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ENGINEERING MATHEMATICS

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ANSWER KEY ➤

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DETAILED EXPLANATIONS

1. (b)

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{15-0} = \frac{1}{15}$$

$$P\{5 < x < 9\} = \int_5^9 \frac{1}{15} dx = \frac{4}{15}$$

2. (d)

Given

$$f(x) = 2x^2 - 5x - 6$$

$$f'(x) = 4x - 5$$

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

For minima/maxima,

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$4x - 5 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$f''(x) = 4 > 0 \Rightarrow \text{Minima}$$

3. (d)

$$y = \frac{2 \ln x}{3x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{3x} \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \frac{2}{3} \ln x \left(\frac{-1}{x^2} \right) = \frac{2}{3x^2} (1 - \ln x)$$

For maxima,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\ln x = 1 \Rightarrow x = e \text{ is a stationary point}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-2}{3x^3} (3 - 2 \ln x)$$

At $x = e$

$$\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right)_{x=e} = \frac{-2}{3e^3} < 0$$

Hence maxima at $x = e$

4. (b)

$$y^2 = 2ax$$

$$x = \frac{y^2}{2a}$$

$$x^2 = 2ay$$

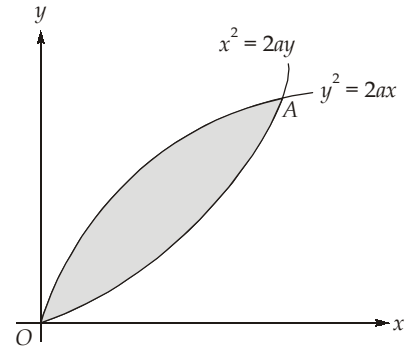
...(i)

Using equation (i)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{y^4}{4a^2} &= 2ay \\ y^4 - 8a^3y &= 0 \\ y &= 0, y = 2a\end{aligned}$$

The parabolas intersect at 0 (0, 0) and A (2a, 2a)

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Required area} &= \int_0^{2a} \int_{x^2/2a}^{\sqrt{2ax}} dy dx \\ &= \int_0^{2a} \left(\sqrt{2ax} - \frac{x^2}{2a} \right) dx \\ &= \left[\sqrt{2a} \frac{2}{3} x^{3/2} - \frac{1}{2a} \cdot \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^{2a} \\ &= \sqrt{2a} \frac{2}{3} (2a)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{2a} \frac{(2a)^3}{3} = \frac{8a^2}{3} - \frac{4a^2}{3} = \frac{4a^2}{3}\end{aligned}$$



5. (a)

$$\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = (a \cdot c)b - (a \cdot b)c$$

6. (a)

$$\begin{aligned}P(F) &= 0.3 \\ P(G) &= 0.4 \\ P(F \cap G) &= 0.2 \\ \text{Now, } P(F \cup G) &= P(F) + P(G) - P(F \cap G) \\ &= 0.3 + 0.4 - 0.2 = 0.5 \\ \therefore P(F \cup G) &= 0.5\end{aligned}$$

7. (a)

The auxiliary equation is

$$\begin{aligned}2\lambda^2 + 8 &= 0 \\ \lambda &= \pm 2i\end{aligned}$$

Therefore the complimentary function,

$$\begin{aligned}y(t) &= c_1 \cos 2t + c_2 \sin 2t \\ y'(t) &= -2c_1 \sin 2t + 2c_2 \cos 2t\end{aligned}$$

But we have,

$$\begin{aligned}y(0) &= 0, \\ y'(0) &= 10\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we get

$$c_1 = 0 \text{ and } c_2 = 5$$

Therefore the solution is

$$y(t) = 5 \sin 2t$$

So, $y(1) = 5 \sin 2$

8. (a)

The valid equality for an orthogonal matrix Q would be

$$Q^T = Q^{-1}$$

9. (c)

Given functions are

$$f(x, y) = x^3 - 3xy^2$$

$$g(x, y) = 3x^2 y - y^2$$

So, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 3x^2 - 3y^2$

and $\frac{\partial g}{\partial y} = 3x^2 - 2y$

$\therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -6xy$

$$\frac{\partial g}{\partial x} = 6xy$$

$\therefore \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial g}{\partial x}$

