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Part III — BUSINESS MATHEMATICS

(New Syllabus)

(English Version)

Time Allowed : 3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 200

SECTION - A

N. B. : i) Answer *all* the 40 questions.

ii) Each question carries *one* mark.

iii) Choose and write the correct answer from the four choices given.

$$40 \times 1 = 40$$

1. If $AB = BA = |A| I$, then the matrix B is

a) inverse of A

b) the transpose of A

c) the adjoint of A

d) $2A$.

2. The inverse of $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ is

a) $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

b) $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

c) $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

d) $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$.

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3. The rank of a zero matrix is

- a) 0 b) 1
c) -1 d) ∞ .

4. The relation $R = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} a & b \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} a \\ b \end{matrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$ is

- a) Reflexive
- b) Symmetric
- c) Transitive
- d) Reflexive and Symmetric.

5. If $T = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} A & B \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} A \\ B \end{matrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \\ x & 0.8 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$ is a transition probability matrix, then the value of x is

- a) 0.3 b) 0.2
- c) 0.8 d) 0.7.

6. Equation of the directrix of $x^2 = 4ay$ is

- a) $x + a = 0$
- b) $x - a = 0$
- c) $y + a = 0$
- d) $y - a = 0.$

7. The length of the latus rectum of $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 36$ is

- a) $\frac{4}{3}$
- b) $\frac{8}{3}$
- c) $\frac{4}{9}$
- d) $\frac{8}{9}$.

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14. The slope of the normal to the curve $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} = 5$ at $(9, 4)$ is
- a) $\frac{2}{3}$ b) $-\frac{2}{3}$
- c) $\frac{3}{2}$ d) $-\frac{3}{2}$.
15. The maximum value of $f(x) = \cos x$ is
- a) 0 b) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
- c) $\frac{1}{2}$ d) 1.
16. $y = x^3$ is always
- a) an increasing function of x b) a decreasing function of x
- c) a constant function d) none of these.
17. If $u = x^y$ ($x > 0$) then $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$ is equal to
- a) $x^y \log x$ b) $\log x$
- c) $y^x \log x$ d) $\log y^x$.
18. The elasticity of demand when the marginal revenue is zero, is
- a) 1 b) 2
- c) -5 d) 0.
19. If $f(x)$ is an even function then $\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx$ is
- a) $2 \int_0^a f(x) dx$ b) $\int_0^a f(x) dx$
- c) $-2a$ d) $2a$.

20. The area bounded by $y = x$, y -axis and $y = 1$ is

a) 1

b) $\frac{1}{2}$

c) $\log 2$

d) 2.

21. The marginal revenue of a firm is $MR = 15 - 8x$. Then the revenue function is

a) $15x - 4x^2 + k$

b) $\frac{15}{x} - 8$

c) - 8

d) $15x - 8$.

22. The degree and order of the differential equation $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 6 \sqrt{\frac{dy}{dx}} = 0$ are

a) 2 and 1

b) 1 and 2

c) 2 and 2

d) 1 and 1.

23. The solution of $x \, dy + y \, dx = 0$ is

a) $x + y = c$

b) $x^2 + y^2 = c$ c) $xy = c$

d) $y = cx.$

24. The particular integral of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 6 \frac{dy}{dx} + 9y = e^{3x} \text{ is}$$

a) $\frac{e^{3x}}{2!}$

b) $\frac{x^2 e^{3x}}{2!}$

c) $\frac{xe^{3x}}{2!}$

d) $9 e^{3x}$.

25. The integrating factor of $\frac{x dy}{dx} - y = e^x$ is

a) $\log x$

b) $e^{-\frac{1}{x}}$

c) $\frac{1}{x}$

d) $-\frac{1}{x}$.

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26. When $h = 1$, $\Delta(x^2) =$

- a) $2x$
- b) $2x - 1$
- c) $2x + 1$
- d) $1.$

27. The normal equations of fitting a straight line $y = ax + b$ are $10a + 5b = 15$ and $30a + 10b = 43$. The slope of the line of best fit is

- a) 1·2
- b) 1·3
- c) 13
- d) 12.

28. If a discrete random variable has the probability mass function as

x	0	1	2	3
$p(x)$	k	$2k$	$3k$	$5k$

then the value of k is

- a) $\frac{1}{11}$
- b) $\frac{2}{11}$
- c) $\frac{3}{11}$
- d) $\frac{4}{11}$.

29. The normal distribution curve is

- a) bimodal b) unimodal
- c) skewed d) none of these.

30. If X is a Poisson variate with $P(X = 1) = P(X = 2)$, the mean of the Poisson variate is equal to

- a) 1 b) 2
c) -2 d) 3.

31. The mean and variance of the Binomial distribution are

- a) np, npq
- b) pq, npq
- c) np, \sqrt{npq}
- d) np, nq

32. The standard error of the sample mean is

- a) Type I error
- b) Type II error
- c) standard deviation of the sampling distribution of the mean
- d) variance of the sampling distribution of the mean.

33. The central limit theorem states that the sampling distribution of the mean will approach normal distribution

- a) as the size of the population increases
- b) as the sample size increases and becomes larger
- c) as the number of samples gets larger
- d) as the sample size decreases.

34. Probability of rejecting null hypothesis when it is true is

- a) Type I error
- b) Type II error
- c) Sampling error
- d) Standard error.

35. The number of ways in which one can select 2 customers out of 10 customers is

- a) 90
- b) 60
- c) 45
- d) 50.

