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## INSTRUCTIONS

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- $\mathbb{N}$ ,  $\mathbb{Q}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$  respectively denotes the set of natural numbers, the set of rational numbers and the set of real numbers.
  - 1. Define  $f: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3$  by f(x, y, z) = (x + 1, y 1, z) for all $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3.$

Then the map f is

- (A) open and closed
- (B) open but not closed
- (C) closed but not open
- (D) neither open nor closed
- 2. Define  $f:(0,1) \to \mathbb{R}$  by

$$f(t) = \frac{2t-1}{2\sqrt{t(1-t)}}$$
 for all  $t \in (0,1)$ .

Then the map f is

- (A) bijective
- (B) injective but not surjective
- (C) surjective but not injective
- (D) neither injective nor surjective
- 3. Let G be a group of order  $7 \times 17 \times 19$ . Then G is
  - (A) cyclic
  - (B) abelian but not necessarily cyclic
  - (C) nonabelian
  - (D) not necessarily abelian
- 4. Let G be a group of order 175. Then G is
  - (A) cyclic
  - (B) abelian but not necessarily cyclic
  - (C) nonabelian
  - (D) not necessarily abelian

5. Let V be a vector space with a basis  $\{v_1, v_2, ... v_n\}$ . Define a linear transformation  $T: V \longrightarrow V$  by

$$T(v_i) = v_{i+1}$$
 for all  $1 \le i \le n-1$ , and  $T(v_n) = 0$ .

Then T is

- (A) diagonalizable
- (B)  $T^k = 0$  for some  $k \in \mathbb{N}$
- (C) both
- (D) neither
- 6. Let  $A \in M_{n \times n}(F)$ , where F is a field. Define  $T: M_{n \times n}(F) \to M_{n \times n}(F)$  by

$$T(B) = AB$$
 for all  $B \in M_{n \times n}(F)$ .

If A is diagonalizable, then T is

- (A) diagonalizable
- (B)  $T^k = 0$  for some  $k \in \mathbb{N}$
- (C) both
- (D) neither
- 7. Let  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  be the space of all real polynomials in x and  $D: \mathbb{R}[x] \to \mathbb{R}[x]$  be the differentiation map i.e., D(p)(x) = p'(x) for all  $p \in \mathbb{R}[x]$ . Then
  - (A) D is invertible
  - (B) D has a right inverse
  - (C) D has a left inverse
  - (D) D is diagonalizable
- 8. Let V be a finite dimensional vector space and  $T: V \longrightarrow V$  be a linear operator. Define N = null space of T, and R = range space of T. If rank  $(T^2) = \text{rank}(T)$ , then
  - (A) N and R are disjoint
  - (B) N ⊂ R
  - (C) N = R
  - (D)  $\dim(N) = \dim(R)$

9. Let  $M, N \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R})$  be such that

 $M^n = N^n = 0$  but  $M^{n-1} \neq 0 \neq N^{n-1}$ . Then

- (A) M and N represent the same linear transformation on ℝ<sup>n</sup>.
- (B) M and N may represent different linear transformations on R<sup>n</sup>.
- (C) M and N represent surjective linear transformations on R<sup>n</sup>.
- (D) M and N represent injective linear transformations on R<sup>n</sup>.
- 10. Let  $t_1$ ,  $t_2$ ,  $t_3$  be distinct real numbers and  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $c_3$  be any real numbers. Then which one of the following is the most appropriate?
  - (A) There is exactly one polynomial function  $p: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  such that  $p(t_i) = c_i$  for all i = 1,2,3.
  - (B) There is exactly one polynomial function  $p: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  of degree at most 2 such that  $p(t_i) = c_i$  for all i = 1,2,3.
  - (C) There is a continuous function  $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  such that  $f(t_i) = c_i$  for all i = 1,2,3.
  - (D) There is exactly one polynomial function  $p: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  of degree at most 3 such that  $p(t_i) = c_i$  for all i = 1,2,3.
- 11. The initial value problem  $\dot{x}(t) = 3x^{2/3}$ , x(0) = 0 in an interval around t = 0 has
  - (A) no solution
  - (B) unique solution
  - (C) finitely many solutions
  - (D) infinitely many solutions

