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**DISCRETE MATHEMATICS** 

**Text Book:** Theory with worked out Examples and Practice Questions

# **Discrete Mathematics**

(Solutions for Text Book Practice Ouestions)

Chap 1	Mathematical Logic
01.	Ans: (d)
	The contrapositive of $(A \rightarrow B)$ is $(\sim B \rightarrow \sim A)$ .
	and $(A \rightarrow B) \equiv (\sim B \rightarrow \sim A)$ .
	The statement given in option(d) is
	contrapositive of p.
	The statement given in option(d) is
	equivalent to p.
	equivalent to p.
02.	Ans: (a)
Sol:	S <sub>1</sub> : The given argument is
	1. $\mathbf{r} \rightarrow (\mathbf{q} \rightarrow \mathbf{p})$
	<u>2. ~p</u>
	$\therefore$ (~r $\lor$ ~q)
	3. $(r \land q) \rightarrow p$ (1), equivalence
	4. $\sim$ (r $\land$ q) (3) and (2), modus tollens
	5. $(\sim \mathbf{r} \vee \sim \mathbf{q})$ (4), demorgan's law
	$\therefore$ S <sub>1</sub> is valid
	$S_2$ : When p has truth value false, q has truth
	value false and r has truth value true; we
	have, all the primeses are true but
	conclusion is false.
	$\therefore$ S <sub>2</sub> is not valid.
03.	Ans: (b)
Sol:	Quine's method:
	Case1:

When a has truth value true, the given formula becomes

$$c \land (\sim b \land \sim c)$$
  
$$\Leftrightarrow (c \land \sim c) \land \sim b$$
  
$$\Leftrightarrow F \land \sim b$$
  
$$\Leftrightarrow F$$

Case2:

When a has truth value false, the given formula becomes

 $b \land \sim (b \lor c)$  $\Leftrightarrow (b \land \sim b) \land \sim c$  $\Leftrightarrow F \land \sim c$  $\Leftrightarrow F$ 

 $\therefore$  The given formula is a contradiction.

04. Ans: (a) Sol: Let  $S_1 = (P \rightarrow Q)$ where,  $P = ((a \lor b) \rightarrow c)$  and  $Q = (a \land b) \rightarrow c$ Here Q is folce only when a is t

Here, Q is false only when a is true, b is true and c is false.

For these truth values P is also false.

 $\therefore$  S<sub>1</sub> is valid

Let  $S_2 = (R \rightarrow S)$ 

where,  $R = (a \land b) \rightarrow c$  and

 $S = (a \lor b) \rightarrow c$ 



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Here, when a is true, b is false and c is false	(b) When p has truth value false, q is true		
we have, R is true and S is false.	and r is true: then all the premises are		
i.e., $(R \rightarrow S)$ is false.	true and conclusion is false.		
$\therefore$ S <sub>2</sub> is not valid	.: The argument is not valid.		
	(c) The given argument is written as		
05. Ans: (c)	1. $\{p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$		
Sol: $S_1$ : The given formula is equivalent to the	$\frac{2.(p \land q)}{2}$		
following argument.	1		
1. $\sim p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow \sim w)$ premise	3. $(p \land q) \rightarrow r$ (1), equivalence		
$2. (\sim s \rightarrow q) \qquad \text{premise}$	4. r (2) and (3), modus ponens		
3. ~t premise	The argument is valid		
$4.(\sim p \lor t) \qquad \text{premise}$	(d) When p has truth value <i>false</i> and q has		
$\therefore (w \to s) \qquad \qquad \text{conclusion}$	truth value <i>false</i> , then both the premises		
We can derive the conclusion from the			
premises as follows. 5. ~p (3), (4), Disjunctive syllogism	:. The argument is not valid.		
6. $(q \rightarrow \sim w)$ (1), (5), Modues ponens	07. Ans: (d)		
7. $(\sim s \rightarrow \sim w)$ (2), (6), Transitivity	Sol: S <sub>1</sub> : The contra-positive of $(P \rightarrow Q)$ is		
8. $(w \rightarrow s)$ (7), Contra positive			
equivalence	The contra-positive of $\{(\sim r) \lor (\sim s)\} \rightarrow q$ is		
∴ The given formula is valid	$\neg q \rightarrow \sim \{(\neg r) \lor (\neg s)\}$		
The given formula is valid	$\Leftrightarrow \sim q \to (r \land s) \qquad \text{Demorgan's Law}$		
S <sub>1</sub> : The given formula can be written as	$\Leftrightarrow q \lor (r \land s) \qquad \text{Demotigan s Law}$ $\Leftrightarrow q \lor (r \land s) \qquad (\because (P \rightarrow Q) \cong (\sim P \lor Q))$		
$\{(q \to t) \land (s \to r) \land (q \lor s)\} \to (t \lor r)$	Similarly, we can verify other statements.		
which is valid by the rule of constructive	similarly, we can verify other statements.		
dilemma.	08. Ans: (b)		
06. Ans: (c)	Sol: From the truth table		
<b>Sol:</b> (a) When p has truth value false and r has	$(p * q) \Leftrightarrow (p \land \neg q)$		
truth value true, then all the premises are	Now, $(p \rightarrow q) \Leftrightarrow (\sim p \lor q)$		
true and conclusion is false.			
$\therefore$ The argument is not valid.	$ \Leftrightarrow \sim (p \land \sim q) \\ \Leftrightarrow \sim (p * q) $		
The argument is not valid.	$\rightarrow \Psi \Psi$		
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<b>09.</b> Ans: (d) <b>Sol:</b> The given formula can be written as $(\overline{p}, q) + (p, \overline{q}) + (p,q)$ $= (\overline{p}, q) + p, (\overline{q} + q)$ (By distributive law) $= (\overline{p}, q) + p$ ( $\because \overline{q} + q = 1$ ) $= (p + \overline{p}) \cdot (p + q)$ (By distributive law) = p + q	12. Ans: (c)Sol: $S_1$ : Conditional proof:1. $(a \lor b) \rightarrow c$ premise $2. c \rightarrow (d \land e)$ premise $(a \rightarrow d)$ conclusion
10. Ans: (c) Sol: Quine's Method: Case 1: When p is true, given formula $\{T \land (F \lor \neg q) \land (F \lor q \lor r) \land \neg r\}$ $\Leftrightarrow \neg q \land (q \lor r) \land \neg r$ $\Leftrightarrow \neg (q \lor r) \land (q \lor r)$ $\Leftrightarrow F$ Case 2: When p is false, the given formula is also false $\therefore$ The given formula is not satisfiable.	proof
11. Ans: (a) Sol: $S_1 = ((P \to Q) \to P) \to Q$ $\Leftrightarrow \sim \{\sim (\sim P \lor Q) \lor P\} \lor Q$ $\Leftrightarrow \{(\sim P \lor Q) \land \sim P\} \lor Q$ $\Leftrightarrow \{(\sim P \lor Q \lor Q) \land (\sim P \lor Q)$ $\Leftrightarrow (\sim P \lor Q) \land (\sim P \lor Q)$ $\Leftrightarrow (\sim P \lor Q) \land (\sim P \lor Q)$ $\Leftrightarrow (\sim Q \lor Q)$ $\mathrel (\sim Q \lor Q)$	<ul> <li>6. F (3), (5), contradiction</li> <li>.: S<sub>2</sub> is valid</li> <li>13. Ans: (c)</li> <li>Sol: Quine's method: Case 1: When P is true, the given formula has truth value <i>true</i>. Case 2: When P is false, the given formula</li> </ul>

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<ul> <li>14. Ans: (d)</li> <li>Sol: (a) Let A = (p → q) → r and B = p → (q → r) Here, B is false only when p is true, q is true and r is false. For this set of truth values, A is also false.</li> <li>∴ A → B is a tautology.</li> <li>(b) Let A = p → (r ∨ q) and B = (p → r) ∨ (p → q) Here, B is false only when p is true, q is false and r is false. For this set of truth values, A is also false.</li> </ul>	Here, B is false only when p is true and q is false. For this set of truth values, A is also false. $\therefore$ S1 is a tautology S2: $\sim (q \rightarrow \sim p) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow \sim q)$ Let us represent this as A $\rightarrow$ B. where A = $\sim (q \rightarrow \sim p)$ and B = $(p \rightarrow \sim q)$ Here, B is false only when p is true and q is true. For this set of truth values, A is true. $\therefore$ S2 is not a tautology S3: $\sim (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (p \lor q)$
(c) Let $A = p \rightarrow (r \land q)$ and $B = (p \rightarrow r) \lor (p \rightarrow q)$ Here, B is false only when p is true, q is false and r is false. For this set of truth values, A is also false. $\therefore A \rightarrow B$ is a tautology. (d) Let $A = p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$ and $B = (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r$	Let us represent this as $A \rightarrow B$ . Here, B is false only when p is false and q is false. In this case, A is also false. $\therefore$ S3 is a tautology S4: $(p \land \sim q) \rightarrow (p \leftrightarrow q)$ Let us represent this as $A \rightarrow B$ . Here, A is true only when p is true and q is false. In this case, B is false.
When p is false, q is true and r is false; then A is true and B is false. $\therefore A \rightarrow B$ is not a tautology. 15. Ans: (c) Sol: S1: $\sim$ (p $\lor$ q) $\rightarrow$ (p $\rightarrow$ q) Let us represent this as A $\rightarrow$ B, where A = $\sim$ (p $\lor$ q) and B = (p $\rightarrow$ q)	<ul> <li>∴ S4 is not a tautology</li> <li>16. Ans: (b)</li> <li>Sol: The truth table of a propositional function in n variables contain 2<sup>n</sup> rows. In each row the function can be true or false. By product rule, number of non equivalent propositional functions (different truth tables) possible = 2<sup>(2<sup>n</sup>)</sup>. If we put n = 3, we get 256.</li> </ul>



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<b>17.</b> Ans: (b) <b>Sol:</b> In the given formula, if we replace $(c \rightarrow \neg d)$ with $(\neg c \lor \neg d)$ , then the given formula is substitution instance of destructive dilemma $\therefore$ The given formula is valid. <b>18.</b> Ans: (c) <b>Sol:</b> If $(p \rightarrow q)$ is false then p is true and q if false. (a) $((\neg p) \land q) \leftrightarrow (p \lor q)$ replacing p with true and q with false, we have $(F \land F) \leftrightarrow (T \lor F)$ $\Leftrightarrow F \leftrightarrow T$ $\Leftrightarrow F$ (b) $(p \leftrightarrow q)$ replacing p with true and q with false we have $(T \leftrightarrow F) \Leftrightarrow F$ (c) $(p \lor q) \lor r$ replacing p with true and q with false we have $(T \lor F) \lor r \Leftrightarrow T$ (d) $(p \land q) \lor r$ replacing p with true and q with false, we have $(T \land F) \lor r \Leftrightarrow r$ <b>19.</b> Ans: (b)	I) aS2: (a↔b) is equivalent to $((a \land b) \lor (\neg a \land \neg b))$ $\therefore$ S2 is validI) a $\therefore$ S2 is valida20. Ans: (a)Sol: S1: Let us denote the given formula by P⇒Q Here, Q is false only when a is true, b is true and c is false. For these truth values, P also has truth value false. $\therefore$ S1 is valid. S2: When a is true, b is false and c is false; the given formula has truth value false. $\therefore$ S2 is not valid.e,21. Ans: (c) Sol: S1: p → (q ∧ r) $⇔ (\neg p \lor q) \land (\neg p \lor r)$ $⇔ (p → q) \land (p → r)$ S2: $[(p \lor q) \to r]$ $⇔ ((p \lor q) \lor r)$ $⇔ ((p \lor r) \land ((q \lor r))$ $⇔ [(p → r) \land ((q \lor r))$ $⇔ [(p → r) \land ((q \lor r))$
<ul> <li>19. Ans: (b)</li> <li>Sol: S<sub>1</sub>: When a is false and b is false, then th given formula has truth value false.</li> <li>∴ S<sub>1</sub> is not valid</li> </ul>	$\leftrightarrow$ $(n \wedge n) \vee n$

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23. Ans: (c)	q: he fails high school.		
<b>Sol:</b> $S_1: p \rightarrow (q \land r)$	r: he is uneducated.		
$\Leftrightarrow \sim p \lor (q \land r)$	s: jack reads a lot of books		
The dual is $\sim p \land (q \lor r)$	t: jack is smart		
$S_2: p \leftrightarrow q$	The given argument in symbolic form is		
$\Leftrightarrow (p \land q) \lor (\sim p \land \sim q)$	1. $p \rightarrow q$ premise		
The dual is $(\sim p \lor \sim q) \land (q \lor p)$	2. $q \rightarrow r$ premise		
	3. $s \rightarrow \sim r$ premise		
24. Ans: (a)	<u>4. <math>p \land s</math></u> premise		
<b>Sol:</b> $((a \land b) \rightarrow c)$	$\therefore$ t conclusion		
$\Leftrightarrow \sim (a \land b) \lor c$	Proof:		
$\Leftrightarrow \sim a \lor \sim b \lor c$	5. $p \rightarrow r$ (1), (2), transitivity		
$\Leftrightarrow (\sim a \lor c) \lor (\sim b \lor c)$	6. p (4), simplification		
$\Leftrightarrow ((a \to c) \lor (b \to c))$	7. s(4), simplification		
25. Ans: (c)	8. r (5), (6), modus ponens 9. ~r (3), (7), modus ponens		
Sol: Argument1: Let	(8) and (9) contradict each other.		
p: there was a ball game	The premises are inconsistent.		
q: travelling was difficult.	Hence, the argument is valid.		
r: they arrived on time			
The given argument in symbolic form is	26. Ans: (b)		
1. $p \rightarrow q$ premise	<b>Sol:</b> $(p \land (\neg r \lor q \lor \neg q)) \lor ((r \lor t \lor \neg r) \land \neg q)$		
2. $r \rightarrow \neg q$ premise	$\Leftrightarrow (p \land T) \lor (T \land \neg q)$		
<u>3. r</u> premise	$\Leftrightarrow$ p $\lor$ ~q		
~p conclusion	1 1		
Proof:	27. Ans: (a)		
4. ~q (2), (3), modus pones	<b>Sol:</b> $(p \lor (p \land q) \lor (p \land q \land \sim r)) \land ((p \land r \land t) \lor t)$		
5. $\sim p$ (1), (4), modus tollens	In boolean algebra notation		
$\therefore$ The argument is valid	$(p + (p.q) + (p.q. \sim r)).((p.r.t) + t)$		
	$= p.(1 + q + \bar{r}).t (p.r + 1)$		
Argument2:			
Let p: jack misses many classes through	$ \begin{array}{c} p \\ = p \\ \wedge t \end{array} $		
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28.	Ans: (a)				9. $\sim$ (s $\vee$ t)	(8), equivalence
Sol:	The given form	ula is equivalent to the	•		10. ~r	(2), (9), modus tollens
	following argument	nt			11. ~(~ $p \lor q$ )	(1), (10), modus tollens
	1. p	premise			12. $p \land \sim q$	(11), equivalence
	2. $(p \rightarrow q)$	premise			13. p	(12), simplification
	3. $(s \lor r)$	premise			The argument	
	<u>4. <math>(r \rightarrow \sim q)</math></u>	premise			∴ The given fo	ormula is valid.
	$\therefore$ (s $\lor$ t)	conclusion		30.	Ans: (a)	
	Proof:					is valid by the rule of
	5. q (1)	, (2), modus pones	DI		constructive dil	-
	6. ~r (4)	, (5), modus tollens		NC	Ac	
	7. s (3)	, (6),disjunctive syllogism		31.	Ans: (a)	
	8. $s \lor t$ (7)	, addition		Sol:	The given for	rmula is equivalent to the
	The argument is v	alid.			following arguing	ment
	: The given form	ula is valid.			1. (~p ↔ q)	premise
					2. $(q \rightarrow r)$	premise
29.	Ans: (a)				<u>3. (~r)</u>	premise
Sol:	The given form	ula is equivalent to the	•		.: p	conclusion
	following argument	nt		$\langle$		
	1. $((\sim p \lor q) \rightarrow r)$	Sinc	- 1	100	Proof:	7
	premise				4. ~q	(2), (3), modus tollens
	2. $(\mathbf{r} \rightarrow (\mathbf{s} \lor \mathbf{t}))$	premise			5. (~p $\rightarrow$ q)	(1), simplification
	3. $(\sim s \land \sim u)$	premise			6. p	(4), (5), modus tollens
	$4. (\sim u \rightarrow \sim t)\}$	premise conclusion			The argument i	
	∴ p	conclusion			-	
	Proof:				∴ The given fo	offitula is valid.
	5. ~s	(3), simplification		22		
	6. ~u	(3), simplification		32.		
	7. ~t	(4), (6), modus ponens		501:	$\mathbf{S_1:} (\mathbf{a} \land \mathbf{b}) \lor \mathbf{c}$ $= (\mathbf{a}.\mathbf{b}) + \mathbf{c}$	
	8. $\sim$ s $\wedge \sim$ t	(5), (7), conjunction			= (a.b) + c = (a + c).(b	+ c)

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= { $(a + c) + (b, \overline{b})$ }. { $(a, \overline{a}) + (b + c)$ }		1. $(p \land q) \rightarrow r$	premise
$= (a+b+c).(a+\overline{b}+c).(\overline{a}+b+c)\}$		2. $\sim p \rightarrow s$	premise
$= (a \lor b \lor c) \land (a \lor \neg b \lor c) \land (\neg a \lor b \lor c)$	c)	$3. \sim q \rightarrow t$	premise
which is the required conjunctive norm	/	4. ~r	premise
form.		<u>5. u <math>\rightarrow</math> (~s <math>\wedge</math> ~t)</u>	premise
$S_2: a \land (b \leftrightarrow c)$		∴ ~u	conclusion
$= a \land \{(b \land c) \lor (\sim b \land \sim c)\}$			
$= (a \land b \land c) \lor (a \land \neg b \land \neg c)$		Proof:	
Which is the required disjunctive norm	al	6. $\sim$ (p $\land$ q)	(1), (4), modus tollens
form.		7. ~ $p \lor ~q$	(6), demorgan's law
		8. (s ∨ t)	(2), (3), (7),
3. Ans: (c)			constructive dilemma
ol: (I). p: It is not raining		9. ~u	(5), (8), modus tollens
q: Rita has her umbrella.		: The argumen	t is valid.
r: Rita does not get wet.			
The given argument in symbolic form i	is	First Order Logic	
1. $p \lor q$ premise			
2. $\sim q \lor r$ premise		34. Ans: (c)	
$3. \sim p \lor r \qquad \text{premise}$		Sol: A statement is a pr	redicate if we can replace
$\therefore$ r conclusion		every variable in	the statement by any
The argument is valid, by the rule of	of		ain to form a proposition.
dilemma.		$S_1$ is false for any re-	eal number.
(II). p: Superman were able to prevent ev	ril	$\therefore$ S <sub>1</sub> is a predicate	
q: Superman were willing to preven	nt		e real numbers which are
evil		odd integers.	
r: Superman would prevent evil		$\therefore$ S <sub>2</sub> is a predicate	
s: Superman would be impotent.			
t: Superman would be malevolent.		35. Ans: (b)	
u: Superman exist.		<b>Sol:</b> $P(x, y) = (x \lor y) \rightarrow$	
The given argument in symbolic form	15	$\sim P(x, y) = (x \lor y) \land$	
			$x \exists y P(x, y) is \exists x \forall y$
		$((x \lor y) \land \sim z)$	

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<ul> <li>36. Ans: (d)</li> <li>Sol: 1. If we choose y = 17 - x then φ is true.</li> <li>2. When x = 17, there is no positive integery which satisfies φ</li> <li>3. When x = 17, there is no positive integery which satisfies φ</li> </ul>		The given argument can be written as 1) $\forall_x \{D(x) \rightarrow C(x)\}$ 2) $\exists_x \{D(x) \land \sim G(x)\}$ $\therefore \exists_x \{G(x) \land \sim C(x)\}$ 3) $\{D(a) \land \sim G(a)\}$ 2), Existential Specification
<ul> <li>4. If we choose y = 17 - x then φ is true.</li> <li>37. Ans: (a)</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>4) {D(a)→C(a)}</li> <li>1), Universal Specification</li> <li>5) D (a)</li> <li>6) ~ G (a)</li> <li>3), Simplification</li> </ul>
Sol: In general, the universal quantifier take the connective $\rightarrow$ and the existential quantifier take the connective $\wedge$ . The given formula in symbolic form, can be written as $\forall n [(n > 1) \rightarrow \exists x \{p(x) \land (n < x < 2n)\}]$	RIN	7) C (a) 9) $\exists_x \{G(x) \land \neg C(x)\}$ 4), 5), Modus ponens 8) $\{C(a) \land \neg G(a)\}$ 7), 6), Conjunction 9) $\exists_x \{G(x) \land \neg C(x)\}$ 8), Existential Generalization The argument is not valid II) Let M (x) x is a mother
38. Ans: (a) Sol: The given statement can be expressed as $\forall n [(n \ge 1) \rightarrow \exists x \{p(x) \land (n \le x \le 2n)\}]$ Its negation is $\sim \{\forall n [(n\ge 1) \rightarrow \exists x \{p(x) \land (n \le x \le 2n)\}]$ $\Leftrightarrow \exists n \sim [(n\ge 1) \rightarrow \exists x \{p(x) \land (n \le x \le 2n)\}]$ $\Leftrightarrow \exists n [(n\ge 1) \land \sim \exists x \{p(x) \land (n \le x \le 2n)\}]$		N (x) x is a male P (x) : x is a politician The given argument is 1) $\forall_x \{M(x) \rightarrow \sim N(x)\}$ 2) $\exists_x \{N(x) \land P(x)\}$ $\therefore \exists_x \{P(x) \land \sim M(x)\}$
$\Leftrightarrow \exists n [(n \geq 1) \land \forall x \sim \{p(x) \land (n \leq x \leq 2n)\}]$ $\Leftrightarrow \exists n [(n \geq 1) \land \forall x \{p(x) \rightarrow \sim (n \leq x \leq 2n)\}$ $\Leftrightarrow \exists n [(n \geq 1) \land \forall x \{p(x) \rightarrow ((x \leq n) \land (x \geq 2n))\}$	1	3) N (a) $\wedge$ P (a)2), Existential Specification4) M (a) $\rightarrow \sim$ N (a)1), Universal Specification5) N (a)3), Simplification6) P (a)3), Simplification7) $\sim$ M (a)4), 5), Modus tollens
<ul> <li>39. Ans: (d)</li> <li>Sol: I) Let D (x) : x is a doctor</li> <li>C (x) : x is a college graduate</li> <li>G (x) : x is a golfer</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>8) {P (a)∧~ M (a)} 6), 7), Conjunction</li> <li>9) ∃<sub>x</sub>{P (x) ∧ ~ M (x)} 8), Existential Generalization</li> <li>∴ The argument is valid.</li> </ul>

