# IIT JAM 2025 Mathematics (MA) Question Paper

**Time Allowed :**3 Hours | **Maximum Marks :**100 | **Total questions :**60

### **General Instructions**

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- i) All questions are compulsory. Marks allotted to each question are indicated in the margin.
- ii) Answers must be precise and to the point.
- iii) In numerical questions, all steps of calculation should be shown clearly.
- iv) Use of non-programmable scientific calculators is permitted.
- v) Wherever necessary, write balanced chemical equations with proper symbols and units.
- vi) Rough work should be done only in the space provided in the question paper.

### **Q.1.** The sum of the infinite series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} \pi^{2n+1}}{2^{2n+1} (2n)!}$$

is equal to

- $(A) \pi$
- (B)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$
- (C)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
- (D)  $-\frac{\pi}{4}$

## **Q.2.** For which one of the following choices of N(x, y), is the equation

$$(e^x \sin y - 2y \sin x) dx + N(x, y) dy = 0$$

an exact differential equation?

- (A)  $N(x, y) = e^x \sin y + 2\cos x$
- (B)  $N(x, y) = e^x \cos y + 2 \cos x$
- (C)  $N(x,y) = e^x \cos y + 2 \sin x$
- (D)  $N(x, y) = e^x \sin y + 2 \sin x$

# **Q.3.** Let $f, g : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be two functions defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x|x| \sin \frac{1}{x} & \text{if } x \neq 0\\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

and

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

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- (A) f is differentiable at x = 0, and g is NOT differentiable at x = 0
- (B) f is NOT differentiable at x = 0, and g is differentiable at x = 0

- (C) f is differentiable at x = 0, and g is differentiable at x = 0
- (D) f is NOT differentiable at x = 0, and g is NOT differentiable at x = 0

**Q.4.** Let  $f, g : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be two functions defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} |x|^{1/8} \sin \frac{1}{|x|} \cos x & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

and

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

Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A) f is continuous at x = 0, and g is NOT continuous at x = 0
- (B) f is NOT continuous at x = 0, and g is continuous at x = 0
- (C) f is continuous at x = 0, and q is continuous at x = 0
- (D) f is NOT continuous at x = 0, and g is NOT continuous at x = 0

**Q.5.** Which one of the following is the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 8\frac{dy}{dx} + 16y = 2e^{4x}?$$

- (A)  $\alpha_1 e^{4x} + \alpha_2 x e^{4x}$ , where  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{R}$
- (B)  $\alpha_1 e^{4x} + \alpha_2 x e^{4x} + 2x e^{4x}$ , where  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{R}$
- (C)  $\alpha_1 e^{4x} + \alpha_2 e^{4x} + 2xe^{4x}$ , where  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{R}$
- (D)  $\alpha_1 x e^{-4x} + \alpha_2 x^2 e^{4x}$ , where  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

**Q.6.** Define  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3$  by

$$T(x, y, z) = (x + z, 2x + 3y + 5z, 2y + 2z),$$
 for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ 

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- (A) T is one-one and T is NOT onto
- (B) T is NOT one-one and T is onto
- (C) T is one-one and T is onto
- (D) T is NOT one-one and T is NOT onto

**Q.7.** Let

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 1 & -4 \\ 2 & 0 & x \end{pmatrix}$$

for some real number x. If 0 is an eigenvalue of M, then  $(M^4 + M) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is equal to

- $(A) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- $(B) \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
- $(C) \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$
- $\text{(D)} \begin{pmatrix} 17 \\ 0 \\ 17 \end{pmatrix}$

**Q.8.** Let  $T: P_2(\mathbb{R}) \to P_2(\mathbb{R})$  be the linear transformation defined by

$$T(p(x)) = p(x+1), \text{ for all } p(x) \in P_2(\mathbb{R})$$

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If M is the matrix representation of T with respect to the ordered basis  $\{1, x, x^2\}$  of  $P_2(\mathbb{R})$ , then which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A) The determinant of M is 2
- (B) The rank of M is 2
- (C) 1 is the only eigenvalue of M
- (D) The nullity of M is 2

