

## EXERCISE 1

1, If  $A$  contains 10 elements then total number of functions defined from  $A$  to  $A$  is

- (a) 10                      (b)  $2^{10}$                       (c)  $10^{10}$                       (d)  $2^{10} - 1$

**Sol.** (c)

According to formula, total number of functions  $= n^n$

Here,  $n = 10$ . So, total number of functions  $= 10^{10}$ .

2 If  $f(x) = \frac{x - |x|}{|x|}$ , then  $f(-1) =$

- (a) 1                      (b) -2                      (c) 0                      (d) 2

**Sol.** (b)

$$f(-1) = \frac{-1 - |-1|}{|-1|} = \frac{-1 - 1}{1} = -2.$$

3 If  $f(y) = \log y$ , then  $f(y) + f\left(\frac{1}{y}\right)$  is equal to

- (a) 2                      (b) 1                      (c) 0                      (d) -1

**Sol.** (c)

Given  $f(y) = \log y \Rightarrow f(1/y) = \log(1/y)$ , then  $f(y) + f\left(\frac{1}{y}\right) = \log y + \log(1/y) = \log 1 = 0$ .

4 If  $f(x) = \log\left[\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right]$ , then  $f\left[\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right]$  is equal to

- (a)  $[f(x)]^2$                       (b)  $[f(x)]^3$                       (c)  $2f(x)$                       (d)  $3f(x)$

**Sol.** (c)

$$f(x) = \log\left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right)$$

$$\therefore f\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right) = \log\left[\frac{1 + \frac{2x}{1+x^2}}{1 - \frac{2x}{1+x^2}}\right] = \log\left[\frac{x^2 + 1 + 2x}{x^2 + 1 - 2x}\right] = \log\left[\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right]^2 = 2\log\left[\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right] = 2f(x)$$

5 If  $f(x) = \cos[\pi^2]x + \cos[-\pi^2]x$ , then

- (a)  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 2$                       (b)  $f(-\pi) = 2$                       (c)  $f(\pi) = 1$                       (d)  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -1$

**Sol.** (d)

$$f(x) = \cos[\pi^2]x + \cos[-\pi^2]x$$

$$f(x) = \cos(9x) + \cos(-10x) = \cos(9x) + \cos(10x) = 2\cos\left(\frac{19x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$

$$f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 2\cos\left(\frac{19\pi}{4}\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right); f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 2 \times \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = -1.$$

6 If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  satisfies  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in R$  and  $f(1) = 7$ , then  $\sum_{r=1}^n f(r)$  is

- (a)  $\frac{7n}{2}$                       (b)  $\frac{7(n+1)}{2}$                       (c)  $7n(n+1)$                       (d)  $\frac{7n(n+1)}{2}$

**Sol.** (d)

$$f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$$

put  $x = 1, y = 0 \Rightarrow f(1) = f(1) + f(0) = 7$

put  $x = 1, y = 1 \Rightarrow f(2) = 2.f(1) = 2.7$ ; similarly  $f(3) = 3.7$  and so on

$$\therefore \sum_{r=1}^n f(r) = 7(1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n) = \frac{7n(n+1)}{2}.$$

**7** If  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+2\sqrt{2x-4}}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-2\sqrt{2x-4}}}$  for  $x > 2$ , then  $f(11) =$

- (a)  $\frac{7}{6}$                       (b)  $\frac{5}{6}$                       (c)  $\frac{6}{7}$                       (d)  $\frac{5}{7}$

**Sol.** (c)

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+2\sqrt{2x-4}}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-2\sqrt{2x-4}}}$$

$$f(11) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{11+2\sqrt{18}}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{11-2\sqrt{18}}} = \frac{1}{3+\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{3-\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3-\sqrt{2}}{7} + \frac{3+\sqrt{2}}{7} = \frac{6}{7}.$$

**8** Domain of the function  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}}$  is

- (a)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$     (b)  $(-\infty, -1] \cup (1, \infty)$     (c)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup [1, \infty)$     (d) None of these

**Sol.** (a)

For domain,  $x^2 - 1 > 0 \Rightarrow (x-1)(x+1) > 0$

$\Rightarrow x < -1$  or  $x > 1 \Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty).$

**9** The domain of the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{|x|-x}}$  is

- (a)  $R^+$                       (b)  $R^-$                       (c)  $R_0$                       (d)  $R$

**Sol.** (b)

For domain,  $|x| - x > 0 \Rightarrow |x| > x$ . This is possible, only when  $x \in R^-$ .

**10** Find the domain of definition of  $f(x) = \frac{\log_2(x+3)}{x^2+3x+2}$

- (a)  $(-3, \infty)$                       (b)  $\{-1, -2\}$                       (c)  $(-3, \infty) - \{-1, -2\}$     (d)  $(-\infty, \infty)$

**Sol.** (c)

Here  $f(x) = \frac{\log_2(x+3)}{x^2+3x+2} = \frac{\log_2(x+3)}{(x+1)(x+2)}$  exists if,

Numerator  $x+3 > 0 \Rightarrow x > -3$  ..... (i)

and denominator  $(x+1)(x+2) \neq 0 \Rightarrow x \neq -1, -2$  ..... (ii)

Thus, from (i) and (ii); we have domain of  $f(x)$  is  $(-3, \infty) - \{-1, -2\}$ .

**11** The domain of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{2-2x-x^2}$  is

- (a)  $-3 \leq x \leq \sqrt{3}$                       (b)  $-1-\sqrt{3} \leq x \leq -1+\sqrt{3}$   
(c)  $-2 \leq x \leq 2$                       (d) None of these

**Sol.** (b)

The quantity square root is positive, when  $-1 - \sqrt{3} \leq x \leq -1 + \sqrt{3}$ .

**12** If the domain of function  $f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 7$  is  $(-\infty, \infty)$ , then the range of function is

- (a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$       (b)  $[-2, \infty)$       (c)  $(-2, 3)$       (d)  $(-\infty, -2)$

**Sol.** (b)

$x^2 - 6x + 7 = (x - 3)^2 - 2$  Obviously, minimum value is  $-2$  and maximum  $\infty$ .

**13** The domain of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{x - x^2} + \sqrt{4 + x} + \sqrt{4 - x}$  is

- (a)  $[-4, \infty)$       (b)  $[-4, 4]$       (c)  $[0, 4]$       (d)  $[0, 1]$

**Sol.** (d)

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x - x^2} + \sqrt{4 + x} + \sqrt{4 - x}$$

clearly  $f(x)$  is defined if

$$4 + x \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \geq -4$$

$$4 - x \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \leq 4$$

$$x(1 - x) \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \geq 0 \text{ and } x \leq 1$$

$\therefore$  Domain of  $f = (-\infty, 4] \cap [-4, \infty) \cap [0, 1] = [0, 1]$ .

**14** The domain of the function  $\sqrt{\log(x^2 - 6x + 6)}$  is

- (a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$       (b)  $(-\infty, 3 - \sqrt{3}) \cup (3 + \sqrt{3}, \infty)$   
(c)  $(-\infty, 1] \cup [5, \infty)$       (d)  $[0, \infty)$

**Sol.** (c)

The function  $f(x) = \sqrt{\log(x^2 - 6x + 6)}$  is defined when  $\log(x^2 - 6x + 6) \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 6x + 6 \geq 1 \Rightarrow (x - 5)(x - 1) \geq 0$$

This inequality hold if  $x \leq 1$  or  $x \geq 5$ . Hence, the domain of the function will be  $(-\infty, 1] \cup [5, \infty)$ .

**15** The domain of definition of the function  $y(x)$  given by  $3^x + 3^y = 3$  is

- (a)  $(0, 1]$       (b)  $[0, 1]$       (c)  $(-\infty, 0]$       (d)  $(-\infty, 1)$

**Sol.** (d)

$$3^y = 3 - 3^x$$

$y$  is real if  $3 - 3^x \geq 0 \Rightarrow 3 > 3^x \Rightarrow 1 > x$

$$x \in (-\infty, 1)$$

**16** The domain of the function  $f(x) = \cos^{-1}[\log_2(x/2)]$  is

- (a)  $[1, 4]$       (b)  $[-4, 1]$       (c)  $[-1, 4]$       (d) None of these

**Sol.** (a)

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1}[\log_2(x/2)]$$

Domain of  $\cos^{-1} x$  is  $x \in [-1, 1]$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq \log_2(x/2) \leq 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \leq \frac{x}{2} \leq 2 \Rightarrow 1 \leq x \leq 4$$

$\therefore x \in [1, 4]$ .