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40. Ans: (c) **Sol:** S<sub>1</sub>: L.H.S =  $\exists x [P(x) \lor Q(x)]$  $\Rightarrow$  P(a)  $\lor$  Q(a) [Existential specification]  $\Rightarrow \exists x P(x) \lor Q(a)$  [Existential Generalization]  $\Rightarrow (\exists x P(x) \lor \exists x Q(x))$  [Existential Generalization]  $\therefore$  L.H.S.  $\Rightarrow$  R.H.S Now, R.H.S =  $(\exists x P(x) \lor \exists x Q(x))$  $\Rightarrow$  P(a)  $\lor \exists x Q(x)$  [Existential Specification]  $\Rightarrow$  P(a)  $\lor$  Q(b) [Existential Specification]  $\Rightarrow$  P(a)  $\lor$  Q(b)  $\lor$  P(b)  $\lor$  Q(a) [Addition]  $\Rightarrow$  [P(a)  $\lor$  Q(a)]  $\lor$  [P(b)  $\lor$  Q(b)] [By commutative and associative laws]  $\Rightarrow \exists x [P(x) \lor Q(x)] \lor \exists x [P(x) \lor Q(x)]$ [By Existential Generalization] [By Idempotent law]  $\Rightarrow \exists x [P(x) \lor Q(x)]$  $\therefore$  R.H.S.  $\Rightarrow$  L.H.S. Hence, L.H.S.  $\Leftrightarrow$  R.H.S.  $S_2$ : Try your self (Similar to  $S_1$ )

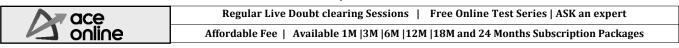
#### 41. Ans: (a)

Sol:	S <sub>1</sub> : Proof by contradiction		
	1. $(\forall x P(x) \lor \forall x Q(x))$	Premise	
	$2. \sim \{ \forall x [P(x) \lor Q(x)] \}$	New	premise
		for indire	ect proof
	3. $\exists x [\sim P(x) \land \sim Q(x)]$	(2), equiv	alence
	4. $[\sim P(a) \land \sim Q(a)]$	(3),existe generaliz	
	5. ~P(a)	(4), simp	lification
	6. ~Q(a)	(4), simp	lification
	7. $\exists x \sim P(x)$	(5), exist	ential
		gener	alization
	8. $\exists x \sim Q(x)$	(6), exist gener	tential alization
	9. $\exists x \sim P(x) \land \exists x \sim Q(x)$	(7),(8),con	junction
	10. $\sim (\forall x P(x) \lor \forall x Q(x))$	(9), equ	ivalence
	(1) and $(10)$ , contra	radict each	other.
	$\therefore$ S <sub>1</sub> is valid		

**S**<sub>2</sub>:  $\forall x [P(x) \lor Q(x)] \Rightarrow (\forall x P(x) \lor \forall x Q(x))$ We can disprove the above statement by counter example: Let the universe be  $\{a, b\}$ . Suppose P(a) is true, P(b) is false, Q(a) is false and Q(b) is true. For these values the given statement is false.  $\therefore$  S<sub>2</sub> is not valid 42. Ans: (a) Sol: The given statement can be written as  $\exists x \{S(x) \land M(x) \land \sim H(x)\}$ It's negation is  $\forall x \{ \sim S(x) \lor \sim M(x) \lor H(x) \}$ (By demorgan's law)

$$\Leftrightarrow \forall x \{\{S(x) \land M(x)\} \rightarrow H(x)\}$$
$$(\because (P \lor Q) = (\sim P \rightarrow Q))$$

**43**. Ans: (d) Sol: I Let  $U = \{a, b\}$  be the universe of discourse, such that P(a) is true, P(b) is false Q(a) is false, and Q(b) is true Now, L.H.S of I is true And R.H.S of I is false : The statement I is not valid. II. Let  $U = \{a, b\}$  be the universe of discourse, such that P(a) is true and P(b) is false Q(a) is false and Q(b) is true Now. The antecedent of II is true and consequent is false .: The statement II is not valid.





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44. Ans: (c) Sol: I. The premises are	<ul><li>45. Ans: (b)</li><li>Sol: The given statements can be represented by</li></ul>
1. $\forall x[P(x) \rightarrow \{Q(x) \land S(x)\}]$ 2. $\forall x \{P(x) \land R(x)\}$ 3. $P(a) \rightarrow \{Q(a) \land S(a)\}$ (1) universal	the following venn diagram
specification 4. P(a) ∧ R(a) (2) universal specification	(Mathe maticians) (Sales Persons)
5. $P(a)$ (4), simplification6. $Q(a) \wedge S(a)$ (3),(5) modus ponens7. $S(a)$ (6), simplification	From venn diagram, option(c) does not follow.
8. $R(a)$ (4), simplification9. $R(a) \wedge S(a)$ (8), (7), Conjunction10. $\forall x \{R(x) \wedge S(x)\}$ (9) U.G $\therefore$ Argument I is valid.	
II. The given argument contains only universal quantifier. We can drop the quantifiers in the argument.	$\exists x \{ D(x) \land \neg S(x) \}$
Now the premises are 1. $\{P(x) \lor Q(x)\}$ 2. $\{\sim P(x) \land Q(x)\} \rightarrow R(x)$ Since	<b>47.</b> Ans: (c) <b>Sol:</b> S <sub>1</sub> : $\exists x \{P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)\}$
The conclusion is $\{\sim R(x) \rightarrow P(x)\}$ . Let us apply conditional proof 3. $\sim R(x)$ new premise	$ \Rightarrow \exists x \{\sim P(x) \lor R(x)\}  \Rightarrow \{\exists x \sim P(x) \lor \exists x R(x)\}  \Rightarrow \{\forall x P(x) \rightarrow \exists x Q(x)\} $
4. $\{P(x) \lor \sim Q(x)\}$ (2),(3), modus tollens 5. $\{P(x) \lor Q(x)\} \land \{P(x) \lor \sim Q(x)\}$ (2, (4), conjunction	$\begin{array}{ccc} \therefore & S_1 \text{ is true} \\ S_2 \vdots & \exists x \ \forall y \ P(x, y) \\ \Rightarrow & \forall y \ P(a, y) \text{ for some a} \end{array}$
6. $P(x) \lor \{Q(x) \land \neg Q(x)\}$ (5), Dist. Law 7. $P(x) \lor F$ (6) 8. $P(x)$ (7) $\therefore$ Argument II is valid.	$\Rightarrow P(a, b) \text{ is true for all } b$ $\Rightarrow \exists x P(x, b) \text{ is true for all } b$ $\Rightarrow \forall y \exists x P(x, y) \text{ is true}$ $\therefore S_2 \text{ is true}$
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**S**<sub>2</sub>: L.H.S  $\Leftrightarrow$  { $\forall$ x ~ A(x)  $\lor \forall$ x B(x))

But converse is not true

given

argument is valid.

(1)  $\forall_x \{ P(x) \rightarrow Q(x) \}$ 

S<sub>4</sub> is not valid (converse is not true)

 $\therefore$  S<sub>2</sub> is false

S<sub>3</sub> valid equivalence

51. Ans: (b)

Sol: (a) The

 $\Rightarrow \forall x (\sim A(x) \lor B(x))$ 

formula

conditional proof, if the following

is

valid

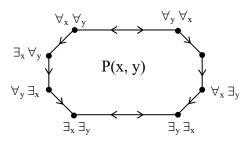
by

 $\Rightarrow \forall x (A(x) \rightarrow B(x)) = R.H.S$ 

#### 48. Ans: (c)

- **Sol:**  $\exists_y \forall_x P(y, x) \rightarrow \forall_y \exists_x P(x, y)$ 
  - $\Leftrightarrow \exists_x \forall_y P(x, y) \to \forall_y \exists_x P(x, y)$
  - (:: x and y are dummy variables)

Which is valid as per the relationship diagram shown below



The remaining options are not true as per the diagram.

#### 49. Ans: (d)

#### Sol: S<sub>1</sub> is true

Once we select any integer n, the integer m

= 5 - n does exist and

n + m = n + (5 - n) = 5

 $S_2$  is true, because if we choose n=1 the statement nm = m is true for any integer m.

**S**<sub>3</sub> is false, for example, when m = 0 the statement is false for all n

 $S_4$  is false, here we cannot choose n = -m, because m is fixed.

#### 50. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** S<sub>1</sub>: L.H.S 
$$\Leftrightarrow \exists x (A (x) \rightarrow B(x))$$

 $\Leftrightarrow \exists x \ (\sim A(x) \lor B(x)), E_{16}$  $\Leftrightarrow \exists x \sim A(x) \lor \exists x B(x), E_{23}$  $\Leftrightarrow \forall x A(x) \rightarrow \exists x B(x), E_{16}$ = R.H.S

 $\therefore \forall_x Q(x)$  **Proof:** 

(2)  $\forall_x P(x)$  new premise to apply C.P

(3) 
$$P(a) \rightarrow Q(a)$$
(1), U.S(4)  $P(a)$ (2), U.S(5)  $Q(a)$ (3), (4), M.P(6)  $\forall_x Q(x)$ (5), U.S

 $\therefore$  The given formula is valid (C.P)

(b) The statement need not be true.

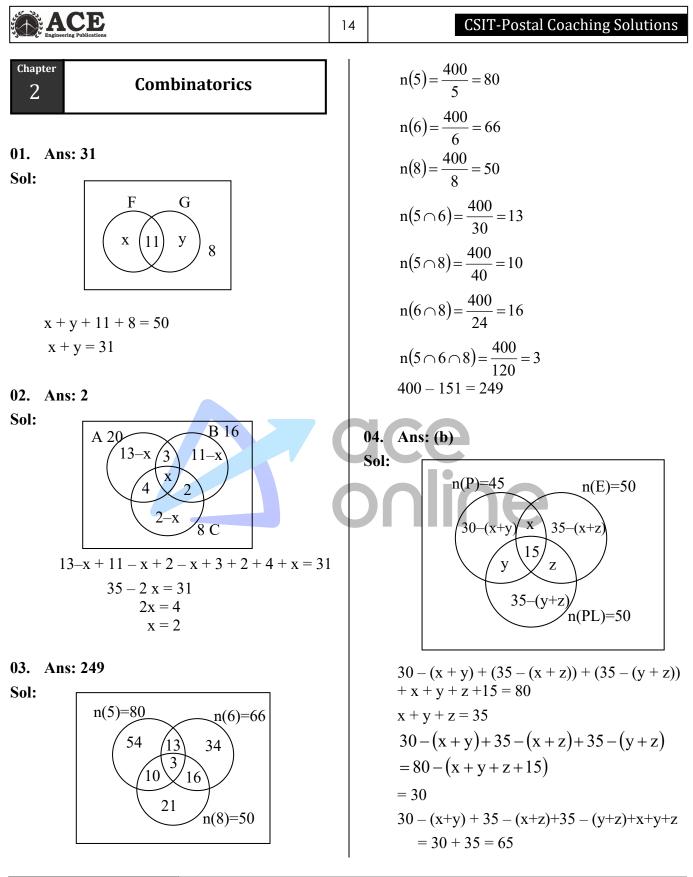
Let c and d are two elements in the universe of discourse, such that P(c) is true and P(d) is false and Q(c) is false and Q(d) is false.

Now, the L.H.S of the given statement is true but R.H.S is false.

: The given statement is not valid.

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05.	Ans: 86		10. Ans: 262
06.	Ans: (c)		<b>Sol:</b> The total number of integers 1 through 1000
	If n is even, then number of bit strings of	f	with atleast one repeated digit
501.	n		$= 1000 - ({}^{9}C_{1} + {}^{9}C_{1} \times {}^{9}C_{1} + {}^{9}C_{1} \times {}^{9}C_{1} \times {}^{8}C_{1})$
	length n which are palindromes $=2^{\overline{2}}$ .		= 1000 - 738
	If n is odd, then number of bit strings of	f	= 262
	length n which are palindromes $=2^{\frac{n+1}{2}}$		11. Ans: 2187
	$\frac{n}{2}$		Sol: Number of 4 digit integers with digit '0'
	$\therefore$ Required number of bit strings = $2^{\left \frac{n}{2}\right }$ .		appearing exactly once
07.	Ans: 3439	: P 1/	$=({}^{9}C_{1} + {}^{9}C_{1} \times {}^{9}C_{1} \times 1) + ({}^{9}C_{1} \times {}^{9}C_{1} \times {}^{9}C_{1} \times 1)$
Sol:	Number of integers between 1 and 10,000	)	$\checkmark + ({}^{9}C_{1} + {}^{9}C_{1} \times {}^{9}C_{1} \times 1)$
	without digit $7 = (9^4 - 1) + 1$		= 729 + 729 + 729
	Required number of integers = $10,000 - 9^4$		= 2187
	= 3439		
08.	Ans: 64		12. Ans: 2940
Sol:	In a binary matrix of order $3 \times 3$ we have '9	•	<b>Sol:</b> Consider an integer with 5 digits.
	elements each element we can choose '2	'	Digit 3 can appear in 5 ways
	ways.		Digit 4 can appear in 4 ways
	By using symmetric relations we have	e	Digit 5 can appear in 3 ways
	$2^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} \times 2^n$ matrices are possible		Each of the remaining digits we can choose
	$\frac{2}{3(3-1)}$	ce 1	99 in 7 ways.
	$\therefore 2^{\frac{2(2-1)}{2}} \times 2^3$		By product rule,
	= 64		Required number of integers
09.	Ans: 188		=(5)(4)(3)(7)(7)=2940
	An English movie and a telugu movie can be		
~ 014	selected in $(6)(8) = 48$ ways		13. Ans: (a)
	A telugu movie and a hindi movie can be		<b>Sol:</b> Since it is a single elimination tournament
	selected in $(8).(10) = 80$ ways		so we need $(n-1)$ matches to decide winner.
	A hindi movie and an English movie can be		
	selected in $(10)(6) = 60$ movies		14. Ans: (c)
	Required number of ways $= 48 + 80 + 60$		
	= 188		<b>Sol:</b> Let P, Q are subsets of S so that $P \cap Q = \phi$ .

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So each element of P, Q are having '3' possibilities Case (i) : Elements are in P but not in Q Case (ii) : Elements are in Q but not in P Case (iii): Elements are not in P and not in Q  $\therefore$  Number of possibilities = 3<sup>n</sup>

#### 15. Ans: 151200

Sol: Required number of ways

= Number of ways we can map the 6 persons to 6 of the 10 books

- = P(10,6)
- = 151200

#### 16. Ans: 2880

Sol: First girls can sit around a circle in ∠4 ways.
Now there are 5 distinct places among the girls, for the 4 boys to sit.
Therefore, the boys can sit in P(5, 4) ways.
By product rule,

Required number of ways =  $\angle 4.P(5, 4)$ 

= 2880

# 17. Ans: 1152

Sol: Consider 8 positions in a row marked 1, 2, 3,...., 8.

**Case 1:** Boys can sit in odd numbered positions in  $\angle 4$  ways and girls can sit in even numbered positions in  $\angle 4$  ways.

**Case 2:** Boys can sit in even numbered positions in  $\angle 4$  ways and girls can sit in odd numbered positions in  $\angle 4$  ways. Required number of ways

 $= \angle 4. \angle 4 + \angle 4. \angle 4 = 1152$ 

# 18. Ans: 325

16

Sol: Number of signals we can generate using 1 flag = 5 Number of signals we can generate using two flags = P(5,2) = 5.4 = 20 and so on. Required number of signals = 5 + P(5,2) + P(5,3) + P(5,4) + P(5,5)

19. Ans: (a)

325

Sol: Each book we can give in 10 ways. By product rule, required number of ways  $= 10^{6}$ 

#### 20. Ans: 243

**Sol:** Each digit of the integer we can choose in 3 ways.

By product rule,

Required number of integers  $= 3^5$ 

$$= 243$$

#### 21. Ans: 12600

Sol: Required number of permutations

$$=\frac{\angle 10}{\angle 2.\angle 3.\angle 4}=12,600$$

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#### 22. Ans: 360

**Sol:** Required number of strings = Number of permutations possible with seven 0's, two 1's and one 2

$$=\frac{\angle 10}{\angle 7.\angle 2.\angle 1}=360$$

#### 23. Ans: 2520

- Sol: Required number of ways
  - = number of ordered partitions

$$=\frac{\angle 10}{\angle 3.\angle 2.\angle 5}=2520$$

#### 24. Ans: 945

**Sol:** Required number of ways = Number of unordered partitions of a set into 5 subjects

of same size = 
$$\frac{\angle 10}{(\angle 2.\angle 2.\angle 2.\angle 2.\angle 2).\angle 5}$$
  
= 945

# 25. Ans: 150

**Sol:** Required number of ways = Number of onto functions possible from persons to rooms

$$= 3^{5} - C(3, 1) 2^{5} + C(3, 2) . 1^{5}$$
$$= 243 - 3 (32) + 3$$
$$= 150$$

#### 26. Ans: 5400

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Sol: Suppose we are choosing 4 men from 6 men then  ${}^{6}C_{4}$ .

And each men pair with women.

First men can choose any one women of 6 women and second men can choose any one

women of 5 women by continuing this process,

Total number of ways=  ${}^{6}C_{4} \times (6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3)$ = 5400

#### 27. Ans: 45

- Sol: For maximum number of points of intersection, we have to draw 10 lines so that no three lines are concurrent. In that case, each point corresponds to a pair of distinct straight lines.
  - ∴ Maximum number of points of intersection = number of ways we can choose two straight lines out of 10 straight lines = C (10, 2) = 45

# 28. Ans: 120

Sol: The 3 zeros can appear in the sequence in C(10,3) ways. The remaining 7 positions of the sequence can be filled with ones in only one way.

Required number of binary sequences

= 120

# 29. Ans: 35

Sol: Consider a string of 6 ones in a row. There are 7 positions among the 6 ones for placing 4 zeros. The 4 zeros can be placed in C(7,4) ways.

Required number of binary sequences

$$= C(7, 4) = C(7, 3)$$
  
= 35

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# 33. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** Let a<sub>1</sub>, a<sub>2</sub>, a<sub>3</sub>, a<sub>4</sub>, a<sub>5</sub> be the dates of the five days of January that the student will spend in the hospital, in increasing order. Note that the requirement that there are no two

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The number of triangles formed by joining the vertices of n – sided polygon  ${}^{n}C_{3}$ Number of triangles having one side common with that of the polygon (n - 4) n Number of triangles having two sides common with that of polygon = n The number of triangles having no side common with that polygon = x

Total number of triangles = (n - 4)n + n + x

$$\Rightarrow {}^{n}C_{3} - (n-4)n - n = x$$
$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{6} - n^{2} + 3n$$
$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{n(n-4)(n-5)}{6}$$

37. Ans: 1001

**Sol:** Required number of ways = V(5,10)

V(n,k) = C(n-1+k, k)  $\Rightarrow V(5,10) = C(14,10)$  = C(14,4)= 1001

#### 38. Ans: 455

**Sol:** To meet the given condition, let us put 1 ball in each box, The remaining 12 balls we can distribute in V(4,12) ways.

Required number of ways = V(4,12).1

= C(15,12) = C(15,3) = 455

39. Ans: 1695 **Sol:** let  $w = x_1 + 12$  $x = x_2 + 12$  $y = x_3 + 12$  $z = x_4 + 12$ where  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$ ,  $x_3$ ,  $x_4 \ge 0$ Given  $12 \le w + x + y + z \le 14$ Let w + x + y + z + t = 14 where t > 0 $\mathbf{w} + \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{z} + \mathbf{t} = 13$ w + x + y + z + t = 12So, total number of solutions = <sup>18</sup>C<sub>4</sub> + <sup>17</sup>C<sub>4</sub> + <sup>16</sup>C<sub>4</sub> = 1695 40. Ans: 10 **Sol:**  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 8$  $x_1 \ge 3$  $\mathbf{x}_2 \ge -2$  $x_3 \ge 4$ 1995 Let  $x_1 = P + 3$  $x_2 = Q - 2$  $x_3 = R + 4$  $P \ge 0, Q \ge 0, R \ge 0$ P + 3 + O - 2 + R + 4 = 8P + O + R = 3Number of solutions =  ${}^{5}C_{2} = 10$ 41. Ans: 63

Sol: Let X<sub>1</sub> = units digit, X<sub>2</sub> = tens digit and X<sub>3</sub>= hundred digit Number of non negative integer solutions to the equation



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 $X_1 + X_2 + X_3 = 10$  is V (3, 10) = C (12, 10) = C (12, 2) = 66 We have to exclude the 3 cases where  $X_i = 10$  (i = 1, 2, 3) Required number of integers = 66 - 3 = 63

#### 42. Ans: (b)

**Sol:** We can treat each student and the adjacent empty seat as a single width-2 unit.

Together, these units take up 2k seats, leaving n - 2k extra empty seats to distribute among the students.

The students can sit in alphabetical order in only one way.

Now, there are k + 1 distinct spaces among the students to arrange (n - 2k) empty chairs.

The required number of ways

= V(k + 1, n - 2k)= C(k + n - 2k, n - 2k) = C(n - k, k)

#### 43. Ans: 210

Sol: Let x = x' + 1, y = y' + 1, z = z' + 1 and w = w' + 1

Then the given inequality becomes

 $(x'+y'+z'+w') \le 6$ 

where x', y', z' and w' are non-negative integers.

The number of solutions to the inequality are same as the number of non-negative integer solutions to equation

$$(x' + y' + z' + w' + v') = 6$$

The required number of solutions = C (n - 1 + k, k) Where n = 5 and k = 6 = C(10, 6) = 210

#### 44. Ans: 10800

Sol: The six symbols can be arranged in ∠6 ways. To meet the given condition, Let us put 2 blanks between every pair of symbols. The number of ways we can arrange the remaining two blanks = V(5, 2)

$$= C(5 - 1 + 2, 2) = 15$$

:. Required number of ways =  $\angle 6$ .(15) = (720).(15) = 10,800

45. Ans: (d)

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Sol: Average number of letters received by an
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apartment = 
$$A = \frac{410}{50}$$

= 8.2Here,  $\lceil A \rceil = 9$  and |A| = 8

By pigeonhole principle,  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  are necessarily true.

 $S_5$  follows from  $S_1$  and  $S_6$  follows from  $S_2$ .  $S_3$  and  $S_4$  need not be true.

#### 46. Ans: (c)

Sol: Average number of passengers per bus

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 $=\frac{2000}{30}=66.66$ 

By Pigeon hole principle, some buses contain atleast 67 passengers and some buses contain atmost 66 passengers.

i.e., some buses contain atleast 14 empty seats.

 $\therefore$  Both S<sub>1</sub> and S<sub>2</sub> are true.

# 47. Ans: 97

Sol: If we have n pigeon holes, then minimum number of pigeons required to ensure that atleast (k+1) pigeons belong to same pigeonhole = kn + 1

For the present example, n=12 and k+1=9Required number of persons = kn + 1

#### = 8(12) + 1 = 97

#### 48. Ans: 26

Sol: By Pigeonhole principle, Required number of balls = kn + 1= 5(5) + 1 = 26

#### 49. Ans: 39

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**Sol:** The favorable colors to draw 9 balls of same color are green, white and yellow.

