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ನಿಮ್ಮೊಂದಿಗೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಹೋಗಬಹುದು.	carry it with you outside the Examination Hall. 10. You can take away question booklet and carbon copy of OMR
11. ನೀಲಿ/ಕಪ್ಪು ಬಾಲ್ಪಾಯಿಂಟ್ ಪೆನ್ ಮಾತ್ರವೇ ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸಿರಿ.	Answer Sheet soon after the examination.
12. ಕ್ಯಾಲ್ಕುಲೇಟರ್ ಅಥವಾ ಲಾಗ್ ಟೇಬಲ್ ಇತ್ಯಾದಿಯ ಉಪಯೋಗವನ್ನು ನಿಷೇಧಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.	11. Use only Blue/Black Ball point pen.12. Use of any calculator or log table etc., is prohibited.
13. ಸರಿ ಅಲ್ಲದ ಉತ್ತರಗಳಿಗೆ ಋಣ ಅಂಕ ಇರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ .	13. There is no negative marks for incorrect answers.

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MATHEMATICAL SCIENCE Paper – II

Note: This paper contains **(50) fifty** objective type questions, **each** question carrying **two (2)** marks. Attempt **all** the questions.

- 1. Which one of the following is true?
 - (A) $\pi^3 = 3^{\pi}$
- (B) $\pi^3 < 3^{\pi}$
- (C) $3^{\pi} < \pi^3$
- (D) $\pi^3 \ge 3^{\pi}$
- 2. The radius of convergence of the

power series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^{n+1}}{n!} z^n$ is

- (A) ∞
- (B) 0
- (C) 1
- (D) $\frac{1}{2}$
- **3.** Which one of the following statements is false?
 - (A) A countable union of countable sets is countable
 - (B) The set of all sequences whose elements are the digits 0 and 1 is countable
 - (C) The set of all real numbers x such that $0 \le x \le 1$ is uncountable
 - (D) The set $\square^+ \times \square^+$ is countable
- **4.** Which one of the following statements is false ?
 - (A) Every convergent sequence is bounded
 - (B) A monotonic sequence is convergent if and only if it is bounded
 - (C) Every bounded sequence has a convergent subsequence
 - (D) Every bounded sequence is convergent

- 5. Let \(\mathbb{F}_5[x] \) denote the polynomial ring over the field \(\mathbb{F}_5 \) with 5 elements. Which one of the following statements is true?
 - (A) $\mathbb{F}_5[x]$ is not a principal ideal domain
 - (B) IF₅[x] has infinitely many quotient rings whose cardinality is bigger than a given number
 - (C) Prime ideals of I₅[x] are all maximal
 - (D) $\mathbb{F}_5[x]$ is not an integral domain
- **6.** Let p be a prime number and G be a group of order p⁴. Then
 - (A) G always has an element of order exactly p⁴
 - (B) G always has an element of order exactly p³
 - (C) G always has an element of order exactly p²
 - (D) G always has an element of order exactly p
- 7. Let $S = \{x \mid x \text{ is an integer divisible by 20}\}$. Then
 - (A) $S + 1 = \{x + 1 \mid x \in S\}$ is closed under addition
 - (B) $S + 11 = \{x + 11 \mid x \in S\}$ is closed under addition
 - (C) S is closed under multiplication
 - (D) S is not closed under addition
- **8.** Let S = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6}. Then the cardinality of the set of permutations of S which fixes exactly two elements is
 - (A) 24
- (B) 36
- (C) 135
- (D) 120

9. The sum of the series

$$1 + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{11} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots$$
 is

- (A) $\log 2\sqrt{3}$
- (B) $\log 2\sqrt{2}$
- (C) 0
- (D) $\log \sqrt{6}$
- **10.** Which one of the following statements is false?
 - (A) Any closed subspace of a compact space is compact
 - (B) Any compact subset of a Hausdorff space is closed
 - (C) A subset of a Euclidean space is compact if and only if it is closed and bounded
 - (D) The set $\left\{ \frac{1}{n} \middle| n \in \square^+ \right\}$ is compact
- **11.** Which one of the following statements is true?
 - (A) A second countable space is first countable
 - (B) The product of two Lindelöf spaces is Lindelöf
 - (C) A subspace of a separable space is separable
 - (D) ℝ, with lower limit topology, is metrizable
- **12.** The boundary of A = $\{x \times 0 \mid 0 \le x < 1\}$ in R² with usual topology is
 - (A) {0, 1}
- (B) $\{0 \times 0, 0 \times 1\}$
- (C) $\{x \times 0 | 0 \le x \le 1\}$ (D) $\{x \times 0 | 0 \le x < 1\}$
- **13.** Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation of a vector space V over R, with characteristic polynomial $x^4 + 2x^2 + 1$. How many linearly independent eigen-vectors does T have?
 - (A) 0
- (B) 1
- (C) 2
- (D) 4