- 17** If  $f(x) = x^2 + 1$ , then  $f^{-1}(17)$  and  $f^{-1}(-3)$  will be  
 (a) 4, 1 (b) 4, 0 (c) 3, 2 (d) None of these

**Sol.** (d)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } y = x^2 + 1 &\Rightarrow x = \pm\sqrt{y-1} \\ \Rightarrow f^{-1}(y) = \pm\sqrt{y-1} &\Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = \pm\sqrt{x-1} \\ \Rightarrow f^{-1}(17) = \pm\sqrt{17-1} = \pm 4 \end{aligned}$$

and  $f^{-1}(-3) = \pm\sqrt{-3-1} = \pm\sqrt{-4}$ , which is not possible.

- 18** Domain of definition of the function  $f(x) = \frac{3}{4-x^2} + \log_2(x^5 - x^3)$ , is

- (a) (1, 2) (b)  $(-1, 0) \cup (1, 2)$   
 (c)  $(1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$  (d)  $(-1, 0) \cup (1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$

**Sol.** (d)

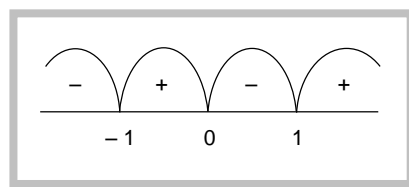
$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4-x^2} + \log_{10}(x^3 - x)$$

$$\text{So, } 4 - x^2 \neq 0 \Rightarrow x \neq \pm\sqrt{4} \Rightarrow x \neq \pm 2$$

$$\text{and } x^5 - x^3 > 0 \Rightarrow x^3(x^2 - 1) > 0 \Rightarrow x > 0, |x| > 1$$

$$\therefore D = (-1, 0) \cup (1, \infty) - \{2\}$$

$$D = (-1, 0) \cup (1, 2) \cup (2, \infty).$$



- 19** The domain of the function  $f(x) = \log_{3+x}(x^2 - 1)$  is

- (a)  $(-3, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$  (b)  $[-3, -1) \cup [1, \infty)$   
 (c)  $(-3, -2) \cup (-2, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$  (d)  $[-3, -2) \cup (-2, -1) \cup [1, \infty)$

**Sol.** (c)

$$f(x) \text{ is to be defined when } x^2 - 1 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 > 1, \Rightarrow x < -1 \text{ or } x > 1 \text{ and } 3 + x > 0$$

$$\therefore x > -3 \text{ and } x \neq -2$$

$$\therefore D_f = (-3, -2) \cup (-2, -1) \cup (1, \infty).$$

- 20** Domain of definition of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{2\sin^{-1}(2x) + \frac{\pi}{3}}$ , for real value  $x$ , is

- (a)  $\left[-\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$  (b)  $\left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$  (c)  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{9}\right)$  (d)  $\left[-\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right]$

**Sol.** (a)

$$-\frac{\pi}{6} \leq \sin^{-1}(2x) \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \leq 2x \leq 1 \Rightarrow x \in \left[-\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right].$$

- 21** The range of  $f(x) = \cos x - \sin x$ , is

- (a) (-1, 1) (b) [-1, 1) (c)  $\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$  (d)  $[-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}]$

**Sol.** (d)

Let,  $f(x) = \cos x - \sin x \Rightarrow f(x) = \sqrt{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin x \right) \Rightarrow f(x) = \sqrt{2} \cos \left( x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$

Now since,  $-1 \leq \cos \left( x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \leq 1 \Rightarrow -\sqrt{2} \leq f(x) \leq \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow f(x) \in [-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}]$

**Trick :**  $\therefore$  Maximum value of  $\cos x - \sin x$  is  $\sqrt{2}$  and minimum value of  $\cos x - \sin x$  is  $-\sqrt{2}$ .

Hence, range of  $f(x) = [-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}]$ .

22 The range of  $\frac{1+x^2}{x^2}$  is

- (a) (0,1)                      (b) (1,  $\infty$ )                      (c) [0, 1]                      (d) [1,  $\infty$ )

**Sol.** (b)

Let  $y = \frac{1+x^2}{x^2} \Rightarrow x^2 y = 1 + x^2 \Rightarrow x^2(y-1) = 1 \Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{1}{y-1}$

Now since,  $x^2 > 0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{y-1} > 0 \Rightarrow (y-1) > 0 \Rightarrow y > 1 \Rightarrow y \in (1, \infty)$

**Trick :**  $y = \frac{1+x^2}{x^2} = 1 + \frac{1}{x^2}$ . Now since,  $\frac{1}{x^2}$  is always  $> 0 \Rightarrow y > 1 \Rightarrow y \in (1, \infty)$ .

23 For real values of  $x$ , range of the function  $y = \frac{1}{2 - \sin 3x}$  is

- (a)  $\frac{1}{3} \leq y \leq 1$                       (b)  $-\frac{1}{3} \leq y < 1$                       (c)  $-\frac{1}{3} > y > -1$                       (d)  $\frac{1}{3} > y > 1$

**Sol.** (a)

$\therefore y = \frac{1}{2 - \sin 3x}, \therefore 2 - \sin 3x = \frac{1}{y} \Rightarrow \sin 3x = 2 - \frac{1}{y}$

Now since,

$-1 \leq \sin 3x \leq 1 \Rightarrow -1 \leq 2 - \frac{1}{y} \leq 1 \Rightarrow -3 \leq -\frac{1}{y} \leq -1 \Rightarrow 1 \leq \frac{1}{y} \leq 3 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \leq y \leq 1$ .

24 If  $f(x) = a \cos(bx + c) + d$ , then range of  $f(x)$  is

- (a)  $[d + a, d + 2a]$                       (b)  $[a - d, a + d]$                       (c)  $[d + a, a - d]$                       (d)  $[d - a, d + a]$

**Sol.** (d)

$f(x) = a \cos(bx + c) + d$  ..... (i)

For minimum  $\cos(bx + c) = -1$

from (i),  $f(x) = -a + d = (d - a)$ ,

for maximum  $\cos(bx + c) = 1$

from (i),  $f(x) = a + d = (d + a)$

$\therefore$  Range of  $f(x) = [d - a, d + a]$ .

25 The range of the function  $f(x) = \frac{x+2}{|x+2|}$  is

- (a) {0, 1}                      (b) {-1, 1}                      (c) R                      (d)  $R - \{-2\}$

**Sol.** (b)

$f(x) = \frac{x+2}{|x+2|} = \begin{cases} -1, & x < -2 \\ 1, & x > -2 \end{cases}$

$\therefore$  Range of  $f(x)$  is  $\{-1, 1\}$ .

- 26** The range of  $f(x) = \sec\left(\frac{\pi}{4} \cos^2 x\right)$ ,  $-\infty < x < \infty$  is  
 (a)  $[1, \sqrt{2}]$  (b)  $[1, \infty)$  (c)  $[-\sqrt{2}, -1] \cup [1, \sqrt{2}]$  (d)  $(-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$

**Sol.** (a)

$$f(x) = \sec\left(\frac{\pi}{4} \cos^2 x\right)$$

We know that,  $0 \leq \cos^2 x \leq 1$  at  $\cos x = 0$ ,  $f(x) = 1$  and at  $\cos x = 1$ ,  $f(x) = \sqrt{2}$

$$\therefore 1 \leq x \leq \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow x \in [1, \sqrt{2}].$$

- 27** Range of the function  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + x + 2}{x^2 + x + 1}$ ;  $x \in R$  is  
 (a)  $(1, \infty)$  (b)  $(1, 11/7)$  (c)  $(1, 7/3]$  (d)  $(1, 7/5]$

**Sol.** (c)

$$f(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}} \Rightarrow \text{Range} = (1, 7/3].$$

- 28** Function  $f: N \rightarrow N, f(x) = 2x + 3$  is

- (a) One-one onto (b) One-one into (c) Many-one onto (d) Many-one into

**Sol.** (b)

$f$  is one-one because  $f(x_1) = f(x_2) \Rightarrow 2x_1 + 3 = 2x_2 + 3 \Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$

Further  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x-3}{2} \notin N$  (domain) when  $x = 1, 2, 3$  etc.

$\therefore f$  is into which shows that  $f$  is one-one into.

- 29** The function  $f: R \rightarrow R$  defined by  $f(x) = (x-1)(x-2)(x-3)$  is

- (a) One-one but not onto (b) Onto but not one-one  
 (c) Both one-one and onto (d) Neither one-one nor onto

**Sol.** (b)

We have  $f(x) = (x-1)(x-2)(x-3) \Rightarrow f(1) = f(2) = f(3) = 0 \Rightarrow f(x)$  is not one-one

For each  $y \in R$ , there exists  $x \in R$  such that  $f(x) = y$ . Therefore  $f$  is onto.

Hence,  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is onto but not one-one.