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36. A time series consists of

- a) two components
- b) three components
- c) four components
- d) none of these.

37. Laspeyre's index formula uses the weights of

- a) the base year quantities
- b) the current year prices
- c) average of the weights of number of years
- d) none of these.

38. Control charts in statistical quality consist of

- a) three control lines
- b) upper and lower limits
- c) the level of process
- d) all of these.

39. The range of correlation coefficient is

- a) 0 to ∞
- b) $-\infty$ to ∞
- c) -1 to 1
- d) none of these.

40. If X and Y are two variates, there can be atmost

- a) one regression line
- b) two regression lines
- c) three regression lines
- d) none of these.

SECTION - B

N. B. : i) Answer any *ten* out of *fifteen* questions given.

ii) Each question carries *six* marks.

$10 \times 6 = 60$

41. Verify $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ when $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$.

42. Find k if the equations $2x + 3y - z = 5$, $3x - y + 4z = 2$ and $x + 7y - 6z = k$ are consistent.

43. Find the equation of the hyperbola whose eccentricity is $\sqrt{3}$, focus is $(1, 2)$ and the corresponding directrix is $2x + y = 1$.

44. The demand curve for a monopolist is given by $x = 100 - 4p$.

i) Find the total revenue, average revenue and marginal revenue.

ii) At what value of x , the marginal revenue is equal to zero?

45. Find the equations of the tangent and normal to the curve

$$x = a \cos \theta, \quad y = b \sin \theta \quad \text{at} \quad \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

46. A manufacturer can sell x items per week at a price of $p = 600 - 4x$ rupees.

Production cost of x items works out to Rs. C where $C = 40x + 2000$. How much production will yield maximum profit?

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48. Solve : $\frac{dy}{dx} + y \cos x = \frac{1}{2} \sin 2x$.

49. Solve : $(D^2 + 10D + 25)y = 5e^x$.

$x:$	1	2	3	4	5
$f(x):$	2	5	—	14	32

<i>x</i> :	6	7	10	12
<i>y</i> :	13	14	15	17

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53. 1% of the outgoing + 2 students in a school have joined I.I.T. Madras. What is the probability that in a group of 500 such students 2% or more will be joining I.I.T. Madras ?

Given :

Z	2.1	2.2	2.3
Area	0.4821	0.4826	0.4830

54. Calculate the correlation coefficient from the following data :

X :	12	9	8	10	11	13	7
Y :	14	8	6	9	11	12	3

55. From the following data calculate the price index number by Laspeyre's method.

Commodity	Base Year		Current Year	
	Price	Quantity	Price	Quantity
A	5	25	6	30
B	10	5	15	4
C	3	40	2	50
D	6	30	8	35

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SECTION - C

N. B. : i) Answer any *ten* questions out of *fifteen* questions given.

ii) Each question carries *ten* marks.

$$10 \times 10 = 100$$

56. By matrix method solve the equations $x - 2y + 3z = 1$; $3x - y + 4z = 3$;

$$2x + y - 2z = -1.$$

57. Two products P and Q share the market currently with shares 70% and 30% each respectively. Each week some brand switching takes place. Of those who bought P in the previous week, 80% buy it again whereas 20% switch over to Q . Of those who bought Q in the previous week, 40% buy it again whereas 60% switch over to P . Find their shares after two weeks. If the price war continues, when is the equilibrium reached ?

58. Find the centre, eccentricity, foci and directrices of the ellipse

$$3x^2 + 4y^2 - 6x + 8y - 5 = 0.$$

59. Find the equation of the tangent and normal to the curve

$$y(x-2)(x-3) - x + 7 = 0 \text{ at the point where it cuts the } x\text{-axis.}$$

60. Find the maximum and minimum values of the function

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 24x - 15.$$

61. The demand for a commodity A is $q_1 = 240 - p_1^2 + 6p_2 - p_1 p_2$. Find the partial elasticities $\frac{Eq_1}{Ep_1}$ and $\frac{Eq_1}{Ep_2}$ when $p_1 = 5$ and $p_2 = 4$.

62. Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\sqrt{\sin^3 x}}{\sqrt{\sin^3 x} + \sqrt{\cos^3 x}} dx$.

63. Find the consumer's surplus and producer's surplus under market equilibrium if the demand function $p_d = 20 - 3x - x^2$ and supply function $p_s = x - 1$.

64. The net profit p and quantity x satisfy the differential equation $\frac{dp}{dx} = \frac{2p^3 - x^3}{3xp^2}$.

Find the relationship between net profit and demand given that $p = 20$ when $x = 10$.

65. Fit a straight line to the following data :

$x :$	100	200	300	400	500	600
$y :$	90.2	92.3	94.2	96.3	98.2	100.3

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66. Find the mean and variance for the following probability distribution :

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2e^{-2x} & x \geq 0 \\ 0 & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

67. Ten coins are thrown simultaneously. Find the probability of getting at least 7 heads.

68. A sample of 400 students is found to have a mean height of 171.38 cm. Can it reasonably be regarded as a sample from a large population with mean height of 171.17 cm and standard deviation of 3.3 cm ? (Test at 5% level).

69. Solve the following using graphical method :

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 5x_1 + 6x_2$$

subject to the constraints,

$$3x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 120$$

$$4x_1 + 6x_2 \leq 260$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$$

70. Calculate the seasonal indices for the following data using average method :

Year	Quarters			
	I	II	III	IV
1982	72	68	80	70
1983	76	70	82	74
1984	74	66	84	80
1985	76	74	84	78
1986	78	74	86	82