12. For the system of

$$ODE \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

- (A) every solution is bounded.
- (B) every solution is bounded and periodic.
- (C) every solution is not bounded but periodic.
- (D) every solution is only periodic.
- 13. Which of the following polynomials represent the given data:

(A) 
$$3 + 26(x - 1) + \frac{53}{6}x^2$$

(B) 
$$\frac{2}{5}(x-1)(x-1/2) - 8(x-1)(x-3) + 3(x-3)(x-1/2)$$

(C) 
$$(x-3)(x+10) + \frac{1}{2}(x+10)(x-2) + 3(x-2)(x-3)$$

(D) 
$$-\frac{3}{2}\left(x-\frac{1}{2}\right)(x-3) - 8(x-1)(x-3) + \frac{2}{3}(x-1)(x-1/2)$$

14. Let (x(t), y(t)) satisfy the system of

ODEs 
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -x + ty$$
, If  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  are two  $\frac{dy}{dt} = tx - y$ 

solutions and  $\phi = x_1y_2 - x_2y_1$  then  $\frac{d\phi}{dt} = ?$ 

- $(A) -2\phi$
- (B) 2φ
- (C) -φ
- (D) φ

15. The BVP  $x^2y'' - 2xy' + 2y =$  subject to the boundary conditions  $y(1) + \alpha y'(1) = 1$  has a unique solution if:

- (A)  $\alpha = -1, \beta = 2$
- (B)  $\alpha = -1, \beta = -2$
- (C)  $\alpha = -2, \beta = 2$
- (D)  $\alpha = -3, \beta = 2/3$

16. The iteration  $x_{n+1} = \frac{1}{2} \left( x_n + \frac{2}{x_n} \right)$ , n > 0 for a given  $x_0 \neq 0$  is an instance of

- (A) a fixed point iteration for  $f(x) = x^2 2$ .
- (B) Newton's Method for  $f(x) = x^2 2$ .
- (C) fixed point iteration for  $f(x) = \frac{x^2+2}{2x}$ .
- (D) Newton's Method for  $f(x) = x^2 + 2$ .

17. Suppose G be a graph with 12 edges. If G has six vertices each of degree 3 and the rest have degree less than 3, then the minimum number of vertices that G can have is

- (A) 8
- (B) 9
- (C) 10
- (D) 11

18. In a two-person-zero-sum symmetric game,

- (A) the pay off is always zero.
- (B) Maximizing player's pay-off is always greater than minimizing player's pay-off.
- (C) Minimizing player's pay-off is always greater than maximizing player's pay-off.
- (D) pay-off is always non-zero number.

19. A tosses a coin twice. He receives Rs.2 if he tosses 2 heads. He looses Re.1 if the toss is a head and a tail. He wins Rs.3 if he tosses 2 tails. Then A's average win in the game is

- (A) 5/7
- (B) 7/5
- (C) 7/12
- (D) 5/12

20. The number of real solutions of the equation  $x = 99 \sin (\pi x)$  is

- (A) 1
- (B) 19
- (C) 99
- (D) 199

21. The limiting value of  $\frac{1.2+2.3+\cdots+n.(n+1)}{n^3}$  as

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

22. If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ , then  $A^{100} + A^{5}$  is

(A) 
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(B) A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

(C) 
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

(D) 
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

23. A function f is defined on (-1,1) by  $f(x) = x^{\alpha} \sin \frac{1}{x^{\beta}}, x \neq 0$  and f(0) = 0. Then f' is continuous if