- 30** Find number of surjection from  $A$  to  $B$  where  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ ,  $B = \{a, b\}$

- (a) 13 (b) 14 (c) 15 (d) 16

**Sol.** (b)

$$\text{Number of surjection from } A \text{ to } B = \sum_{r=1}^2 (-1)^{2-r} {}^2C_r (r)^4$$

$$= (-1)^{2-1} {}^2C_1 (1)^4 + (-1)^{2-2} {}^2C_2 (2)^4 = -2 + 16 = 14$$

Therefore, number of surjection from  $A$  to  $B = 14$ .

**Trick :** Total number of functions from  $A$  to  $B$  is  $2^4$  of which two function  $f(x) = a$  for all  $x \in A$  and  $g(x) = b$  for all  $x \in A$  are not surjective. Thus, total number of surjection from  $A$  to  $B = 2^4 - 2 = 14$ .

**31** If  $A = \{a, b, c\}$ , then total number of one-one onto functions which can be defined from  $A$  to  $A$  is

- (a) 3                      (b) 4                      (c) 9                      (d) 6

**Sol.** (d)

Total number of one-one onto functions =  $3!$

**32** If  $f: R \rightarrow R$ , then  $f(x) = |x|$  is

- (a) One-one but not onto                      (b) Onto but not one-one  
(c) One-one and onto                      (d) None of these

**Sol.** (d)

$f(-1) = f(1) = 1$   $\therefore$  function is many-one function.

Obviously,  $f$  is not onto so  $f$  is neither one-one nor onto.

**33** Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be a function defined by  $f(x) = \frac{x-m}{x-n}$ , where  $m \neq n$ . Then

- (a)  $f$  is one-one onto                      (b)  $f$  is one-one into  
(c)  $f$  is many one onto                      (d)  $f$  is many one into

**Sol.** (b)

For any  $x, y \in R$ , we have

$$f(x) = f(y) \Rightarrow \frac{x-m}{x-n} = \frac{y-m}{y-n} \Rightarrow x = y$$

$\therefore f$  is one-one

$$\text{Let } \alpha \in R \text{ such that } f(x) = \alpha \Rightarrow \frac{x-m}{x-n} = \alpha \Rightarrow x = \frac{m-n\alpha}{1-\alpha}$$

Clearly  $x \notin R$  for  $\alpha = 1$ . So,  $f$  is not onto.

**34** The function  $f: R \rightarrow R$  defined by  $f(x) = e^x$  is

- (a) Onto                      (b) Many-one  
(c) One-one and into                      (d) Many one and onto

**Sol.** (c)

Function  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is defined by  $f(x) = e^x$ . Let  $x_1, x_2 \in R$  and  $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$  or  $e^{x_1} = e^{x_2}$

$x_1 = x_2$ . Therefore  $f$  is one-one. Let  $f(x) = e^x = y$ . Taking log on both sides, we get  $x = \log y$

. We know that negative real numbers have no pre-image or the function is not onto and zero is not the image of any real number. Therefore function  $f$  is into.

**35** A function  $f$  from the set of natural numbers to integers defined by  $f(n) = \begin{cases} \frac{n-1}{2}, & \text{when } n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{n}{2}, & \text{when } n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$

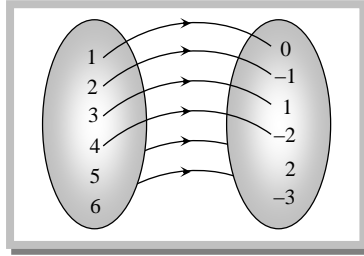
, is

- (a) One-one but not onto                      (b) Onto but not one-one  
(c) One-one and onto both                      (d) Neither one-one nor onto

**Sol.** (c)

$$f: N \rightarrow I$$

$f(1) = 0, f(2) = -1, f(3) = 1, f(4) = -2, f(5) = 2$  and  $f(6) = -3$  so on.



In this type of function every element of set  $A$  has unique image in set  $B$  and there is no element left in set  $B$ . Hence  $f$  is one-one and onto function.

**36** Which of the following is an even function

- (a)  $x\left(\frac{a^x - 1}{a^x + 1}\right)$       (b)  $\tan x$       (c)  $\frac{a^x - a^{-x}}{2}$       (d)  $\frac{a^x + 1}{a^x - 1}$

**Sol.** (a)

We have :  $f(x) = x\left(\frac{a^x - 1}{a^x + 1}\right)$

$$f(-x) = -x\left(\frac{a^{-x} - 1}{a^{-x} + 1}\right) = -x\left(\frac{\frac{1}{a^x} - 1}{\frac{1}{a^x} + 1}\right) = -x\left(\frac{1 - a^x}{1 + a^x}\right) = x\left(\frac{a^x - 1}{a^x + 1}\right) = f(x)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is an even function.

**37** Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{x^4 + 15}$ , then the graph of the function  $y = f(x)$  is symmetrical about

- (a) The  $x$ -axis      (b) The  $y$ -axis      (c) The origin      (d) The line  $x = y$

**Sol.** (b)

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x^4 + 15} \Rightarrow f(-x) = \sqrt{(-x)^4 + 15} = \sqrt{x^4 + 15} = f(x)$$

$\Rightarrow f(-x) = f(x) \Rightarrow f(x)$  is an even function  $\Rightarrow f(x)$  is symmetric about  $y$ -axis.

**38** The function  $f(x) = \log(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$  is

- (a) An even function      (b) An odd function  
(c) Periodic function      (d) None of these

**Sol.** (b)

$$f(x) = \log(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}) \text{ and } f(-x) = -\log(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}) = -f(x), \text{ so } f(x) \text{ is an odd function.}$$

**39** Which of the following is an even function

- (a)  $f(x) = \frac{a^x + 1}{a^x - 1}$       (b)  $f(x) = x\left(\frac{a^x - 1}{a^x + 1}\right)$       (c)  $f(x) = \frac{a^x - a^{-x}}{a^x + a^{-x}}$       (d)  $f(x) = \sin x$

**Sol.** (b)

In option (a),  $f(-x) = \frac{a^{-x} + 1}{a^{-x} - 1} = \frac{1 + a^x}{1 - a^x} = -\frac{a^x + 1}{a^x - 1} = -f(x)$  So, It is an odd function.

In option (b),  $f(-x) = (-x)\frac{a^{-x} - 1}{a^{-x} + 1} = -x\frac{(1 - a^x)}{1 + a^x} = x\frac{(a^x - 1)}{(a^x + 1)} = f(x)$  So, It is an even function.



In option (c),  $f(-x) = \frac{a^{-x} - a^x}{a^{-x} + a^x} = -f(x)$  So, It is an odd function.

In option (d),  $f(-x) = \sin(-x) = -\sin x = -f(x)$  So, It is an odd function.

**40** The function  $f(x) = \sin\left(\log(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})\right)$  is

- (a) Even function (b) Odd function  
(c) Neither even nor odd (d) Periodic function

**Sol.** (b)

$$f(x) = \sin\left(\log(x + \sqrt{1 + x^2})\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(-x) = \sin[\log(-x + \sqrt{1 + x^2})] \Rightarrow f(-x) = \sin\log\left((\sqrt{1 + x^2} - x) \frac{(\sqrt{1 + x^2} + x)}{(\sqrt{1 + x^2} + x)}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(-x) = \sin\log\left[\frac{1}{(x + \sqrt{1 + x^2})}\right] \Rightarrow f(-x) = \sin\left[\log(x + \sqrt{1 + x^2})^{-1}\right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(-x) = \sin\left[-\log(x + \sqrt{1 + x^2})\right] \Rightarrow f(-x) = -\sin\left[\log(x + \sqrt{1 + x^2})\right] \Rightarrow f(-x) = -f(x)$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is odd function.

**41** The period of the function  $f(x) = 2\cos\frac{1}{3}(x - \pi)$  is

- (a)  $6\pi$  (b)  $4\pi$  (c)  $2\pi$  (d)  $\pi$

**Sol.** (a)

$$f(x) = 2\cos\frac{1}{3}(x - \pi) = 2\cos\left(\frac{x}{3} - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

Now, since  $\cos x$  has period  $2\pi \Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{x}{3} - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$  has period  $\frac{2\pi}{\frac{1}{3}} = 6\pi$

$\Rightarrow 2\cos\left(\frac{x}{3} - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$  has period  $= 6\pi$ .

**42** The function  $f(x) = \sin\frac{\pi x}{2} + 2\cos\frac{\pi x}{3} - \tan\frac{\pi x}{4}$  is periodic with period

- (a) 6 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 12

**Sol.** (d)

$$\therefore \sin x \text{ has period} = 2\pi \Rightarrow \sin\frac{\pi x}{2} \text{ has period} = \frac{2\pi}{\frac{\pi}{2}} = 4$$

$$\therefore \cos x \text{ has period} = 2\pi \Rightarrow \cos\frac{\pi x}{3} \text{ has period} = \frac{2\pi}{\frac{\pi}{3}} = 6 \Rightarrow 2\cos\frac{\pi x}{3} \text{ has period} = 6$$

$$\therefore \tan x \text{ has period} = \pi \Rightarrow \tan\frac{\pi x}{4} \text{ has period} = \frac{\pi}{\frac{\pi}{4}} = 4.$$

L.C.M. of 4, 6 and 4 = 12, period of  $f(x) = 12$ .