10. (c)

Given function, $f(x) = (K^2 - 4)x^2 + 6x^3 + 8x^4$
 $f'(x) = 32x^3 + 18x^2 + 2(K^2 - 4)x$
 $f''(x) = 96x^2 + 36x + 2(K^2 - 4)$

For maxima, $f''(0) = 2(K^2 - 4) < 0$

$\Rightarrow K^2 - 4 < 0$

$\Rightarrow K^2 < 4$

$\Rightarrow -2 < K < 2$

11. (c)

The given equation will be consistent, if

$$\begin{vmatrix} \lambda - 1 & 3\lambda + 1 & 2\lambda \\ \lambda - 1 & 4\lambda - 2 & \lambda + 3 \\ 2 & 3\lambda + 1 & 3(\lambda - 1) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \lambda - 1 & 3\lambda + 1 & 2\lambda \\ 0 & \lambda - 3 & 3 - \lambda \\ 2 & 3\lambda + 1 & 3(\lambda - 1) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$C_3 \rightarrow C_3 + C_2$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \lambda - 1 & 3\lambda + 1 & 5\lambda + 1 \\ 0 & \lambda - 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 3\lambda + 1 & 6\lambda - 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(\lambda - 3) \begin{vmatrix} \lambda - 1 & 5\lambda + 1 \\ 2 & 2(3\lambda - 1) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$2(\lambda - 3)[(\lambda - 1)(3\lambda - 1) - (5\lambda + 1)] = 0$$

$$6\lambda(\lambda - 3)^2 = 0$$

$$\lambda = 0 \text{ or } 3$$

The largest value $\lambda = 3$

12. (a)

Parabola given : $x^2 = 4y$

...(i)

Straight line is $x - 2y + 4 = 0$

$$y = \frac{x+4}{2}, \text{ put in (i)}$$

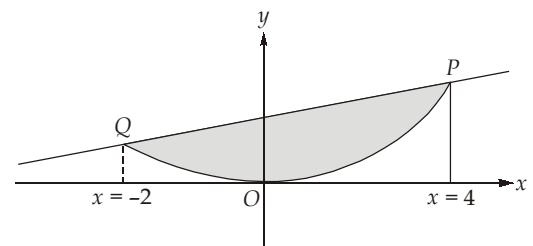
$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 2(x+4)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2x - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 4x + 2x - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x-4) + 2(x-4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4, -2$$



Required area = POQ

$$= \int_{-2}^4 y \, dx \text{ from straight line} - \int_{-2}^4 y \, dx \text{ from parabola}$$

$$= \int_{-2}^4 \left(\frac{x+4}{2} \right) dx - \int_{-2}^4 \frac{x^2}{4} dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{x^2}{2} + 4x \right]_{-2}^4 - \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_{-2}^4$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{8 + 16 - (-6)\} - \frac{1}{12} (64 + 8) = \frac{1}{2} \times 30 - \frac{1}{12} \times 72 = 15 - 6 = 9 \text{ unit}^2$$

13. (a)

For $f(x)$ to be probability density function = $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$

$$\frac{1}{A} \int_3^6 (3x+5) dx = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{A} \left[\frac{3x^2}{2} + 5x \right]_3^6 = 1$$

$$A = \left(\frac{3}{2} 6^2 - \frac{3}{2} 3^2 \right) + 5(6-3) = \frac{3}{2} \cdot 27 + 15 = 55.5$$

14. (a)

$$|A - \lambda I| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 - \lambda & 2 & 6 \\ 2 & 10 - \lambda & 2 \\ 6 & 2 & 2 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\lambda^3 - 14\lambda^2 + 288 = 0$$

From here

$$p + q + r = 14$$

$$pq + qr + rp = 0$$

$$pqr = -288$$

$$pq + qr + rp - pqr = 0 - (-288) = 288$$

15. (d)

$$f_x(X) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0 & \text{Otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(X^4) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^4 \cdot f_x(X) dx \\ &= \int_0^1 x^4 = \left. \frac{x^5}{5} \right|_0^1 = \frac{1}{5} = 0.2 \end{aligned}$$

