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ENGINEERING MATHEMATICS

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DETAILED EXPLANATIONS

1. (b)

Given matrix,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 21 & 17 & 7 & 10 \\ 24 & 22 & 6 & 10 \\ 6 & 8 & 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 7 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Operating,
and

$$\begin{aligned} R_1 &\rightarrow R_1 - R_2 - R_4, \quad R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 3R_3 \\ R_3 &\rightarrow R_3 - 2R_4 \end{aligned}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -8 & -12 & 0 & -2 \\ 6 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ -4 & -6 & 0 & -1 \\ 5 & 7 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = - \begin{vmatrix} -8 & -12 & -2 \\ 6 & -2 & 1 \\ -4 & -6 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

2. (d)

The characteristic equation of the matrix A is

$$\begin{bmatrix} (2-\lambda) & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & (1-\lambda) & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & (2-\lambda) \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\lambda^3 - 5\lambda^2 + 7\lambda - 3 = 0$$

According to Cayley-Hamilton theorem, we have

$$A^3 - 5A^2 + 7A - 3I = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} A^5(A^3 - 5A^2 + 7A - 3I) + A(A^3 - 5A^2 + 7A - 3I) + A^2 + A + I \\ = A^2 + A + I \end{aligned}$$

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^2 + A + I = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 5 & 5 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

3. (a)

$$|A - \lambda I| = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 5-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(3 - \lambda)(2 - \lambda)(5 - \lambda) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 2, 3, 5$$

4. (b)

Consider,
$$(A : B) = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 & 2 \\ 5 & -1 & a & b \end{array} \right]$$

Applying, $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1, R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 5R_1$

$$= \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & -6 & a-10 & b-10 \end{array} \right]$$

Applying, $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_2$

$$= \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & a-8 & b-6 \end{array} \right]$$

$a = 8$ and $b = 6$

\therefore Infinite many solution.

5. (b)

Area between the curve and the asymptote

$$= 2 \int_0^{2a} y \, dx = 2 \int_0^{2a} \sqrt{\left(\frac{x^3}{2a-x} \right)} \, dx$$

Put,

$$x = 2a \sin^2 \theta$$

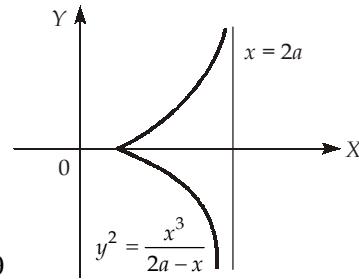
so that,

$$dx = 4a \sin \theta \cos \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{\frac{(2a \sin^2 \theta)^3}{2a \cos^2 \theta}} \cdot 4a \sin \theta \cos \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= 16a^2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^4 \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= 16a^2 \cdot \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} = 3\pi a^2$$



6. (b)

Given: $x + 2y - 3z = 1, (\lambda + 3)z = 3, (2\lambda + 1)x + z = 0$.

Given equations are non homogeneous system of equation of the form,

$$AX = B$$

For inconsistent, $\rho(A) \neq \rho(A/B)$

Hence,
$$[A/B] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda+3 & 3 \\ 2\lambda+1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3$$

$$\Rightarrow [A/B] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 & : & 1 \\ 2\lambda + 1 & 0 & 1 & : & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda + 3 & : & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

For inconsistent, $\lambda + 3 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow \lambda = -3$

7. (b)

Given: $I = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{e^x + e^{-x}} = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^x dx}{1 + e^{2x}}$

Put, $e^x = t$
 $e^x dx = dt$

$$\therefore I = \int_1^{\infty} \frac{dt}{1 + t^2} = \left[\tan^{-1} t \right]_1^{\infty} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

8. (a)

For any given \vec{F} ,

$$\operatorname{div}(\operatorname{curl} \vec{F}) = 0 \quad (\text{Always})$$

Hence, $\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{F}) = 0$

9. (b)

For binomial distribution,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mean} &= np = 9 & \dots \text{(i)} \\ \text{Variance} &= npq = \sigma^2 = 6 & \dots \text{(ii)} \end{aligned}$$

From (i) and (ii), $q = \frac{6}{9} = \frac{2}{3}$

$$p = 1 - q = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$n \times \frac{1}{3} = 9$$

$$n = 27$$

10. (b)

Given: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

\therefore Given matrix is upper triangular matrix, hence its eigen values are $\lambda = 1, 3, -2$