**43** The period of  $|\sin 2x|$  is

- (a)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$                       (b)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$                       (c)  $\pi$                       (d)  $2\pi$

**Sol.** (b)

Here  $|\sin 2x| = \sqrt{\sin^2 2x} = \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos 4x}{2}}$

Period of  $\cos 4x$  is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ . Hence, period of  $|\sin 2x|$  will be  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

**Trick :**  $\because \sin x$  has period  $= 2\pi \Rightarrow \sin 2x$  has period  $= \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$ . Now, if  $f(x)$  has period  $p$  then

$|f(x)|$  has period  $\frac{p}{2} \Rightarrow |\sin 2x|$  has period  $= \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

**44** If  $f(x)$  is an odd periodic function with period 2, then  $f(4)$  equals

- (a) 0                      (b) 2                      (c) 4                      (d) -4

**Sol.** (a)

Given,  $f(x)$  is an odd periodic function. We can take  $\sin x$ , which is odd and periodic.

Now since,  $\sin x$  has period  $= 2$  and  $f(x)$  has period  $= 2$ .

So,  $f(x) = \sin(\pi x) \Rightarrow f(4) = \sin(4\pi) = 0$ .

**45** The period of the function  $f(x) = \sin^2 x$  is

- (a)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$                       (b)  $\pi$                       (c)  $2\pi$                       (d) None of these

**Sol.** (b)

$\sin^2 x = \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \Rightarrow \text{Period} = \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$ .

**46** The period of  $f(x) = x - [x]$ , if it is periodic, is

- (a)  $f(x)$  is not periodic (b)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (c) 1                      (d) 2

**Sol.** (c)

Let  $f(x)$  be periodic with period  $T$ . Then,

$f(x+T) = f(x)$  for all  $x \in R \Rightarrow x+T - [x+T] = x - [x]$  for all  $x \in R \Rightarrow x+T - x = [x+T] - [x]$   
 $\Rightarrow [x+T] - [x] = T$  for all  $x \in R \Rightarrow T = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$

The smallest value of  $T$  satisfying,

$f(x+T) = f(x)$  for all  $x \in R$  is 1.

Hence  $f(x) = x - [x]$  has period 1.

**47** The period of  $f(x) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{n-1}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{n}\right)$ ,  $n \in Z$ ,  $n > 2$  is

- (a)  $2\pi(n-1)$                       (b)  $4\pi(n-1)$                       (c)  $2\pi n$                       (d) None of these

**Sol.** (c)

$f(x) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{n-1}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{n}\right)$

Period of  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{n-1}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{\left(\frac{\pi}{n-1}\right)} = 2(n-1)$  and period of  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{n}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right)} = 2n$

Hence period of  $f(x)$  is LCM of  $2n$  and  $2(n-1) \Rightarrow 2n(n-1)$ .

**48** If  $a, b$  be two fixed positive integers such that  $f(a+x) = b + [b^3 + 1 - 3b^2f(x) + 3b\{f(x)\}^2 - \{f(x)\}^3]^{1/3}$  for all real  $x$ , then  $f(x)$  is a periodic function with period

- (a)  $a$  (b)  $2a$  (c)  $b$  (d)  $2b$

**Sol.** (b)

$$\begin{aligned} f(a+x) &= b + (1 + \{b - f(x)\}^3)^{1/3} \Rightarrow f(a+x) - b = \{1 - \{f(x) - b\}^3\}^{1/3} \\ \Rightarrow \phi(a+x) &= \{1 - \{\phi(x)\}^3\}^{1/3} \quad [\phi(x) = f(x) - b] \Rightarrow \phi(x+2a) = \{1 - \{\phi(x+a)\}^3\}^{1/3} = \phi(x) \\ \Rightarrow f(x+2a) - b &= f(x) - b \Rightarrow f(x+2a) = f(x) \\ \therefore f(x) &\text{ is periodic with period } 2a. \end{aligned}$$

**49** If  $f: R \rightarrow R, f(x) = 2x - 1$  and  $g: R \rightarrow R, g(x) = x^2$  then  $(g \circ f)(x)$  equals

- (a)  $2x^2 - 1$  (b)  $(2x - 1)^2$  (c)  $4x^2 - 2x + 1$  (d)  $x^2 + 2x - 1$

**Sol.** (b)

$$g \circ f(x) = g\{f(x)\} = g(2x - 1) = (2x - 1)^2.$$

**50** If  $f: R \rightarrow R, f(x) = (x + 1)^2$  and  $g: R \rightarrow R, g(x) = x^2 + 1$ , then  $(f \circ g)(-3)$  is equal to

- (a) 121 (b) 144 (c) 112 (d) 11

**Sol.** (a)

$$f \circ g(x) = f\{g(x)\} = f(x^2 + 1) = (x^2 + 1 + 1)^2 = (x^2 + 2)^2 \Rightarrow f \circ g(-3) = (9 + 2)^2 = 121.$$

**51** Which of the following function is invertible

- (a)  $f(x) = 2^x$  (b)  $f(x) = x^3 - x$  (c)  $f(x) = x^2$  (d) None of these

**Sol.** (a)

A function is invertible if it is one-one and onto.

**52** If  $g(x) = x^2 + x - 2$  and  $\frac{1}{2}(g \circ f)(x) = 2x^2 - 5x + 2$ , then  $f(x)$  is equal to

- (a)  $2x - 3$  (b)  $2x + 3$  (c)  $2x^2 + 3x + 1$  (d)  $2x^2 - 3x - 1$

**Sol.** (a)

$$g(x) = x^2 + x - 2 \Rightarrow (g \circ f)(x) = g[f(x)] = [f(x)]^2 + f(x) - 2$$

$$\text{Given, } \frac{1}{2}(g \circ f)(x) = 2x^2 - 5x + 2 \quad \therefore \frac{1}{2}[f(x)]^2 + \frac{1}{2}f(x) - 1 = 2x^2 - 5x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow [f(x)]^2 + f(x) = 4x^2 - 10x + 6 \Rightarrow f(x)[f(x) + 1] = (2x - 3)(2x - 3) + 1 \Rightarrow f(x) = 2x - 3.$$

**53** If  $f(y) = \frac{y}{\sqrt{1-y^2}}, g(y) = \frac{y}{\sqrt{1+y^2}}$ , then  $(f \circ g)(y)$  is equal to

- (a)  $\frac{y}{\sqrt{1-y^2}}$  (b)  $\frac{y}{\sqrt{1+y^2}}$  (c)  $y$  (d)  $\frac{1-y^2}{\sqrt{1+y^2}}$

**Sol.** (c)

$$f \circ g(y) = \frac{y / \sqrt{1+y^2}}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{y}{\sqrt{1+y^2}}\right)^2}} = \frac{y}{\sqrt{1+y^2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{1+y^2}}{\sqrt{1+y^2-y^2}} = y$$

**54** If  $f(x) = \frac{2x-3}{x-2}$ , then  $[f\{f(x)\}]$  equals

- (a)  $x$  (b)  $-x$  (c)  $\frac{x}{2}$  (d)  $-\frac{1}{x}$

**Sol.** (a)

$$f[f(x)] = \frac{2\left(\frac{2x-3}{x-2}\right) - 3}{\left(\frac{2x-3}{x-2}\right) - 2} = x$$

**55** Suppose that  $g(x) = 1 + \sqrt{x}$  and  $f(g(x)) = 3 + 2\sqrt{x} + x$ , then  $f(x)$  is

- (a)  $1 + 2x^2$  (b)  $2 + x^2$  (c)  $1 + x$  (d)  $2 + x$

**Sol.** (b)

$$g(x) = 1 + \sqrt{x} \text{ and } f(g(x)) = 3 + 2\sqrt{x} + x \quad \dots (i)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1 + \sqrt{x}) = 3 + 2\sqrt{x} + x$$

$$\text{Put } 1 + \sqrt{x} = y \Rightarrow x = (y-1)^2$$

$$\text{then, } f(y) = 3 + 2(y-1) + (y-1)^2 = 2 + y^2$$

$$\text{therefore, } f(x) = 2 + x^2.$$

**56** Let  $g(x) = 1 + x - [x]$  and  $f(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ 1, & x > 0 \end{cases}$ , then for all  $x$ ,  $f(g(x))$  is equal to

- (a)  $x$  (b)  $1$  (c)  $f(x)$  (d)  $g(x)$

**Sol.** (b)

$$\text{Here } g(x) = 1 + n - n = 1, x = n \in Z$$

$$1 + n + k - n = 1 + k, x = n + k \quad (\text{where } n \in Z, 0 < k < 1)$$

$$\text{Now } f(g(x)) = \begin{cases} -1, & g(x) < 0 \\ 0, & g(x) = 0 \\ 1, & g(x) > 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $g(x) > 0$  for all  $x$ . So,  $f(g(x)) = 1$  for all  $x$ .

