1 is a regular singular point.  
 (C) Both 0 and 1 are regular singular points.  
 (D) 0 is a regular and 1 is an irregular singular point.

47. The partial differential equation,

$$U_{xx} + 2U_{xy} + U_{yy} = x \text{ has}$$

- (A) only one particular integral.  
 (B) a particular integral which is linear in  $x$  and  $y$ .  
 (C) a particular integral which is quadratic polynomial in  $x$  and  $y$ .  
 (D) more than one particular integral.

48. Which of the following differential equations is a quasi linear partial differential equation?

(A)  $2xu \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + 2yu \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x^2 y^2 u^2 + 2xu$

(B)  $2x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + 2y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x^2 y^2 u^2 + 2xu$

(C)  $2x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + 2y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2xu$

(D)  $2xu \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x^2 y^2 u^2 + 2xu$



49. Solution of the differential equation

$$y'' - x(y')^2 = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = -1 \text{ is}$$

- (A)  $y = \sqrt{2} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$   
 (B)  $y = -\sqrt{2} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$   
 (C)  $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2}x)$   
 (D)  $y = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2}x)$

50. Consider the differential equation

$$a \frac{dy}{dx} + by = ce^{-\lambda x} \text{ where } a, b, c \text{ are positive constants}$$

and  $\lambda$  is a non-negative constant. Every solution of the differential equation approaches to  $\frac{c}{b}$  as  $x \rightarrow \infty$  when

- (A)  $\lambda > 0$   
 (B)  $\lambda = 0$   
 (C)  $\lambda = \frac{b}{a}$   
 (D)  $\lambda = \frac{a}{b}$

51. Let  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n$  be  $n$  linearly independent solutions of the linear differential equation of order  $n$

$$P_0(x)y^{(n)} + P_1(x)y^{(n-1)} + \dots + P_n(x)y = 0, \quad P_0(x) \neq 0.$$

Let  $W$  be the Wronskian of the solution  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n$  and  $W_0$  be the value of  $W$  at  $x = x_0$ . Then which of the following is true?

- (A)  $W = W_0 \exp\left\{\int_{x_0}^x \frac{P_1(x)}{P_0(x)} dx\right\}$   
 (B)  $W = W_0 \exp\left\{\int_{x_0}^x \frac{P_n(x)}{P_0(x)} dx\right\}$   
 (C)  $W = W_0 \exp\left\{-\int_{x_0}^x \frac{P_1(x)}{P_0(x)} dx\right\}$   
 (D)  $W = W_0 \exp\left\{-\int_{x_0}^x \frac{P_n(x)}{P_0(x)} dx\right\}$

52. A function  $u(x, t)$  satisfies the wave equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad t > 0.$$

$$\text{If } u\left(\frac{1}{2}, 0\right) = \frac{1}{4}, \quad u\left(1, \frac{1}{2}\right) = 1 \text{ and } u\left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

then  $u\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$  is

- (A)  $\frac{7}{4}$   
 (B)  $\frac{5}{4}$   
 (C)  $\frac{4}{5}$   
 (D)  $\frac{4}{7}$

53. For  $E \subset \mathbb{R}$ ,  $E \neq \phi$ , which of the following is correct?

- (A) If  $E$  is closed then  $m(A) > 0$   
 (B) If  $E$  is open then  $m(A) > 0$   
 (C) If  $E$  is dense then  $m(A) > 0$   
 (D) If  $E$  is perfect then  $m(A) > 0$

where  $m(A)$  denotes the Lebesgue measure of the set  $A$ .

54. Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $S = \{\{1\}, \{2, 3\}, X, \phi\}$  and  $T = \{\{1, 2\}, \{3\}, X, \phi\}$ . Then which one of the following is correct?