We have to include all red balls and all green balls in the selection of minimum number of balls. For the favorable colors we can apply pigeonhole principle. Required number of balls = 6 + 8 + (kn + 1)Where k+1=9and n=3=  $6 + 8 + (8 \times 3 + 1) = 39$ 

#### 50. Ans: 4

**Sol:** Suppose  $x \ge 6$ ,

Minimum number of balls required = kn + 1 = 16where k + 1 = 6 and n = 3.

$$\Rightarrow$$
 5(3) + 1 = 16

Which is impossible

 $\therefore x < 6$ 

Now, minimum number of balls required

$$= x + (kn + 1) = 15$$
  
where k + 1 = 6 and n = 2  
$$\Rightarrow x + 5(2) + 1 = 15$$
  
$$\Rightarrow x = 4$$

# 51. Ans: 7

Sol: For sum to be 9, the possible 2-element subsets are {0,9}, {1, 8}, {2, 7}, {3, 6}, {4, 5}If we treat these subsets as pigeon holes, then any subset of S with 6 elements can have at least one of these subsets.

Since we need two such subsets, the required value of k = 7.

#### 52. Ans: 7

Sol: If we divide a number by 10 the possible remainders are 0, 1, 2, ..., 9.Here, we can apply pigeonhole principle. The 6 pigeonholes are

 $\{0\}, \{5\}, \{1, 9\}, \{2, 8\}, \{3, 7\}, \{4, 6\}$ In the first two sets both x + y and x – y are divisible by 10. In the remaining sets either x + y or x – y divisible by 10.

 $\therefore$  The minimum number of integers we have to choose randomly is 7.

#### 53. Ans: 20

Sol: Let  $P_i$  for  $1 \le i \le 4$  be the set of printers, and  $C_j$  for  $1 \le j \le 8$  be the set of computers. Connect  $C_k$  to  $P_k$  for  $1 \le k \le 4$ . Again, connect  $C_k$  for  $5 \le k \le 8$  to  $P_i$  for  $1 \le i \le 4$ . Clearly, one requires 20 cables. Assume that there are fewer than 20 connections between computers and printers. Hence, some printers would be connected to at most  $\left|\frac{19}{4}\right| = 4$  computers. Thus, the remaining 3

printers are not enough to allow the other 4 computers to simultaneously access different printers.

#### 54. Ans: 48

Sol: The prime factors of 210 are 7, 3, 5 and 2

Required number of positive integers

$$= \phi (210)$$
  
= 210  $\left[ \frac{(7-1)(3-1)(5-1)(2-1)}{7 \times 3 \times 5 \times 2} \right] = 48$ 

# 55. Ans: 432

**Sol:** The distinct prime factors of 1368 are 19, 3 and 2.

Required number of +ve integers

$$=\phi(1368)$$

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$$= 1368 \left[ \frac{(19-1)(3-1)(2-1)}{19 \times 3 \times 2} \right]$$
$$= 432$$

#### 56. Ans: 316

Sol: 317 is a prime number.

The only prime factor of 317 is 317 itself. Required number of positive integers

$$= \phi(317)$$
  
= 317  $\left[\frac{(317-1)}{317}\right] = 316$ 

#### 57. Ans: (d)

**Sol:** In this case, m is relatively prime to p<sup>k</sup> if and only if m is not divisible by p.

Required number of integers = Euler

function of 
$$p^{k} = \phi(p^{k}) = \frac{p-1}{p}$$
.  $p^{k} = p^{k-1}(p-1)$ .

#### 58. Ans: 265

Sol: Required number of 1 - 1 functions

= number of derangements possible with 6 elements

$$= D_6 = \angle 6 \left( \frac{1}{\angle 2} - \frac{1}{\angle 3} + \frac{1}{\angle 4} - \frac{1}{\angle 5} + \frac{1}{\angle 6} \right)$$
  
= 265

#### 59. Ans: (a)

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**Sol:** The required number

=The number of derangements with n objects

= 
$$D_n = \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i \frac{n!}{i!}$$

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60. Ans: (i) 44 (ii) 76 (iii) **20** (iv) 89 (v) 119 (vi) 0 Sol: (i) Number of ways we can put 5 letters, so that no letter is correctly placed  $= \mathbf{D}_5 = \angle 5 \left( \frac{1}{\angle 2} - \frac{1}{\angle 3} + \frac{1}{\angle 4} - \frac{1}{\angle 5} \right)$ = 44(ii) Number of ways in which we can put 5 letters in 5 envelopes =  $\angle 5$ Number of ways we can put the letters so that no letter is correctly placed =  $D_5$ Required number of ways =  $\angle 5 - D_5$ = 120 - 44= 76 (iii) Number of ways we can put the 2 letters correctly = C(5,2) = 10The remaining 3 letters can be wrongly placed in D<sub>3</sub> ways. Required number of ways =  $C(5,2) D_3$ =(10)2= 20(iv) Number of ways in which no letter is correctly placed =  $D_5$ Number of ways in which exactly one letter is correctly placed =  $C(5,1) D_4$ Required number of ways  $= D_5 + C(5,1)D_4$ = 44 + 5 (9) = 89(v) There is only one way in which we can put all 5 letters in correct envelopes. Required number of ways =  $\angle 5 - 1 = 119$ (vi) It is not possible to put only one letter in wrong envelope.

Required number of ways = 0

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- 61. Ans: (i) 1936 (ii) 14400
- Sol: (i) The derangements of first 5 letters in first 5 places =  $D_5$ Similarly, the last 5 letters can be deranged in last 5 places in  $D_5$  ways. The required number of derangements =  $D_5D_5 = (44) (44)$ = 1936
  - (ii) Any permutation of the sequence in which the first 5 letters are not in first 5 places is a derangement. The first 5 letters can be arranged in last 5 places in ∠5 ways. Similarly, the last 5 letters of the given sequence can be arranged in first 5 places in ∠5 ways.

Required number of derangements

 $= \angle 5. \angle 5 = 14400$ 

#### 62. Ans: 216

Sol: First time, the books can be distributed in  $\angle 4$  ways.

Second time, we can distribute the books in D<sub>4</sub> ways.

Required number of ways =  $\angle 4.D_4 = 216$ 

#### 63. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** Let T(n) = Maximum number of pieces form by 'n' cuts

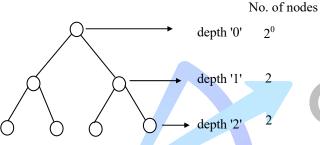
n	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
P(n)	1	2	4	7	11	16	22	29

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Observe that difference between successive outputs of P(n)	e	By product rule, number of quaternary sequences in this case is $3a_{n-1}$ .
i.e., 1, 2, 4, 7, 11, 16, 22, 29 are		Case 2: If the first digit is 0, then the
1 + 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7		remaining digits should contain odd number
This pattern can be expressed as giving P(n	)	of zeros.
in terms of $P(n-1)$		Number of quaternary sequences in this case
$\therefore P(n) = P(n-1) + n$		is $(a_{n-1} - 4^{n-1})$
1 2 2		• By sum rule, the recurrence relation is

 $n = 1, 2, 3 \dots$ 



Sol:



The number of nodes doubles every time the depth increases by 1

At depth 'd' we have maximum number of nodes  $= 2^d$ 

n(d) = Maximum number of nodes in abinary tree of depth 'd'

 $n(d) = n(d-1) + 2^{d}$ 

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# 65. Ans: (c)

**Sol:** Let  $a_n$  = number of n-digit quaternary sequences with even number of zeros

> **Case 1:** If the first digit is not 0, then we can choose first digit in 3 ways and the remaining digits we can choose in  $a_{n-1}$  ways.

By sum rule, the recurrence relation is

$$\Rightarrow a_n = 3a_{n-1} + (4^{n-1} - a_{n-1})$$
$$\Rightarrow a_n = 2a_{n-1} + 4^{n-1}$$

# 66. Ans: (a)

is a<sub>n-1</sub>.

Sol: Case 1: If the first digit is 1, then number of bit strings possible with 3 consecutive zeros,

Case 2: If the first bit is 0 and second bit is 1, then the number of bit strings possible with 3 consecutive zeros is  $a_{n-2}$ .

Case 3: If the first two bits are zeros and third bit is 1, then number of bit strings with 3 consecutive zeros is  $a_{n-3}$ 

Case 4: If the first 3 bits are zeros, then each of the remaining n-3 bits we can choose in 2 ways. The number of bit strings with 3 consecutive zeros in this case is  $2^{n-3}$ .

 $\therefore$  The recurrence relation for  $a_n$  is  $a_n = a_{n-1} + a_{n-2} + a_{n-3} + 2^{n-3}$ .

# 67. Ans: (a)

Sol: Case(i): If the first bit is 1, then the required number of bit strings is  $a_{n-1}$ 

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Case(ii): If the first bit is 0, then all the remaining bits should be zero The recurrence relation for a<sub>n</sub> is  $a_n = a_{n-1} + 1$ 68. Ans: (a) Sol: The recurrence relation is S  $a_n - a_{n-1} = 2n - 2 \dots (1)$ The characteristic equation is t - 1 = 0Complementary function =  $C_1$ . 1<sup>n</sup> Here, 1 is a characteristic root with multiplicity 1. Let particular solution =  $(c n^2 + d n)$ Substituting in (1),  $(cn^{2} + dn) - {c(n-1)^{2} + d(n-1)} = 2n - 2$  $n = 1 \Longrightarrow c + d = 0$  $n = 0 \Longrightarrow -c + d = -2$  $\Rightarrow$  c = 1 and d = -1  $\therefore$  P. S = n<sup>2</sup> - n The solution is 7 Using the initial condition, we get  $C_1 = 1$ Substituting  $C_1$  value in equation (1), we get S  $\therefore a_n = n^2 - n + 2$ 69. Ans: 8617 **Sol:**  $a_n = a_{n-1} + 3(n^2)$  $n = 1 \Longrightarrow a_1 = a_0 + 3(1^2)$  $n = 2 \Longrightarrow a_2 = a_1 + 3(2^2)$  $=a_0+3(1^2+2^2)$  $n = 3 \Longrightarrow a_3 = a_2 + 3(3^2)$  $= a_0 + 3(1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2)$  $a_n = a_0 + 3(1^2 + 2^2 + \ldots + n^2)$ 

$$= 7 + \frac{1}{2}n (n+1) (2n+1)$$
$$a_{20} = 7 + \frac{1}{2} (20) (21) (41) = 8617$$

70. Ans: (c)

Sol: 
$$a_n = n a_{n-1}$$

n = 1, 
$$a_1 = 1.a_0 = 1.1$$
  
n = 2,  $a_2 = 2.a_1 = 2.1$   
n = 3,  $a_3 = 3.a_2 = 3.2.1$ 

• In general,  $a_n = n. (n-1) \dots 3.2.1$ 

$$a_n = n!$$

71. Ans: (b)  
Sol: 
$$a_n = a_{n-1} + (2n+1)$$
 where  $a_0 = 1$   
 $n=1, a_1 = a_0 + 2(1) + 1 = 1 + 2(1) + 1 = (1+1)^2$   
 $n=2, a_2 = a_1 + 2(2) + 1 = 2^2 + 2(2) + 1 = (2+1)^2$ 

In general,  $a_n = (n+1)^2$ 

2. Ans: (a)  
ol: 
$$a_n = a_{n-1} + \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = a_{n-1} + \left[\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1}\right]$$
  
 $n = 1, a_1 = a_0 + \left[1 - \frac{1}{2}\right] = 1 + \left[1 - \frac{1}{2}\right] [\because a_0 = 1]$   
 $n = 2,$   
 $a_2 = a_1 + \left[\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}\right] = 1 + \left[1 - \frac{1}{2}\right] + \left[\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}\right] = 1 + \left[1 - \frac{1}{3}\right]$   
In general  $a_n = 1 + \left[1 - \frac{1}{n+1}\right]$   
 $a_n = 1 + \left[\frac{n}{n+1}\right]$   
 $a_n = \frac{2n+1}{n+1}$ 

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73. Ans: (c)	$C.F = C_1. 2^n$
<b>Sol:</b> $f(n) = 3f\left(\left\lceil \frac{n}{3} \right\rceil\right)$	$P.S = 6 \left[ \frac{1}{(E-2)} 2^n \right]$
$=3\left(3f\left(\left\lceil\frac{n}{3^2}\right\rceil\right)\right)$	$= 6 \begin{bmatrix} {}^{n} C_{1} 2^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$
	$= 3n 2^{n-1}$ ∴ General solution $a_n = C_1 2^n + 3n 2^{n-1}$
$=3^{2} f\left(\left[\frac{n}{3^{2}}\right]\right)$	
	<b>76.</b> Ans: (a)
$= 3^{k} f\left(\left\lceil \frac{n}{3^{k}} \right\rceil\right)  \text{Let}\left\lceil \frac{n}{3^{k}} \right\rceil = 1$	<b>Sol:</b> $a_n - 3 a_{n-1} + 2a_{n-2} = 2^n$ $a_{n+2} - 3a_{n+1} + 2a_n = 2^{n+2}$
	$(E^2 - 3 E + 2) a_n = 2^{n+2}$
$=3^{\log_3 n} f(1) \qquad 3^k = n$	$\phi(E) = E^2 - 3E + 2$
$=3^{\lceil \log_3 n \rceil} \qquad k = \lceil \log_3 n \rceil$	$= E^{2} - 2E - E + 2$ = (E - 2) - 1 (E - 2)
$\therefore \text{Solution } f(n) = 3^{\lceil \log_3 n \rceil}$	= (E - 2) = 1 (E - 2) = (E - 2) (E - 1)
	$a_n = C_1 \cdot 2^n + C_1 \cdot 1^n$
74. Ans: (b) Sol: The characteristic equation is $t^2 - t - 1 = 0$	$(E^2 - 3E + 2) a_n = 2^{n+2}$
$\Rightarrow t = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$	$(E-2) (E-1) a_n = 2^{n+2}$ C.F $(a_n) = C_1. 2^n + C_2. 1^n$
The solution is	$P.S = \frac{1}{(E-2)(E-1)}2^{n+2}$
$a_{n} = C_{1} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{n} + C_{2} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{n}$	$(E-2)(E-1)$ $= 2^{2} \left[ \frac{2^{n}}{(E-2)} \right]$
Using the initial conditions, we get $C_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$	$= 2^2 \left( {}^{n}C_1 2^{n-1} \right)$
and $C_2 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$	$=2n.2^{n}$
$\sqrt{5}$	$a_n = C_1 \cdot 2^n + C_2 + 2n 2^n$
75. Ans: (a)	77. Ans: (a)
<b>Sol:</b> $a_n - 2a_{n-1} = 32^n$	<b>Sol:</b> $a_n - 6a_{n-1} + 9 a_{n-2} = 3^n$ $(\Gamma^2 - 6 \Gamma + 0) a_{n-2} = 2^{n+2}$
Replace 'n' by n+1 (E-2) $a_n = 3.2^{n+1}$	$(E^2 - 6 E + 9) a_n = 3^{n+2}$ $(E - 3)^2 a_n = 3^{n+2}$
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C. $F = (C_1 + C_2 n) 3^n$		$A_0 - 3A_0 + 3A_1 = 3 \Longrightarrow - 2A_0 + 3A_1 = 3(1)$
$P.S = 3^2 \left[ \frac{1}{(E-3)^2} 3^n \right]$		n = 1 $A_0 + A_1 - 3A_0 - 3A_1 + 3A_1 = 4$
$=3^{2} \begin{bmatrix} {}^{n}C_{2} & 3^{n-2} \end{bmatrix}$		$-2A_0 + A_1 = 4$ (2)
= <sup>n</sup> C <sub>2</sub> 3 <sup>n</sup>		$-2A_0 = 4 - A_1$ (1) $\Rightarrow 4 - A_1 + 3A_1 = 3$
$=\frac{n(n-1)}{2}\times 3^n$		(1) $\rightarrow 4 - A_1 + 3A_1 - 3$ 4 + 2 A <sub>1</sub> = 3
$a_n = (C_1 + C_2 n)3^n + \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \times 3^n$		$A_1 = -\frac{1}{2},$ $-2A_0 = 4 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$
78. Ans: (d)	ERIA	
Sol: The recurrence relation can be written as $(E^2 - 2E + 1) a_n = 2^{n+2}$		$-2A_0 = \frac{9}{2}$
The auxiliary equation is		$A_0 = -\frac{9}{4}$
$t^2 - 2t + 1 = 0$		
t = 1, 1		$C_1 3^n - \frac{n}{2} - \frac{9}{4}$
C.F. = $(C_1 + C_2 n)$	8	80. Ans: (a)
P.S. = $\frac{2^{n+2}}{(E-1)^2} = 4 \left[ \frac{2^n}{(E-1)^2} \right]$	S	Sol: $a_n - 2a_{n-1} + a_{n-2} = 3n + 5$
		$(E-1)^2 a_n = 3n+11$
$=4\frac{2^{n}}{(2-1)^{2}}=2^{n+2}$	ce 1º	C. $F = C_1 + C_2 n$
		<b>P.S</b> = $(A_0 + A_1n) n^2 = A_0 n^2 + A_1 n^3$
The solution is $a_n = C_1 + C_2 n + 2^{n+2}$		$A_0 n^2 + A_1 n^3 - 2(A_0(n-1)^2 + A_1(n-1)^3)$
$a_n = C_1 + C_2 n + Z$	Y	+ $A_0 (n-2)^2$ + $A_1 (n-2)^3$ = 3n + 5
79. Ans: (a)		Put n = 0
<b>Sol:</b> $a_n - 3a_{n-1} = n+3$		$-2A_0 + 2A_1 + 4A_0 - 8A_1 = 5$
$\mathbf{a}_{n+1} - 3\mathbf{a}_n = \mathbf{n} + 4$		$2A_0 - 6A_1 = 5$ (*)
$C. F = C_1. 3^n$		n = 1
$P.S = A_0 + A_1 n$ $A_0 + A_1 n - 3 [A_0 + A_1 n - A_1] = n + 3$		$A_0 + A_1 + A_0 - A_1 = 8$
$A_0 + A_1 n = 5 [A_0 + A_1 n = A_1] = n + 5$ Put n = 0		$A_0 = 4$
		From (*) $6A_1 = 8 - 5$

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$A_{1} = \frac{1}{2}$ $C_{1} + C_{2}n + 4n^{2} + \frac{1}{2}n^{3}$ 81. Ans: (a) Sol: Replacing n by n+1, the given relation can be written as $a_{n+1} = 4a_{n} + 3(n + 1) 2^{n+1}$ $\Rightarrow (E - 4) a_{n} = 6 (n + 1) 2^{n} \dots (1)$ The characteristic equation is $t - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow t = 4$ complementary function = $C_{1}4^{n}$ Let particular solution is $a_{n}=2^{n}(cn+d)$ where c and d are undetermine coefficients. Substituting in the given recurrence relation we have $2^{n} (c n + d) - 4 2^{n-1} \{c(n - 1) + d\} = 3n2^{n}$ $\Rightarrow (c n + d) - 2\{c(n - 1) + d\} = 3n$ Equating coefficients of n and constants o both sides, we get c = -3 and $d = -6\therefore Particular solution = 2^{n}(-3n - 6)$		$(E^{2} - 2E+1) a_{n} = n^{2} 2^{n}$ Characterstic roots $t_{1} = t_{2} = 1$ $\therefore$ C. $F = (C_{1} + C_{2}n)$ here $F(n) = n^{2} 2^{n} = b^{n} . n^{k}$ where $b = 2, k = 2$ $\therefore$ Let P. S = $a_{n} = (A_{0} + A_{1}n + A_{2}n^{2})2^{n}$ Substitute ' $a_{n}$ ' in equation(*) $\Rightarrow (A_{0} + A_{1}n + A_{2}n^{2}) 2^{n} - 2^{n+2}$ $(A_{0} + A_{1}(n + 1) + A_{2}(n + 1)^{2}) + 2^{n+2}$ $(A_{0} + A_{1}(n + 2) + A_{2}(n + 2)^{2}) = n^{2}2^{n}$ $\Rightarrow (A_{0} + A_{1}n + A_{2}n^{2}) -2^{2}$ $(A_{0} + A_{1}(n + 1) + A_{2}(n + 1)^{2}) + 2^{2}$ $(A_{0} + A_{1}(n + 2) + A_{2}(n + 2)^{2}) = n^{2}2^{n}$ Put $n = 0$ $A_{0} - 4A_{0} - 4A_{1} - 4A_{2} + 4A_{0} + 8A_{1} + 16A_{2} = 0$ $\Rightarrow 12A_{2} + 4A_{1} + A_{0} = 0$ 1) Put $n=1$ $A_{0} - A_{1} + A_{2} - 4A_{0} + 4A_{0} + 4A_{1} + 4A_{2} = 1$ $A_{0} + 3A_{1} + 5A_{2} = 1$ (2) Put $n = -2$ $A_{0} - 2A_{1} + 4A_{2} - 4A_{0} + 4A_{1} - 4A_{2} + 4A_{0} = 4$ $2A_{1} + A_{0} = 4$ (3)
Equating coefficients of n and constants o both sides, we get	n	$A_{0} + 3A_{1} + 5A_{2} = 1 \dots (2)$ Put n = -2 $A_{0} - 2A_{1} + 4A_{2} - 4A_{0} + 4A_{1} - 4A_{2} + 4A_{0} = 4$ $2A_{1} + A_{0} = 4 \dots (3)$ By solving (1), (2), (3) we get $A_{0} = 20, A_{1} = -8, A_{2} = 1$
$x = 0 \Rightarrow 4 = C_1 - 6 \Rightarrow C_1 = 10$ $a_n = 10(4^n) - (3n + 6) 2^n$ 82. Ans: (a) Sol: $a_{n+2} - 2a_{n+1} + a_n = n^2 2^n \dots (*)$		$\therefore a_n = C_1 + C_2 n + 2^n (n^2 - 8n + 20)$ 83. Ans: (a) 80. Let $\sqrt{a_n} = x_n (say)$ The recurrence relation is $x_n - x_{n-1} - 2 x_{n-2} = 0$

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Replacing n by n + 2, we have $x_{n+2} - x_{n+1} - 2x_n = 0$ $(E^2 - E + 2) x_n = 0$ The characteristic equation is $t^2 - t + 2 = 0$ $t = 2, -1$ The solution is $x_n = \sqrt{a_n} = c_1 2^n + c_2 \cdot (-1)^n$ $n = 0 \Rightarrow 1 = c_1 + c_2$ $n = 1 \Rightarrow 1 = 2c_1 - c_2$ Solving, we get $c_1 = \frac{2}{3}$ and $c_2 = \frac{1}{3}$ $\sqrt{a_n} = \frac{2}{3}(2^n) + \frac{1}{3}(-1)^n$ $\therefore a_n = \left[\frac{2^{n+1} + (-1)^n}{3}\right]^2$ 84. Ans: (a) Sol: $T(n) = 7T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 2n$ , $T(1) = \frac{5}{2}$ $T(n) = 7T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 2n$ $= 7\left(7T\left(\frac{n}{3^2}\right) + 2\frac{n}{3}\right) + 2n$ $= 7^2T\left(\frac{n}{3^2}\right) + \frac{14n}{3} + 2n$		$= 7^{3} T\left(\frac{n}{3^{3}}\right) + 7^{2} \frac{2n}{3^{2}} + \frac{7 \cdot 2n}{3} + 2n$ $= 7^{k} T\left(\frac{n}{3^{k}}\right) + \left(\frac{7^{k-1}}{3^{k-1}} + \frac{7^{k-2}}{3^{k-2}} + \dots + 1\right) 2n$ Let $\frac{n}{3^{k}} = 1$ $k = \log_{3} n$ $= 7^{k} \left(\frac{5}{2}\right) + 2n \left(\frac{3}{4} \left(\frac{7}{3}\right)^{k} - 1\right)$ T(n) = $\frac{-3n}{2} + 4.7 \log_{3} n$ [By substituting k value] 85. Ans: (a) Sol: $\{1, -2, 4, -8, 16, \dots, \}$ $= 1 - 2x + 4x^{2} - 8x^{3} + 16x^{4} \dots =$ $= \frac{1}{1 - (-2x)}$ [ $\because S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1 - r}$ , where $a = 1, r = -2x = (1 + 2x)^{-1}$ 86. Ans: (a)
$= 7^{2} T\left(\frac{n}{3^{2}}\right) + \frac{14n}{3} + 2n$ $= 7^{2} \left[ 7T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + \frac{2n}{3^{2}} \right] + \frac{14n}{3} + 2n$		86. Ans: (a) Sol: Required generating function $= f(x) = 0 + x + 3x^{2} + 9x^{3} + 27x^{4} + \dots$ $= x(1 + 3x + 3^{2}x^{2} + 3^{3}x^{3} + \dots \infty)$ $= x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 3^{n} x^{n} = x \cdot (1 - 3x)^{-1}$