**57** If  $f(x) = \frac{2x+1}{3x-2}$ , then  $(f \circ f)(2)$  is equal to

- (a)  $1$  (b)  $3$  (c)  $4$  (d)  $2$

**Sol.** (d)

$$\text{Here } f(2) = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\text{Hence } (f \circ f)(2) = f(f(2)) = f\left(\frac{5}{4}\right) = \frac{2 \times \frac{5}{4} + 1}{3 \times \frac{5}{4} - 2} = 2.$$

**58** If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  and  $g: R \rightarrow R$  are given by  $f(x) = |x|$  and  $g(x) = [x]$  for each  $x \in R$ , then  $\{x \in R: g(f(x)) \leq f(g(x))\} =$

- (a)  $Z \cup (-\infty, 0)$  (b)  $(-\infty, 0)$  (c)  $Z$  (d)  $R$

**Sol.** (d)

$$g(f(x)) \leq f(g(x)) \Rightarrow g(|x|) \leq f[x] \Rightarrow [|x|] \leq [x]. \text{ This is true for } x \in R.$$

**59** If  $f: [1, \infty) \rightarrow [1, \infty)$  is defined as  $f(x) = 2^{x(x-1)}$  then  $f^{-1}(x)$  is equal to

- (a)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x(x-1)}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{2}\left(1 + \sqrt{1 + 4 \log_2 x}\right)$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{2}\left(1 - \sqrt{1 + 4 \log_2 x}\right)$  (d) Not defined

**Sol.** (b)

Given  $f(x) = 2^{x(x-1)} \Rightarrow x(x-1) = \log_2 f(x)$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - x - \log_2 f(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 4 \log_2 f(x)}}{2}$$

Only  $x = \frac{1 + \sqrt{1 + 4 \log_2 f(x)}}{2}$  lies in the domain

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{2}[1 + \sqrt{1 + 4 \log_2 x}]$$

**60** If the function  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be such that  $f(x) = x - [x]$ , where  $[y]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $y$ , then  $f^{-1}(x)$  is

- (a)  $\frac{1}{x - [x]}$  (b)  $[x] - x$  (c) Not defined (d) None of these

**Sol.** (c)

$f(x) = x - [x]$  Since, for  $x = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = 0$

For  $x = 1 \Rightarrow f(x) = 0$ .

For every integer value of  $x$ ,  $f(x) = 0$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is not one-one

$\Rightarrow$  So  $f^{-1}(x)$  is not defined.

## EXERCISE – 2

### Q.1 (D)

$$\text{Domain of } \sqrt{\sec^{-1}\left(\frac{2-|x|}{4}\right)}$$

$\sec^{-1} x$  is always positive

$$\text{So, } \frac{2-|x|}{4} \geq 1 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{2-|x|}{4} \leq -1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2-|x| \geq 4 \quad \text{or} \quad 2-|x| \leq -4$$

$$\Rightarrow |x| \leq -2 \quad \text{or} \quad |x| \geq 6$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in [-\infty, -6] \cup [6, \infty]$$

### Q.2 (D)

$$f(x) = \log\left(\frac{x^2-5x+6}{x^2+x+1}\right) + \sqrt{\frac{1}{x^2-1}}$$

$$\frac{x^2-5x+6}{x^2+x+1} > 0 \quad \text{and} \quad [x^2-1] > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)(x-3) > 0 \quad \text{and} \quad x^2-1 \geq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, 2) \cup (3, \infty) \quad \text{and} \quad x \in [-\infty, -\sqrt{2}] \cup [\sqrt{2}, \infty]$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in [-\infty, -\sqrt{2}] \cup [\sqrt{2}, 2] \cup (3, \infty)$$

### Q.3 (A)

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1-|x|}{3}\right) + \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{|x|-3}{5}\right)$$

$$-1 \leq \frac{1-|x|}{3} \leq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad -1 \leq \frac{|x|-3}{5} \leq 5$$

$$\Rightarrow -3 \leq 1-|x| \leq 3 \quad \text{and} \quad \Rightarrow -5 \leq |x|-3 \leq 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \geq |x| \geq -2 \quad \text{and} \quad \Rightarrow -2 \leq |x| \leq 8$$

$$\text{So, } x \in [-4, 4] \quad \text{and} \quad x \in [-8, 8]$$

**Q.4 (B)**

$$f(x) = \sqrt{2\{x\}^2 - 3\{x\} + 1}$$

$$2\{x\}^2 - 3\{x\} + 1 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2\{x\} - 1)(\{x\} - 1) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \{x\} \in \left(-\infty, \frac{1}{2}\right) \cup (1, \infty)$$

But  $\{x\}$  has range  $(0, 1)$  only so,  $\{x\} \in \left[0, \frac{1}{2}\right]$  and  $x = [x] + \{x\}$

$$\text{in } (-1, 1), \quad x \in \left[-1 + 0, -1 + \frac{1}{2}\right] \cup \left[0 + 0, 0 + \frac{1}{2}\right] \cup \{1 + 0\}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \left[-1, -\frac{1}{2}\right] \cup \left[0, \frac{1}{2}\right] \cup \{1\}$$

**Q.5 (D)**

$$f(x) = \sqrt{\cos(\sin x)} + \sqrt{\log_x \{x\}}$$

$$-1 \leq \sin x \leq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq \{x\} \leq 1$$

$$1 \geq \cos(\sin x) \geq \cos 1 \quad \text{So, } x \neq n, n \in \mathbb{I}$$

$$\text{Hence, } x \in \mathbb{R} \quad \log_x \{n\} \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x < 1, x > 0, x \neq 1$$

$$\text{So, } x \in (0, 1)$$

**Q.6 (D)**

$$\sqrt{[x] - 1 + x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \geq 1 - [x]$$

Hence for  $x \geq 1$  &  $x \leq -3$  .....(1)

For,  $x \in (-1, 1)$ ,  $x^2 \in (0, 1)$

And  $1 - [x] \geq 0$ . So, not satisfying inequality.

For,  $x \in (-2, -1)$ ,  $[x] = -2$  .....(2)

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \geq 3$$

So,  $x \in (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}) \cup (\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

Hence,  $x \in [-\infty, -\sqrt{3}]$  .....(3)

From (1), (2), (3)

$$x \in (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}) \cup (1, \infty)$$

**Q.7 (D)**

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1} \left[ \log_2 \left( \frac{x^2}{2} \right) \right] \quad [ \cdot ] \rightarrow \text{GIF}$$

$$-1 \leq \left[ \log_2 \left( \frac{x^2}{2} \right) \right] \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq \log_2 \left( \frac{x^2}{2} \right) < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \leq \frac{x^2}{2} < 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \leq x^2 < 8$$

So,  $x \in (-2\sqrt{2}, -1) \cup (1, 2\sqrt{2})$

**Q.8 (C)**

$$2^x + 2^{f(x)} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^{f(x)} = (2 - 2^x)$$



$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \log_2(2 - 2^x)$$

$$\text{So, } 2 - 2^x > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^x < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x < 1$$

Solution :  $(-\infty, 1)$

### Q.9 (B)

$f(x)$  has domain  $[-1, 2]$

For  $f([x] - x^2 + 4)$  to have real value.

$$-1 \leq [x] - x^2 + 4 \leq 2$$

$$5 \geq x^2 - [x] \geq 2$$

$$5 + [x] \geq x^2 \geq 2 + [x]$$

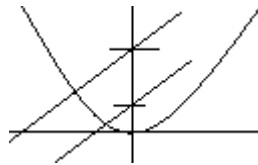
$$x^2 \geq 2 + [x]$$

is always true for  $x \geq \sqrt{3}$

and  $x \leq -1$

So,  $x \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

Solution :  $x \in [-\sqrt{3}, -1] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{7}]$



$$x^2 \leq 5 + [x]$$

is always true for  $x \leq \sqrt{7}$

and  $x \geq -\sqrt{3}$

$x \in (-\sqrt{3}, 7)$

### Q.10 (C)

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1 - 2\cos x}$$

$$-1 \leq \cos x \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 \leq 2\cos x \leq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \geq 1 - 2\cos x \geq -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1 - 2\cos x} \leq -1 \quad \frac{1}{1 - 2\cos x} \geq \frac{1}{3}$$