14. Let x₀ be any fixed real number. Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence of real numbers defined inductively by the relation

$$\boldsymbol{x}_{n} = \frac{1+\,\boldsymbol{x}_{n-\,1}}{2}$$
 . Then the sequence $\left\{\boldsymbol{x}_{n}\right\}$

- (A) Converges to 1
- (B) Converges to x₀
- (C) Diverges to ∞
- (D) Does not have a limit
- **15.** Let W be a subspace of a real vector space V with basis {w₁, w₂, w₃, w₄} and U be a subspace of V with basis

$$\{w_1, w_2, w_3, u_1, u_2\}$$
. Then dim

- $(U \cap W)$ has to be
- (A) > 3
- (B) ≤ 3
- (C) 3
- (D) 4
- **16.** Let V be a finite dimensional vector space over a field F, S be a nonempty subset of V. Which one of the following statements is true?
 - (A) S always contains a basis of V if dim_F V is finite
 - (B) If S is infinite and dim_F V is finite, then S always contains a basis of V
 - (C) If S is finite of cardinality > 1 and dim_F V is infinite, then S cannot contain an element which is a part of a basis of V.
 - (D) If S is finite and cardinality of S is greater than one then S contains a basis of a subspace of V

17. Determinant of the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 10 & 11 \end{pmatrix}$$
 is

- (A) Zero over the field \mathbb{F}_2 with two elements
- (B) Zero over the field
- (C) Nonzero over the field F₂ with two elements
- (D) Nonzero over the field \(\mathbb{F}_3 \) with two elements
- 18. Let T: V → W be a linear mapping where V and W are vector spaces over R of dimensions 5 and 6 respectively. Which one of the following need not be true?
 - (A) Nullity of $T \le 5$
 - (B) Rank of $T \le 6$
 - (C) Rank of $T \leq 5$
 - (D) Rank of $T \leq Nullity$ of T
- **19.** Let $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence defined by

$$x_1 = 1, x_{n+1} = \frac{3 + 2x_n}{2 + x_n}, n \ge 1 \text{ then } \{x_n\}$$

- (A) Converges to 2
- (B) Converges to $\frac{3}{2}$
- (C) Converges to $\sqrt{3}$
- (D) Diverges
- **20.** Let a, b, c, d be real numbers with ad bc = 1. Define the meromorphic function f by $f(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$. Then f maps the
 - (A) Upper half plane to itself
 - (B) Upper half plane to lower half plane
 - (C) Lower half plane to right half plane
 - (D) Upper half plane to right half plane

- **21.** Suppose f(z) is analytic in the entire complex plane and bounded. Then f(z) must be
 - (A) sin z
 - (B) cos z
 - (C) a polynomial of degree greater than one
 - (D) a constant
- **22.** The locus of the curve given by $|z+2| = |z-2|, z \in \mathbb{C}$
 - (A) is an ellipse
 - (B) is a circle
 - (C) consists of only the origin o
 - (D) is the y-axis
- 23. Suppose f(z) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y) is a nonconstant analytic function on \mathbb{C} . Consider the families of curves defined by u(x, y) = constant and v(x, y) = constant. Then these families
 - (A) never intersect
 - (B) are always parallel
 - (C) are asymptotic to the line y = x
 - (D) are always orthogonal
- **24.** Let $f(x, y) = y^2 + 4xy + 3x^2 + x^3$. Then
 - (A) (0, 0) is a minimum point of f
 - (B) (0, 0) is a saddle point of f
 - (C) (0, 0) is a maximum point of f
 - (D) $\left(\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{4}{3}\right)$ is a maximum point of f
- **25.** Let f, g: $[0, 1] \rightarrow [0, +\infty)$ be continuous functions satisfying sup $f(x) = \sup g(x)$ $0 \le x \le 1$ $0 \le x \le 1$

Then

(4)