16. (b)

Since the probability of occurrence is very small, this follows Poisson distribution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{mean} &= m = np \\ &= 1500 \times 0.002 \\ &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Probability that more than 2 will get a hanging problem

$$\begin{aligned} &= 1 - P(0) - P(1) - P(2) \\ &= 1 - \left[e^{-m} + \frac{e^{-m} \cdot m^1}{1!} + \frac{e^{-m} \cdot m^2}{2!} \right] \\ &= 1 - \left[e^{-3} + \frac{e^{-3} \cdot 3}{1} + \frac{e^{-3} \cdot 3^2}{2} \right] = 1 - \left[\frac{1}{e^3} + \frac{3}{e^3} + \frac{9/2}{e^3} \right] = 1 - \frac{17}{2e^3} \end{aligned}$$

17. (b)

Rearranging the equation,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{y}{(2x+1)} = e^{4x} (2x+1)$$

The equation is of the form

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y &= Q(x) \\ IF &= e^{\int P(x)dx} = e^{\int \frac{-1}{2x+1} dx} \\ &= e^{\frac{-\ln(2x+1)}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2x+1}} \end{aligned}$$

18. (c)

Output produced by A = 40%

$$\therefore P(A) = 0.4$$

Output produced by B = 60%

$$\therefore P(B) = 0.6$$

Let, $P\left(\frac{D}{A}\right)$ = probability that item produced by A is defective

$$\therefore P\left(\frac{D}{A}\right) = \frac{9}{1000} = 0.009$$

$$\text{similarly, } P\left(\frac{D}{B}\right) = \frac{1}{250} = 0.004$$

$P\left(\frac{A}{D}\right)$ = Probability that product is produced by A given that it is defective.

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(\frac{A}{D}\right) &= \frac{P(A) \times P\left(\frac{D}{A}\right)}{P(A) \times P\left(\frac{D}{A}\right) + P(B) \times P\left(\frac{D}{B}\right)} \\ &= \frac{0.4 \times 0.009}{0.4 \times 0.009 + 0.6 \times 0.004} \end{aligned}$$

$$P\left(\frac{A}{D}\right) = \frac{0.0036}{0.0036 + 0.0024} = \frac{0.0036}{0.006} = 0.6$$

$$\therefore P\left(\frac{A}{D}\right) = 0.6$$

19. (c)

$$\text{Volume of solid} = \int_a^b \pi y^2 dx$$

$$\text{Given } y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$\text{Volume of the solid} = \int_3^4 \frac{\pi}{4x} \cdot dx = \frac{\pi}{4} (\ln x)_3^4 = \frac{\pi}{4} \ln\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)$$

20. (d)

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + y = \cos x$$

$$(D^2 + 1)y = \cos x$$

$$PI = \frac{\cos x}{D^2 + 1}$$

$$\text{Putting } D^2 = -1$$

$$PI = \frac{\cos x}{-1 + 1} \quad [\text{Makes denominator zero}]$$

$\therefore$ Differentiating numerator and denominator

$$\begin{aligned}
 PI &= x \cdot \frac{\cos x}{2D} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} x \int \cos x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} x \sin x
 \end{aligned}$$

21. (c)

$$\int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{l} = \int_1^2 2x \, dx = \left[x^2 \right]_1^2 = 3$$

22. (d)

Angle between the vectors is given by

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{a}| |\vec{b}|} = -\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow \cos \theta &= -\frac{1}{2} \\
 \Rightarrow \theta &= 120^\circ
 \end{aligned}$$

23. (b)

Probability of defective item, $p = \frac{1}{10}$,

Probability of non defective item,

$$q = \frac{9}{10}$$

$$n = 10, r = 2$$

$$p(r) = {}^nC_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(2) &= {}^{10}C_2 \left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^2 \left(\frac{9}{10} \right)^{10-2} = \frac{10 \times 9}{1 \times 2} \left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^2 \left(\frac{9}{10} \right)^8 \\
 &= 0.1937
 \end{aligned}$$