**Q.9.** Let G be a finite abelian group of order 10. Let  $x_0$  be an element of order 2 in G. If  $X = \{x \in G : x^3 = x_0\}$ , then which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A) X has exactly one element
- (B) X has exactly two elements
- (C) X has exactly three elements
- (D) X is an empty set

**Q.10.** The value of

$$\int_0^1 \left( \int_0^{\sqrt{y}} 3e^{x^3} \, dx \right) dy$$

is equal to

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

**Q.11.** Let C denote the family of curves described by  $yx^2 = \lambda$ , for  $\lambda \in (0, \infty)$  and lying in the first quadrant of the xy-plane. Let O denote the family of orthogonal trajectories of C. Which one of the following curves is a member of O, and passes through the point (2,1)?

(A) 
$$y = \frac{x^2}{4}, x > 0, y > 0$$

- (B)  $x^2 2y^2 = 2$ , x > 0, y > 0
- (C) x y = 1, x > 0, y > 0
- (D)  $2x y^2 = 3$ , x > 0, y > 0

**Q.12.** Let  $\varphi:(0,\infty)\to\mathbb{R}$  be the solution of the differential equation

$$x\frac{dy}{dx} = (\ln y - \ln x) y,$$

satisfying  $\varphi(1) = e^2$ . Then, the value of  $\varphi(2)$  is equal to:

- (A)  $e^2$
- (B)  $2e^3$
- (C)  $3e^2$
- (D)  $6e^{3}$

**Q.13.** Let  $X = \{x \in S_4 : x^3 = id\}$  and  $Y = \{x \in S_4 : x^2 \neq id\}$ . If m and n denote the number of elements in X and Y, respectively, then which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A) m is even and n is even
- (B) m is odd and n is even
- (C) m is even and n is odd
- (D) m is odd and n is odd

**Q.14.** Let  $\varphi:\mathbb{R}\to\mathbb{R}$  be the solution of the differential equation

$$x\frac{dy}{dx} = (y-1)(y-3),$$

satisfying  $\varphi(0) = 2$ . Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A)  $\lim_{x\to\infty} \varphi(x) = 0$
- (B)  $\lim_{x\to \ln\sqrt{2}}\varphi(x)=1$
- (C)  $\lim_{x\to-\infty} \varphi(x) = 3$

(D) 
$$\lim_{x \to \ln \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \varphi(x) = 6$$

**Q.15.** Let

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 2 & -6 & 8 \\ 5 & 3 & -9 & 8 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Consider the system S of linear equations given by:

$$6x_1 + 2x_2 - 6x_3 + 8x_4 = 8$$

$$5x_1 + 3x_2 - 9x_3 + 8x_4 = 16$$

$$3x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 + 4x_4 = 32$$

where  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$  are unknowns. Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A) The rank of M is 3, and the system S has a solution
- (B) The rank of M is 3, and the system S does NOT have a solution
- (C) The rank of M is 2, and the system S has a solution
- (D) The rank of M is 2, and the system S does NOT have a solution

**Q.16.** Let

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 & x \end{pmatrix}$$

for some real number x. Suppose that -2 and 3 are eigenvalues of M. If  $M^3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 125 \\ 125 \end{pmatrix}$ ,

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- (A) x = 5, and the matrix  $M^2 + M$  is invertible
- (B)  $x \neq 5$ , and the matrix  $M^2 + M$  is invertible
- (C) x = 5, and the matrix  $M^2 + M$  is NOT invertible

(D)  $x \neq 5$ , and the matrix  $M^2 + M$  is NOT invertible

**Q.17.** Let  $f(x) = 10x^2 + e^x - \sin(2x) - \cos x$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . The number of points at which the function f has a local minimum is:

- (A) 0
- (B) 1
- (C) 2
- (D) greater than or equal to 3

**Q.18.** For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , define  $x_n$  and  $y_n$  by

$$x_n = (-1)^n \cos \frac{1}{n}$$
 and  $y_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{n+k}$ .

Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  converges, and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n$  does NOT converge
- (B)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  does NOT converge, and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n$  converges
- (C)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  converges, and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n$  converges
- (D)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  does NOT converge, and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n$  does NOT converge

**Q.19.** Let  $x_1 = \frac{5}{2}$  and for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , define

$$x_{n+1} = \frac{1}{5} \left( x_n^2 + 6 \right).$$

- (A)  $(x_n)$  is an increasing sequence, and  $(x_n)$  is NOT a bounded sequence
- (B)  $(x_n)$  is NOT an increasing sequence, and  $(x_n)$  is NOT a bounded sequence
- (C)  $(x_n)$  is NOT a decreasing sequence, and  $(x_n)$  is a bounded sequence
- (D)  $(x_n)$  is a decreasing sequence, and  $(x_n)$  is a bounded sequence

**Q.20.** Let  $x_1 = 2$  and  $x_{n+1} = 2 + \frac{1}{2x_n}$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A)  $x_{n+1} \ge \frac{4}{x_n}$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , and  $(x_n)$  is a Cauchy sequence
- (B)  $x_{n+1} = \frac{4}{x_n}$  for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , and  $(x_n)$  is a Cauchy sequence
- (C)  $x_{n+1} = \frac{4}{x_n}$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , and  $(x_n)$  is NOT a Cauchy sequence
- (D)  $x_{n+1} \leq \frac{4}{x_n}$  for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , and  $(x_n)$  is NOT a Cauchy sequence

**Q.21.** For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , define  $x_n$  and  $y_n$  by

$$x_n = (-1)^n \frac{3n}{n^3}$$
 and  $y_n = (4n^3 + (-1)^n 3n^3)^{1/n}$ .

Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A)  $(x_n)$  has a convergent subsequence, and NO subsequence of  $(y_n)$  is convergent.
- (B) NO subsequence of  $(x_n)$  is convergent, and  $(y_n)$  has a convergent subsequence.
- (C)  $(x_n)$  has a convergent subsequence, and  $(y_n)$  has a convergent subsequence.
- (D) NO subsequence of  $(x_n)$  is convergent, and NO subsequence of  $(y_n)$  is convergent.

**Q.22.** Let  $M = (m_{ij})$  be a  $3 \times 3$  real, invertible matrix and  $\sigma \in S_3$  be the permutation defined by  $\sigma(1) = 2$ ,  $\sigma(2) = 3$  and  $\sigma(3) = 1$ . The matrix  $M_{\sigma}$  is defined by  $n_{ij} = m_{i\sigma(j)}$  for all  $i, j \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A)  $det(M) = det(M_{\sigma})$ , and the nullity of the matrix  $M M_{\sigma}$  is 0
- (B)  $det(M) = -det(M_{\sigma})$ , and the nullity of the matrix  $M M_{\sigma}$  is 1
- (C)  $det(M) = det(M_{\sigma})$ , and the nullity of the matrix  $M M_{\sigma}$  is 1
- (D)  $det(M) = -det(M_{\sigma})$ , and the nullity of the matrix  $M M_{\sigma}$  is 0

**Q.23.** Let  $\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z}$  denote the quotient group, where  $\mathbb{Z}$  is considered as a subgroup of the additive group of real numbers  $\mathbb{R}$ .

Let m denote the number of injective (one-one) group homomorphisms from  $\mathbb{Z}_3$  to  $\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z}$  and n denote the number of group homomorphisms from  $\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z}$  to  $\mathbb{Z}_3$ .

Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A) m = 2 and n = 1
- (B) m = 3 and n = 3
- (C) m = 2 and n = 3
- (D) m = 1 and n = 1

**Q.24.** Let  $f_1, f_2, f_3$  be nonzero linear transformations from  $\mathbb{R}^4$  to  $\mathbb{R}$  and

$$\ker(f_1) \subset \ker(f_2) \cap \ker(f_3).$$

Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \to \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by

$$T(v) = (f_1(v), f_2(v), f_3(v))$$
 for all  $v \in \mathbb{R}^4$ .