So,  $x \in (-\infty, -1) \cup \left(\frac{1}{3}, \infty\right)$

**Q.11 (D)**

$$\begin{aligned}f(x) &= \sin^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x \\&= (\sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x) + \tan^{-1} x \\&= \frac{\pi}{2} + \tan^{-1} x\end{aligned}$$

But  $x \in [-1, 1]$

$$\text{So, } \frac{-\pi}{4} \leq \tan^{-1} x \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \frac{\pi}{2} + \tan^{-1} x \leq \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{Hence } x \in \left[\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}\right]$$

**Q.12. (B)**

$$\begin{aligned}f(x) &= \sin^{-1} \left[x^2 + \frac{1}{2}\right] + \cos^{-1} \left[x^2 - \frac{1}{2}\right] \\&= \sin^{-1} \left[x^2 + \frac{1}{2}\right] + \cos^{-1} \left(\left[x^2 + \frac{1}{2}\right] - 1\right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } -1 \leq \left[x^2 + \frac{1}{2}\right] \leq 1$$

$$\text{And } 1 \leq \left[x^2 + \frac{1}{2}\right] - 1 \leq 1$$

$$\text{So, } 0 \leq \left[x^2 + \frac{1}{2}\right] \leq 1$$

$$\text{Hence, } \left[x^2 + \frac{1}{2}\right] = \{0, 1\}$$

Hence,  $f(x) \in \{\pi\}$

**Q.13 (C)**

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1}(\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1})$$

$$x^2 + x + 1 \geq \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} \geq \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

For  $\sin^{-1} \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1}$  to be defined

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \leq \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \leq \sin^{-1} \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} \leq \sin^{-1} 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3} \leq f(x) \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

So,  $\left[ \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$

**Q.14 (C)**

$$f(x) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} \right)$$

Range of  $\frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} : [0, 1]$

hence range of  $f(x) : \left[ 0, \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$

**Q.15 (D)**

$$f(x) = \sqrt{\ln(\cos(\sin x))}$$

$$-1 \leq \sin x \leq 1$$

$$\cos 1 \leq \cos(\sin x) \leq 1$$

$$\text{or } \ln \cos(\sin x) \leq \ln 1$$

For square root to be defined,  $\ln \cos(\sin x) \geq 0$

hence  $\ln \cos(\sin x) = 0$ .

Range of  $f(x)$ :  $\{0\}$

**Q.16 (D)**

$$f(x) = \frac{x-1}{x^2-2x+3}$$

Discriminant of  $x^2-2x+3$  is negative so  $x^2-2x+3$  is always positive

$$f(x) = \frac{x-1}{(x-1)^2+2} = \frac{1}{(x-1)+\frac{2}{x-1}}$$

$$\text{So, for } x > 1, (x-1) + \left(\frac{2}{x-1}\right) \geq 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{1}{(x-1)+\frac{2}{x-1}} \leq \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } x < 1, \frac{1}{(x-1)+\frac{2}{x-1}} \geq \frac{1}{-2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{So, } f(x) \in \left[ \frac{1}{-2\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \right]$$

**Q.17 (D)**

$$f(x) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1+x^2}{2x}\right) + \sqrt{2-x^2}$$

$$\frac{1+x^2}{2x} \geq 1 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{1+x^2}{2x} \leq -1$$

So,  $x = 1$  and  $x = -1$  are the 2 points in domain.

$$\text{So, } f(1) = 0 + 1$$

$$f(-1) = \pi + 1$$

$$\text{So, Range} = \{1, 1 + \pi\}$$

**Q.18 (D)**

$$f(x) = \frac{\tan(\pi[x^2 - x])}{1 + \sin(\cos x)}$$

Domain is  $\mathbb{R}$

$\because [\cdot]$  is an integral value so,  $\pi[x^2 - x]$  is an integral multiple of  $\pi$ .

$$\text{hence } \tan(\pi[\cdot]) = 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\text{Range} = \{0\}$$

**Q.19 (D)**

$$f(x) = \frac{e^x}{[x+1]}, \quad x \geq 0$$

$\because e^x$  is an increasing continuous function and  $[x+1] \geq 1$

Hence, Range will be  $[1, \infty]$

**Q.20 (C)**

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1-x}, \quad x \neq 1 \Rightarrow f(f(x)) = \frac{1}{1-f(x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{1-x}}$$

$$= \frac{x-1}{x}, x \neq 0, x \neq 1$$

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

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{1-x} - 1}{\frac{1}{1-x}}, x \neq 0, x \neq 1$$

$$= x, x \neq 0, x \neq 1$$

**Q.21 (A)**

$$f(g(x)) = |\sin x|$$

$$g(f(x)) = \sin^2 \sqrt{x}$$

So,  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  &  $g(x) = \sin^2 x$

**Q.22 (A)**

Given  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 1-x & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$

So,  $f(f(x)) = \begin{cases} f(x) & \text{if } f(x) \text{ is rational} \\ 1-f(x) & \text{if } f(x) \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow f(f(x)) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 1-(1-x) & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$

Hence  $f(f(x)) = x$ .

**Q.23 (D)**

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ x & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$f(f(x)) = \begin{cases} (f(x))^2 & \text{if } f(x) \leq 0 \\ f(x) & \text{if } f(x) > 0 \end{cases}$$

Now  $f(x)$  can't be less than 0 hence

$f(f(x)) = f(x)$  for all values of  $x$ .

**Q.24 (A)**

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1}(\sin x) + e^{\tan x}$$

$\sin^{-1}(\sin x)$  has a period of  $2\pi$

and  $e^{\tan x}$  has a period of  $\pi$

So, period of  $f(x) = \text{LCM}\{\pi, 2\pi\}$  i.e.  $2\pi$

**Q.25 (D)**

$$(A) \frac{2^x}{2^{\{x\}}} = 2^{x-\{x\}} = 2^{\{x\}}.$$

$$\text{Now } 2^{\{x+T\}} = 2^{\{x\}} \Rightarrow \{x+T\} = \{x\} \Rightarrow T = 1.$$

$$(B) \sin^{-1}\{x+T\} = \sin^{-1}\{x\} \Rightarrow \{x+T\} = \{x\} \Rightarrow T = 1$$

$$(C) \sin^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\sin(x+T)}\right) = \sin^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\sin x}\right) \Rightarrow \sin(x+T) = \sin x \Rightarrow T = 2\pi$$

$$(D) \sin^{-1}\left(\cos(x+T)^2\right) = \sin^{-1}\left(\cos(x)^2\right) \Rightarrow \cos(x+T)^2 = \cos(x)^2$$

Function is non periodic.

**Q.26 (C)**

$$f(x) = \frac{\cos(\sin(nx))}{\tan\left(\frac{x}{n}\right)}, n \in \mathbb{N} \text{ has period } 6\pi$$

Numerator has a period of  $\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right)$

Denominator has period of  $n\pi$ , where  $n \in \mathbb{I}$

$$\text{So, period of } f(x) = \text{LCM}\left\{\frac{\pi}{n}, n\pi\right\} = n\pi = 6\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 6$$

**Q.27 (A)**

$$f(x) = \sin 3\pi\{x\} + \tan \pi[x]$$

As  $[x]$  is an integer hence  $\tan \pi[x]$  is always equal to 0.

$$f(x+T) = f(x) \Rightarrow \sin(3\pi\{x+T\}) = \sin(3\pi\{x\}) \Rightarrow 3\pi\{x+T\} = n\pi + (-1)^n(3\pi\{x\})$$

$$\text{or } 3\{x+T\} = n + (-1)^n(3\{x\})$$

$$(i) \ n = 2m \Rightarrow \{x+T\} - \{x\} = \frac{2m}{3}$$

As  $0 \leq \{x+T\} - \{x\} < 1$  hence  $m = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \{x+T\} = \{x\} \Rightarrow T = 1$$

$$(ii) \ n = 2m+1 \Rightarrow \{x+T\} + \{x\} = \frac{2m+1}{3}$$

As  $0 \leq \{x+T\} + \{x\} < 2$  hence  $m = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \{x+T\} + \{x\} = 1 \Rightarrow T = 1$$

Therefore period is 1.

**Q.28 (B)**

$$f(x) = \sin(\cos x) - x + \tan(\sin x) \quad \forall x \in (0, \infty).$$

If  $f(x)$  is defined in  $(0, a)$ , then odd extension of  $f(x) = -f(-x)$  in  $(-a, 0)$ .

So, odd extension of  $f(x) = \sin(\cos x) + x - \tan(\sin x) \quad \forall x \in (-\infty, 0)$ .

**Q.29 (C)**

$$(A) \ g(x) - g(-x) = f(x)$$

$$f(-x) = g(-x) - (g(x))$$

$$= -(g(x) - g(-x))$$

Therefore it's an Odd function.