- (A)  $S$  is a  $\sigma$ -algebra but  $T$  is not.  
 (B)  $T$  is a  $\sigma$ -algebra but  $S$  is not.  
 (C) Both  $S$  and  $T$  are  $\sigma$ -algebra.  
 (D) Neither  $S$  nor  $T$  is a  $\sigma$ -algebra.

55. Which of the following is not correct?

- (A) Countable set has Lebesgue measure zero.  
 (B) Uncountable set has always non-zero Lebesgue measure.  
 (C) All subsets of real line are not Lebesgue measurable.  
 (D) Borel sets are also Lebesgue measurable.

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56. Let  $f(t)$ , for  $t \geq 0$ , be a continuous function and is of exponential order in  $t$ . Let  $F(s)$  be the Laplace transform of  $f(t)$  and  $F(s)$  satisfies  $s^2 F''(s) - 6F(s) = 0$ .

If  $f(2) = 8$ , then  $f(t)$  is equal to

- (A)  $4t$   
 (B)  $2t$   
 (C)  $t + 1$   
 (D)  $2t + 4$

57. Fourier transform of  $\text{sgn}(t) = \begin{cases} +1, & t > 0 \\ 0, & t = 0 \\ -1, & t < 0 \end{cases}$  is

- (A)  $\frac{1}{i\pi K}$   
 (B)  $-\frac{1}{i\pi K}$   
 (C)  $\frac{i}{\pi K}$   
 (D)  $-\frac{i}{\pi K}$

(Where  $K$  is the transform variable)

58. Given that

$x$	1	2	3	4	5
$u$	2	5	10	20	30

and  $\Delta$ ,  $\nabla$  and  $E$  denote the forward difference, backward difference and shift operator respectively.

Which of the following is correct?

- (A)  $\Delta \equiv \nabla E^{-1}$   
 (B)  $\Delta \equiv E + 1$   
 (C)  $\nabla^2 u_4 = u_4 + 2u_3 - u_2$   
 (D)  $\nabla^2 u_4 = 5$

59.  $I$  is an approximate value of the integral

$$\Delta = \int_{-2}^2 ||x+1| - |x-1|| dx, \quad \text{obtained through}$$

Trapezoidal rule with five points. Then which one of the following is correct?

- (A)  $\Delta = 0$   
 (B)  $\Delta = 6$   
 (C)  $I \neq \Delta / (0.9)$   
 (D)  $I = 5$

60. If  $\phi$  is the solution of

$$\phi(x) = 1 - 2x - 4x^2 + \int_0^x [3 + 6(x-t) - 4(x-t)^2] \phi(t) dt,$$

then  $\phi(\log(2))$  is equal to

- (A) 10  
 (B) 4  
 (C) 2  
 (D) 8

61. The resolvent kernel of the integral equation

$$u(x) = x^2 + \int_{\log 2}^x e^{t-x} u(t) dt \text{ is}$$

- (A)  $\cos(x-t)$   
 (B) 1  
 (C)  $e^{t-x}$   
 (D)  $\sin(x-t)$

62. For a plane curve one has

- (A)  $\kappa = 0, \vec{b} = \vec{0}$   
 (B)  $\tau = 0, \vec{b} \neq \vec{0}$   
 (C)  $\tau \neq 0, \vec{b} = \vec{0}$   
 (D)  $\tau = 0, \vec{b} = \vec{0}$

(where symbols have their usual meaning)

63. Given any  $m$  positive integers  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m$ , a non-empty subset of these integers can always be selected whose sum is a multiple of

- (A)  $m$   
 (B)  $2m$   
 (C)  $m + 1$   
 (D)  $m + 2$

64. Which of the following statements is not correct?

- (A) Centre of a complete graph  $G$  is  $G$  itself.  
 (B) Complement of complete bipartite graph is disconnected.  
 (C) Spanning subgraph of the complete bipartite graph  $K_{3,6}$  has a Hamilton cycle.  
 (D) If for a graph  $G$  a closed walk is a Hamilton cycle, then  $G$  is itself a cycle.