(A) 
$$0 < \beta < \alpha - 1$$

(B) 
$$0 < \alpha < \beta + 1$$

(C) 
$$\beta = \alpha$$

(D) 
$$0 < \alpha < \beta - 1$$

24.  $x^2 + x + 1$  is a factor of  $(x + 1)^n - x^n - 1$ , whenever

- (A) n is odd
- (B) n is odd and multiple of 3
- (C) n is even multiple of 3
- (D) n is odd and not a multiple of 3

25. If  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 1$  then ab + ac + bc lies in

(A) 
$$\left[-\frac{1}{2},1\right]$$

(B) 
$$\left[\frac{1}{2}, 1\right]$$

(C) 
$$\left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$$

26. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are two complex numbers, then the maximum value of  $\frac{\alpha \vec{\beta} + \overline{\alpha} \beta}{|\alpha\beta|}$  is

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

27. The value of a for which the sum of squares of the roots of equation  $x^2 - (a-2)x - a - 1 = 0$  assumes the least value is

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

28. Which of the following statement is true?

- (A)  $|\sin z| \le 1$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{C}$
- (B)  $\sin^2 z + \cos^2 z = 1$ , for all  $z \in \mathbb{C}$
- (C)  $\sin 2z = 2 \sin z \cos z$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{C}$
- (D)  $\sin 3z = 3 \sin z 4 \sin^3 z$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{C}$

29. Which of the following sequence of functions  $\{f_n\}$  is uniformly convergent?

(A) 
$$f_n(x) = nxe^{-nx^2}, x \in [0,1]$$

(B) 
$$f_n(x) = n^2 x^2 e^{-nx}, x \in [0, \infty)$$

(C) 
$$f_n(x) = xe^{-nx}, x \in [0, \infty)$$

(D) 
$$f_n(x) = nx(1-x^2)^n, x \in [0,1]$$

- 30. Which one is the true statement?
  - (A) Any group of order 8 is cyclic.
  - (B) Any group of order 5 is abelian.
  - (C) Any group of order 11 has a nontrivial subgroup.
  - (D) There are no nontrivial homomorphisms from the cyclic group of order n to S<sub>n</sub>.
- 31. If a function  $f: \mathbb{C} \to \mathbb{C}$  is defined by  $f(z) = |z|^2, \forall z \in \mathbb{C}$ , then f is differentiable at
  - (A) z = 0
  - (B) z = 1
  - (C) z = 2
  - (D) z = 3
- 32. If a and b are two elements of an abelian group such that O(a)m and O(b) = n then O(ab) is
  - (A)  $\max\{m,n\}$
  - (B) mn
  - (C)  $g.c.d.\{m,n\}$
  - (D)  $l.c.m.\{m,n\}$
- 33. Let X be a compact metric space and consider the space  $C(X) = \{f: X \to \mathbb{R}: f \text{ is continuous}\}$  with the metric  $d(f,g) = \sup_X |f(x) g(x)|$ . Then in which case the set of functions  $\{f_n: X \to \mathbb{R}\}_{n \ge 0}$  is compact?
  - (A)  $f_n(x) = n \ \forall x \in X$
  - (B)  $f_n(x) = \frac{n}{n+1} \forall x \in X$
  - (C)  $f_n(x) = \frac{1}{n} \forall x \in X$  and if  $n \neq 0$ ,  $f_0(x) = 0 \forall x \in X$
  - (D)  $f_n(x) = \frac{1}{n} \forall x \in X \text{ and if } n \neq 0, f_0(x) = 1 \forall x \in X$

- 34. Let  $I = \int_{1}^{\infty} e^{ax^2 + bx + c} dx$ , where a, b, c are constants. For which values of a, b, c the integral I will be convergent?
  - (A) a = -1, b = 0, c = 100
  - (B) a = 1, b = 10, c = 0
  - (C) a = 0, b = 1, c = 0
  - (D) a = 0, b = 0, c = -10
- 35. Which of the following function is uniformly continuous on its domain (0,∞),?
  - (A)  $p(x) = x^2$
  - (B)  $f(x) = e^x$
  - (C)  $g(x) = e^{-x}$
  - (D)  $h(x) = x^2 \sin x$
- 36. Which of the following sets is dense in the plane with respect to the usual Euclidean metric?
  - (A) The lines through origin with integer slopes.
  - (B) The lines through origin with rational slopes.
  - (C) The concentric circles centered at origin with integer radius.
  - (D) The upper half plane containing points (x, y) such that y > 0 union the integral points i.e.  $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$ .
- 37. Consider the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & t \\ 1 & 4 & t^2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Which of the following is true?
  - (A) A is invertible for every  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ .
  - (B) A is invertible for all t > 0.
  - (C) A is invertible for all t < 0.</p>
  - (D) A is invertible for all  $t \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