(B) Similar as (A) odd function.

$$(C) \ f(x) = \log\left(\frac{x^4 + x^2 + 1}{x^2 + x + 1}\right)$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 f(-x) &= \log\left(\frac{x^4 + x^2 + 1}{x^2 - x + 1}\right) \\
 &= -\log\left(\frac{x^2 - x + 1}{x^4 + x^2 + 1}\right) \neq -f(x)
 \end{aligned}$$

So it's not an odd function

(D)  $xg(x) \cdot g(-x) + \tan(\sin x) = f(x)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(-x) &= -xg(-x) \cdot g(x) + \tan(\sin x) \\
 &= -(xg(x) \cdot g(-x) + \tan(\sin x)) \\
 0 &= -f(x)
 \end{aligned}$$

It's an odd function.

**Q.30 (B)**

$$f: [-4, 4] \rightarrow \{\pi, 0, \pi\} \rightarrow R$$

$$f(x) = \cot(\sin x) + \left\lceil \frac{x^2}{|a|} \right\rceil \text{ is an odd function}$$

Then  $f(-x) = -f(x)$

$$\Rightarrow -\cot(\sin x) = \left\lceil \frac{x^2}{|a|} \right\rceil = -\cot \sin f \left\lceil \frac{x^2}{|a|} \right\rceil$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \left\lceil \frac{x^2}{|a|} \right\rceil = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |a| < x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |a| > (x^2)_{\max}$$

$$\Rightarrow |a| > 16$$

$$a \in (-\infty, -16) \cup (16, \infty)$$

**Q.31 (B)**

$$f : (2, \infty) \rightarrow (-\infty, 4)$$

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

$$= x^2 - 4x$$

$$f'(x) = -2x + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2, \quad f(2) = 4$$

Hence, function is bijective in  $(2, \infty) \rightarrow (-\infty, 4)$

$$y = x(y-x)$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{46 - 4y}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \pm \sqrt{4 - y}$$

$$\text{Hence, } f^{-1}(x) = 2 + \sqrt{4 - x}$$

### Q.32 (C)

$$A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$$

$$f : A \rightarrow A$$

$$f(2) \neq 2, f(4) \neq 4, f(1) = 1$$

$$\text{If } f(3) = 3, \text{ then } f(2) = 4, f(4) = 2, f(1) = 1$$

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### Q.33 (A)

$$f : (-\infty, 1) \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{2}, \infty\right)$$

$$f(x) = 2^{x(x-2)}$$

$$g(x) = x(x-2) = x^2 - 2x$$

$\forall x \in (-\infty, 1)$   $g(x)$  is one - one

and for,  $\forall x \in (-\infty, +1)$ ,  $g(x) \in (-1, \infty)$

$$\text{Hence, } f(x) \in \left(\frac{1}{2}, \infty\right)$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is invertible.

$$y = 2^{x(x-2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2x = \log y$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2x - \log y = 0$$

$$\text{So, } x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 4 \log y}}{2}$$

$$\text{Hence, } f^{-1}(x) = 1 - \sqrt{1 + \log_2 x}$$

**Q.34 (C)**

$$f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$f(x) = ax + \cos x$  is invertible function

So,  $f(x)$  should be injective

for  $a \neq 0$ , Range is  $\mathbb{R}$

So,  $f(x)$  to be one - one

$$f'(x) \geq 0 \Rightarrow a - \sin x \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a \geq \sin x \Rightarrow a \geq 1$$

or,  $f'(x) \leq 0 \Rightarrow a - \sin x \leq 0$

$$\Rightarrow a \leq \sin x \Rightarrow a \leq -1$$

So,  $a \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$

**Q.35 (C)**

$$f(x) = \cot^{-1} \log_{\frac{1}{2}}(x^4 - 2x^2 + 3)$$

$$x^4 - 2x^2 + 3 = (x^2 - 1)^2 + 2$$

Hence,  $(x^2 - 1)^2 + 2 \geq 2$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \log_{\frac{1}{2}}[(x^2 - 1) + 2] \leq -1$$

Hence,  $-\infty < g(x) \leq -1$

So,  $\cot^{-1}(-1) \leq \cot^{-1}(g(x)) < \cot^{-1}(-\infty)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3\pi}{4} \leq f(x) < \pi$$

**Q.36 (C)**

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sin(x + 3 - [x + 3]) \\ &= \sin(\{x + 3\}) \\ &= \sin(\{x\}) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, period of  $f(x) = 1$ .

**Q.37 (B)**

$$f(x) = x^2 + bx + c$$

if  $f(2+t) = f(2-t) \Rightarrow f(x)$  is symmetric about  $x = 2$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is minimum at  $x = 2$

Hence,  $f(1) = f(3) > f(2)$

$$f(0) = f(4) > f(1) = f(3) > f(2)$$

Hence,  $f(4) > f(1) > f(2)$

**Q.38 (A)**

$$f(x+ay, x-ay) = axy$$

$$\text{Let, } x+ay = u$$

$$x-ay = w$$

$$\text{So, } x = \frac{u+w}{2}, \quad y = \left(\frac{u-w}{2a}\right)$$

$$\text{Hence, } f(u, w) = a \cdot \left(\frac{u+w}{2}\right) \left(\frac{u-w}{2a}\right) = \frac{u^2 - w^2}{4}$$

$$\text{So, } f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{4}$$

**Q.39 (D)**

$$[x]\{x\} = 1 \Rightarrow \{x\} = \frac{1}{[x]}$$

$$0 \leq \{x\} < 1, \text{ hence, } [x] \geq 2$$

$$\text{So, for } [x] = I; I \geq 2$$

$$x = [x] + \frac{1}{[x]} = I + \frac{1}{I}$$

$$\text{So, solution} = \left\{ m + \frac{1}{m} \mid m \in N - \{1\} \right\}$$

**Q.40 (A)**

$$f(x) = 2 \tan 3x + 5\sqrt{1 - \cos 6x}$$

$$= 2 \tan 3x + 5|\sin 3x|\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Period of } \tan 3x \text{ is } \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ and period of } |\sin 3x| \text{ is } \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

$$\text{So, period of } f(x) = \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

$$\text{Hence, } g(x) \text{ has a period} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$(A) (\sec^2 3x + \operatorname{cosec}^2 3x) \tan^2 3x$$

$$= 3 + \tan^4 3x \text{ has period } \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$(B) 2 \cos 3x + 3 \sin 3x = \sqrt{13} \cos(3x + \phi)$$

$$\text{period} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$(C) 2\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 3x} + \operatorname{cosec} 3x$$

$$= 2 \left| \sin \frac{3x}{2} \right| + \operatorname{cosec} 3x$$

$$\text{period} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$(D) g(x) = 3 \operatorname{cosec} 3x + 2 \tan 3x$$

$$\text{Period of } \operatorname{cosec} 3x = \frac{2\pi}{3} \text{ and period of } \tan 3x = \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

$$\text{Hence period of } g(x) = \frac{2\pi}{3}.$$

### Exercise 3

#### Q.1 (B)

$$\Rightarrow \log_{\frac{1}{2}}(x^2 - 5x + 7) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < x^2 - 5x + 7 < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (2, 3)$$

#### Q.2 (B)

$$\Rightarrow \log_3(x^2 - 6x + 11) < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < x^2 - 6x + 11 < 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (2, 4)$$

#### Q.3 (D)

In this case base is variable. Thus we must take two separate cases:

(i)  $|x| \in (0, 1)$ . In this case we have to ensure that  $0 < x^2 + x + 1 \leq 1$

$$\Rightarrow x \in [-1, 0].$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Common part of } |x| \in (0, 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{And } x \in [-1, 0] \text{ is } x \in (-1, 0).$$

(ii)  $|x| > 1$ . In this case we must have  $x^2 + x + 1 \geq 1$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (0, \infty).$$

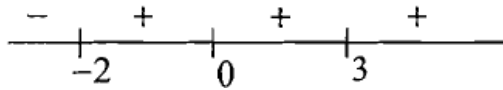
$$\Rightarrow \text{Common part of } |x| > 1 \text{ and } x \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (0, \infty) \text{ is } (-\infty, -1) \text{ is } (-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Thus, the final solution is } x \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, 0) \cup (1, \infty)$$

#### Q.4 (C)

$\Rightarrow$  Using wavy curve method and the fact that  $x = 0$  and  $3$  are the repeated roots of

$x(e^x - 1)(x + 2)(x - 3)^2$  we get the sign scheme of the given expression as



$\Rightarrow$  Thus complete solution is  $x \in (-\infty, -2] \cup (0, 3)$ .