65. The plane curve passing through two points, not in the same vertical line, which when rotated about the  $x$ -axis gives a minimum surface area, is a

- (A) Straight line
- (B) Catenary
- (C) Parabola
- (D) Cycloid

66. Consider a sampling design with 5 population units  $p(\{1, 2\}) = \frac{1}{2}$ ,

$$p(\{3, 4\}) = p(\{3, 5\}) = p(\{4, 5\}) = \frac{1}{6} \text{ then}$$

- (A)  $\pi_{12} - \pi_1 \pi_2 = \frac{1}{16}$
- (B)  $\pi_{12} - \pi_1 \pi_2 = 0$
- (C)  $\pi_{12} - \pi_1 \pi_2 = -\frac{1}{8}$
- (D)  $\pi_{12} - \pi_1 \pi_2 = -\frac{1}{16}$

[ $\pi_i$  and  $\pi_{ij}$  are inclusion probabilities of first and second orders.]

67. Consider an SRSWOR( $n$ ) sample  $S$  from a population of  $N$  units. Then for any two distinct units  $i$  and  $j$ , which one is true?

- (A)  $P(i \in S, j \notin S) = \left(\frac{n}{N}\right)^2$
- (B)  $P(i \in S, j \notin S) = \frac{n(n-1)}{N(N-1)}$
- (C)  $P(i \in S, j \notin S) = \frac{n(N-n)}{N(N-1)}$
- (D)  $P(i \in S, j \notin S) = \frac{n}{N}$

68. Suppose  $y_1$ ,  $y_2$  and  $y_3$  are independent observations with

$$E(y_1) = \beta_1 + \beta_2$$

$$E(y_2) = \beta_1 + \beta_3$$

$$E(y_3) = \beta_1 + \beta_2$$

having common unknown variance  $\sigma^2$ . Which of the following is true?

- (A)  $\beta_1 - \beta_2$  is estimable.
- (B) Dimension of the error space is 2.
- (C)  $SSE = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 - y_2)^2$ .
- (D) Dimension of estimation space is unity.

69. A survey is conducted by interviewers  $A$  and  $B$ . The cost of interviewing  $m$  persons by  $A$  is  $4m^2$  while that through  $B$  is  $6m^2$ . If the survey is to be conducted on  $N$  individuals, how to distribute these  $N$  between  $A$  and  $B$  to minimize cost?

- (A) In the 4 : 9 proportion
- (B) In the 2 : 3 proportion
- (C) In the 3 : 2 proportion
- (D) In the 1 : 1 proportion

70. Suppose  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are independent observations with  $E(y_1) = E(y_2) = \beta$ ,  $\text{var}(y_1) = 2\sigma^2$ ,  $\text{var}(y_2) = 3\sigma^2$ . Which of the following is BLUE of  $\beta$ ?

- (A)  $\frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}$
- (B)  $(y_1/5 + y_2/2) / \left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{2}\right)$
- (C)  $\frac{2y_1 + 3y_2}{5}$
- (D)  $\frac{3y_1 + 2y_2}{5}$

71. If  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent Cauchy  $(0, 1)$  random variables, then  $\text{cov}\{I(X > 0), I(X + Y > 0)\}$  equals

- (A) 0
- (B) 1
- (C) 1/8
- (D) 3/8

72. Suppose  $X$  is a single observation from an exponential distribution with mean  $\theta$ , consider testing  $H_0 : \theta = 1$  against  $H_1 : \theta = 2$ . Then the type-I and type-II error probabilities of most powerful test satisfy

- (A)  $x + y = 1$
- (B)  $x + y = \frac{1}{2}$
- (C)  $y + \sqrt{x} = 1$
- (D)  $x + \sqrt{y} = 1$

[ $x(y)$  = type I(II) error probabilities]

73. If  $X$  is distributed as exponential with mean 5. Then which of the following is not true?

- (A)  $P(X \geq 6 | X \geq 5) = e^{-2/5}$   
 (B)  $\exp\left(-\frac{X}{5}\right) \sim \text{uniform}(0, 1)$   
 (C)  $E\{(X - 10) | X > 5\} = 0$   
 (D)  $E\{(X - 5) | X > 5\} > 0$

74. Let  $X_i, i = 1, 2, 3$  be *iid* observations from a continuous population  $F(x)$  and  $Y_i, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  be those from  $F(x - \theta)$  and the two samples are independent.