For $3A^3 + 5A^2 - 6A + 2I$

(i) First eigen value = $3(1)^3 + 5(1)^2 - 6(1) + 2(1) = 4$

(ii) Second eigen value = $3(3)^3 + 5(3)^2 - 6(3) + 2(1) = 110$

(iii) Third eigen value = $3(-2)^3 + 5(-2)^2 - 6(-2) + 2(1) = 10$

Sum of the eigen values are = $4 + 110 + 10 = 124$

11. (c)

Clearly, $n(S) = 6 \times 6 = 36$

Let E be the event that the sum of the numbers on the two faces is divisible by 4 or 6. Then,

$$E = \{(1, 3), (1, 5), (2, 2), (2, 4), (2, 6), (3, 1), (3, 3), (3, 5), (4, 2), (4, 4), (5, 1), (5, 3), (6, 2), (6, 6)\}$$

$$\therefore n(E) = 14$$

$$\text{Hence, } P(E) = \frac{n(E)}{n(S)} = \frac{14}{36} = \frac{7}{18}$$

12. (c)

Given,

equation of curve $x = 4 - y^2$

$$I = \int_C (y^3 dx + x^2 dy)$$

$$\therefore x = 4 - y^2$$

$$dx = -2y dy$$

$$\text{So, } I = \int_{-2}^2 \left[y^3(-2y dy) + (4 - y^2)dy \right]$$

$$= \int_{-2}^2 \left[-2y^4 + 16 + y^4 - 8y^2 \right] dy$$

$$= \int_{-2}^2 (16 - 8y^2 - y^4) dy$$

$$= 2 \int_0^2 (16 - 8y^2 - y^4) dy$$

$$= 2 \left[16(y) - \frac{8y^3}{3} - \frac{y^5}{5} \right]_0^2$$

$$= 2 \left[16(2) - \frac{8}{3}(8) - \frac{1}{5}(32) \right]$$

$$= 2 \left[32 - \frac{64}{3} - \frac{32}{5} \right] = \frac{128}{15}$$

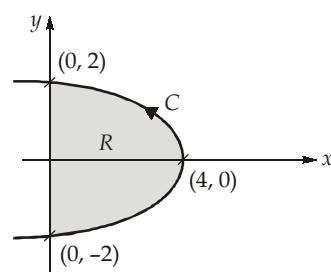
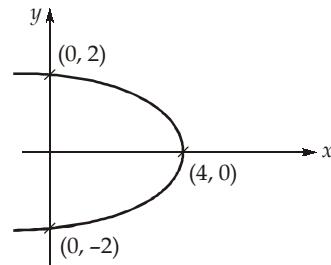
Alternate Method :

Given curve 'C' formed a closed region from $(0, -2)$ to $(0, 2)$

$$\therefore I = \oint_C y^3 dx + x^2 dy$$

By Green theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C M dx + N dy &= \iint_R \left(\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \\ &= \iint_R (2x - 3y^2) dx dy \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{x=0}^{x=4-y^2} (2x - 3y^2) dx dy \\
 &= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{x=0}^{x=4-y^2} (x^2 - 3y^2 x) dy \\
 &= \int_{-2}^2 \left[(4 - y^2)^2 - 3y^2(4 - y^2) \right] dy \\
 &= \int_{-2}^2 (16 + y^4 - 8y^2 - 12y^2 + 3y^4) dy \\
 &= \int_{-2}^2 (4y^4 - 20y^2 + 16) dy \\
 &= 2 \left[\frac{4y^5}{5} - \frac{20y^3}{3} + 16y \right]_0^2 \\
 &= 2 \left[\frac{4}{5} \times 32 - \frac{20}{3} \times 8 + 32 \right] = \frac{128}{15}
 \end{aligned}$$

13. (c)

Integrating the inside equation we get,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \int_0^{g(x)} \frac{2t}{x} dt = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{t^2}{x} \right]_0^{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{[g(x)^2] - 0}{x}$$

Now applying L-Hospital's rule,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2g(x) g'(x)}{1}$$

Given,

$$g(0) = 0 \text{ and } g'(0) = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(0) \times 2}{1} = 0$$

14. (b)

The given data set is arranged in the increasing order as: 4, 9, 11, 15, 18, 18

$$\text{Median of these data} = \frac{(11+15)}{2} = 13$$

Mode of these data = 18

As the number 18 is having more frequency of occurrence.