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87. Ans: (a) Sol: Generating function of $$ $= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$ $= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1)(n+2) x^n  [\because a_n = (n+1) (n+2)$ $= 2\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} x^n$ $= 2(1-x)^{-3}$ $\left[\because \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} = (1-x)^{-3}\right]$ 88. Answ (d)	91. Ans: (b) Sol: Required number of ways = Number of non negative integer solutions to the equation $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 15$ where $1 \le x_1, x_2, x_3 \le 7$
88. Ans: (d) Sol: Required generating function $f(x) = 0 + 0 x + 1 x^2 - 2x^3 + 3x^4 - 4x^5 +$ $= x^2 (1 - 2x + 3x^2 - 4x^3 + \infty)$ $= x^2(1 + x)^{-2}$ (Binomial theorem) 89. Ans: (c) Sol: The generating function is $f(x) = 1 + 0.x + 1.x^2 + 0.x^3 + 1.x^4 + \infty$ $= 1 + (x^2) + (x^2)^2 + \infty$ $= (1 - x^2)^{-1}$	Coefficient of $x^{15} = \frac{(13)(14)}{2} - 3\left(\frac{(6).(7)}{2}\right)$ = 91 - 63 = 28 92. Ans: 60 Sol: If one person chooses 12 books then second person has to take remaining books Number of ways we choose 12 books can be found by solving x + y + z = 12 Where, $0 \le x \le 7$
90. Ans: (a) Sol: $(x^4 + 2x^5 + 3x^6 + 4x^7 +\infty)^5$ $= x^{20} (1 + 2x + 3x^2 + 4x^3 +\infty)^5$ $= x^{20} [(1 - x)^{-2}]^5$ $= x^{20} [1 - x]^{-10}$ $= x^{20} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} C(n+9,n)x^n$ Coefficient of $x^{27} = C(16, 7)$ = C(16, 9)	$0 \le y \le 8$ $0 \le z \le 9$ i. e. coefficient of $x^{12}$ in the following $= (1 + x + x^{2} + x^{3} + x^{4} + x^{5} + x^{6} + x^{7})$ $(1 + x + x^{2} + x^{3} + x^{4} + x^{5} + x^{6} + x^{7} + x^{8})$ $(1 + x + x^{2} + \dots + x^{9})$ $= \left(\frac{1 - x^{8}}{1 - x}\right) \left(\frac{1 - x^{9}}{1 - x}\right) \left(\frac{1 - x^{10}}{1 - x}\right)$

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$$= (1-x^{8}) (1-x^{9}) (1-x^{10}) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} x^{n}$$
$$= (1-x^{9}-x^{8}+x^{17}) (1-x^{10}) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} x^{n}$$
$$= (1-x^{10}-x^{9}+x^{19}-x^{8}+x^{18}+x^{17}-x^{27})$$
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} x^{n}$$

Coefficient of  $x^{12}$  in the above expansion = 91 - 6 - 10 - 15= 60

#### 93. Ans: (a) & (d)

Sol: We can show that  $0 \le S(n) \le T(n)$  by induction on n. The base case n = 0 is given. Now suppose  $0 \le S(n) \le T(n)$ ; we will show the same holds for n + 1. First observe  $S(n+1) = aS(n)+f(n) \ge 0$  as each variable on the right-hand side is non-negative. To show  $T(n + 1) \ge S(n$ + 1), observe T(n + 1) = bT(n) + g(n) $\ge aT(n) + f(n)$  $\ge aS(n) + f(n)$ = S(n + 1).

#### 94. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** Take n = 3 and  $X = \{1, 4, 7, 10\}$ 

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Clearly, option B,C,D are false for this example.

Option (a) is true.

By the Pigeonhole Principle, if we have n + 1 natural numbers, then at least two of them must belong to the same congruence class modulo n; in other words, they have the same reminder when you divide them by n. So we have at least one pair x, y such that  $x = k_1n + r$  and  $y = k_2n + r$  for some integers  $k_1$ ,  $k_2$ . Therefore  $x - y = (k_1 - k_2)n$  which shows the desired result.

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the other vertices. Therefore, a vertex with degree 1 is not possible.

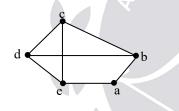
Hence, the given sequence cannot represent a simple non directed graph.

 $(d) \ \{0, \ 1, \ 2, \dots, n \ -1\}$ 

Here, we have n vertices, with one vertex having degree n-1. This vertex is adjacent to all the other vertices. Therefore, a vertex with degree 1 is not possible.

Hence, the given sequence, cannot represent a simple non directed graph.

A graph with the degree sequence  $\{2,3,3,3,3\}$  is shown below.



06. Ans: (b)

Sol: S<sub>1</sub>: Let us denote the vertices by  $V_1$ ,  $V_2$ , .....,  $V_8$ 

V<sub>8</sub> is isolated vertex

The vertices  $V_1$ ,  $V_2$ ,  $V_3$  and  $V_4$  are adjacent to  $V_7$ .

- $\therefore$  Degree of V<sub>7</sub> should be atleast 4
- $\therefore$  S<sub>1</sub> cannot represent a simple non directed graph.

We can also verify this using Havel-Hakimi result.

 $\mathbf{S}_2 = \{6, 5, 5, 4, 3, 3, 2, 2, 2\}$ 

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 $\{4, 4, 3, 2, 2, 1, 2, 2\}$ 

Arranging the vertices in the descending order.

 $\{4, 4, 3, 2, 2, 2, 2, 1\}$ 

Applying Havel-Hakimi result, we have

 $\{3, 2, 1, 1, 2, 2, 1\}$ 

Arranging the vertices in the descending order.

 $\{3, 2, 2, 2, 1, 1, 1\}$ 

Applying Havel-Hakimi result, we have

 $\{1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1\}$ 

which can be represented by a simple nondirected graph.

:. The sequence S<sub>2</sub> also can be represented by a simple non-directed graph.

07. Ans: 8

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Sol: By sum of degrees theorem,

(5+2+2+2+1) = 2 |E|

 $\Rightarrow |\mathbf{E}| = 7$ 

 $\therefore$  Number of edges in G = 7

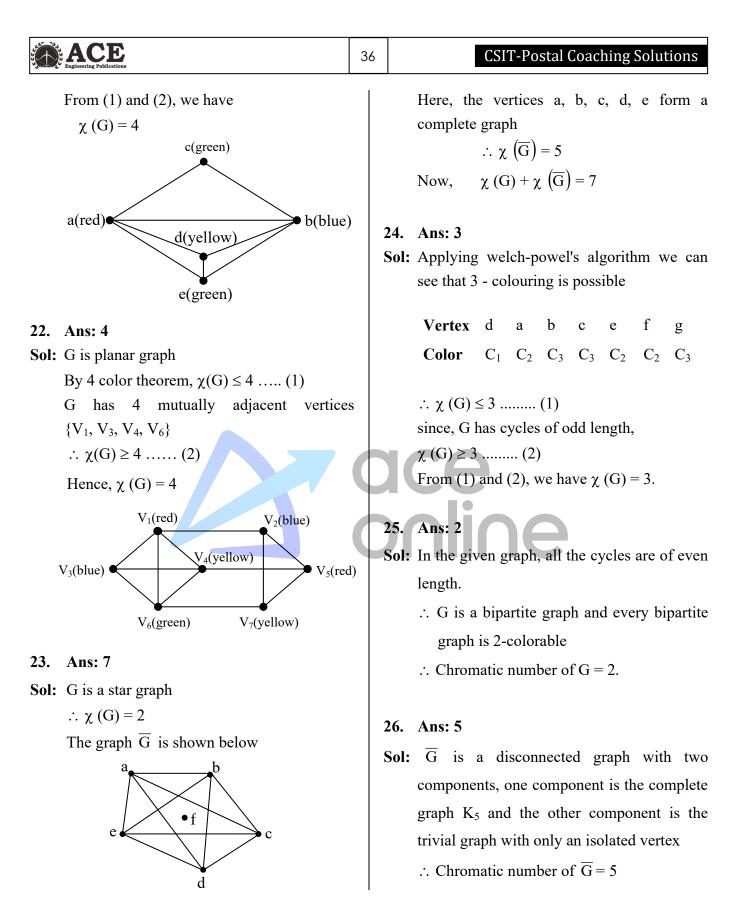
$$|\mathrm{E}(\mathrm{G})| + |\mathrm{E}(\overline{\mathrm{G}})| = |\mathrm{E}(\mathrm{K}_6)|$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 7 + |E( $\overline{G}$ )| = C(6, 2)

 $\Rightarrow |E(\overline{G})| = 8$ 

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08. Ans: 12	12. Ans: (d)		
Sol: G is a tree	<b>Sol:</b> (a) Let G be any graph of the required type.		
By sum of degrees theorem,	Let p be the number of vertices of degree		
n.1 + 2(2) + 4(3) + 3(4) = 2 E	3.		
: $n + 28 = 2 ( v  - 1)$	Thus, $(12 - p)$ vertices are of degree 4.		
= 2(n+2+4+3-1)	Hence, according to sum of degrees		
$\Rightarrow$ n + 28 = 2n + 16	theorem, $3p - 4(12 - p) = 56$ .		
$\Rightarrow$ n = 12	Thus, $p = -8$ (Which is impossible)		
, <u> </u>	$\therefore$ Such a graph does not exist.		
09. Ans: 18	(b) Maximum number of edges possible in		
Sol: A simple graph with 10 vertices and	a simple graph with 10 vertices		
minimum number of edges is a tree.	C(10, 2) = 45		
A tree with 10 vertices has 9 edges.	(c) Maximum number of edges possible in a		
By Sum of degrees theorem, Sum of degree	s bipartite graph with 9 vertices = $\left \frac{9^2}{4}\right $		
of all vertices in $G = 2$			
(Number of edges in G) = $2 \times 9 = 18$	=20		
	: Such a graph does not exist.		
10. Ans: 8	(d) A connected graph with n vertices and		
Sol: G has 8 vertices with odd degree.	n-1 edges is a tree. A tree is a simple		
For any vertex $v \in G$ ,	graph.		
Degree of v in G + degree of v in $\overline{G} = 8$	13. Ans: (b)		
If degree of v in G is odd, then degree of v			
in $\overline{G}$ is also odd. If degree of v in G is even			
then degree of v in $\overline{G}$ is also even.	deg(v) in G + deg(v) in $\overline{G} = 4$		
∴Number of vertices with odd degree in	$\therefore$ The degree sequence $\overline{G}$ is		
_	$\{4-3, 4-2, 4-2, 4-1, 4-0\}$		
$\overline{G} = 8$	$= \{1, 2, 2, 3, 4\} = \{4, 3, 2, 2, 1\}$		
11. Ans: 27			
Sol: By sum of degrees theorem, if degree o	f 14. Ans: 455		
each vertex is atmost K,	<b>Sol:</b> Maximum number of edges possible with 6		
then $K V  \ge 2 E $	vertices is $C(6, 2) = 15$ . Out of these edges,		
$\Rightarrow 5 (11) \ge 2  E $	we can choose 12 edges in $C(15, 2)$ ways.		
$\Rightarrow 5(11) \ge 2 E $ $\Rightarrow  E  \le 27.5$	Number of simple graphs possible		
$\Rightarrow  E  \le 27.3$ $\Rightarrow  E  \le 27$	$= C(15, 12) = C(15, 3) = \frac{15.14.13}{1.2.3} = 455$		
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15. Ans: (a)		Coloring
<ul> <li>Sol: We know that, Number of edges in G + N Ḡ = Number of edges in K<sub>p</sub>. ⇒ q + Number of edges in ⇒ Number of edges in Ḡ</li> <li>16. Ans: (c) Sol: Given that, G is a connect ⇒ Between every pair of path exists. ∴ By transitivity, ther between every pair of</li> </ul>	the complete graph in $\overline{G} = \frac{p(p-1)}{2}$ $= \frac{p(p-1)}{2} - q$ red graph. of vertices in G, a e exists an edge	19. Ans: 2 Sol: The graph is bipartite, Therefore, chromatic number = 2 (or apply Welch – powel's algorithm). $V_1(red)$ $V_2(blue)$ $V_2(blue)$ $V_3(blue)$ $V_4(red)$ $V_5(blue)$ $V_6(red)$ 20. Ans: 3 Sol: The graph has cycles of length 3. $\therefore \chi(G) \ge 3 \dots (1)$
⇒ G is a complete graph ∴ Number of edges in G 17. Ans: (d) Sol: The complement of W <sub>n</sub> c vertex and $\overline{C}_{n-1}$ as component Number of edges in $\overline{C}_{n-1} = \frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{2} - (n-1)(n-4)$ $= \frac{(n-1)(n-4)}{2}$	ontains an isolated nents.	If we apply Welch-powel's algorithm, then 3- coloring is possible $\therefore \chi (G) = 3$ $V_1(red)$ $V_2(blue)$ $V_3(blue)$ $V_4(green)$ $V_5(green)$ $V_6(red)$
18. Ans: (a) Sol: Let $x =$ Number of vertices & $y =$ Number of vertices By sum of degrees theore 4x+5y+14 = 2(n-1) Also $x+y+14 = n$ Solving (1) & (2), we get	with degree 5 m (1) (2) y = (40-2n)	21. Ans: 4 Sol: The graph is planar, By 4 – color theorem $\chi$ (G) $\leq$ 4 (1) The graph has 4 mutually adjacent vertices {a, b, d, e} $\therefore \chi$ (G) $\geq$ 4 (2)
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- 27. Ans: (b)
- Sol:  $\alpha = n 2 \lfloor n/2 \rfloor + 2$   $\beta = n - 2 \lceil n/2 \rceil + 4$   $\alpha + \beta = 2n - 2 \{ \lfloor n/2 \rfloor + \lceil n/2 \rceil \} + 6$ = 2n - 2n + 6 = 6

### 28. Ans: (c)

Sol: Chromatic number of K<sub>n</sub> = n If we delete an edge in K<sub>10</sub>, then for the two vertices connecting that edge we can assign same color.
∴ Chromatic number = 9

### 29. Ans: 3

**Sol:** Here,  $G = K_{3,3}$ 

 $\overline{G}$  has two components where each component is a complete graph K<sub>3</sub>.

 $\therefore$  Chromatic number of  $\overline{G} = 3$ 

### 30. Ans: (c)

**Sol:** We know that  $\alpha = \left| \frac{n}{2} \right|$ 

$$\beta = n - 2\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor + 2$$

$$2\alpha + \beta = 2\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor + n - 2\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor + 2 = n + 2$$

### 31. Ans: (d)

- **Sol:** The chromatic number of any bipartite graph (with atleast one edge) is 2.
  - $\therefore$  Option (d) is false.

ace online (a)  $K_n$  has n mutually adjacent vertices.

- $\therefore$  K<sub>n</sub> requires atleast n colours
- :. The vertex chromatic number of complete graph  $K_n = n$
- (b) The vertex chromatic number of cycle graph  $C_n = 2$  if n is even

= 3 if n is odd

$$=$$
 n  $-2\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor + 2$ 

(c) The vertex chromatic number of wheel graph  $W_n = 3$  if n is odd

= 4 if n is even

$$=$$
 n  $-2\left\lceil \frac{n}{2}\right\rceil + 4$ 

## 32. Ans: (d)

Sol:

Since

- (a) The chromatic number of any bipartite graph (with atleast one edge) is 2.
- (b) A star graph with n vertices is a bipartite graph  $K_{1, n-1}$

 $\therefore$  Chromatic number = 2

- (c) A tree is a bipartite graph
  - $\therefore$  Chromatic number = 2
- (d) If G is a simple graph in which all the cycles are of even length, then G is a bipartite graph
  - :. The vertex chromatic number of G = 2Hence, option (d) is false.

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36. Ans: (d) Sol: (a) If n is even, then $K_n$ has a perfect matching. Therefore, matching number is $\frac{n}{2}$ . If n is odd number, then we can	$\therefore \text{ Matching number of } K_{m,n} = \text{minimum} \\ \text{ of } \{m, n\}$		
match only (n–1) vertices. Therefore matching number is $\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)$ . Hence, matching number = $\left \frac{n}{2}\right $	<ul> <li>37. Ans: (d)</li> <li>Sol: (a) Every star Graph with n vertices is a complete bipartite graph of the form K<sub>1,n-1</sub>.</li> </ul>		
(b) If n is even, then $C_n$ has a perfect matching. Therefore, matching number is $\frac{n}{2}$ . If n is odd number, then we can match only (n-1) vertices. Therefore matching number is $\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)$ .	vertices are partitioned into two groups so that no two vertices in the same group are adjacent.		
Hence, matching number = $\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor$ (c) If n is even, then W <sub>n</sub> has a perfect matching. Therefore, matching number is $\frac{n}{2}$ . If n is odd number, then we can	vertices $\geq 1$ $\therefore$ Option (d) is false.		
match only (n-1) vertices. Therefore matching number is $\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)$ . Hence, matching number = $\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor$ (d) In a complete bipartite graph, the vertices are partitioned into two group	<ul> <li>38. Ans: (a)</li> <li>Sol: If G is a complete bipartite graph with a vertices (n ≥ 2) and minimum number or edges, then</li> <li>G = K<sub>1, n-1</sub> (star graph)</li> <li>∴ Matching number = 1</li> </ul>		
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### **39.** Ans: 13

**Sol:** A disconnected graph with 10 vertices and maximum number of edges has two components K<sub>9</sub> and an isolated vertex.

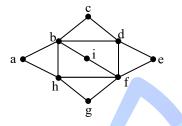
Matching number of  $K_9 = \left\lfloor \frac{9}{2} \right\rfloor = 4$ 

 $\therefore$  Matching number of G = 4

Chromatic number of G = 9

### 40. Ans: 4

Sol:



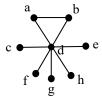
The graph has 9 vertices. The maximum number of vertices we can match is 8. A matching in which we can match 8 vertices is  $\{a - b, c - d, e - f, g - h\}$  $\therefore$  Matching number of the graph = 4

### 41. Ans: 2

- **Sol:** The given graph is  $K_{2,4}$ 
  - $\therefore$  Matching number = 2

### 42. Ans: 2

Sol: The given graph is



If we delete the edge {a,b} then the resulting graph is a star graph. If we match a with b, then in the remaining vertices we can match only two vertices.

 $\therefore$  Matching number = 2

### 43. Ans: 3

**Sol:** Let us label the vertices of the graph as shown below



There are 3 maximal matchings as given below

$$\{a - d, b - c\}, \{a - c, b - d\} \text{ and } \{c - d\}$$

c b d

The maximal matchings are  $\{a-b, c-d\}, \{a-c, b-d\}, \{a-d, b-c\}$ 

### 45. Ans: 10

- **Sol:** The graph has 3 maximal matching's 6 matching's with one edge and a matching with no edges.
  - $\therefore$  Number of matching's = 10



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<ul> <li>46. Ans: (a)</li> <li>Sol: If n is even, then a bipartite graph with maximum number of edges is k<sub>n/2,n/2</sub></li> <li>∴ Matching number of G = n/2</li> </ul>	1	49. Ans: (c) Sol: If G is a simple graph with maximum number of edges, then G should have two components $K_{n-1}$ and an isolated vertex. $\therefore$ Number of edges in $K_{n-1} = \frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{2}$ .
If n is odd, then a bipartite graph with maximum number of edges = $k_{m,n}$		50. Ans: 0
Where $m = \frac{n-1}{2}$ and $n = \frac{n+1}{2}$ $\therefore$ Matching number of G		Sol: Here, G is a cycle graph. Every edge of G is part of a cycle in 'G'.
$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{n}{2}, & \text{if n is even} \\ \frac{n-1}{2}, & \text{if n is odd} \end{bmatrix}$		∴ 'G' has no cut edge 51. Ans: (b)
∴ Matching number of G = $\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor$		<ul> <li>Sol: In a connected graph G, if all vertices are of even degree then G has Euler circuit.</li> <li>⇒ Every edge is part of a cycle in G.</li> </ul>
Connectivity		$\Rightarrow G has no cut edge$ $\therefore S_2 is true.$
47. Ans: (a) Sol: If G has n vertices and k components, then $(n-k) \le  E  \le \frac{(n-k)(n-k+1)}{2}$ $\Rightarrow 7 \le  E  \le 28$	ce 1	$S_1 \text{ is false.}$ We have the following counter example. $a \xrightarrow[b]{d} e$
<ul> <li>48. Ans: 4</li> <li>Sol: Here, G = K<sub>4,5</sub></li> <li>Vertex connectivity of G = Minimum o {4, 5} = 4</li> </ul>	f	Here, all vertices in the graph are of even degree. But c is a cut vertex of the graph.
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### 52. Ans: (d)

**Sol:** If |E| < (n - 1), then G is disconnected If  $|E| > \frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{2}$ , then G is connected.

then G may or may not be connected.

### 53. Ans: (d)

- Sol: The given graph is a complete graph  $K_6$ , with 6 vertices of odd degree.
  - $\therefore$  G is not traversable

### 54. Ans: 3

- **Sol:** d is the cut vertex of G
  - $\Rightarrow$  vertex connectivity of G = 1
  - G has no cut edge.

By deleting the edges d - e and d - f, we can

disconnect G.

 $\therefore$  Edge connectivity =  $\lambda(G) = 2$ 

### 55. Ans: 105

- Sol: If G is a simple graph with n vertices and k components then  $|\mathbf{E}| \le \frac{(n-k)(n-k+1)}{2}$ Here n = 20 and k = 5
  - : Maximum number of edges possible

$$=\frac{(20-5)(20-6)}{2}=105$$

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### 56. Ans: (a)

Sol: If G is any graph having p vertices and  $\delta(G) \ge \frac{p-1}{2}$ , then G is connected.