Then, the nullity of *T* is equal to:

- (A) 1
- (B) 2
- (C)3
- (D) 4

**Q.25.** Let  $x_1 = 1$ . For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , define

$$x_{n+1} = \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sin^2 n}{n}\right) x_n.$$

- (A)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  converges
- (B)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  does NOT converge
- (C)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n^2$  does NOT converge
- (D)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n x_{n+1}$  does NOT converge

### **Q.26.** Let $x_1 > 0$ . For $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , define

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + 4.$$

If

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \left( \frac{1}{x_1 x_2 x_3} + \frac{1}{x_2 x_3 x_4} + \dots + \frac{1}{x_{n+1} x_{n+2} x_{n+3}} \right) = \frac{1}{24},$$

then the value of  $x_1$  is equal to:

- (A) 1
- (B) 2
- (C) 3
- (D) 8

## **Q.27.** Let $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$ be defined by

$$f(x,y) = e^y(x^2 + y^2)$$
 for all  $(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ .

Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A) The number of points at which f has a local minimum is 2
- (B) The number of points at which f has a local maximum is 2
- (C) The number of points at which f has a local minimum is 1
- (D) The number of points at which f has a local maximum is 1

**Q.28.** Let  $\Omega$  be the bounded region in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  lying in the first octant  $(x \ge 0, y \ge 0, z \ge 0)$ , and bounded by the surfaces  $z = x^2 + y^2$ , z = 4, x = 0 and y = 0. Then, the volume of  $\Omega$  is equal to:

- (A)  $\pi$
- (B)  $2\pi$
- (C)  $3\pi$
- (D)  $4\pi$

**Q.25.** Let  $x_1 = 1$ . For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , define

$$x_{n+1} = \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sin^2 n}{n}\right) x_n.$$

Then, which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  converges
- (B)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  does NOT converge
- (C)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n^2$  does NOT converge
- (D)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n x_{n+1}$  does NOT converge

**Q.30.** The number of elements in the set

$${x \in \mathbb{R} : 8x^2 + x^4 + x^8 = \cos x}$$

is equal to:

- (A) 0
- (B) 1
- (C) 2
- (D) greater than or equal to 3

**Q.31.** Let  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  be defined by

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 + y^5}{x^2 + y^4} & \text{if } (x,y) \neq (0,0), \\ 0 & \text{if } (x,y) = (0,0). \end{cases}$$

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- (A) The iterated limits  $\lim_{x\to 0} (\lim_{y\to 0} f(x,y))$  and  $\lim_{y\to 0} (\lim_{x\to 0} f(x,y))$  exist.
- (B) Exactly one of the partial derivatives  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$  exists at (0,0).
- (C) Both the partial derivatives  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$  exist at (0,0).
- (D) f is NOT differentiable at (0,0).

**Q.32.** If  $M, N, \mu, w : \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  are differentiable functions with continuous partial derivatives, satisfying

$$\mu(x,y)M(x,y) dx + \mu(x,y)N(x,y) dy = dw,$$

then which one of the following is TRUE?

- (A)  $\mu w$  is an integrating factor for M(x, y) dx + N(x, y) dy = 0
- (B)  $\mu w^2$  is an integrating factor for M(x,y) dx + N(x,y) dy = 0

(C) 
$$w(x,y) = w(0,0) + \int_0^x \mu M(s) \, ds + \int_0^y \mu N(t) \, dt$$
, for all  $(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ 

(D) 
$$w(x,y) = w(0,0) + \int_0^x \mu M(s,y) \, ds + \int_0^y \mu N(x,t) \, dt$$
, for all  $(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ 

**Q.33.** Let  $\varphi:(-1,\infty)\to(0,\infty)$  be the solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2ye^x = 2e^x\sqrt{y},$$

satisfying  $\varphi(0) = 1$ . Then, which of the following is/are TRUE?

- (A)  $\varphi$  is an unbounded function.
- (B)  $\lim_{x\to \ln 2} \varphi(x) = (2e-1)^2$ .
- (C)  $\lim_{x \to \ln 2} \varphi(x) = \sqrt{2e 1}$ .
- (D)  $\varphi$  is a strictly increasing function on the interval  $(0, \infty)$ .

**Q.34.** Let  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  be defined by

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{(x^2 + \sin xy)^2}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x,y) \neq (0,0), \\ 0 & \text{if } (x,y) = (0,0). \end{cases}$$

- (A)  $\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)} f(x,y)$  exists and  $\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)} f(x,y) = 1$ .
- (B)  $\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)} f(x,y)$  exists and  $\lim_{(x,y)\to(0,0)} f(x,y) = 0$ .
- (C) f is differentiable at (0,0).
- (D) f is NOT differentiable at (0,0).