15. (b)

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 10 - \frac{x}{20} = \frac{200-x}{20}$$

$$\frac{dx}{200-x} = \frac{dt}{20}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \int_0^{100} \frac{dx}{200-x} &= \int_0^t \frac{dt}{20} \\ -[\ln(200-x)]_0^{100} &= \frac{t}{20} \\ -\left[\ln\left(\frac{200-100}{200}\right)\right] &= \frac{t}{20} \\ -[\ln(1) - \ln(2)] &= \frac{t}{20} \\ \ln 2 &= \frac{t}{20} \\ t &= 20 \ln(2) \text{ minutes}\end{aligned}$$

16. (a)

Let the point of contact is $(2t^2, 4t)$

$$\begin{aligned}y^2 &= 8x \\ 2y \frac{dy}{dx} &= 8 \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{4}{y} = \frac{4}{2 \times 2t} = \frac{1}{t}\end{aligned}$$

Equation of tangent

$$\begin{aligned}(y - 0) &= \frac{1}{t}(x + 2) \\ 4t &= \frac{1}{t}(2t^2 + 2) \\ 4t^2 &= 2t^2 + 2 \\ t &= \pm 1\end{aligned}$$

Since the point is in first quadrant,

$$t = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{The coordinates of point} &= (2 \times 1^2, 4 \times 1) \\ &= (2, 4)\end{aligned}$$

17. (a)

The complex number z can be represented in rectangular form as $x + iy$ and in polar form as $re^{i\phi}$,

$$z = x + iy = r \cos\phi + ir \sin\phi = re^{i\phi}$$

$$\text{where, } r = |z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{and } \phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{Hence, } z = 2\sqrt{2} e^{i\pi/4}$$

18. (a)

$$(a) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{y} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\int \frac{dy}{y} = \int \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\ln y = \ln x + \ln c$$

$$y = cx \text{ Equation of straight line}$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y}{x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{y} = -\frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\int \frac{dy}{y} = -\int \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\ln y = -\ln x + \ln c$$

$$y = \frac{c}{x} \text{ Equation of hyperbola}$$

$$(c) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x}{y}$$

$$\int y dy = \int x dx$$

$$y^2 - x^2 = c^2$$

$$\frac{y^2}{c^2} - \frac{x^2}{c^2} = 1 \text{ Equation of hyperbola}$$

$$(d) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{y}$$

$$\int y dy = -\int x dx$$

$$\frac{y^2}{2} = -\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{c^2}{2}$$

$$\frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{x^2}{2} = \frac{c^2}{2}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = c^2 \text{ Equation of circle}$$

19. (b)

$\therefore \alpha, \beta$ and γ are the roots of the equation $x^3 + px + q = 0$

Then, $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 0$ and $\alpha^3 + p\alpha + q = 0$
 $\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = p$ and $\beta^3 + p\beta + q = 0$
 $\alpha\beta\gamma = -q$ and $\gamma^3 + p\gamma + q = 0$

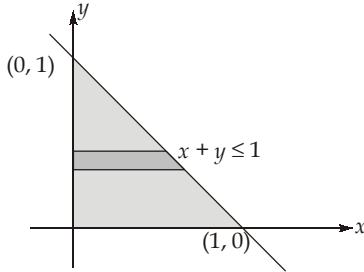
$$\therefore \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \beta & \gamma \\ \beta & \gamma & \alpha \\ \gamma & \alpha & \beta \end{vmatrix} = \alpha(\gamma\beta - \alpha^2) - \beta(\beta^2 - \alpha\gamma) + \gamma(\alpha\beta - \gamma^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \alpha\beta\gamma - \alpha^3 - \beta^3 + \alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\beta\gamma - \gamma^3 \\
 &= 3\alpha\beta\gamma - (\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3) \\
 &= 3(-q) - [-p\alpha - q - p\beta - q - p\gamma - q] \\
 &= -3q + p\alpha + q + p\beta + q + p\gamma + q \\
 &= -3q + p(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) + 3q \\
 &= p(0) = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

20. (b)

Let,

$$\begin{aligned}
 I &= \iint (x^2 + y^2) dx dy \\
 &= \int_{y=0}^{y=1} \int_{x=0}^{x=1-y} (x^2 + y^2) dx dy \\
 &= \int_{y=0}^{y=1} \left[\frac{x^3}{3} + y^2 x \right]_0^{1-y} dy \\
 &= \int_{y=0}^{y=1} \left[\frac{(1-y)^3}{3} + y^2 (1-y) \right] dy \\
 &= \int_{y=0}^{y=1} \left[\frac{(1-y)^3}{3} + (y^2 - y^3) \right] dy \\
 &= \left[\frac{(1-y)^4}{3 \times 4} \times \frac{1}{-1} + \frac{y^3}{3} - \frac{y^4}{4} \right]_0^1 = \left[\frac{(1-y)^4}{-12} + \frac{y^3}{3} - \frac{y^4}{4} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{-12}[0-1] + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} \\
 &= \frac{1}{12} + \frac{4-3}{12} = \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{1}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$