### 57. Ans: (b)

- Sol: If a component has n vertices, then maximum number of edges possible in that component = C(n, 2)
  - : The maximum number of edges possible in G = C(5,2) + C(6,2) + C(7,2) + C(8,2)= 10 + 15 + 21 + 28= 74

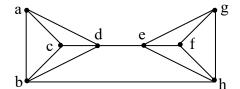
### 58. Ans: 9

Sol: In a tree, each edge is a cut set. Number of edges in a tree with 10 vertices = 9: Number of cut sets possible on a tree with 10 vertices = 9

### 59. Ans: 1, 2

Sol: The graph can be labeled as

- c is a cut vertex of the graph G.  $\therefore$  vertex connectivity of G = K(G) = 1 G has no cut edge.  $\Rightarrow$  Edge connectivity =  $\lambda$  (G)  $\ge 2$  ..... (1) We have,  $\lambda(G) \leq \delta(G) = 2$ ..... (2) From (1) and (2), we have  $\lambda$  (G) = 2
- 60. Ans: 2, 2 **Sol:** The graph G can be labeled as



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<ul> <li>c d g</li> <li>The vertex d is a cut vertex of G.</li> <li>∴ K (G) = 1</li> <li>We have λ(G) ≤ δ (G) = 3 (1)</li> <li>G has no cut edge and by deleting any two edges of G we cannot disconnect G.</li> <li>∴ λ (G) = 3</li> <li>62. Ans: (a)</li> <li>Sol: If G is disconnected then G is alway connected. (Theorem)</li> <li>If G is connected then G may or may no be connected (we can prove this by counte example).</li> </ul>	n h Se 1	<ul> <li>Let G₁ and G₂ are two components of G.</li> <li>Let u and v are any two vertices in G</li> <li>We can prove that there exists a path between u and v in G.</li> <li><b>Case1:</b> u and v are in different components of G.</li> <li>Now u and v are not adjacent in G</li> <li>Case2: u and v are adjacent in G</li> <li><b>Case2:</b> u and v are in same components G₁ of G. Take any vertex w∈G₂.</li> <li>Now u and v are adjacent to w in G.</li> <li>∴ There exists a path between u and v in G. Hence, Ḡ is connected.</li> <li>S₂: The statement is false.</li> <li>we can give a counter example.</li> <li><b>d d d d d d d d d d</b></li></ul>	
$\therefore$ Option (a) is true.		Let $G_1$ and $G_2$ are two connected components of G.	
<ul><li>63. Ans: (c)</li><li>Sol: S<sub>1</sub>: This statement is true.</li></ul>		Let $v \in G_1$ $\Rightarrow \deg(v) \ge \frac{n-1}{2} \qquad \left(\because \delta(G) = \frac{n-1}{2}\right)$	
Proof: Suppose G is not connected G has atleast 2 connected components.		$\Rightarrow \operatorname{deg}(V) \geq \frac{1}{2}  \left( \cdot \operatorname{O}(G) = \frac{1}{2} \right)$ m for GATE, ESE, PSUs, SSC-JE, SSC, Banks, Groups & PSC Exams	
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Now  $|V(G_1)| \ge \left(\frac{n-1}{2}+1\right)$ 

Similarly,  $|V(G_2)| \ge \frac{n+1}{2}$ 

Now,  $|V(G)| = |V(G_1)| + |V(G_2)|$ 

 $\Rightarrow |V(G)| \ge n + 1$ 

which is a contradiction

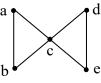
- $\therefore$  G is connected.
- S4: If G is connected, then the statement is true. If G is not connected, then the two vertices of odd degree should lie in the same component.

By the sum of degrees of vertices theorem.

... There exists a path between the 2 vertices.

### 64. Ans: (c)

Sol: The graph G can be labeled as



The number of vertices with odd degree is 0.

 $\therefore$  S<sub>1</sub> and S<sub>2</sub> are true

C is a cut vertex of G.

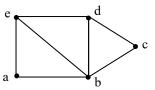
 $\therefore$  Hamiltonian cycle does not exists.

By deleting the edges  $\{a, c\}$  and  $\{c, e\}$ , there exists a Hamiltonian path a-b-c-d-e

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65. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** The graph G can be labeled as



The number of vertices with odd degree = 2

: Euler path exists but Euler circuit does not exist.

There exists a cycle passing through all the vertices of G.

a - b - c - d - e - a is the Hamiltonian cycle of G. The Hamiltonian path is a-b-c-d - e.

### 66. Ans: (b)

Sol: The number of vertices with odd degree = 0  $\therefore$  S<sub>1</sub> and S<sub>2</sub> are true.

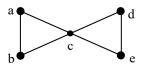
> To construct Hamiltonian cycle, we have to delete two edges at each of the vertices a and f. Then, we are left with 4 edges and 6 vertices.

> $\therefore$  G has neither Hamiltonian cycle nor Hamiltonian path.

### 67. Ans: (b)

**Sol:** S<sub>1</sub> is false. We can prove it by giving a counter example.

Consider the graph G shown below



'e' is a cut vertex of G. But, G has no cut edge

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S<sub>2</sub> is false. We can prove it by giving a counter example.

For the graph K<sub>2</sub> shown below,

a 🗕 🗕 🔶 b

The edge  $\{a, b\}$  is a cut edge. But  $K_2$  has no cut vertex.

### 68. Ans: 33

Sol: If G has K components, then

 $|\mathbf{E}| = |\mathbf{V}| - \mathbf{K}$  $\Rightarrow 26 = |\mathbf{V}| - 7$  $\Rightarrow |\mathbf{V}| = 33$ 

### 69. Ans: (c)

Sol: The forest F can be converted into a tree by adding (k - 1) edges to F.

... Number of edges in F = (n - 1) - (k - 1)= (n - k)

## 70. Ans: (b)

**Sol:** A 2-regular graph G has a perfect matching iff every component of G is an even cycle.

 $\therefore$  S<sub>2</sub> and S<sub>4</sub> are true.

 $S_1$  need not be true. For example the complete graph  $K_2$  has a perfect matching but  $K_2$  has no cycle.

 $S_3$  need not be true. For example G can have two components where each component is  $K_2$ .

### 71. Ans: 36

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Sol: The maximum number of edges possible in  $G = \frac{(n-k)(n-k+1)}{2}$ 

Where, n = 12 and k = 4 = 36

### 72. Ans: (b)

- **Sol:** G has exactly two vertices of odd degree. Therefore, Euler path exists in G but Euler circuit does not exist.
  - In Hamiltonian cycle, degree of each vertex is 2. So, we have to delete 2 edges at vertex 'd' and one edge at each of the vertices 'a' and 'g'. Then we are left with 8 vertices and 6 edges. Therefore, neither Hamiltonian cycle exists nor Hamiltonian path exists.

# 73. Ans: (b)

Sol: S1 is not true. A triangle is a counter example.

A triangle contains Euler circuit and the number of edges is 3 (odd)

S2 is true. The some of all degrees is even.

... The some degrees is atleast 28.

The statement S2 follows by Pigeonhole

principle. 
$$\left(\left\lceil \frac{28}{9} \right\rceil = 4\right)$$

### 74. Ans: (d)

Sol: S1 is false. A counter example is shown below.





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The above graph has Euler circuit (bec	ause	Here, we have 6 vertices with degree 2,
all the vertices are of even degree) but	t the	but the graph is not connected.
graph has no Hamiltonian cycle (becau	ise a	$S_2$ need not be true. For the graph give
cut vertex exists).		above, Euler circuit does not exist, becau
S2 is false. A counter example is a comp	plete	it is not a connected graph.
graph on 2n vertices ( $n \ge 2$ ).		A simple graph G with n vertices
		1
<b>75.</b> Ans: (b)		necessarily connected if $\delta(G) \ge \frac{n-1}{2}$ .
Sol: G has cycles of odd length		_
∴Chromatic number of		$\therefore$ S <sub>3</sub> is true.
$G = \chi(G) \ge 3 \dots (1)$ For the vertices c and h we can use s	same	
color $C_1$	same ,	77. Ans: (a)
The remaining vertices from a cycle	e of	<b>Sol:</b> Vertex connectivity of $G = k(G) \le \delta(G)$
length 6.		$\Rightarrow \delta(G) \ge 3$
A cycle of even length require only	two	By sum of degrees theorem
colors for its vertex coloring.		
For vertices a, d and f we can apply s	same	$\Rightarrow  \mathbf{E}  \ge 15$
color C <sub>2</sub>		$\therefore$ Minimum number of edges necessary = 1.
For the vertices {b, e, g} we can use s	same	
color C <sub>3</sub>	,	78. Ans: (a)
$\therefore \chi(G) = 3$	5	Sol: Because, G is connected and every vert
A perfect matching of the graph is		has even degree.
a–b, c – d, e –f, g – h		Euler-Circuit exists in G.
$\therefore$ Matching number = 4		Fix some particular circuit and consider
Hence, Chromatic number of G + Matc	hing	partition of V into two sets S and T.
number of $G = 3 + 4 = 7$	U	There must be atleast one edge between
		and T, since G is connected.
/6. Ans: (c)		But if there is only one edge, then euler pa
S <sub>1</sub> need not be true. Consider the graph		can't return to S or T once it leaves.
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		$\therefore$ It follows that there are atleast two edg
		between S and T.
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Sol: I. a (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1)	<ul> <li>Ans: (d)</li> <li>n a connected graph, Euler circuit exists if ill vertices are of even degree</li> <li>a) If n is odd then all vertices in K<sub>n</sub> are o even degree (n - 1 is even)</li> <li>∴ In a complete graph K<sub>n</sub> (n ≥ 3), Euler circuit exists ⇔ n is odd</li> <li>b) If m and n are even, then all vertices in K<sub>m,n</sub> are of even degree</li> <li>∴ In a complete bipartite graph K<sub>m</sub>, (m ≥ 2 and n ≥ 2), Euler circuit exists ⇔ m and n are even</li> <li>c) In cycle graph degree of each vertex is 2 (even)</li> <li>∴ In a cycle graph C<sub>n</sub> (n ≥ 3), Euler circuit exists for all n</li> <li>d) In wheel graph W<sub>n</sub>, we have n - 1 vertices with degree 3 (odd).</li> <li>∴ In a wheel graph W<sub>n</sub> (n ≥ 4), Euler circuit does not exist.</li> <li>Ans: All options are true</li> <li>a) The complete graph K<sub>n</sub> can be considered as a polygon with n vertices with all internal diagonals. The polygon is a Hamiltonian cycle.</li> <li>∴ In a complete graph K<sub>n</sub> (n ≥ 3) Hamiltonian cycle exists for all n</li> </ul>	f r n s 2 r l l r f 1	<ul> <li>∴ In a complete bipartite graph K<sub>m,n</sub> (m ≥ 2 and n ≥ 2), Hamiltonian cycle exists ⇔ m = n</li> <li>(c) The cycle graph C<sub>n</sub> has a Hamiltonian cycle which is C<sub>n</sub> itself.</li> <li>∴ In a cycle graph C<sub>n</sub> (n≥3), Hamiltonian cycle exists for all n</li> <li>(d) In a wheel graph W<sub>n</sub> (n≥4), Hamiltonian cycle exists ⇔ n is even.</li> <li>∴ All the options are true.</li> <li>81. Ans: (d)</li> <li>Sol: (a) Number of edge disjoint Hamiltonian cycles in K<sub>n</sub> = n-1/2 (Result)</li> <li>(b) If G is a simple graph with n vertices and degree of each vertex is atleast n/2, then Hamiltonian cycle exists in G (Dirac's theorem)</li> <li>(c) Number of Hamiltonian cycles in K<sub>n,n</sub> = n!(n-1)!/2. Number of Hamiltonian cycles in K<sub>4,4</sub> = 4!(4-1)!/2 = 72</li> <li>(d) The statement is false, for example,</li> <li>✓</li> <li>Here, the above G is a simple graph with 5 vertices and 7 edges, but Hamiltonian cycle does not exist.</li> </ul>

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Hamiltonian cycle in K<sub>m,n</sub>.

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82. Ans: (b), (c) & (d)

**Sol:** G(10,10) is 4-colorable(when both edges are added in different partitions), has an guaranteed independent set of size 9(when both edges are added in different partitions), has vertex cover of size 11 (when both edges are added in different partitions) and has maximum matching of size 10(in all cases).

### 83. Ans: (a), (c) & (d)

Sol: (b) is false. By degree sum formula, we have:

12 + 12 + 8 = 2E

E = 15. So, this graph cannot be a tree.

# Set Theory

# 01. Ans: (a) Sol: Let |X| = m $\Rightarrow n = 2^m$ Number of elements in Y = m + 2Number of subsets in $Y = 2^{m+2}$ $= 4 \times 2^m = 4n$

02. Ans: (d) Sol: S<sub>1</sub>: Let  $A = \{1\}$  and  $B = \{A\}$ and C = BNow,  $A \in B$  and  $B \subseteq C$ 

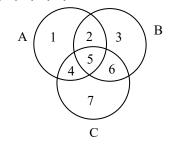
But  $A \not\subseteq C$ .:.  $S_1$  is false

S<sub>2</sub>: Let 
$$A = \{1\}$$
,  $B = \{1, 2\}$  and  $C = \{B\}$   
Now,  $A \subseteq B$  and  $B \in C$ 



But  $A \not\subseteq C$ 

03. Ans: (c)Sol: Consider the venn diagram, with seven regions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.



S1: 
$$A \cup (B - C) = \{1, 2, 4, 5\} \cup \{2, 3\}$$
  
=  $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ 

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$(A \cup B)$ - $(C-A) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ - $\{6,7\}$ = $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ ∴ $A \cup (B - C) = (A \cup B) - (C - A)$		Let $x \in X$ Case 1: If x is even number then it can appear in two		
S2: A $\cap$ (B - C) = {1, 2, 4, 5} $\cap$ {2, 3} = {2}		ways i.e., either $x \in (A-B)$ or $x \in (B-A)$ Case 2: If x is odd number then it can appear in two		
$(A \cap B) - (A \cap C) = \{2, 5\} - \{4, 5\}$ = {2} ∴ A ∩ (B - C) = (A ∩ B) - (A ∩ C)		ways i.e., $x \in (A \cap B)$ or $x \in (\overline{A \cup B})$ $\therefore$ By product rule, required number of subsets = $2^{2n}$		
04. Ans: (b)Sol: Given that $A \subseteq B \subseteq S$		06. Ans: (d) Sol: (a) Let $A \oplus B = A$ $\Rightarrow A \oplus B = A \oplus \phi$		
The venn-diagram is shown here		$\Rightarrow B = \phi \qquad (Cancellation law)$ (b) (A \overline B) \overline B $= A \oplus (B \oplus B) \qquad (Associative law)$ $= A \oplus \phi$ = A (c) A \overline C = B \overline C $\Rightarrow A = B \qquad (Cancellation law)$ (d) LHS = A \overline B = (A \cup B) - (A \cap B)		
Here, each element of S can appear in S ways. i.e., $x \in A$ or $x \in (B - A)$ or $x \in (S - B)$	3 e 1	$RHS = (A \cup B) \cap (A - B)$ $= (A - B)$ $\therefore L.H.S \neq R.H.S$		
In all 3 cases, $A \subseteq B \subseteq S$ . By product rule, the n elements of S can appear in $3^n$ ways. $\therefore$ Required number of ordered pairs = $3^n$		<b>07.</b> Ans: (c) <b>Sol:</b> (a) Let A = {1}, B = {2}, C = {3} Now (A∩B) = (B∩A) = $\phi$ But A ≠ B ∴ (a) is not true (b) Let A = {1}, B = {2}, C = {1, 2}		
<ul><li>05. Ans: (d)</li><li>Sol: We can show that each element of X can appear in A and B in two ways.</li></ul>	n	(b) Let $A = \{1\}, B = \{2\}, C = \{1, 2\}$ Now $A \cup C = B \cup C = C$ But $A \neq B$ $\therefore$ (b) is not true		
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Transitive symmetric closure of $R = \{(1, 1) (2, 2), (2, 3), (2, 4), (3, 2), (3, 3), (3, 4) (4, 2), (4, 3), (4, 4)\}.$ $\therefore$ Required number of ordered pairs = 10	<b>Solu D</b> is unfluenced by and $= 0 < 1$		
12. Ans: 12 Sol: The Hasse diagram is shown below. 36 $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $36$ $18$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $18$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$ $4$	$\Rightarrow  y - x  =  x - y  < 1,$ $\Rightarrow yRx.$ However, R is not an equivalence relation because it is not transitive. For example, $x = 2.8$ , $y = 1.9$ and $z = 1.1$ , Here, $ x - y  =  2.8 - 1.9  = 0.9 < 1$ ,  y - z  =  1.9 - 1.1  = 0.8 < 1 but $ x - z  =  2.8 - 1.1  = 1.7 > 1$ . i.e., 2.8 <sup>R</sup> 1.9, 1.9 <sup>R</sup> 1.1, but 2.8 is not related to 1.1.		
<ul> <li>13. Ans: (b)</li> <li>Sol: S1 need not be true. We have the following counter example.</li> <li>R = {(1, 2), (2, 1)}</li> <li>The transitive closure of</li> <li>R = {(1, 2), (2, 1), (1, 1), (2, 2)}</li> <li>Which is not irreflexive.</li> <li>S2 is true. Suppose that (a, b) ∈ R*; then there is a path from a to b in (the digraph for) R. Given such a path, if R is symmetric then the reverse of every edge in the path is also in R; Therefore there is a path from b to a in R (following the given path backwards)</li> <li>This means that (b, a) is in R* whenever (a, b) is, exactly what we needed to prove.</li> </ul>	If a relation R on S is symmetric and anti- symmetric then R is any subset of the diagonal relation $\Delta_A = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), \dots, (n, n)\}.$ Any subset of $\Delta_A$ is also transitive. $\therefore$ The required number of relations $=$ Number of subset of $\Delta_A$ $= 2^n$ <b>Relations</b> <b>16.</b> Ans: (d) Sol: R <sub>2</sub> is reflexive because for all $a \in N, \frac{a}{a} = 1 = 2^0$ , this $(a, a) \in \mathbb{R}$ .		
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But $\frac{b}{a} = 2^{-i}$ , where $-i \le 0$ . $\therefore$ (b, a) $\notin$ R	Let $R = \{(a, b)\}$ and $S = \{(b, a)\}$ Here, R and S are transitive but $(R \cup S)$ is not transitive
<ul> <li>17. Ans: (c)</li> <li>Sol: R can be represented by a square matrix of order n with all the diagonal elements as 1. Since, R is symmetric, number of elements above the principal diagonal = number of elements below the principal diagonal.</li> <li>∴ Number of elements in R = 2k + n where k is number of elements above the diagonal Hence, if n is even then number of elements in R is even and if n is odd then number of elements in R is odd</li> </ul>	$\{S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n\} \text{ of } S \text{ is called a partition of } S \text{ if } S_1 \cup S_2 \cup \dots \cup S_n = S \text{ ar } S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n \text{ are non-empty disjoind subsets of } S.$ $P_2 \text{ is the only one that is not a partition of } S \text{ because in which } \{7, 4, 3, 8\} \cap \{1, 5, 10, 3\} \neq \emptyset$ 20. Ans: (d) Sol: P_4 is a refinement of both P_1 and P_3, because P_4 itself is a partition of S and every element of S and S an
18. Ans: (a)	21. Ans: 10
Sol: S <sub>1</sub> : Suppose both R and S are reflexive Let $a \in A$ If $\{(a, a) \in R \text{ and } (a, a) \in S\}$ then $(a, a) \in (R \cup S)$ . $\therefore (R \cup S)$ is reflexive S <sub>2</sub> : Suppose both R and S are symmetric Let $(x, y) \in (R \cup S)$	Sol: The number of refinements of a partition is the number of ways to further partitic cells in P. The cell {1, 2, 3} has 5 way {4, 5} has 2 ways, and {6} has one way Therefore, the total number of refinement of P is $5 \times 2 \times 1 = 10$ .
$\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (R \cup S)$ $\Rightarrow (x, y) \in R \text{ or } (x, y) \in S$ $\Rightarrow (y, x) \in R \text{ or } (y, x) \in S$ $\Rightarrow (y, x) \in (R \cup S)$ $\therefore (R \cup S) \text{ is symmetric}$ S <sub>3</sub> : Suppose both R and S are transitive	<ul> <li>22. Ans: (c)</li> <li>Sol: S<sub>1</sub> is true, by definition of anti-symmetr relation.</li> <li>S<sub>2</sub> is true, by definition of transitive relation</li> </ul>
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23.	Ans: (b)		27.	Ans: (a)
Sol:	$R = \{(a, b) \mid a \text{ divides } b\}$	\$	Sol:	R is reflexive, because
	$R^{-1} = \{(a, b) \mid b \text{ divides } a\}$			(x - x) is an even integer
	Symmetric closure of $R = R \cup R^{-1}$			$\Rightarrow \qquad x^R x  \forall \ x \in Z$
	$= \{(a, b)   a \text{ divides } b \text{ or } b \text{ divides } a\}$			Let x <sup>R</sup> y
				$\Rightarrow$ (x – y) is an even integer
24.	Ans: (b)			$\Rightarrow$ (y – x) is an even integer
Sol:	The smallest relation containing R and	1		$\Rightarrow$ y <sup>R</sup> x $\forall$ x, y $\in$ Z
	$S = R \cup S$			∴ R is symmetric
	$= \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (2, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (3, 4)\}$	, D I V		Let $x^R y$ and $y^R z$
	$(4, 3), (4, 4), (4, 5), (5, 4), (5, 5)\}$		N G	$\Rightarrow$ (x – y) and (y – z) are even integers
	Here, R $\cup$ S is reflexive, symmetric and	1		Now, $(x - z) = (x - y) + (y - z) = an$ even
	transitive.			integer
	The smallest equivalence relation containing	5		$\Rightarrow$ R is transitive
	R and S = $R \cup S$			$\therefore$ R is an equivalence relation
	The partition corresponding to	)		R is not a partial order, because R is not
	$\mathbf{R} \cup \mathbf{S} = \{ \{1, 2\}, \{3, 4, 5\} \}$			anti-symmetric.
				For example, $2^{R}$ 4 and $4^{R}$ 2
25.	Ans: (d)		$\leq$	
Sol:	For any two elements $x, y \in A$ , the	te 1 <sup>2</sup>	28.	Ans: 48
	corresponding equivalence classes are either	r s	Sol:	If a relation is neither reflexive nor
	disjoint or identical.			irreflexive then diagonal pairs can appear in
	i.e. if $x^R y$ then $[x] = [y]$			$(2^3 - 2)$ ways.
	and if x is not related to y, then $[x] \cap [y] = \{\}$ .			If the relation is symmetric then non
				diagonal pairs can appear in 2 <sup>3</sup> ways.
	Ans: 1			By product rule
Sol:	The only relation on A, which is both			Required number of relations = $(2^{n}-2)$ . $2^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}$ ,
	equivalence and partial order is the diagonal			where $n = 3$
	relation on A. i.e., $R = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3)\}$			where $n = 3$ = 6.(8)
	$1.0., \mathbf{K} = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3)\}$			= -6.(8) = 48
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### 29. Ans: (c)

Sol: The diagonal relation on A is

 $\Delta_{\rm A} = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3)\}.$ 

 $\Delta_A$  is an equivalence relation as well as a partial order on A.

The relation is not a total order. For example, the elements 2 and 3 are not comparable.

### 30. Ans: (b)

**Sol:**  $S_1$  need not be true.

We can give the following counter example.