Suppose the observed value of  $\sum_{i=1}^4 R_i$  is 23, where  $R_i$  is the rank of  $Y_i$  in the combined sample. If the right tailed Wilcoxon rank sum test is used for testing  $H_0 : \theta = 0$  against  $H_1 : \theta > 0$ , then

- (A)  $H_0$  is rejected at any level of significance.  
 (B)  $H_0$  must be accepted at any level of significance.  
 (C)  $P$  value of the test is almost  $\frac{16}{23}$ .  
 (D) the calculation lacks consistency.

75. Let  $\pi$  be the probability that a die shows an even number. The die is tossed twice and  $H_0 : \pi = \frac{1}{2}$  is accepted if an even sum is observed. Then type-I error probability is

- (A) 1/4  
 (B) 1/8  
 (C) 3/4  
 (D) 1/2

76. If  $X_i, i = 1(1)n$  are *iid* observations from the distribution  $f(x, \theta) = \frac{1}{2}e^{-|x-\theta|}$ , then which of the following is not true?

- (A) MLE of  $\theta$  is sample median.  
 (B) The family has MLR in sample median.  
 (C) No single sufficient statistic exists for  $\theta$ .  
 (D)  $E(\bar{X}) = \theta$ .

77. If  $X_i, i = 1(1)n$  are *iid*  $N(\theta, 1)$  observations and  $\hat{\theta}$  is the maximum likelihood estimator, then

- (A)  $\lim P\left(\hat{\theta} - \theta \leq \frac{1}{n}\right) = 1$   
 (B)  $\lim P\left(\hat{\theta} - \theta \leq \frac{1}{n}\right) = 0$   
 (C)  $\lim P\left(\hat{\theta} - \theta \leq \frac{1}{n}\right) = 0.5$   
 (D)  $\lim P\left(\hat{\theta} - \theta \leq \frac{1}{n}\right)$  does not exist

78. If  $X$  is a single observation from  $U(\theta, \theta + 1)$ , then the coverage probability of the set  $C = [X - 1, X]$  for  $\theta$  equals

- (A) 0  
 (B) 1  
 (C)  $\frac{1}{2}$   
 (D)  $\frac{3}{4}$

79. If  $\underline{X} \sim N_P(\mu, \Sigma)$ , which of the following statements is correct?

- (A) For any square matrix  $A$  of order  $P$ ,  $X'AX$  follows chi-square distribution with ' $P$ ' degree of freedom.  
 (B) Two quadratic forms  $X'AX$  and  $X'BX$  are independent if and only if  $AB = BA$ .  
 (C) Solutions of the determinantal equation  $|\Sigma - \lambda I| = 0$  provides the variances of all principal components of  $\underline{X}$ .  
 (D) Solutions of the determinantal equation  $|\Sigma + \lambda I| = 0$  provides the variances of all principal components of  $\underline{X}$ .

80. Let  $\underline{X} \sim N_P(\mu, \Sigma)$ , where  $\Sigma$  is a known matrix. To test the hypothesis  $H_0 : \mu = \mu_0$ , a given vector in  $\mathbb{R}^P$ , which of the following is used?

- (A)  $F$  distribution  
 (B) Chi-square distribution  
 (C) Hotelling's  $T^2$   
 (D) Mahalanobis  $D^2$

81. Let  $X_n, n \geq 1$  are uncorrelated standard normal random variables. Then which of the following is always true with regard to the stochastic process  $\{X_n, n \geq 1\}$ ?