- (A) f(t) < g(t) for all $t \in [0, 1]$
- (B) f(t) > g(t) for all $t \in [0, 1]$
- (C) f(t) = g(t) for some $t \in [0, 1]$
- (D) $f(t) \neq g(t)$ for all $t \in [0, 1]$



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26. The third approximation to the solution of the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + xy$, y (0) = 1 in Picard's method is

(A)
$$1+x+\frac{x^2}{3}+\frac{x^3}{2}+\frac{x^4}{8}+\frac{x^5}{15}+\frac{x^6}{48}$$

(B)
$$1+x+\frac{x^2}{2}+\frac{x^3}{3}+\frac{x^4}{8}+\frac{x^5}{15}+\frac{x^6}{48}$$

(C)
$$1+2x+\frac{x^2}{2}+\frac{x^3}{3}+\frac{x^4}{8}+\frac{x^5}{15}+\frac{x^6}{48}$$

(D)
$$1+x+x^2+\frac{x^3}{3}+\frac{x^4}{8}+\frac{x^5}{15}+\frac{x^6}{48}$$

- 27. For the ordinary differential equation $v' = x\sqrt{v}$,
 - (A) there exists no general solution
 - (B) there exists exactly one particular solution
 - (C) y = 0 is a singular solution
 - (D) y = 0 is a trivial solution but not a singular solution
- **28.** If u(x, t) is a solution to the wave equation $u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx}$, (1) then which one of the following is not true?
 - (A) A translate u(x d, t), where d is a fixed real constant, may not be a solution to (1)
 - (B) Any derivative ux(x, t) is also a solution to (1) if u(x, t) is thrice differentiable
 - (C) Any dilation u(bx, bt) is also a solution to (1) where b is any fixed real constant
 - (D) For any twice differentiable function R(x), the function. u(x, t) = R(x - ct)is also a solution of (1)

- **29.** If for all x > 0, $e^x > x^t$, then
 - (A) t > e
- (C) t = e
- (D) $t = e^{-1}$
- **30.** If $\Gamma(x)$ $\Gamma(1-x) = \frac{\pi}{\sin \pi x}$, then $\int_{0}^{\pi/2} (\tan t)^{n} dt =$
 - (A) $\pi \sec \frac{n\pi}{2}$ (B) $\frac{\pi}{2} \sec \frac{n\pi}{2}$
 - (C) $\frac{\pi}{2} \tan \frac{n\pi}{2}$ (D) $\pi \tan \frac{n\pi}{2}$
- 31. If X, Y, Z are pair-wise independent random variables then they
 - (A) are mutually independent
 - (B) are conditionally independent
 - (C) are degenerate
 - (D) need not be mutually independent
- **32.** For detecting a disease, a test gives correct diagnosis with probability 0.99. It is known that 1% of a population suffers from the disease. If a randomly selected individual from that population tests positive, then what is the probability that the selected individual actually has the disease?
 - (A) 0.01
- (B) 0.5
- (C) 0.05
- (D) 0.99
- **33.** Which one of the following is not a characteristic function?

- (A) $f(t) = e^{-|t|}$ (B) $f(t) = e^{-t^2}$ (C) $f(t) = e^{-t^3}$ (D) $f(t) = \frac{1}{1+t^2}$
- **34.** Which one of the following is not true for an ergodic Markov Chain?
 - (A) It is irreducible
 - (B) It is periodic with period 2
 - (C) It is non-null
 - (D) It is recurrent



- **35.** If $\left\{X(t), t \geq 0\right\}$ is a birth-death process with birth rate $\lambda_n = n\lambda$ and death rate $\mu_n = n\mu$ then the distribution of the Sojourn time of the process at state 1 is
 - (A) Exponential with mean μ^{-1}
 - (B) Exponential with mean λ^{-1}
 - (C) Exponential with mean $(\lambda + \mu)^{-1}$
 - (D) Exponential with mean $\lambda(\lambda + \mu)^{-1}$
- **36.** If X follows an exponential distribution with unit mean then for x > 0, y > 0:

(A)
$$P[X > x + y | X > x] = e^{-y}$$

(B)
$$P[X > x + y | X > x] = e^{-x}$$

(C)
$$P[X \le x + y | X > x] = e^{-y}$$

(D)
$$P[X \le x + y \mid X > x] = e^{-x}$$

- **37.** Which one of the following statements is true for a standard Cauchy distribution?
 - (A) Distribution of the sample mean is again standard Cauchy
 - (B) All its moments are finite
 - (C) Its moment generating function is differentiable
 - (D) It is not a member of location scale family
- **38.** The least squares estimator coincides with the maximum likelihood estimator if the random sample is drawn from
 - (A) Exponential distribution
 - (B) Laplace distribution
 - (C) Cauchy distribution
 - (D) Normal distribution

- **39.** Let $(X_1, X_2, ..., X_n)$ be a random sample from the density $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^{-|x-\mu|}$. Then the maximum likelihood estimation of μ is
 - (A) the sample mean
 - (B) the sample range
 - (C) the sample median
 - (D) the sample minimum
- **40.** Let $\chi(x_1, x_2, ..., x_n)$ be the likelihood ratio test statistic for testing $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ against $H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0$ based on a random sample of size n from a normal distribution with mean μ and unknown variance σ^2 . Then asymptotic distribution of $-2 \log \chi(x_1, x_2, ..., x_n)$ is
 - (A) Chi-square with one degrees of freedom
 - (B) Chi-square with 2 degrees of freedom
 - (C) Chi-square with n degrees of freedom
 - (D) t-distribution with n-1 degrees of freedom
- **41.** In a Gauss-Markov model $(Y, A\theta, \sigma^2 I_x)$, which one of the following is not a condition for estimability of a linear parametric function $a'\theta$?
 - (A) a belongs to the column space of A
 - (B) a belongs to the row space of A
 - (C) a belongs to the column space of A'A
 - (D) a belongs to the estimation space

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- **42.** In a simple linear regression model $Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \epsilon_i$, i = 1, 2, ..., n, the variance of the least squares estimator of β_1 is
 - (A) $\frac{\sigma^2}{S_{xx}}$, when $S_{xx} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i \overline{x})^2$
 - (B) $\sigma^2 \left(1 + \frac{\overline{x}^2}{S_{yy}} \right)$
 - (C) $\sigma^2 \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{\overline{x}^2}{S_{vv}} \right)$
 - (D) $\sigma^2 \left(\frac{\overline{x}^2}{S_{xx}} \right)$
- 43. The characteristic function of a Wishard distribution (denoted by $W(\Sigma, n)$) is given by
 - (A) $\frac{\left|\Sigma^{-1}\right|}{\left|\Sigma^{-1}-2it\right|}$ (B) $\left(\frac{\left|\Sigma^{-1}\right|}{\left|\Sigma^{-1}-2it\right|}\right)^{n}$
 - (C) $\left(\frac{\left|\Sigma\right|}{\left|\Sigma-2\mathrm{it}\right|}\right)^{n/2}$ (D) $\left(\frac{\left|\Sigma^{-1}\right|}{\left|\Sigma^{-1}-2\mathrm{it}\right|}\right)^{n/2}$
- **44.** If the bivariate random vector (X_1, X_2) has the dispersion matrix
 - $\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 4 & 100 \end{pmatrix}$, then the first principle

component is

- (A) $Y_1 = -0.040 X_1 + 0.999 X_2$ (B) $Y_1 = 0.040 X_1 + 0.999 X_2$ (C) $Y_1 = 0.999 X_1 + 0.040 X_2$ (D) $Y_1 = 0.999 X_1 0.040 X_2$

- **45.** For a simple random sampling without replacement, the probability that a specified unit is included in the sample is
 - (A) $\frac{n}{N}$

- 46. Which of the following need not be true for a BIBD?
 - (A) It is proper
 - (B) It is variance balanced
 - (C) It is orthogonal
 - (D) It is binary
- **47.** Given the principle block (1), C, AB, ABC, which of the following is confounded?
 - (A) AB
- (B) AC
- (C) ABC
- (D) C
- **48.** Hazard rate h(t) of lognormal distribution is
 - (A) increasing in t
 - (B) decreasing in t
 - (C) constant in t
 - (D) non-monotonic in t
- 49. Which one of the following statements is NOT true?
 - (A) Linear Programming Problem (LPP) is an optimization problem
 - (B) Every linear programming problem has a solution
 - (C) Solution space of an LPP is convex
 - (D) Dual of dual is primal
- **50.** The steady state distribution of the number of customers in an G|M|1 system at the arrival time points is
 - (A) Poisson
- (B) Geometric
- (C) Binomial
- (D) Uniform



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