Let  $A = \{1, 2\}$  and

 $R = \{(1,1), (2,2), (1,2)\}$ 

and  $S = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (2, 1)\}$ 

Here, R and S are partial orders, but  $R \cup S$ 

is not a partial order.

S<sub>2</sub> is true.

If R and S are any two reflexive relations on a set A, then  $(R \cap S)$  is also reflexive.

If R and S are any two anti-symmetric relations on a set A, then  $(R \cap S)$  is also anti-symmetric.

If R and S are any two transitive relations on a set A, then  $(R \cap S)$  is also transitive.

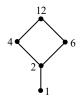
Hence, If R and S are any two partial orders on a set A, then  $(R \cap S)$  is also partial order

### 31. Ans: 0

**Sol:** On a set with 2 elements, if a relation is reflexive and symmetric then it is also transitive.

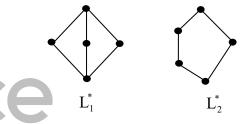
... There is no relation which is reflexive and symmetric but not transitive.

- 32. Ans: (b)
- **Sol:** The Hasse diagram is shown below.



The poset is a bounded lattice with upper bound 12 and lower bound 1.

The poset is a distributive lattice because it has no sub lattice isomorphic to  $L_1^*$  or  $L_2^*$  shown below.



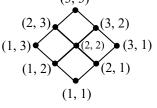
The poset is not a complemented lattice because complements do not exist for the element 2, 4 and 6.

### 33. Ans: (c)

**Sol:** The relation R is reflexive, anti-symmetric and transitive.

 $\therefore$  R is a partial order.

The Hasse diagram of the poset  $[A \times A; R]$  is shown below. (3, 3)





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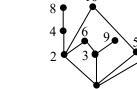
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From the Hasse diagram we can see that LUB and GLB exist for every pair of ordered pairs. ∴ The poset is a lattice.	$2^{1}$ $2^{2}$ $2^{3}$ $2^{4}$ $2^{5}$
34. Ans: (c)	$\therefore$ Option (c) is true.
<ul> <li>Sol: As per the Hasse diagram given in the above example, The upper bound = I = 36 The lower bound = O = 1 In a lattice, 2 elements a and b are complements of each other if least upper bound (LUB) of a and b = I and greatest lower bound (GLB) of a and b = O.</li> <li>(a) LUB of 2&amp;18= LCM of 2 and 18 = 18≠ I</li> <li>∴ Complement of 2 is not 18.</li> <li>(b) The LUB of 3 and 12 = LCM of 3 and 12 = 12 ≠ I</li> <li>∴ Complement of 3 is not 12.</li> <li>(c) The LUB of 4 and 9 = LCM of 4 and 9 = 36 = I</li> <li>The GLB of 4 and 9 = GCD of 4 and 9 = 1 = O</li> <li>∴ Complement of 4 = 9.</li> <li>(d) LUB of 6 &amp; 1 = LCM of 6 and 1 = 6 ≠ I</li> <li>∴ Complement of 6 is not 1.</li> </ul>	Sol: Ans: (b) Sol: In the lattice $[P(A); \subseteq]$ , Complement of $X = A - X  \forall X \in P(A)$ $B = \{2, 3, 5, 7\}$ $\therefore$ Complement of $B = A - B$ $= \{1, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10\}$ 37. Ans: (a) Sol: Let x and y be any two elements of S. Then, the set $\{x, y\}$ is a subset of S. So, it has a minimum element z. if $z = x$ then x R y if $z = y$ then y R x $\therefore$ x and y are comparable.
Complement of 6 is not 1.	<b>Sol:</b> The Hasse diagram is shown below.
<ul><li>35. Ans: (c)</li><li>Sol: The set A with respect to R is a totally</li></ul>	

ordered set and therefore a distributive

The Hasse diagram is shown below.

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 $\therefore$  The number of edges in the diagram = 11.

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### **CSIT-Postal Coaching Solutions** ACE 56 **39.** Ans: (a) 41. Ans: (b) **Sol:** If $R \cup R^{-1} = A \times A$ , then the given relation Sol: The given expression is an upper bound of y, so it is at least y. R is a total order (linear order). On the other hand, y is a common upper $\therefore$ The poset [A; R] is a totally ordered set. bound for y and x $\land$ y, so it is indeed their Every totally ordered set is a distributive least upper bound. lattice. The poset [A; R] is not a complemented 42. Ans: (d) lattice, because in a totally ordered set, **Sol:** $S_1$ : L.H.S = $x \lor (y \land z)$ complements exists only for upper bound $= \mathbf{x} \vee \mathbf{O}$ and lower bounds. $= \mathbf{x}$ R.H.S = $(x \lor y) \land z$ 40. Ans: (d) $= I \wedge z$ Sol: $S_1$ is false = zProof by counter example: $\therefore$ L.H.S $\neq$ R.H.S $S_2$ : L.H.S = x $\lor$ (y $\land$ z) For the lattice shown below $= \mathbf{x} \vee \mathbf{O}$ $R.H.S = (x \lor y) \land (x \lor z)$ $= I \land I$ Each element has atmost one complement, = I but the lattice is not distributive. $\therefore$ L.H.S $\neq$ R.H.S $\therefore$ S<sub>1</sub> is false. For the lattice shown below. 43. Ans: (d) **Sol:** (a) f is not 1-1 and therefore not a bijection. For example, f(1) = f(-1) = 1(b) g(x) is not 1-1 and hence not a bijection. For example, g(1) = g(-1) = 1The lattice is complemented. But the sub (c) h(x) is not 1-1 and hence not a bijection. lattice $\{a, c, e\}$ is not complemented. For example, h(1.1) = h(1.2) = 1 $\therefore$ S<sub>2</sub> is false (d) Let $\phi(a) = \phi(b)$ $\Rightarrow a^3 = b^3$ Regular Live Doubt clearing Sessions | Free Online Test Series | ASK an expert ace online Affordable Fee | Available 1M |3M |6M |12M |18M and 24 Months Subscription Packages

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$\Rightarrow$ a = b		47. Ans: (c)
$\Rightarrow \phi$ is one-to-one		<b>Sol: S1:</b> Let $x \in f^{-1}(S \cup T)$
Let $\phi(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{x}^3 = \mathbf{y}$		$\Rightarrow f(x) \in (S \cup T)$
$\Rightarrow x = y^{\frac{1}{3}}$		$\Rightarrow f(x) \in S$ or $f(x) \in T$
For each real number y, there exists a real	1	$\Rightarrow x \in f^{-1}(S) \text{ or } x \in f^{-1}(T)$
1	1	$\Rightarrow x \in \{f^{-1}(S) \cup f^{1}(T)\}$
number x such that $x = y^{\overline{3}}$ .		$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(S \cup T) \subseteq \{f^{-1}(S) \cup f^{-1}(T)\}$
$\Rightarrow \phi$ is on-to		By retracing the steps, we can show that
$\therefore \phi$ is a bijection.		$\{f^{-1}(S) \cup f^{-1}(T)\} \subseteq f^{-1}(S \cup T)$
44. Ans: (c)	DI	
44. Ans: (c) Sol: Let $f(A) = g(B) = h(C) = D$	21/1	Hence, S1 is true.
We can choose D in $C(n, k)$ ways.		<b>S2:</b> The proof is similar to that of S1. Please
Now, there are k! injections for each of the	e	try yourself.
sets A, B and C.		
By productive rule,		48. Ans: (d)
Required number of triples of function	s	<b>Sol:</b> Let $f(x,y) = (2x-y, x-2y) = (u,v)$
$= C(n, k). (k!)^{3}$		$\Rightarrow 2x-y = u \& x-2y = v$
45. Ans: (a)		By solving $u = \left(\frac{2x - y}{3}\right) \& v = \left(\frac{x - 2y}{3}\right)$
Sol: $S_1$ : Let $f(x) = x$		
Then $f(x) = f(y)$		<b>995</b> : $f^{-1}(x, y) = \left(\frac{2x - y}{3}, \frac{x - 2y}{3}\right)$
$\Rightarrow$ x = y		49. Ans: (b)
$\Rightarrow$ f is one to one		<b>Sol:</b> (i) If S is a bit string with all ones, then f(S)
S <sub>2</sub> : Let $A = \phi$ , then there is not function a all from B to A surjection or not	it	does not exists.
all from B to A, surjection or not.		$\therefore$ f is not a function.
46. Ans: (c)		(ii) The number of 1 bits in a bit string is a
<b>Sol:</b> Here, A and B are finite sets and $ A  =  B $		non negative integer.
Every one-to-one function from A to B i	s	$\therefore$ For each bit string S we can assign only
on-to, and hence a bijection.		one non negative integer in the codomain.
For every bijection f, $f^1$ exists.		$\therefore$ f is a function.
$\therefore$ S <sub>1</sub> and S <sub>2</sub> are true		

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### 50. Ans: (a)

**Sol:**  $S_1$ : Let f(a) = f(b)

Where a and b are integers.

$$\Rightarrow a^3 = b^3$$

 $\Rightarrow a = b$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 f is 1-1

 $f(x) = x^3$  is not on-to. For example, the integer 2 in the codomain is not mapped by any integer of the domain.

$$\therefore f(x) = \left\lceil \frac{n}{2} \right\rceil \text{ is not } 1-1.$$
  
For ex.  $f(1) = f(2)$ 

However, f(x) is on-to function, because each integer in the co-domain is mapped by atleast one element of the domain.

### 51. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** Let f(a) = f(b)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a-2}{a-3} = \frac{b-2}{b-3}$$
  

$$\Rightarrow (a-2)(b-3) = (a-3)(b-2)$$
  

$$\Rightarrow a = b$$
  

$$\therefore \text{ f is } 1-1$$
  
Let  $f(x) = \frac{x-2}{x-3} = y$   

$$\Rightarrow x-2 = (x-3) y$$
  

$$\Rightarrow x - xy = 2 - 3y$$
  

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{2-3y}{1-y} \in A$$
  

$$\therefore \text{ For each } y \in B, \text{ there exists an element } x \in A, \text{ such that } f(x) = y.$$
  

$$\therefore \text{ f is on-to}$$

Hence, f is a bijection.

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52. Ans: (a)

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Sol: 
$$(fog)x = f\{g(x)\}$$
  

$$= f\left(\frac{x}{1-x}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{x}{1-x}\right)}{\left(\frac{x}{1-x}\right)+1} = x$$

$$\Rightarrow (fog)x = x$$

$$\Rightarrow (fog) \text{ is an identity function}$$

$$\Rightarrow (fog)^{-1}x = (fog)x = x$$

53. Ans: (d)

Sol: (d) 
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{|x| - x}}$$
  
Case 1: when  $x \ge 0$   
 $|x| = x$   
 $\therefore |x| - x = 0$   
 $\therefore f(x)$  is not defined when  $x \ge 0$ .  
Case 2: when  $x < 0$   
 $|x| = -x$   
 $\therefore |x| - x = -2x > 0$   
 $\therefore$  Domain of  $f(x) = (-\infty, 0)$   
54. Ans: (a)

Sol: (a) If f: A  $\rightarrow$  B then f<sup>-1</sup>: B  $\rightarrow$  A fof<sup>-1</sup>: B  $\rightarrow$  B  $\therefore$  fof<sup>-1</sup> = I<sub>B</sub>  $\therefore$  Option (a) is false.

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55. Ans: (d)		we have, $A \oplus \phi = A$ , $\forall A \in P(S)$
<b>Sol:</b> Let us show that f is injective.		$\therefore \phi$ is identity element in P(S) w.r.t. *.
Let x, y be elements of A such that $f(x)$	=f(y)	We have, $A \oplus A = \phi$ , $\forall A \in P(S)$
Then, $x = I_A(x) = g(f(x)) = g(f(y)) = I_A(y)$	y) = y	$\therefore$ For each element of P(S), inverse exists,
$\therefore$ f is one-to-one function		because inverse of A=A, $\forall A \in P(S)$ .
Let us show that g is surjective		$\therefore$ (P(S), *) is a group.
Let x be any element of A		
Then, $f(x)$ is an element of B	58	8. Ans: 1
Such that $g(f(x)) = I_A(x) = x$	S	ol: Let e be the identity element.
$\Rightarrow g \text{ is a on-to function}$		a * e = a
$\rightarrow$ g is a on-to function	NEERIN	$c \Rightarrow \frac{ae}{2} = a$
56. Ans: (c)		
56. Ans: (c) Sol: The order of element a = the sm	allest	$\Rightarrow e = 2$ Let $a^{-1}$ is inverse of a
positive integer n such that $a^n = e$ (ident	A 4	$a * a^{-1} = e$
(a) The element 1 is identity element of		
group		$\Rightarrow \frac{aa^{-1}}{2} = 2$
$\therefore$ order of $1 = 1$		1 4
(b) $2^1 = 2$ , $2^2 = 4$ , $2^3 = 1$		$\Rightarrow$ $a^{-1} = \frac{4}{a}$
$\therefore$ order of 2 = 3		Inverse of $4 = \frac{4}{1} = 1$
(c) $3^1 = 3$ , $3^2 = 2$ , $3^3 = 6$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^4 = 4$ , $3^5 = 5$ , $3^5 =$		4
$\therefore$ order of 3 = 6		995
Hence, option (C) is not true	59	9. Ans: (c)
(d) $4^1 = 4$ , $4^2 = 2$ , $4^3 = 1$	S	ol: Let e be the identity element.
$\therefore$ order of 4 = 3		Now $a * e = a$
57. Ans: (c)		$\Rightarrow 2 a e = a$
Sol: $A \oplus B = (A-B) \cup (B-A)$		$\Rightarrow e = \frac{1}{2}$
we have $A \oplus B \in P(S)$ , $\forall A, B \in P(S)$		$\rightarrow$ $\sim$ 2
$\therefore * \text{ is a closed operation}$	/	Let inverse of $\frac{2}{3}$ is x
We have $(A \oplus B) \oplus C = A \oplus (B \oplus C)$		Let inverse of $\frac{1}{3}$ is A
$\therefore * \text{ is associative on P(S)}$		$\frac{2}{3} * x = \frac{1}{2}$
		$\frac{1}{3}$ $^{\Lambda}-\frac{1}{2}$
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$\Rightarrow 2\left(\frac{2}{3}\cdot\mathbf{x}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$	62. Ans: (d)
(3) 2	<b>Sol:</b> (d) The cube roots of unity, $G = \{1, \omega, \omega^2\}$ is
$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3}{8}$	a group with respect to multiplication. The inverse of $\omega = \omega^2$
8	$\therefore$ The statement is false.
	The statement is faise.
60. Ans: (b)	63. Ans: (c)
<b>Sol:</b> Let e be the identity element.	<b>Sol:</b> $5 \oplus_6 2 = 1$
$\therefore$ a * e = a	$\Rightarrow$ Inverse of 5 is not 2.
$\Rightarrow$ a + e + a.e = a	
$\Rightarrow e = 0$	64. Ans: (c) Sol: Order of $(i) = 4$ because the smallest
Let $a^{-1}$ = inverse of a	Sol: Order of $(-i) = 4$ , because the smallest integer n such that $(-i)^n = 1$ is $n = 4$
$a^*a^{-1} = e$	
$\Rightarrow$ a+a <sup>-1</sup> +aa <sup>-1</sup> = 0 ( $\therefore$ 0 is identity element	65. Ans: (a)
	<b>Sol:</b> (a) $G = \{1, 3, 5, 7\}$ is a group with respect to
$\Rightarrow a^{-1} = \frac{-a}{a+1}$	$\otimes_{8}$
$\therefore$ Inverse of -1 does not exist.	$H_1 = \{1, 3\} \text{ and } H_2 = \{1, 5\}$
	$H_1 \cup H_2 = \{1, 3, 5\}$
Hence, option (b) is false.	Here, $H_1$ and $H_2$ are subgroups of G, but $H_1 \cup H_2$ is not a subgroup of G.
61. Ans: (d)	66. Ans: (d)
Sol: (d) $G = \{1, -1, i, -i\}$	Sol: (d) Every subgroup of a cyclic group is
(i) G is closed with respect to multiplicatio	cyclic (theorem)
(i) Multiplication is associative on G.	511.
(iii) 1 is identity element in G with respe	67. Ans: (d)
to multiplication.	<b>Sol:</b> (d) $2^2 = 2 \otimes_7 2 = 4$
(iv) The inverse elements of 1,-1, i,-i are	$2^3 = 4 \otimes_7 2 = 1$
-1, -i, i respectively.	2 is not a generator of G, because we cannot
∴ G is group with respect to multiplication	generate 3, 5 and 6 with 2.
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68.	Ans: (	<b>c</b> )				I		In the composition table of a group, one of			
Sol:	The ic	lentity	elem	ent of	G is 0. In the	sets		the rows of entries should coincide with the			
	given	in op	tions	(b) an	nd (d), the iden	ntity		top row.			
	elemen	nt is m	issing	g.				$\therefore$ The third row is a b c d			
	The se	t {0, 4	} is n	ot clos	ed w.r.t $\oplus$ .			Hence, the identity element is c.			
	The se	t {0, 2	, 4} is	s close	d w.r.t⊕.			Further, we can show that fourth row is			
	∴ The	set in	optio	on (c) is	s a subgroup of C	Ĵ.		c a d b and			
								$a^{-1} = d$ , $b^{-1} = b$ , $c^{-1} = c$ and $d^{-1} = a$ .			
	Ans: 4										
Sol:					$G = \phi(10) = 4$	EER	72	. Ans: (a), (b) & (c)			
	where $\phi$ is Euler function.							(d) is false. For eg, $A = \{1, 2\}$ ,			
70.	. Ans: (d)							$B = \{1\}, C = \{2\}$ then $(A - B) - C = Empty$			
70.	). Ans: (d)							But $(A - B) - (B - C) = \{2\}$			
71.	Ans: (	a)						Remaining statements are true.			
Sol:	Any g	roup w	vith 4	eleme	nts is abelian.						
	$\Rightarrow$ Th	e row	s and	colum	nns of the table	are	73	. Ans: (a), (c) & (d)			
		entical			Ţ		So	l: B is Not Onto because negative values			
					a c] <sup>T</sup> and sec	ond	$\prec$	cannot have pre-image.			
				c b a Itabla		ince	10	(a), (c), (d) are Onto.			
	Now, 1										
	*	а	b	с	<u>d</u>						
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	b	d	c	b	а						
	с	а	b	×	×						
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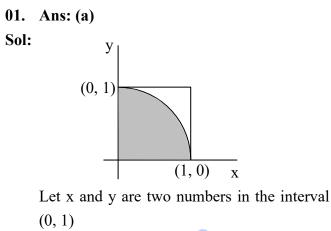
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Chapter 5

### **Probability and Statistics**



We have to choose x and y such that  $x^2 + y^2 < 1$ .

Required probability =  $\frac{\text{Area of the shaded region}}{\text{Area of the square}}$ 

 $=\frac{\pi/4}{1}=\frac{\pi}{4}$ 

### 02. Ans: (a)

Sol: A non-decreasing sequence can be described by a partition  $n = n_0 + n_1 + n_2$ 

where n<sub>i</sub> is number of times the digit i appear in the sequence.

There are (n + 1) choices for  $n_0$  and given  $n_0$ there are  $n - n_0 + 1$  choices for  $n_1$ .

So, the total number of possibilities is

$$\sum_{n_0=0}^{n} (n - n_0 + 1) = (n + 1) \cdot (n + 1) - \sum_{n_0=0}^{n} n_0$$
$$= (n + 1) \cdot (n + 1) - \frac{n^2 + n}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2}$$
  
Required probability 
$$= \frac{n^2 + 3n + 2}{2(3^n)}$$

### 03. Ans: (d)

**Sol:** Number of ways, we can choose R = C(n, 3)We have to count number of ways we can choose R, so that median (R) = median (S). Each such set R contains median S, one of

the  $\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)$  elements of S less than median

(S), and one of the  $\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)$  elements of S

greater than median (S).

So, there are 
$$\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)^2$$
 choices for R.  
Required probability =  $\frac{\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)^2}{C(n,3)}$   
=  $\frac{3(n-1)}{2n(n-2)}$ 

04. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** For each  $i \in \{1, 2, ..., n\}$ ,

let A<sub>i</sub> heads be the event that the coin comes up heads for the first time and continues to come up heads there after.

Then, the desired event is the disjoint union of A<sub>i</sub>.

Since, each  $A_i$  occurs with probability  $2^{-n}$ .

The required probability = n.  $2^{-n}$ 

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<b>05.</b> Ans: (b) Sol: Probability of the event that we never get the consecutive heads or tails = P(HT HT HT) + P(TH TH TH) = $\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n$	$=\frac{1-\{P(A)+P(B)-P(A\cap B)\}}{1-P(A)}$
$= 2\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{n} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n}$ The required probability $= 1 - 2\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{n} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n}$ $= \frac{3^{n} - 2^{n+1}}{3^{2n}}$ 06. Ans: (c) Sol: Number of ways of selecting three integers $= {}^{20}C_{3}$	$P(A \cup B) = \frac{2}{3};$ $P(A \cap B) = \frac{2}{5} + \frac{3}{7} - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{17}{105}$
We know that, product of three integers is even, if atleast one of the number is even.	s $P(A) = \frac{33}{100}$
Conditional probability	Therefore, A and B are not mutually

07. Ans: (c)

Sol: Given that 
$$P(A|B) = 1$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = 1$$

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exclusive.

 $P(A \cap B) \neq P(A) \cdot P(B)$ 

Therefore, A and B are not independent.