- (A) It is a covariance stationary process which is not strictly stationary.
- (B) It is a strictly stationary process which is not covariance stationary.
- (C) It is covariance stationary and strictly stationary.
- (D) It is an evolutionary process.

82. Let  $\{X_n\}$  be a Markov chain with transition probability matrix  $P$ , which is doubly stochastic, then the stationary distribution of this Markov chain is

- (A) (1, 0, 0)
- (B) (0, 1, 0)
- (C)  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$
- (D) (0, 0, 1)

83. If  $\underline{X} \sim N_P(\underline{\mu}, \underline{\Sigma})$  which of the following is not a correct statement?

- (A)  $\varphi_{\underline{X}}(t) = e^{it'\underline{\mu} - \frac{1}{2}t'\underline{\Sigma}t'}$
- (B) For any  $\underline{l} \in \mathbb{R}^P$ ,  $l'\underline{X}$  is univariate normal.
- (C) If  $X_i$  and  $X_j$  are the  $i^{\text{th}}$  and  $j^{\text{th}}$  components of  $\underline{X}$ , then  $X_i - X_j$  is univariate normal.
- (D)  $\varphi_{\underline{X}}(t) = e^{-it'\underline{\mu} + \frac{1}{2}t'\underline{\Sigma}t'}$ .

84. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be independent random variables with distribution function  $F(x)$  and  $G(x)$  respectively. Then  $P(Y < X)$  is

- (A)  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(x) dG(x)$
- (B)  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F^2(x) dx$
- (C)  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} G^2(x) dx$
- (D)  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} G(x) dF(x)$

85. Suppose  $\{X_n, n \geq 1\}$  is a sequence of random variables on a probability space. Which of the following statements is always correct?

- (A) If  $X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$ , then  $X_n \xrightarrow{a.s.} X$ .
- (B) If  $X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$  and  $\{X_n\}$  is a monotone sequence, then  $X_n \xrightarrow{a.s.} X$ .
- (C) If  $X_n \xrightarrow{L} X$ , then  $X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$ .
- (D) If  $X_n \xrightarrow{L} X$ , then there exists a subsequence  $\{X_{n_k}\}$  of  $\{X_n\}$  such that  $X_{n_k} \xrightarrow{a.s.} X$ .

86. Let  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  be independent and identically distributed  $N(0, 1)$  random variables and

$$Y = \frac{2X_1^2}{X_2^2 + X_3^2}, \text{ then the distribution of } Y \text{ is}$$

- (A)  $N(0, 2)$
- (B) Chi-square with 3 degrees of freedom
- (C)  $F(1, 2)$
- (D)  $F(2, 1)$

87. Let  $\{A_n\}$  be a sequence of events on a probability space and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(A_n) < \infty$ , then  $P(\overline{\lim} A_n)$  is

- (A) 1
- (B)  $\frac{1}{2}$
- (C) 0
- (D)  $\frac{1}{4}$

88. The mode of the geometric distribution with probability mass function

$$P_k = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots \text{ is}$$

- (A) 0.5
- (B) 0
- (C) 1
- (D) does not exist

89. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be independent random variables on a probability space and  $Z(\omega) = c$ , for every  $\omega \in \Omega$ . Then which of the following is not correct?

- (A)  $X^2$  and  $Y^2$  are independent.
- (B)  $X$  and  $Z$  are independent.
- (C)  $X^2$  and  $Z$  are independent.
- (D)  $X^2$  and  $Z^2$  are not independent.