21. (a)

$$P(2) = 9P(4) + 90P(6)$$

For Poisson's distribution,

$$P(X=x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}, \text{ where } \lambda \text{ is the mean of Poisson's distribution}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^2}{2!} = 9 \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^4}{4!} + 90 \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^6}{6!}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^2}{2} &= 9 \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^4}{24} + 90 \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^6}{720} \\
 \Rightarrow &= \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^6}{8} + \frac{3e^{-\lambda} \lambda^4}{8} - \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^2}{2} = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^2}{2} \left[\frac{\lambda^4}{4} + \frac{3\lambda^2}{4} - 1 \right] = 0$$

Given, $\lambda \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \quad & \left[\frac{\lambda^4}{4} + \frac{3\lambda^2}{4} - 1 \right] = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & \lambda^4 + 3\lambda^2 - 4 = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & \lambda^4 + 4\lambda^2 - \lambda^2 - 4 = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & \lambda^2(\lambda^2 + 4) - 1(\lambda^2 + 4) = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & (\lambda^2 - 1)(\lambda^2 + 4) = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & \lambda^2 = 1, \lambda^2 + 4 \neq 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & \lambda = \pm 1
 \end{aligned}$$

22. (b)

Given differential equation is

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{7dy}{dx} + 12y = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & m^2 + 7m + 12 = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & (m+3)(m+4) = 0 \\
 \therefore \quad & m = -3, -4 \\
 & \text{C.F. is } y = c_1 e^{-3x} + c_2 e^{-4x} \\
 \text{Given,} \quad & y(0) = 1 \\
 \Rightarrow \quad & y(0) = 1 = c_1 + c_2 \quad \dots(i) \\
 & y'(x) = -3c_1 e^{-3x} - 4c_2 e^{-4x} \\
 & y'(0) = -3c_1 - 4c_2 \quad \dots(ii)
 \end{aligned}$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & c_2 = -3, c_1 = 4 \\
 \text{Hence, solution is} \quad & y = 4e^{-3x} - 3e^{-4x} = 0 \text{ (given)}
 \end{aligned}$$

23. (c)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_c \frac{dz}{(z^2 + 4z + 13)} \\
 \text{Poles} \quad & z^2 + 4z + 13 = 0 \\
 & z = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 52}}{2} \\
 & z = -2 \pm 3i
 \end{aligned}$$

Pole $z = -2 + 3i$ lies inside the circle $|z + 1 - 2i| = 2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Res}_{z=-2+3i} &= \lim_{z \rightarrow -2+3i} (z + 2 - 3i) \frac{1}{(z + 2 - 3i)(z + 2 + 3i)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{-2 + 3i + 2 + 3i} = \frac{1}{6i}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \int_c \frac{dz}{z^2 + 4z + 13} = 2\pi i \left(\frac{1}{6i} \right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

24. (d)

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(nx) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (x + x^2) \sin(nx) dx$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x \sin(nx) dx + \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x^2 \sin(nx) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin(nx) dx \\
 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[x \left(\frac{-\cos(nx)}{n} \right) - \left(\frac{-\sin(nx)}{n^2} \right) \right]_0^{\pi} \\
 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[-(\pi) \frac{\cos n\pi}{n} \right] \\
 &= \frac{-2}{n} (-1)^n = \frac{2}{n} (-1)^{n+1}
 \end{aligned}$$

25. (b)

Curve 1: $y^2 = 16x$

Curve 2: $x^2 = 16y$

Intersection points of curve 1 and 2,

$$y^2 = 16x = 16\sqrt{16y} = 64\sqrt{y}$$

$$y^4 = 64 \times 64 \times y$$

$$y^3 = 64 \times 64$$

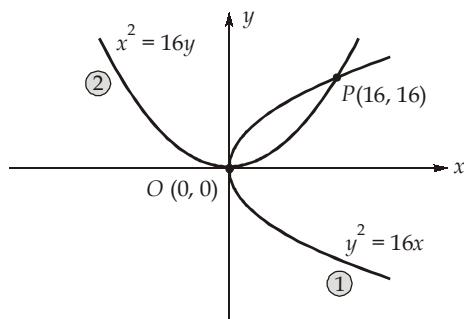
$$y = 16$$

and

$$y = 0$$

then $x = 16$ and $x = 0$

Therefore intersection points are $P(16, 16)$ and $O(0, 0)$. The area enclosed between curves 1 and 2 are given by