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<b>10.</b> Ans: 0.2 <b>Sol:</b> To find the number of favourable case consider the following partition of the given set $\{1, 2,, 100\}$ $S_1 = \{1, 6, 11,, 96\}$ $S_2 = \{2, 7, 12,, 97\}$ $S_3 = \{3, 8, 13,, 98\}$ $S_4 = \{4, 9, 14,, 99\}$ $S_5 = \{5, 10, 15,, 100\}$	12. Ans: 0.125 Sol: Total number of outcomes = $6^3$ Number of outcomes in which sum of the numbers is 10 = Number of non-negative integer solutions to the equation $a+b+c = 10$ where $1 \le a, b, c \le 6$ = Co-efficient of $x^{10}$ in the function $(x + x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + x^5 + x^6)^3$ $(x+x^2+x^3+x^4+x^5+x^6)^3 = x^3(1+x+x^2+x^3+x^4+x^5)^3$ = $x^3(1-x^6)^3(1-x)^{-3}$
Each of the above sets has 20 elements. I one of the two numbers selected from S then the other must be chosen from S <sub>4</sub> . If one of the two numbers selected from S then the other must be chosen from S <sub>3</sub> . Number of favourable cases = $C(20,1).C(20,1)+C(20,1).C(20,1)+C(20,2)$ = $400 + 400 + 190 = 990$ $\therefore$ Required probability = $\frac{990}{C(100,2)}$ = $\frac{990}{50 \times 99} = 0.2$	$ = x^{3}(1-3x^{6}+3x^{12}-x^{18}) \sum_{0}^{\infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} x^{n} $ $ = (x^{3}-3x^{9}+3^{18}-x^{21}) \sum_{0}^{\infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} x^{n} $ Co-efficient of $x^{10} = 36 - 3 \times 3 = 27$
11. Ans: 0.66 Range 0.65 to 0.67 Sol: Let N = the number of families Total No. of children = $\left(\frac{N}{2} \times 1\right) + \left(\frac{N}{2} \times 2\right)$ = $\frac{3N}{2}$	If A and B are independent then $P(A \cap B) = P(A).P(B)$ (2) From (1) and (2) P(A).P(B) = 0 $\Rightarrow Pr(A) = 0 \text{ or } Pr(B) = 0$ 14. Ans: 2.916 range 2.9 to 2.92 Sol: $E(X) = \frac{1}{6}(1+2+3+4+5+6) = 3.5$
$\therefore \text{The Required Probability} = \frac{\left(\frac{N}{2} \times 2\right)}{\frac{3N}{2}}$ $= \frac{2}{3} = 0.66$ Regular Live Doubt Affordable Fee   Availa	E(X <sup>2</sup> ) = $\frac{1}{6}$ (l <sup>2</sup> + 2 <sup>2</sup> + 3 <sup>3</sup> + 4 <sup>4</sup> + 5 <sup>2</sup> + 6 <sup>2</sup> ) = $\frac{91}{6}$ ∴ Variance = E(X <sup>2</sup> ) - {E(X)} <sup>2</sup> = $\frac{91}{6}$ - (3.5) <sup>2</sup> = 2.916

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15. Ans: (c)	18. Ans: 1.944 range 1.94 to 1.	18. Ans: 1.944 range 1.94 to 1.95								
Sol: Total number of counters	<b>Sol:</b> The probability distribution for Z is									
$= 1 + 2 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$		5								
Probability of choosing counter k	and $\mathbf{P}(\mathbf{Z}) = \frac{6}{36} = \frac{10}{36} = \frac{8}{36} = \frac{6}{36} = \frac{4}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$								
winning $k^2 = \frac{2k}{n(n+1)}$	$E(Z) = \Sigma Z \cdot P(Z)$									
Expectation = $\sum_{k=1}^{n} \left\{ k^2 \cdot \frac{2k}{n(n+1)} \right\}$	$= \frac{1}{36}(0(6) + 1(10) + 2(8) + 3(6) + 4(4))$ $= \frac{70}{36} = \frac{35}{18} = 1.944$	4)+5(2								
$=\frac{2}{n(n+1)}\cdot\frac{n^{2}(n+1)^{2}}{4}=\frac{n(n+1)^{2}}{4}$	$\frac{(+1)}{19. \text{ Ans: (c)}}$									
16. Ans: (b)	<b>Sol:</b> $E(a^{x}) = \sum_{k=0}^{n} a^{k} \cdot P(X = k)$									
Sol: The probability that she gives birth bet 8 cm and 4 nm in a day $= \frac{1}{2}$	Veen $= \sum_{k=0}^{n} a^{k} C(n,k) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-k}$									
8 am and 4 pm in a day = $\frac{1}{3}$ By Total theorem of probability,	$= \frac{1}{2^{n}} \sum_{k=0}^{n} a^{k} C(n,k) a^{k} . (1)^{n-k}$									
The required probability	$= \left(\frac{a+1}{2}\right)^n$									
$= \left(\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{3}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{5}{12}$	ince 1995									
Random Variables	<b>20.</b> Ans: (d) Sol: Given that mean = $E(X) = 1$									
	and Variance = $V(X) = 5$									
17. Ans: 0.75 (No range)	$E((2 + X)^2) = E[X^2 + 4X + 4]$									
<b>Sol:</b> Total probability = $\int f(x) dx = 1$	$= E(X^2) + 4 E(X) + 4$									
-∞ 2	Given $V(X) = 5$									
$\Rightarrow \int_{0} cx  dx = 1$	$\Rightarrow E(X^2) - (E(X))^2 = 5$									
$\Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{2}$	$\Rightarrow E(X^2) = 5 + 1 = 6$									
2 P(X>1) = $\int_{1}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_{1}^{2} \frac{1}{2} x(dx) = \frac{3}{4} = 0.$	5 $E((2 + X)^2) = 6 + 4(1) + 4 = 14$									
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### 21. Ans: (a)

Sol: Total Probability = 
$$\sum_{x=1}^{\infty} P(X = x) = 1$$
  
 $\Rightarrow \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} K(1-\beta)^{x-1} = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow K(1+(1-\beta)+(1-\beta)^2+\dots \infty) = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{K}{1-(1-\beta)} = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow K = \beta$ 

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### 22. Ans: 209

### Sol:

x	2	-3	4	-5	6	-7	8	-9	10	-11	12
P(x)	$\frac{1}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$	$\frac{3}{36}$	$\frac{4}{36}$	$\frac{5}{36}$	$\frac{1}{36}$	$\frac{5}{36}$	$\frac{4}{36}$	$\frac{3}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$	$\frac{1}{36}$

$$E(X) = \sum x P(x) = (-3) \times \frac{1}{6} + 6 \times \frac{1}{2} + 9 \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{11}{2}$$

$$E(X^{2}) = \sum x^{2} P(x) = 9 \times \frac{1}{6} + 36 \times \frac{1}{2} + 81 \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{93}{2}$$

$$\therefore E(2X + 1)^{2} = E(4X^{2} + 4X + 1)$$

$$= 4E(X^{2}) + 4E(X) + 1$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{93}{2} + 4 \times \frac{11}{2} + 1$$

$$= 209$$

### 23. Ans: (d)

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**Sol:** Let X = Amount your win in rupees The probability distribution of X is shown below.

X	1	-2	3	-4	5	-6
P(X)	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$

The required expectation

$$E(X) = \sum [X. P(X)]$$
  
=  $\frac{1}{6} (1 - 2 + 3 - 4 + 5 - 6) = \frac{-1}{2}$ 

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24. Ans: 0.1

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Sol: E(W) = 
$$\int_0^{10} 0.003 V^2 f(V) dV$$
  
=  $\int_0^{10} 0.003 V^2 \frac{1}{10} dV$   
=  $0.1 \ lb/ft^2$ 

Where f(V)= probability density function of V

### 25. Ans: (b)

Sol: By Chebyshev inequality

$$\Pr(\mu - k\sigma < X < \mu + k\sigma) \ge 1 - \frac{1}{k^2}$$

### 26. Ans: 0

Sol: Let X = Number of rupees you win on each throw. The probability distribution of X is  $E(X) = \sum X P(X) = 0$ 

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Sol: Let X = number of ones in the sequence  

$$n = 5$$
  
 $p = probability$  for digit 1 = 0.6  
 $q = 0.4$   
Required probability = P(X = 2)  
 $= C(5, 2). (0.6)^2. (0.4)^3$ 

$$= 0.23$$

$$Mean = \Sigma XP(X)$$

x	2	-3	4	-5	6	-7	8	-9	10	-11	12
P(x)	$\frac{1}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$	$\frac{3}{36}$	$\frac{4}{36}$	$\frac{5}{36}$		$\frac{5}{36}$	$\frac{4}{36}$	$\frac{3}{36}$	$\frac{2}{36}$	$\frac{1}{36}$

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### 28. Ans: 0.25 range 0.24 to 0.26

**Sol:** Given that, mean = 2(variance)

 $\Rightarrow np = 2(npq) \dots (1)$ further,  $np + npq = 3 \dots (2)$ Solving,  $n = 4, p = q = \frac{1}{2}$ 

P(X = 3) = C(4, 3). 
$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$

29. Ans: (d)

**Sol:** Let X = Number of times we get negative values.

By using Binomial Distribution,

$$P(X = k) = C(n, k) p^{k} q^{r}$$
  
Where  $p = \frac{1}{2}, q = \frac{1}{2}, n = 5$ 

Required probability =  $P(X \le 1)$ 

$$= P(X = 0) + P(X = 1)$$
$$= {}^{5}C_{0} \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{5} + {}^{5}C_{1} \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{4} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$
$$= \frac{1+5}{32} = \frac{6}{32}$$

n - k

### 30. Ans: (d)

**Sol:** We can choose four out of six winning in C(6, 4) different ways and if the probability of winning a game is p, then the probability of winning four out of six games

$$= C(6, 4) p^{4}(1-p)^{2}$$
$$= 15(p^{4}-2p^{5}+p^{6})$$

### 31. Ans: 0.5706

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Sol: The odds that the program will run is 2:1.

Therefore,  $Pr(a \text{ program will run}) = \frac{2}{3}$ . Let

B denote the event that four or more programs will run and  $A_j$  denote that exactly j program will run. Then,

$$Pr(B) = Pr(A_4 \cup A_5 \cup A_6)$$
  
= Pr(A\_4) + Pr(A\_5) + Pr(A\_6)  
(2)<sup>4</sup> (1)<sup>2</sup> (2)<sup>5</sup> (1)

 $= C(6,4) \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^4 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + C(6,5) \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^5 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) + C(6,6) \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^5$ = 0.5706

### 32. Ans: 0.224 range 0.2 to 0.3

Sol: Average calls per minute =  $\frac{180}{60} = 3$ 

 $=4.5 e^{-3} = 0.224$ 

Here, we can use poisson distribution with  $\lambda$ =3.

Required Probability = 
$$P(X = 2) = \frac{e^{-3} \cdot 3^2}{2!}$$

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# 33. Ans: 0.168

Sol:  $\lambda$  = average number of cars pass that point in a 12 min period =  $\frac{15}{60/12} = 3$ Using the Poisson distribution,  $Pr(k) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^k}{k!}$ 

$$\therefore \text{ Required probability } \Pr(4) = e^{-3} \frac{3^4}{4!} = 0.168$$



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**34.** Ans: 0.7 range 0.65 to 0.75  
**Sol:** The probability density function of  

$$X = f(x) = \left\{ \frac{1}{10} \text{ for } 0 \le x \le 10 \\ 0 \text{ otherwise} \right\}$$

$$P\left\{ \left( X + \frac{10}{X} \right) \ge 7 \right\} = \{ P(X^2 + 10 \ge 7X) \\ = P(X^2 - 7X + 10 \ge 0) \\ = P\{(X - 5) (X - 2) \ge 0\} \\ = P(X \le 2 \text{ or } X \ge 5) \\ = 1 - P(2 \le X \le 5) \\ = 1 - \int_2^5 f(x) dx \\ = 1 - \int_2^5 \frac{1}{10} dx \\ = 1 - \frac{3}{10} = 0.7$$

Sol: We can use Exponential Distribution with mean  $\mu = 5$ 

Let X is waiting time in minutes.

Probability Density function of X is

The required probability = P(0 < X < 1)

$$= \int_{0}^{1} 0.2 e^{-(0.2)x} dx = 0.1813$$

36. Ans: (a)  
Sol: 
$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} P(X = r) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow k(1 + (1-\beta) + (1-\beta)^{2} + \dots \infty) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow k \left\{ \frac{1}{1-(1-\beta)} \right\} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \beta$$

$$\therefore P(X = r) = \beta(1-\beta)^{r-1}$$
This function is maximum when  $r = 1$ .  

$$\therefore \text{ mode} = 1$$

37. Ans: Mean = 34, Median = 35, Modes = 35, 36 & SD = 4.14

Sol: Mean 
$$=\frac{\sum x_i}{n} = 34$$

Median is the middle most value of the data by keeping the data points in increasing order or decreasing order.

Mode = 
$$36$$
  
S.D =  $4.14$ 

38. Ans: 1.095

Sol: 
$$\mu = \text{Mean} = \sum_{k=1}^{5} \{ x_k . P(X = k) \}$$
  
=1(0.1)+2(0.2)+3(0.4)+4(0.2)+5(0.1) = 3  
P(X \le 2) = 0.1 + 0.2 = 0.3  
P(X \le 3) = 0.1 + 0.2 + 0.4 = 0.7  
 $\therefore \text{ Median} = \frac{2+3}{2} = 2.5$ 

Mode = The value of X at which P(X) is maximum = 3

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Variance = $\sum_{k=1}^{5} x_k^2 \cdot P(X = k) - \mu^2 = 10.2 - 9 = 1.2$ Standard deviation = $\sqrt{1.2} = 1.095$	f <sup>1</sup> (x) = 6 - 12x For max or min f <sup>1</sup> (x) = 0 $\Rightarrow$ 6 - 12x = 0 $\Rightarrow$ x = $\frac{1}{2}$ f <sup>11</sup> (x) = -12 f <sup>11</sup> ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) = -12 < 0
<b>39.</b> Ans: $k = 6$ , Mean $= \frac{1}{2}$ , Median $= \frac{1}{2}$ , Mode $= \frac{1}{2}$ and S.D $= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}}$	$\therefore \text{ maximum at } x = 1/2$ $\therefore \text{ mode is } 1/2$ $S.D = \sqrt{E(x^2) - (E(x))^2}$ $= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}}$
Sol: We have $\int_{-\infty}^{1} f(x) dx = 1$ $\int_{0}^{1} k(x - x^{2}) dx = 1$ $\left[ \left( x^{2} \right)^{1} + \left( x^{3} \right)^{1} \right]$	
$\Rightarrow k \left[ \left( \frac{x^2}{2} \right)_0^1 - \left( \frac{x^3}{3} \right)_0^1 \right] = 1$ $\Rightarrow k \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \right) = 1 \Rightarrow k \left( \frac{3-2}{6} \right) = 1 \Rightarrow k = 6$	$\therefore P(100 < X < 120) = P(80 < X < 120) = 0.3$
Mean = $\int_{-\infty} xf(x) dx = \int_{0}^{\infty} 6(x^{2} - x^{3}) dx$ = $6\left[\frac{x^{3}}{3} - \frac{x^{4}}{4}\right]_{0}^{1} = 6\left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4}\right] = \frac{1}{2}$ Median is that value 'a' for which	Now, $P(X < 80) = 0.5 - P(80 < X < 120)$ = 0.5 - 0.3 = 0.2 41. Ans: 4 Sol: If n missiles are fired then probability of not
P(X ≤ a) = $\frac{1}{2} \int_{0}^{a} 6(x - x^{2}) dx = \frac{1}{2}$ $\Rightarrow 6\left(\frac{a^{2}}{2} - \frac{a^{3}}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$ 1	hitting the target = $[1 - (0.3)]^n = (0.7)^n$ $\Rightarrow$ Probability of hitting the target atleast once = $1 - (0.7)^n$ We have to fired the smallest +ve integer n so that, $\{1 - (0.7)^n\} > \frac{75}{100}$
$\Rightarrow 3a^{2} - 2a^{3} = \frac{1}{2}$ $\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{2}$ Mode a that value at which f(x) is max/min $\therefore f(x) = 6x - 6x^{2}$	$\Rightarrow \{1 - (0.7)^n\} > 0.75$ The smallest +ve integer satisfying this inequality is n = 4

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42.	Ans: 0.865 range 0.86 to 0.87		45.	Ans: (a), (b) & (c)
Sol:	Let X = number of cashew nuts per biscuit.		Sol:	If P and of are independent then,
We	can use Poisson distribution with mea	n		$(P \cap Q) = P(P) ((Q) O \neq P(P \cap Q) \therefore$ False
	$= \lambda = \frac{2000}{1000} = 2$ $P(X = k) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda^{k}}{\angle k}  (k = 0, 1, 2)$ Probability that the biscuit contains m	0		statement If $(P \cup Q) = P(P) + P(Q) (P \cap Q)$ Now, $P(P) + P(Q) \ge P(P \cap Q)$ Otherwise $(P(P \cup Q)$ becomes negative False statement
	cashew nut = $P(X = 0)$	Ŭ		Mutually exclusive events need not be
	$e^{-\lambda} = e^{-\lambda} = 0.135$			independent True $\Rightarrow P(P \cap Q) \ge P(P)$
	Required probability = $1 - 0.135 = 0.865$			independent frue $\Rightarrow$ f (f $(1, 0) \ge 1$ (f)
43.	Ans: (b)			
	Let $A =$ getting red marble both times			
	B = getting both marbles of same color			
	$P(A \cap B) = \frac{3}{10} \cdot \frac{2}{10}$ $P(B) = \frac{7}{10} \cdot \frac{6}{10} + \frac{3}{10} \cdot \frac{2}{10}$ Required probability = $\frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{6}{48} = \frac{1}{8}$	C		ce nline
44.	Ans: (d)			
	Let $E_1$ = The item selected is produce machine C and $E_2$ = Item selected is defective $P(E_1 \wedge E_2) = \frac{20}{100} \cdot \frac{5}{100}$ $P(E_2) = \frac{50}{100} \cdot \left(\frac{3}{100}\right) + \frac{30}{100} \cdot \left(\frac{4}{100}\right) + \frac{20}{100} \cdot \left(\frac{5}{100}\right)$ Required probability			
	$= P(E_1 / E_2) = \frac{P(E_1 \land E_2)}{P(E_2)} = \frac{100}{370} = \frac{10}{37}$			

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Chapter6		The element in the second row and third column of B = Cofactor of the element in the
01. Ans: 3 Sol: If rank of A is 1, then A has only on independent row. The elements in R <sub>1</sub> and R <sub>2</sub> are proportional $\Rightarrow \frac{3}{P} = \frac{P}{3} = \frac{P}{P}$ $\Rightarrow P = 3$ 02. Ans: 25 Sol: Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} x & y \\ y & 10 - x \end{pmatrix}$ Det $A = x(10 - x) - y^2$ For maximum value of Det A, $y = 0$ Now, $A = \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & 10 - x \end{pmatrix}$ $\Rightarrow  A  = x(10 - x) = 10x - x^2$ Let $f(x) = 10x - x^2$ $\Rightarrow f'(x) = 10 - 2x$ $\Rightarrow f'(x) = -2$ Consider, $f'(x) = 0$ $\Rightarrow x = 5$ At $x = 5$ , the function $f(x)$ has maximum and is equal to 25.	04 R / So 05 So 05 So	third row second column of A $= (-1)^{3+2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = -1$ $\therefore \text{ Required element} = \frac{1}{ A } (-2) = \frac{-1}{2}$ 4. Ans: (a) bl: Here, A <sup>n</sup> is a zero matrix. [Property] $\therefore \text{ rank of } A^{n} = 0$ 5. Ans: 46 bl: Here,   adj A  =  A ^{2} $\Rightarrow 2116 =  A ^{2}$ $\Rightarrow  A  = \pm 46$ $\Rightarrow \text{ Absolute value of }  A  = 46$ 5. Ans: (b) bl: S <sub>1</sub> ) If A and B are symmetric then AB need not be equal to BA for example, if $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
<b>03.</b> Ans: (c) Sol: Given $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = A^{-1}$ .		and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ then A and B are symmetric but AB is not equal to BA. $\therefore$ S <sub>1</sub> is false.

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#### 07. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** Each element of the matrix in the principal diagonal and above the diagonal, we can choose in q ways.

Number of elements in the principal diagonal = n

Number of elements above the principal diagonal =  $n\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)$ 

By product rule, number of ways we can choose these elements =  $q^n \cdot q^{n\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)}$ Required number of symmetric

matrices=
$$q^{n\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)}$$

**08.** Ans: (b)  
**Sol:** 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} n-1 & -1 & \dots & -1 \\ -1 & n-1 & \dots & -1 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ -1 & -1 & \dots & n-1 \end{bmatrix}$$
  
 $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + \dots + R_{n-1}$   
 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ -1 & n-1 & \dots & -1 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ -1 & -1 & \dots & n-1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

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$$\begin{split} R_{2} & \rightarrow R_{2} + R_{1}, R_{3} \rightarrow R_{3} + R_{1}, \dots, R_{n-1} \rightarrow R_{n-1} + R_{1}, \\ A &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 0 & n & \dots & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & n \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & n \end{bmatrix} \\ &= n^{n-2} \end{split}$$

#### 09. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** S1 is true because, any subset of four linearly independent sequence of vectors is always linearly independent.

S2 is not necessarily true,

For example,  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$  and  $x_3$  can be linearly independent and  $x_4$  is linear combination of  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$  and  $x_3$ .

10. Ans: (c)

**Sol:** The given matrix is skew-symmetric. Determinant of a skew symmetric matrix of

odd order is 0.

 $\therefore$  Rank of A < 3.

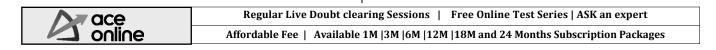
Determinant of a non-zero skew symmetric matrix is  $\geq 2$ 

 $\therefore$  Rank of A = 2

11. Ans: (a)

**Sol:** Let 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & \alpha \\ -2 & 2 & \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

For the system of linear equations to have a unique solution,  $det(A) \neq 0$ .