90. Suppose  $X_1, X_2$  and  $X_3$  are *iid*  $N(0, 1)$  variables.

If  $Q = P(X_1^2 + X_2^2 + X_3^2 > 1)$  then

- (A)  $Q = 1.0$
- (B)  $Q = 0.5$
- (C)  $Q < 0.5$
- (D)  $Q > 0.5$

91. If the variables  $(y, x_1, x_2, x_3)$  are related by  $y - 2x_1 = 3(x_2 - x_3)$  then

- (A)  $r_{y \cdot x_1 x_2 x_3} = 1$  and  $r_{y x_1 \cdot x_2 x_3} = -1$
- (B)  $r_{y \cdot x_1 x_2 x_3} = 0$  and  $r_{y x_1 \cdot x_2 x_3} = -1$
- (C)  $r_{y \cdot x_1 x_2 x_3} = 1$  and  $r_{y x_3 \cdot x_1 x_2} = -1$
- (D)  $r_{y \cdot x_1 x_2 x_3} = 0$  and  $r_{y x_1 \cdot x_2 x_3} = 1$

92. For a BIBD  $(b, v, r, k, \lambda)$ , which of the following conditions is sufficient?

- (A)  $bk = vr$
- (B)  $\lambda(v - 1) = r(k - 1)$
- (C)  $(r - \lambda)$  is a perfect square for even  $v$ .
- (D) Information is insufficient.

93. Consider a design with 4 treatments 1, 2, 3 and 4 and 5 blocks (1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 2, 3), (1, 2, 4) and (1, 2, 3, 4). Then

- (A) the design is connected but non-orthogonal.
- (B) the design is connected and orthogonal.
- (C) all treatment contrasts are estimable.
- (D) only some elementary treatment contrasts are estimable.

94. An RBD is conducted in 2 blocks with 6 treatments. If the average yield for the blocks are  $x$  and  $y$  then  $SS(\text{Blocks})$  can be expressed as

- (A)  $\frac{1}{2}(x - y)^2$
- (B)  $3(x - y)^2$
- (C)  $2(x - y)^2$
- (D)  $6(x - y)^2$

95. Given the trend equation  $Y = 118.5 + 2.2X + 1.4X^2$  with origin 2010, then trend equation with origin 2011 is

- (A)  $Y = 117.7 - 0.6X + 1.4X^2$
- (B)  $Y = 108.5 + 1.2X + 1.4X^2$
- (C)  $Y = 122.1 + 5X + 1.4X^2$
- (D)  $Y = 117.7 + 5X + 1.4X^2$

96. Let  $\varepsilon_t, \varepsilon_{t+1}, \dots$  and  $\zeta$  be independent variables with zero mean and unit variance. Suppose  $U_t = a \cdot \zeta + \varepsilon_t, |a| < 1, -\infty < t < \infty$ . The process is

- (A) stationary
- (B) non-stationary
- (C) oscillatory
- (D) evolutionary

97. In measurement of population growth, Vital Index is defined as

- (A)  $\frac{CBR}{CDR} \times 100$
- (B)  $\frac{CDR}{CBR} \times 100$
- (C)  $CBR \times CDR \times 100$
- (D)  $\frac{CBR \times CDR}{100}$

98. There are different columns of life tables like  $l_x, q_x, L_x$  and  $T_x$ .  $e^o_{15}$  (expectation of life at age 15) is computed as

- (A)  $\frac{L_{15}}{l_{15}}$
- (B)  $\frac{T_{15}}{l_{15}}$
- (C)  $\frac{T_{15}}{L_{15}}$
- (D)  $\frac{L_{15}}{T_{15}}$

99. A two component series system consisting of independent and identical components following exponential distribution with mean 2. The failure rate of the system is

- (A) 4
- (B) 1
- (C)  $\frac{1}{4}$
- (D)  $\frac{1}{2}$

100. The Average Sample Number (ASN) in a single sampling inspection plan for attribute is

- (A)  $n \cdot L(p) + N \cdot [1 - L(p)]$
  - (B)  $n \cdot L(p)$
  - (C)  $n$
  - (D)  $N \cdot [1 - L(p)]$
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