**Q.35.** Let  $u_1 = (1, 0, 0, -1)$ ,  $u_2 = (2, 0, 0, -1)$ ,  $u_3 = (0, 0, 1, -1)$ ,  $u_4 = (0, 0, 0, 1)$  be elements in the real vector space  $\mathbb{R}^4$ . Then, which of the following is/are TRUE?

- (A)  $\{u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4\}$  is a linearly independent set in  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .
- (B)  $\{u_1 u_2, u_3 u_4, u_4 u_1\}$  is NOT a linearly independent set in  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .
- (C)  $\{u_1, -u_2, u_3, -u_4\}$  is NOT a linearly independent set in  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .
- (D)  $\{u_1 + u_2, u_2 + u_3, u_3 + u_4, u_4 + u_1\}$  is a linearly independent set in  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

**Q.36.** For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let

$$x_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{k}{n^2 + k}.$$

Then, which of the following is/are TRUE?

- (A) The sequence  $(x_n)$  converges.
- (B) The series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  converges.
- (C) The series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  does NOT converge.
- (D) The series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n^n$  converges.

**Q.37.** Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be a twice differentiable function such that

$$f(0) = 0, f'(0) = 2, f(1) = -3.$$

Then, which of the following is/are TRUE?

- (A)  $|f'(x)| \le 2$  for all  $x \in [0, 1]$ .
- (B)  $|f'(x_1)| > 2$  for some  $x_1 \in [0, 1]$ .
- (C) |f''(x)| < 10 for all  $x \in [0, 1]$ .
- (D)  $|f''(x_2)| \ge 10$  for some  $x_2 \in [0, 1]$ .

**Q.38.** Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be a twice differentiable function such that

$$f(0) = 4$$
,  $f(1) = -2$ ,  $f(2) = 8$ ,  $f(3) = 2$ .

Then, which of the following is/are TRUE?

- (A) |f'(x)| < 5 for all  $x \in [0, 1]$ .
- (B)  $|f'(x_1)| \ge 5$  for some  $x_1 \in [0, 1]$ .
- (C)  $f'(x_2) = 0$  for some  $x_2 \in [0, 3]$ .
- (D)  $f''(x_3) = 0$  for some  $x_3 \in [0, 3]$ .

**Q.39.** For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , consider the set  $U(n) = \{x \in \mathbb{Z}_n : \gcd(x, n) = 1\}$  as a group under multiplication modulo n. Then, which of the following is/are TRUE?

- (A) U(8) is a cyclic group.
- (B) U(5) is a cyclic group.
- (C) U(12) is a cyclic group.
- (D) U(9) is a cyclic group.

**Q.40.** Consider the following subspaces of the real vector space  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :

$$V_1 = \operatorname{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}, \quad V_2 = \operatorname{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}, \quad V_3 = \operatorname{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}, \quad V_4 = \operatorname{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \right\},$$

Then, which of the following is/are TRUE?

- (A)  $V_1 \cup V_2$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
- (B)  $V_1 \cup V_3$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
- (C)  $V_1 \cup V_4$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
- (D)  $V_1 \cup V_5$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

Q.41. The radius of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(x + \frac{1}{4})^n}{(-2)^n n^2}$$

about  $x=-\frac{1}{4}$  is equal to ...... (rounded off to two decimal places).

#### **Q.42.** The value of

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} 8n \left( \left( e^{\frac{1}{2n}} - 1 \right) \left( \sin \frac{1}{2n} + \cos \frac{1}{2n} \right) \right)$$

is equal to ..... (rounded off to two decimal places).

#### **Q.43.** Let $\alpha$ be the real number such that

$$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{(1 - \cos x)(22x^2 + x - 4)}{x^3} = \alpha \ln 2.$$

Then, the value of  $\alpha$  is equal to ...... (rounded off to two decimal places).