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$\Rightarrow (0 - 2\alpha) + 2(2\alpha + 2\alpha) + (4 - 0) \neq 0$ $\Rightarrow -2\alpha + 8\alpha + 4 \neq 0$ $\Rightarrow 6\alpha + 4 \neq 0$ $\Rightarrow 6\alpha \neq -4$ $\Rightarrow \alpha \neq \frac{-2}{3}$ $\therefore \text{ Option (a) is correct.}$ 12. Ans: (c) Sol: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & 4 \\ 4 & 3 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$ Applying $R_2 - 2R_1, R_3 - 4R_1$ $\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -5 & -2 \\ 0 & -5 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ Applying $R_3 - R_1$ $\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -5 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ which is an echelon matrix with two non- zero rows. $\therefore \text{ Rank of A = 2}$ If rank of A is less than number of variables, then the system AX = O has infinitely many non-zero solutions. If rank of A is less than number of variables, then the system AX = B cannot have unique solution. Hence, option (c) is not true.	If rank of A is less than order of A, then the matrix A is singular. $\therefore A^{-1} \text{ does not exist}$ 13. Ans: (b) Sol: $D = \begin{vmatrix} k & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & k & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & k \end{vmatrix}$ $= k^3 + 1 + 1 - k - k - k$ $= (k-1)^2 (k+2)$ Thus, the system has a unique solution when $(k-1)^2 (k+2) \neq 0$ $\Rightarrow k \neq 1 \text{ and } k \neq -2$ 14. Ans: (c) Sol: The augmented matrix is $(A \mid B) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 6 & 3 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $R_2 \Rightarrow 2R_2 - 3R_1 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ $R_3 \Rightarrow 5R_3 + R_2 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $\rho(A) = \rho(A \mid B) = 2 (< \text{ number of variables}).$ $\therefore$ The system has infinitely many solutions. 15. Ans: (c) Sol: Given AX = B

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$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & 15 & 21 \\ 0 & 0 & 15 & 21 \end{pmatrix}$ $R_4 - R_3$ $\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & 15 & 21 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $\therefore \rho(A) = \rho(AB) = 3$ $= no. of variables$ Hence, there exists only one solution. 19. Ans: (d) Sol: If $A_{n \times n}$ has n distinct eigen values, then A has n linearly independent eigen vectors. If zero is one of the eigen values of A, there A is singular and $A^{-1}$ does not exist. If A is singular then rank of A < 3 and A cannot have 3 linearly independent rows. $\therefore Only option (d) $ is correct.	Sol: Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -4 \\ 18 & -12 \end{bmatrix}$ Consider $ A - \lambda I  = 0$
20. Ans: (b) Since $A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ The characteristic equations is $d^3 - 18d^2 + 45d = 0$ $\Rightarrow d = 0, 3, 15$ are eigen values of A. 21. Ans: (a) Sol: Since, A is singular, $\lambda = 0$ is an eigen value. Also, rank of A = 1. The root $\lambda = 0$ is repeated n – 1 times.	For $\lambda = 6$ , the eigen vectors are given by $\begin{bmatrix} A - 6I \end{bmatrix} X = O$ $\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ 18 & -18 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $\Rightarrow  x - y = 0$ $\Rightarrow  x = y$ The eigen vectors are of the form $X_1 = k_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ For $\lambda = -8$ , the eigen vectors are given by $\begin{bmatrix} A+8I \end{bmatrix} X = O$

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$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 18 & -4 \\ 18 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $\Rightarrow \qquad 18x - 4y = 0$ $\Rightarrow \qquad 9x - 2y = 0$ The eigen vectors are of the form $X_1 = k_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$	$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -7 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -4 & -6 \\ -1 & -2 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{x}{-24} = \frac{y}{-48} = \frac{z}{24}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z}{-1}$
<ul><li>24. Ans: (c)</li><li>Sol: The given matrix is upper triangular. The eigen values are same as the diagona</li></ul>	
elements 1, 2, $-1$ and 0. The smallest eigen value is $\lambda = -1$ . The	
eigen vectors for $\lambda = -1$ is given by $(A - \lambda I) X = 0$ $\Rightarrow (A + I)X = 0$	Sol: Given A = $\begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & x & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$
$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{bmatrix} = 0$	eigen vector $X = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w \end{bmatrix}$	We know that $AX = \lambda X$
$\Rightarrow w = 0, y = 0, 2x - z = 0$ $\Rightarrow X = k[1 \ 0 \ 2 \ 0]^{T}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & x & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
<ul> <li>25. Ans: (b)</li> <li>Sol: Let λ be the third eigen value. Sum of the eigen values of A = Trace (A)</li> </ul>	$\begin{bmatrix} 30\\-16-2x\\15 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2\lambda\\-2\lambda\\\lambda \end{bmatrix}$
$\Rightarrow (-3) + (-3) + \lambda = -2 + 1 + 0$	Clearly eigen value $\lambda = 15$
$\Rightarrow \lambda = 5$	$\Rightarrow -16 - 2x = -30$
The eigen vector for $\lambda = 5$ is given by [A - 5I]X = O	$\therefore -2x = -14$ $x = 7$



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27. Ans: 2 Sol: If $\lambda$ is an Eigen values of A, then $\lambda^4 - 3\lambda^3$ is an Eigen value of $(A^4 - 3A^3)$ Putting $\lambda = 1, -1$ and 3 in $(\lambda^4 - 3\lambda^3)$ , we get the eigen values of $(A^4 - 3A^3)$ are -2, 4, 0 Trace of $(A^4 - 3A^3) = $ Sum of eigen values of $(A^4 - 3A^3) = 2$ 28. Ans: 8 Sol: Given $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 2\\4\\0 \end{bmatrix} = \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\0 \end{bmatrix}$ Clearly $\lambda = 2$ <b>30.</b> Ans: (d) Sol: We have, $A^{T} = -A$ (:: A is skew-symmetric) $\Rightarrow A + A^{T} = (A - A) = O$ Rank of $(A + A^{T}) = 0$ $\therefore$ Number of linearly independent eigen vectors = n - rank of $(A + A^{T}) = n$ <b>31.</b> Ans: (a) Sol: For upper triangular matrix the eigen values
The characteristic equation is $\lambda^3 - \lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 4 = 0$ By Caley-Hamilton's theorem, $A^3 - A^2 - 4A + 4I = 0$	are same as the elements in the principal diagonal. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a & b \\ 0 & 0 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $(I + A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & a & b \\ 0 & 1 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $ I + A  = 1$ $\therefore I + A \text{ is non-singular and hence invertible.}$ 32. Ans: 8 Sol: The characteristic equation of M is $\lambda^{3} - 12\lambda^{2} + a \lambda - 32 = 0 \dots (1)$ Substituting $\lambda = 2$ in (1), we get $a = 36$

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Now, the characteristic equation is		34. Ans: (c)
$\lambda^3 - 12\lambda^2 + 36\lambda - 32 = 0$	5	Sol: It is easy to check if a specific list of
$\Rightarrow (\lambda - 2) (\lambda^2 - 10\lambda + 16) = 0$		numbers is a solution. Set $x_1=3$ , $x_2=4$ and
$\Rightarrow \lambda = 2, 2, 8$		$x_3 = -1$ and find that
The largest among the absolute values of		
the eigen values of $M = 8$ .		5(3) - (4) + 2(-1) = 9
		-2(3) + 6(4) + 9(-1) = 9

Although the first two equations are satisfied, the third is not, so (3, 4, -1) is not a solution of the system. Notice the use of parentheses when making the substitutions. They are strongly recommended as a guard against arithmetic errors.

-7(3) + 5(4) - 3(-1) = 2

Moreover, The system is consistent and has unique solution.

#### 35. Ans: (b) & (c)

- Sol: (a) No. The pivots have to occur in descending rows.
  - (b) Yes. There's only one pivotal column, and it's as required.
  - (c) Yes. There's only one pivotal column, and it's as required.
  - (d) No. The pivots have to occur in consecutive rows.

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33. Ans: (b)

**Sol:** A =  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ -3 & -4 & 13 \\ 2 & 1 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Applying  $R_2 + 3R_1, R_3 - 2R_1$ 

Applying  $R_3 + \frac{3}{2}R_2$ 

 $\mathbf{A} \sim \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ 

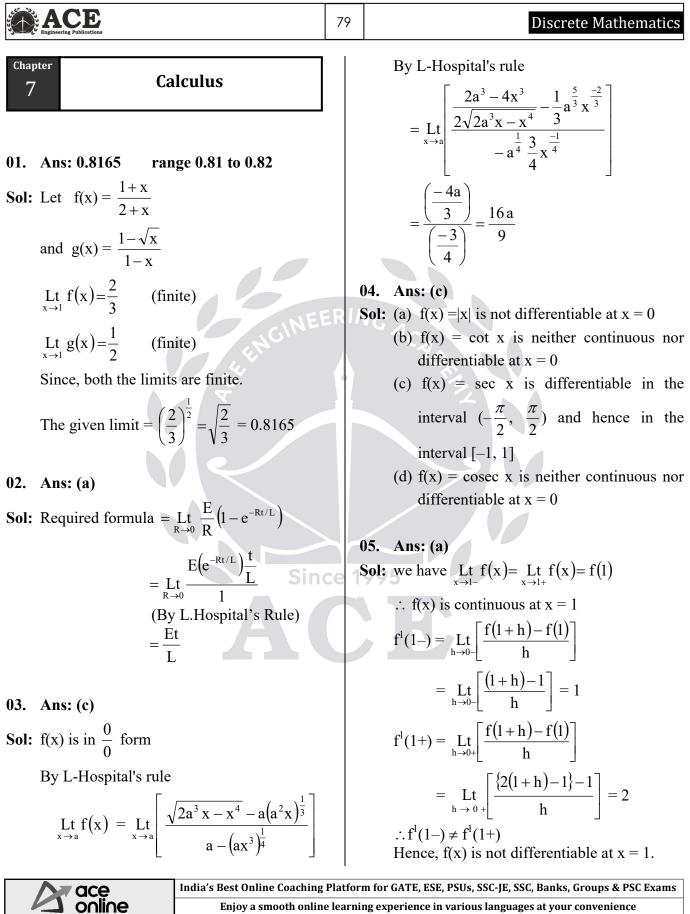
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 $\mathbf{A} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ 

 $\therefore \mathbf{U} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{L} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & \underline{-3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

[The corresponding coefficients in the elementary operations]

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06. Ans: (a)

- **Sol:** Since, f is differentiable at x = 2, f'(2-) = f'(2+)
  - $\Rightarrow (2x)_{x=2} = m$
  - $\Rightarrow$  m = 4

Since, f is continuous at x = 2

$$(x^2)_{x=2} = (mx + b)_{x=2}$$
  
 $\Rightarrow 4 = 2m + b$   
 $\Rightarrow b = -4$ 

Hence, option (a) is correct.

## 07. Ans: (c)

**Sol:** By Lagrange's theorem,

$$f'(C) = \frac{f(8) - f(1)}{8 - 1}$$
$$1 - \frac{4}{C^2} = \frac{8.5 - 5}{7}$$
$$C = \pm 2\sqrt{2}$$

But only,  $C = 2\sqrt{2} \in (1, 8)$ 

## **08.** Ans: (a)

**Sol:** Given  $f(x) = 3x^2 + 4x - 5$ 

$$f'(x) = 6x + 4$$

By Lagrange's Mean Value Theorem, there exist a value  $c \in (1, 3)$  such that

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(3) - f(1)}{3 - 1}$$
$$= \frac{32}{2} = 16$$

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## 09. Ans: 2.5 range 2.49 to 2.51

Sol: By Cauchy's mean value theorem,

$$\frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} = \frac{f(3) - f(2)}{g(3) - g(2)}$$
$$\Rightarrow -e^{2c} = \frac{e^3 - e^2}{e^{-3} - e^{-2}} \Rightarrow c = 2.5$$

## 10. Ans: (a)

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Sol: The conditions of Cauchy's theorem hold good for f(x) and g(x).

> By Cauchy's theorem, there exists a value c such that

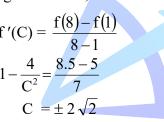
$$\frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} = \frac{f(3) - f(2)}{g(3) - g(2)}$$
$$\frac{\left(\frac{-1}{c^2}\right)}{\left(\frac{-2}{c^3}\right)} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{9} - \frac{1}{4}\right)} \Rightarrow c = 2.4$$

## 11. Ans: (a)

**Sol:**  $f(x) = \cosh x + \cos x$  $f'(x) = \sinh x - \sin x \implies f'(0) = 0$  $f''(x) = \cosh x - \cos x \Longrightarrow f''(0) = 0$  $f'''(x) = \sinh x + \sin x \Rightarrow f'''(0) = 0$  $f''''(x) = \cosh x + \cos x \Rightarrow f'''(0) = 2 > 0$  $\therefore$  f(x) has a minimum at x = 0

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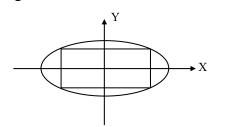


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12. Ans: (b)	15. Ans: 9
<b>Sol:</b> $y' = 0 \Longrightarrow 4x^3 - 6x^2 + 2x = 0$	Sol: The required area
$\Rightarrow$ x = 0, $\frac{1}{2}$ , 1 are stationary points	$= \int x  dy = \int_{-2}^{4} \left( \frac{1}{2} (y+4) - \frac{1}{4} y^2 \right) dy = 9$
$y'' = 12x^2 - 12x + 2$	У
$\Rightarrow$ y(x) has minimum at x = 0 & x = 1	(4, 4)
∴ Required Area	
$= \int_0^1 (x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 3) dx = \frac{91}{30}$	0 (1,-2)
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13. Ans: 0.785 range 0.78 to 0.79	
$\sin 2x$	16. Ans: (c)
Sol: $\int_{0}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\sin 2x}{\cos^4 x + \sin^4 x} dx$	<b>Sol:</b> Let $f(\alpha) = \int_{0}^{1} \frac{x^{\alpha} - 1}{\log x} dx$ (i)
$=2\int_{0}^{\frac{\pi}{4}}\frac{\tan x}{\cos^{2}x(1+\tan^{4}x)}dx$	Differentiating with respect to $\alpha$ , partially
$= \int_{-\infty}^{1} \frac{2t}{1+t^4} dt  \text{(by putting tan x = t)}$	$f'(\alpha) = \int_{0}^{1} \frac{1}{\log x} (x^{\alpha} \log x) dx = \int_{0}^{1} x^{\alpha} dx = \frac{1}{1+\alpha}$
0	Integrating, $f(\alpha) = \log(1 + \alpha) + C$ (ii)
$=\frac{\pi}{4}$ Since	<b>Ce 199</b> From (i), $f(0) = 0$
= 0.785	From (ii), $f(0) = log(1) + C$
	$\Rightarrow 0 = \log(1) + C$
14. Ans: 0.53 range 0.52 to 0.54	$\Rightarrow C = 0$
Sol: The curve is symmetric about x-axis and	$\therefore f(\alpha) = \log(1 + \alpha)$
intersect x-axis at $x = 0$ and $x = 1$ .	17 America)
∴ Required area	17. Ans: (a) $x^2$
$=2\int_{0}^{1} y  dx = 2\int_{0}^{1} \sqrt{x} (x-1)  dx = \frac{8}{15}$	<b>Sol:</b> Given that, $x \sin(\pi x) = \int_{0}^{x^{-}} f(t) dt$
= 0.53	differentiating both sides

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$x \cos(\pi x) \cdot \pi + \sin(\pi x) = f(x) \cdot 2x$		we get,
Putting $x = 4$		$I = (-1)^n - \frac{n!}{n!}$
$4\pi\cos(4\pi) = f(4).8$		$I_n = (-1)^n \frac{n!}{(m+1)^{n+1}}.$
$\Rightarrow$ f(4) = $\frac{\pi}{2}$		19. Ans: (c)
18. Ans: (c)		<b>Sol:</b> $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{(1+a^2+x^2)^2}$
Sol: First of all note that, the integrand $f(x) = x$ (ln x) <sup>n</sup> has no meaning at $x = 0$ . It can be		$=2\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{dx}$
(in x) has no meaning at $x = 0$ . It can be made continuous on the interval [0, 1] for		$= 2 \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\left(1 + a^{2} + x^{2}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$
any m > 0 and n > 0, by putting $f(0) =$		[:: Integrand is even function]
Indeed $\lim_{x \to +0} x^m (\ln x)^n = \lim_{x \to +0} \left( x^{\frac{m}{n}} \ln x \right)^n =$	0	$= 2 \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\left(b^2 + x^2\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}}  \text{Put } x = b \tan\theta$
Hence, in particular, it follows that the	ne	$\frac{\pi}{2}$ h = x + 2 0 = 10
integral $I_n$ exists at $m > 0$ , $n > 0$ . To compu	te	$2\int_{0}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{b \sec^2 \theta \ d\theta}{b^3 \sec^3 \theta}$
it we integrate by parts, putting $u = (\ln x)^n$ , $dv = x^m dx$	, <b>C</b>	$= 2 \int_{a}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos \theta  d\theta}{b^2} = \frac{2}{b^2} = \frac{2}{1+a^2}$
$du = \frac{n(\ln x)^{n-1}}{x} dx,  v = \frac{x^{m+1}}{m+1}.$		0 0
Hence,		20. Ans: (d)
$\int_{0}^{1} x^{m} (\ln x)^{n} dx = \frac{x^{m+1} (\ln x)^{n}}{m+1} \Big _{0}^{1} - \frac{n}{m+1} \int_{0}^{1} x^{m} (\ln x)^{n-1}$	dx	<b>Sol:</b> $\int_{-\infty}^{0} e^{x+e^x} dx$
$= -\frac{n}{m+1} I_{n-1}$		$= \int_{-\infty}^{0} e^{x} e^{e^{x}} dx$
The formula obtained reduces $I_n$ to $I_{n-1}$ .	In	Put $e^x = t$
particular, with a natural n, taking in	to	$=\int_{0}^{1}e^{t} dt = e-1$
account that		$-\int_{0}^{1} c u u - c - 1$
$I_0 = \int_0^1 x^m  dx = \frac{1}{m+1}$		
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21. Ans: (a)		$\log y = \underset{x \to \infty}{\text{Lt}} e^{-x} . \log(1 + x^2)  (0.\infty \text{ form})$
<b>Sol:</b> Let $I = \int_{0}^{\pi} x \sin^2 x  dx$ (1)		$= \underset{x \to \infty}{\text{Lt}} \frac{\log(1 + x^2)}{e^x} \qquad \left(\frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ form}\right)$
$I = \int_{0}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \sin^{2} (\pi - x) dx$ [By property of definite integrals	5]	$= \operatorname{Lt}_{x \to \infty} \frac{\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right)}{e^x} \qquad (By L \text{ Hospital's rule})$
$I = \int_{0}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \sin^{2} x  dx \dots $	-	$= \operatorname{Lt}_{x \to \infty} \left[ \frac{2x}{(1 + x^2)e^x} \right] \qquad \left( \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ form} \right)$
Adding (1) and (2) $\pi$	ERI	$NG = Lt \left[ \frac{2}{(1 + x^2 e^x + 2x e^x)} \right]$
$2I = \int_{0}^{\pi} \pi \sin^2 x  dx$		[::By L Hospital's rule]
$I = \pi \int_{0}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 x  dx$		= 0 $\therefore y = e^{0} = 1$
$I = \pi \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi^2}{4}$		24. Ans: (a)
		<b>Sol:</b> $f(x) = x(x-1)(x-2)$
22. Ans: (a)		$= x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x$
	ce 1	99 f'(x) = $3x^2 - 6x + 2$
In $(-\infty, 0)$ , $g(x) = -x$		Consider $f'(c) = 0$
$\Rightarrow f[g(x)] = f(-x)$		$\Rightarrow 3c^2 - 6c + 2 = 0$
$\Rightarrow$ f[g(x)] = x <sup>2</sup>		$6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 24}$ 1
$\therefore$ f[g(x)] has no points of discontinuities if	in	$\Rightarrow c = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 24}}{6} = 1 \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
(−∞, 0).		∴ $c = (1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}) \in (1, 2)$
23. Ans: (c)		= 1.577
<b>Sol:</b> $y = \underset{x \to \infty}{\text{Lt}} (1 + x^2)^{e^{-x}} $ ( $\infty^0$ form)		
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25. Ans: (b) Sol:	Let A = $2x \times 2y = 4xy$ be the area of the rectangle. Then A <sup>2</sup> = $4x^2y^2 = x^2(1-x^2) = x^2 - x^4$ Let f(x) = $x^2 - x^4$ Then f'(x) = $2x - 4x^3$ and f''(x) = $2 - 12x^2$ For maximum, we have f'(x) = $0$ $\Rightarrow 2x(1-2x^2) = 0$
26. Ans: (b) Sol: Given $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - 24x + 100$ in [-3, 3] $\Rightarrow f'(x) = 3x^2 - 6x - 24$ , $f''(x) = 6x - 6$ Consider $f'(x) = 0$ $\Rightarrow 3x^2 - 6x - 24 = 0$ $\Rightarrow x = -2$ , 4 are stationary points At $x = -2$ , $f''(-2) < 0$ $\Rightarrow f(x)$ has a maximum at $x = -2$	$\Rightarrow x = 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ Here f''(0)>0, f''( $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ )<0 $\therefore$ Area A = 4xy = 4x \times \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{2} $= 2x\sqrt{1-x^2}$ $= 2x\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \sqrt{1-\frac{1}{2}} = 1$
<ul> <li>At x = 4, f " (4) &gt; 0</li> <li>⇒ f(x) has a minimum at x = 4</li> <li>But x = 4 ∉ [-3, 3]</li> <li>∴ Global minimum of f(x) = min{f(-3), f(3)}</li> <li>= min{118, 28}=28</li> <li>27. Ans: 1</li> <li>Sol: Let 2x &amp; 2y be the length &amp; breadth of the rectangle.</li> </ul>	28. Ans: -13 Sol: Given $f(x) = 2x^3 - x^4 - 10$ $\Rightarrow f'(x) = 6x^2 - 4x^3$ , $f''(x) = 12x - 12x^2$ and $f'''(x) = 12 - 24x$ .



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 $\Rightarrow$  x = 0, 1.5 are stationary points

But x = 1.5 lies outside of [-1, 1]

 $\Rightarrow$  f(x) has a minimum T x = 0

At x = 0, f''(0) = 0 and f'''(0) = 12 > 0

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The minimum value of	31. Ans: (c)
$f(x) \text{ in } [-1, 1] = \min\{f(-1), f(1), f(0)\}$ $= \min\{-13, -9, -10\}$	<b>Sol:</b> $f(x) = \frac{50}{3x^4 + 8x^3 - 18x^2 + 60}$
= -13	Let $F(x) = 3x^4 + 8x^3 - 18x^2 + 60$ F '(x) = $12x^3 + 24x^2 - 36x$
29. Ans: (c)	F'(x) = 0
<b>Sol:</b> Given $f(x) = (k^2 - 4)x^2 + 6x^3 + 8x^4$	$\Rightarrow$ x = 0, 1, -3
$\Rightarrow$ f'(x) = 32x <sup>3</sup> +18x <sup>2</sup> +2(k <sup>2</sup> -4)x	$F''(x) = 36x^2 + 48x - 36$ F''(1) = 48 > 0
and $f''(x) = 96 x^2 + 36x + 2 (k^2 - 4)$	
f(x) has local maxima at $x = 0$	$\Rightarrow$ f(x) has a local maximum at x = 1
$\Rightarrow f''(0) < 0 \qquad \forall$	32. Ans: (a)
$\Rightarrow 2(k^2-4) < 0$	<b>Sol:</b> $I = \int_{1}^{\pi} x \sin^4 x \cos^6 x  dx \dots (1)$
$\Rightarrow k^2 - 4 < 0$ (or) $(k - 2) (k + 2) < 0$	
$\therefore -2 < k < 2$	$= \int_{0}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \sin^{4} (\pi - x) \cos^{6} (\pi - x) dx$
30. Ans: (c) Since	ce 199 I = $\int_{0}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \sin^{4} x \cos^{6} x  dx \dots (2)$
<b>Sol:</b> $f(x) = \int_0^x \frac{\sin t}{t} dt$	Adding (1) and (2)
$f'(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x}$	$2I = \int_{0}^{\pi} \pi \sin^4 x \cos^6 x  dx$
$f'(x) = 0 \Longrightarrow x = n\pi$	$\pi^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$
where n = 1, 2, 3,	$I = \frac{\pi}{2} \int_{0}^{2} \sin^4 x \cos^6 x dx$
$f''(x) = \frac{x\cos x - \sin x}{x^2}$	$=\frac{\pi}{2}\frac{(3\times1)(5\times3\times1)}{10\times8\times6\times4\times2}\frac{\pi}{2}$
Here $f''(x)$ is negative when n is odd.	$=3\pi^2/512$
$\therefore$ f(x) has a maximum at x = n $\pi$ , where n is odd	1
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33. Ans: 4

Sol: 
$$\int_{0}^{2\pi} |x \sin x| dx = k\pi$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \int_{0}^{\pi} |x \sin x| dx + \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} |x \sin x| dx = k\pi$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \int_{0}^{\pi} x \sin x dx - \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} x \sin x dx = k\pi$$
  

$$\Rightarrow [x(-\cos x) + \sin x]_{0}^{\pi} + [x(\cos x) + \sin x]_{\pi}^{2\pi}$$
  

$$= k\pi$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \pi + 3\pi = k\pi$$
  

$$\therefore k = 4$$

34. Ans: (a), (c)

f(x) = x|x|Sol:  $\lim_{x \to 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \to 0} (-x^2) = 0$ Also,  $\lim_{x \to 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \to 0} (x^{2}) = 0$  $\Rightarrow$  f(x) is continuous at a = 0 For checking differentiability  $f'(0^{-}) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{n} = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{-h^{2}}{n} = 0$  $f'(0^+) = \lim_{h \to 0^1} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{n} = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{h^2}{n} = 0$  $\therefore \mathbf{f'}(0^{-}) = \mathbf{f'}(0^{+})$  $\therefore$  The function is differential at x = 0f(x) = x|x| is continuous ∴ The and differential at x = 0.