24. (c)

Let,

$$r = y - z, s = z - x, t = x - y$$

$$u = u(r, s, t)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{dr}{dx} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} \cdot \frac{ds}{dx} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \cdot \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial z}(0) + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z}(-1) + \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(1)$$

$$= \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{dr}{dy} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} \cdot \frac{ds}{dy} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \cdot \frac{dt}{dy}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial r}(1) + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z}(0) + \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(-1) \\ &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}\end{aligned}\quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial u}{\partial z} &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{dr}{dz} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} \cdot \frac{ds}{dz} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \cdot \frac{dt}{dz} \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial r}(-1) + \frac{\partial u}{\partial s}(1) + \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(0) \\ &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial r}\end{aligned}\quad \dots(iii)$$

By adding equation (i), (ii) and (iii),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = 0$$

25. (b)

Given,

$$\begin{aligned}f(x) &= x^3 - 9x^2 + 24x + 10 \\ f'(x) &= 3x^2 - 18x + 24 = 0 \\ x^2 - 6x + 8 &= 0 \\ (x - 4)(x - 2) &= 0 \\ x &= 2, 4 \\ f''(x) &= 6x - 18 = 6(x - 3) \\ f''(2) &= -6 \Rightarrow x = 2 \text{ is local maxima} \\ f''(4) &= 6 \Rightarrow x = 4 \text{ is local minima}\end{aligned}$$

Global maximum value of $f(x) = \max[f(1), f(2), f(6)] = \max[26, 30, 46] = 46$

26. (b)

Given,

$$\begin{aligned}I &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^4 x \cos^6 x \, dx \\ &= \frac{(4-1)(4-3) \cdot (6-1)(6-3)(6-5)}{(4+6)(4+6-2)(4+6-4)(4+6-6)(4+6-8)} \times \frac{\pi}{2} \\ &= \frac{3 \cdot 1 \cdot 5 \cdot 3 \cdot 1}{10 \cdot 8 \cdot 6 \cdot 4 \cdot 2} \times \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{45\pi}{7860} = \frac{3\pi}{512}\end{aligned}$$

27. (c)

$$\begin{aligned}s &= x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4 \\ x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 4 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{grad } (s) \quad \nabla(s)|_{(1,1,-1)} = 2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

Maximum value of directional derivative = $|\nabla(s)|$

$$= \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2 + 2^2} = 2\sqrt{3}$$

28. (c)

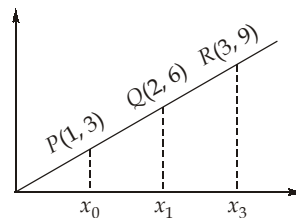
$$I = \oint_c (yzdx + zxdy + xydz)$$

$$\oint_c \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_R (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$$

$$\nabla \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ yz & zx & xy \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(x-x) - \hat{j}(y-y) + \hat{k}(z-z) = 0$$

$$I = 0$$

29. (d)



x	1	2	3
y	3	6	9

$$h = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{3-1}{2} = 1$$

Value of integral using trapezoidal rule

$$I = \frac{h}{2} [(y_0 + y_2) + 2y_1] = \frac{1}{2} [(3+9) + 2 \times 6]$$

$$I = 12$$

Value of integral using Simpson's 1/3 method

$$I = \frac{h}{3} [(y_0 + y_2) + 4y_1] = \frac{1}{3} [(3+9) + 4 \times 6] = \frac{1}{3} [36] = 12$$

$$\text{Difference} = 12 - 12 = 0$$

30. (a)

In the equation $Mdx + Ndy = 0$ **Theorem-1:**

If $\frac{\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}}{N}$ be a function of x only (say $f(x)$), then $e^{\int f(x)dx}$ is an integrating factor.

Theorem-2:

If $\frac{\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M}{\partial y}}{M}$ be a function of y only (say $f(y)$), then $e^{\int f(y)dy}$ is an integrating factor.