#### **Q.44.** Let $\varphi : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be the solution of the differential equation

$$4\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 16\frac{dy}{dx} + 25y = 0$$

satisfying  $\varphi(0) = 1$  and  $\varphi'(0) = -\frac{1}{2}$ . Then, the value of  $\lim_{x\to\infty} e^{2x}\varphi(x)$  is equal to ............. (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.45.** Let S be the surface area of the portion of the plane z = x + y + 3, which lies inside the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ . Then, the value of  $\left(\frac{S}{\pi}\right)^2$  is equal to ...... (rounded off to two decimal places).

## **Q.46.** Consider the following subspaces of $\mathbb{R}^4$ :

$$V_1 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : x + y + 2w = 0\}, \quad V_2 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_3 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_3 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_4 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_5 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_6 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_7 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + z + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2y + w = 0\}, \quad V_8 = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{$$

Then, the dimension of the subspace  $V_1 \cap V_2 \cap V_3$  is equal to ...... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.47.** Consider the real vector space  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}$  be a linear transformation such that

$$T(1,1,1) = 0$$
,  $T(1,-1,1) = 0$ ,  $T(0,0,1) = 16$ .

Then, the value of  $T\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}\right)$  is equal to ..... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.48.** Let T denote the triangle in the xy-plane bounded by the x-axis and the lines y=x and x=1. The value of the double integral (over T)

$$\iint_T (5-y) \, dx \, dy$$

is equal to ..... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.49.** Let  $T, S : P_4(\mathbb{R}) \to P_4(\mathbb{R})$  be the linear transformations defined by

$$T(p(x)) = xp'(x), \quad S(p(x)) = (x+1)p'(x)$$

for all  $p(x) \in P_4(\mathbb{R})$ . Then, the nullity of the composition  $S \circ T$  is ......

**Q.50.** Let  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  be defined by

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{(x^2 - y^2)^2 xy}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x,y) \neq (0,0), \\ 0 & \text{if } (x,y) = (0,0). \end{cases}$$

Then, the value of  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0,0)$  and  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0,0)$  is equal to ...... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.51.** Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function satisfying

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \left( \sin(x) f(x) + \cos(x) \int_0^x f(t) dt \right) dx = \sqrt{2}.$$

Then, the value of

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} f(x) \, dx$$

is equal to ..... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.52.** Let  $\sigma \in S_4$  be the permutation defined by  $\sigma(1) = 2$ ,  $\sigma(2) = 3$ ,  $\sigma(3) = 1$ , and  $\sigma(4) = 4$ . The number of elements in the set

$$\{\tau \in S_4 : \tau \circ \sigma^{-1} = \sigma\}$$

is equal to .....

**Q.53.** Let  $f(x) = 2x - \sin(x)$ , for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . Let  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  be such that

$$\lim_{x \to 0} \left( \frac{1}{x} \sum_{i=1}^{k} i^2 f\left(\frac{x}{i}\right) \right) = 45.$$

Then, the value of k is equal to .....

**Q.54.** The value of the infinite series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{2n-1}$$

is equal to ..... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.55.** Let  $\varphi:(0,\infty)\to\mathbb{R}$  be the solution of the differential equation

$$x^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 6x \ln x,$$

satisfying  $\varphi(1) = -3$  and  $\varphi(e) = 0$ . Then, the value of  $\varphi'(1)$  is equal to ...... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.56.** Let  $\varphi : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be the solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = 2 + 4x^2,$$

satisfying  $\varphi(0) = 0$ . Then, the value of  $\varphi(2)$  is equal to ...... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.57.** Let  $\Omega$  be the solid bounded by the planes  $z=0,\,y=0,\,x=\frac{1}{2},\,2y=x$  and 2x+y+z=4. If V is the volume of  $\Omega$ , then the value of 64V is equal to ....... (rounded off to two decimal places).

**Q.58.** Let the subspace H of  $P_3(\mathbb{R})$  be defined as

$$H = \{ p(x) \in P_3(\mathbb{R}) : xp'(x) = 3p(x) \}.$$

Then, the dimension of H is equal to .....

**Q.59.** Let G be an abelian group of order 35. Let m denote the number of elements of order 5 in G, and let n denote the number of elements of order 7 in G. Then, the value of m + n is equal to ......

**Q.60.** The number of surjective (onto) group homomorphisms from  $S_4$  to  $\mathbb{Z}_6$  is equal to ......