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Area} &= \int_{x_1}^{x_2} y_1 dx - \int_{x_1}^{x_2} y_2 dx \\
 &= \int_0^{16} \sqrt{16x} dx - \int_0^{16} \frac{x^2}{16} dx \\
 &= 4 \left[\frac{x^{3/2}}{3/2} \right]_0^{16} - \left[\frac{x^3}{48} \right]_0^{16} = \frac{8}{3}[64 - 0] - \frac{1}{48}[16^3 - 0] \\
 &= 170.66 - 85.33 = 85.33
 \end{aligned}$$

26. (c)

Comparing the given equation with general form of second order partial differential equation,

$$A = 1,$$

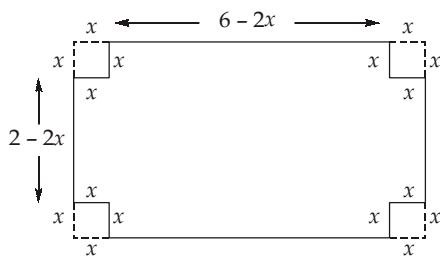
$$B = \frac{1}{2},$$

$$C = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow B^2 - 4AC = \frac{1}{4} > 0$$

∴ PDE is hyperbolic.

27. (d)



Let the side of each of the square cut off be x m and the sides of the base are $6 - 2x$, $2 - 2x$ m.

$$\therefore \text{Volume } V \text{ of the box} = x(6 - 2x)(2 - 2x) \\ = 4(x^3 - 4x^2 + 3x)$$

$$\text{Then, } \frac{dV}{dx} = 4(3x^2 - 8x + 3)$$

For volume to be maximum

$$\frac{dV}{dx} = 0 \text{ and } \frac{d^2V}{dx^2} < 0$$

$$3x^2 - 8x + 3 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{64 - 36}}{6} = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{28}}{6} = 0.45 \text{ m or } 2.2 \text{ m}$$

2.2 m is not possible

For $x = 0.45$ m.

$$\frac{d^2V}{dx^2} = 4(6x - 8)$$

$$= 4(6 \times 0.45 - 8) = -21.2 < 0$$

Hence the volume of the box is maximum when its height is 45 cm.

28. (a)

$$u = \sin(3x - y)$$

$$u_x = 3 \cos(3x - y)$$

$$u_{xx} = -9 \sin(3x - y)$$

$$u_y = -\cos(3x - y)$$

$$u_{yy} = -[-\sin(3x - y) \times -1]$$

$$= \sin(y - 3x)$$

29. (c)

Definate intergals of form $I = \int_0^\infty e^{-at} f(t) dt$ can be solved using Laplace transform defination as shown below :

$$L(t \cos 3t) = (-1) \frac{d}{ds} \left(\frac{s}{s^2 + 9} \right) = - \left[\frac{-s \cdot 2s}{(s^2 + 9)^2} + \frac{1}{(s^2 + 9)} \right]$$

$$= - \left(\frac{-2s^2 + s^2 + 9}{(s^2 + 9)^2} \right) = \frac{s^2 - 9}{(s^2 + 9)^2}$$

$$\therefore L(t \cos 3t) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} t \cos 3t dt$$

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-st} t \cos 3t dt = \frac{s^2 - 9}{(s^2 + 9)^2}$$

$$\text{Putting, } s = 4$$

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-4t} t \cos 3t dt = \frac{(4)^2 - 9}{(4^2 + 9)^2} = \frac{16 - 9}{(16 + 9)^2} = \frac{7}{625}$$

30. (c)

$$\text{Let, } f(x) = x \log_{10} x - 1.2$$

$$\text{So that, } f(1) = \text{-ve,}$$

$$f(2) = \text{-ve}$$

$$\text{and } f(3) = \text{+ve}$$

\therefore the root lies between 2 and 3

$$\text{Taking } x_0 = 2$$

$$\text{and } x_1 = 3,$$

$$f(x_0) = -0.59794$$

$$\text{and } f(x_1) = 0.23136$$

Using method of false position,

$$x_2 = x_0 - \frac{x_1 - x_0}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)} f(x_0) = 2.7210 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$f(x_2) = f(2.7210) = -0.0171$$

i.e. the root lies between 2.7210 and 3

$$\therefore \text{Taking } x_0 = 2.7210,$$

$$x_1 = 3$$

$$f(x_0) = -0.0171$$

$$\text{and } f(x_1) = 0.2313 \text{ in equation (i), we get}$$

$$x_3 = 2.720 + \frac{0.279}{0.2313 + 0.0171} \times 0.0171 = 2.74020$$

Representing this process, successive approximations are

$$x_4 = 2.74024$$

$$\text{and } x_5 = 2.7406$$

\therefore root is 2.7406, correct to 4 decimal places.