38. Which of the following functions is Riemann integrable on [0,1]?

(A) 
$$D(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 1 & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$$

(B) 
$$g(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

(C) 
$$h(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ x & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

(D) 
$$p(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ \frac{1}{x} & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$$

39. The interval of convergence of  $\sum (\log n)^2 x^n$  is

- (A) (-1,1)
- (B) (-2,2)
- (C) (-1/2,1/2)
- (D) R

40. The remainder when

 $f(x) = 4x^4 + 3x^3 + x^2 + 5x + 1$  is divided by  $x^2 + 1$  is

- (A) 2x + 4
- (B) x + 2
- (C) 0.x + 2
- (D) 2x + 3

41. Let  $A: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear transformation with eigen-values  $\frac{2}{3}$  and  $\frac{9}{5}$ . Then there is a non-zero vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}^2$  such that

- (A) ||Av|| > 2||v||
- (B)  $||Av|| < \frac{1}{2} ||v||$
- (C) ||Av|| = ||v||
- (D) Av = 0

42. The determinant of the matrix

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 10 & 1 \\ 12 & 22 & 11 \\ 23 & 34 & 21 \end{bmatrix}$$
is

- (A) -11
  - (B) 0
- (C) 11
- (D) 110

43. The closure of the subset  $S = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 < 1, x \in \mathbb{Q}, y \in \mathbb{Q}\}$  inside the unit disk  $\mathbb{D} = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 < 1\}$  is

- (A) A proper subset of the unit disk D.
- (B) D\{(x,y) ∈ D: x ∈ Q or y ∈ Q}.
- (C) All of D
- (D)  $\mathbb{D} \cup \{(x,y): x^2 + y^2 = 1\}.$

44. The number of real roots of the equation  $x^3 - 3x + 1 = 0$  is

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

45. Which of the following is an injective function on  $(0, \infty)$ ?

- $(A) f(x) = \exp(2x + 5)$
- (B)  $f(x) = x^2 x$
- (C)  $f(x) = \sin(\exp(2x+5))$
- (D)  $f(x) = \frac{x+2}{x^2+1}$

- 46. If 2n boys are divided into two equal subgroup, the probability that the two tallest boys will be in the same subgroup is
  - (A)  $\frac{1}{2n-1}$
  - (B)  $\frac{n-1}{2n-1}$
  - (C)  $\frac{1}{2}$
  - (D)  $\frac{1}{2n}$
  - 47. The series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^4 + n^2 + 1}$ 
    - (A) converges to  $\frac{1}{2}$
    - (B) converges to  $\frac{1}{4}$
    - (C) does not converge
    - (D) converges to  $\frac{2}{3}$
- 48. Each face of a cube is to be painted with one of the 6 colours such that every two adjacent faces have different colours. The number of ways that the faces can be painted is
  - (A) 180
  - (B) 230
  - (C) 720
  - (D) 90

- 49. Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be a non-zero smooth function such that  $f(x)f(y) = f(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2})$  for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\lim_{|x| \to \infty} f(x) = 0$ . Then
  - (A) f(x) is an odd function.
  - (B) f(x) is an even function and  $f(0) \neq 1$ .
  - (C) f(x) is an even function and f(0) = 1.
  - (D) neither even nor odd.
  - 50. The volume enclosed by the ellipsoid

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$$
 is

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

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