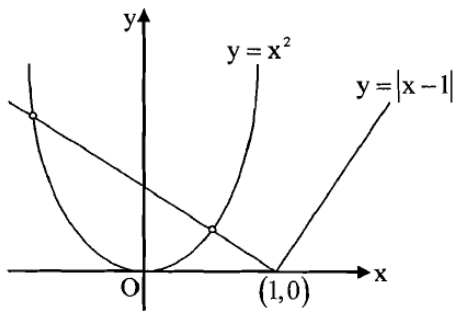
**Q.5 (B)**

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{x^2}{x-1} \right| \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \leq |x-1|, x \neq 1$$

$\Rightarrow$  Adjacent figure represents the graphs of  $y = x^2$  and  $y = |x-1|$

$\Rightarrow$  Solving  $x^2 = 1 - x$ , we get



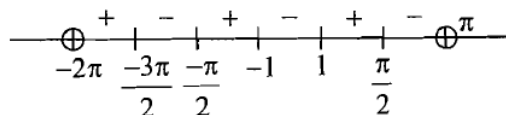
$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Thus solution is } \left[ \frac{-1 - \sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{-1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \right]$$

**Q.6 (D)**

$\Rightarrow |x^2 - 1 + \cos x| = |x^2 + 1| + |\cos x|$ . It implies that  $(x^2 - 1)\cos x \geq 0$  because  $|x + y| = |x| + |y|$  if  $y \geq 0$ . Sign

scheme of  $(x^2 - 1)\cos x$  is





$$\Rightarrow \text{Thus solution is } \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, -1\right] \cup \left[1, \frac{\pi}{2}\right] \cup \left(-2\pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}\right]$$

**Q.7 (D)**

$$\Rightarrow [x]^2 - 5[x] + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow [x] = 2, 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in [2, 4)$$

**Q.8 (D)**

$$\Rightarrow \left[ \log_2 \left( \frac{x}{[x]} \right) \right] \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_2 \left( \frac{x}{[x]} \right) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{[x]} \geq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - [x]}{[x]} \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\{x\}}{[x]} \geq 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  It implies that 'x' is any positive real number greater than or equal to one or 'x' is any non zero integer.

**Q.9 (B)**

$$\Rightarrow 2[x] = x + \{x\}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2[x] = [x] + 2\{x\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \{x\} = \frac{[x]}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \frac{[x]}{2} < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq [x] < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow [x] = 0, 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{For } [x] = 0, \text{ we get } [x] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{For } [x] = 1, \text{ we get } \{x\} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3}{2}$$

**Q.10 (B)**

$$\Rightarrow [x]^2 = x + 2\{x\}$$

$$\Rightarrow [x]^2 = [x] + 3\{x\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \{x\} = \frac{[x]^2 - [x]}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \frac{[x]^2 - [x]}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \frac{[x]^2 - [x]}{3} < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq [x]^2 - [x] < 3$$

$$\Rightarrow [x] \in \left( \frac{1 - \sqrt{13}}{2}, 0 \right] \cup \left[ 1, \frac{1 + \sqrt{13}}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow [x] = -1, 0, 1, 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \{x\} = \frac{2}{3}, 0, 0, \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{2}{3}, 0, 0, \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{3}, 0, 1, \frac{8}{3}$$

**Q.11 (C)**

$$\Rightarrow [x^2] + x - a = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  'x' has to be an integer

$$\Rightarrow a = x^2 + x = x(x + 1)$$

$\Rightarrow$  Thus 'a' can be 2, 6, 12, 20.

### Q.12 (D)

$$\Rightarrow [x + [2x]] < 3$$

$$\Rightarrow [x] + [2x] \leq 2$$

$\Rightarrow$  Any non-positive real number will satisfy this inequality.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Now if } x \in \left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow [x] = 0, [2x] = 1$$

$\Rightarrow$  inequality is still satisfied

$$\Rightarrow \text{For } x \in \left(1, \frac{3}{2}\right), [x] = 1, [2x] = 2$$

$\Rightarrow$  inequality does not hold true.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Thus, } x \in (-\infty, 1).$$

### Q.13 (B)

$$\Rightarrow \text{We get, } f(x) = \begin{cases} 6-3x & , \quad x < 1 \\ 4-x & , \quad 1 \leq x < 2 \\ x & , \quad 2 \leq x < 3 \\ 3x-6 & , \quad x > 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} -3 & , \quad x < 1 \\ -1 & , \quad 1 < x < 2 \\ 1 & , \quad 2 < x < 3 \\ 3 & , \quad x > 3 \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Thus  $f(x)$  decreasing for  $x < 2$  and increasing for  $x > 2$ .

$$\Rightarrow \text{Hence, } f(x)|_{\min} = f(2) = 2.$$

**Q.14 (D)**

$$\Rightarrow [5 \sin x] + [\cos x] = -6$$

$$\Rightarrow [5 \sin x] = -5, [\cos x] = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow -5 \leq 5 \sin x < -4, -1 \leq \cos x < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq \sin x < -\frac{4}{5}, -1 \leq \cos x < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) < x < \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Now } f(x) = \sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x = 2 \sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{we have, we have, } \pi + \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) < x + \frac{\pi}{6} < \frac{3\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq \sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) < -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

**Q.15 (C)**

$$\Rightarrow y = |\sin x| + |\cos x|$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 1 + |\sin 2x|$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \leq y^2 \leq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in [1, \sqrt{2}]$$

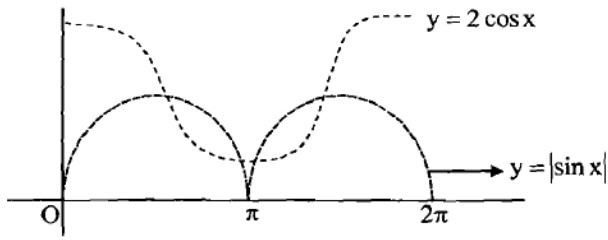
$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 1 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

**Q.16 (B)**

$$\Rightarrow \text{Graph of } y = 2^{\cos x} \text{ and } y = |\sin x| \text{ meet four times in } [0, 2\pi].$$

$\Rightarrow$  Thus, total number of solutions

$$\Rightarrow 4 + 4 + 4 + 2 = 14.$$



**Q.17 (A)**

$\Rightarrow$  For function to be one-one, each element of set A must have different image in st B. We first of all choose any 'm' elements in st B. This can be done in  ${}^n C_m$  ways. Now one-one correspondence of elements of set A with these selected elements can be done in  $m!$  ways. Thus total number of one-one functions will be equal to  ${}^n C_m \cdot m!$  i.e.  ${}^n P_m$ .

**Q.18 (A)**

$$\Rightarrow 2^x + 3^x + 4^x - 5^x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \left( \frac{2}{5} \right)^x + \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)^x + \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^x - 1 \right) = 0$$

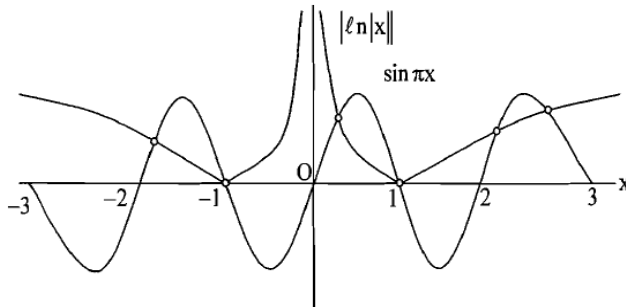
$$\Rightarrow \text{Clearly } g(x) = \left( \frac{2}{5} \right)^x + \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)^x + \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^x - 1$$

$\Rightarrow$  is a decreasing function and Also  $g(0) = 1$ .

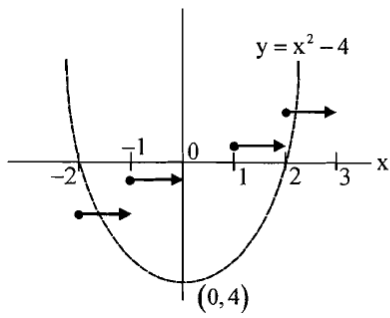
$\Rightarrow$  Thus,  $f(x) = 0$  has exactly one root.

**Q.19 (D)**

$\Rightarrow$  There are exactly six solutions.



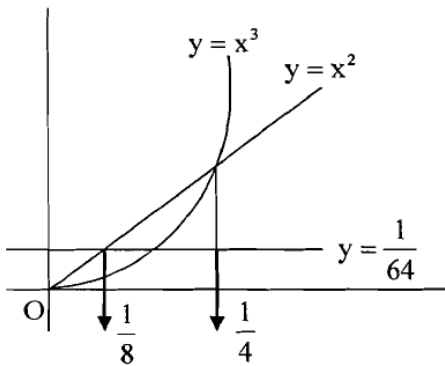
**Q.20 (B)**



There are exactly 2 solutions.

**Q.21 (C)**

$$\Rightarrow \text{Clearly, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{64}, & 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{8} \\ x^2, & \frac{1}{8} < x \leq 1 \\ x^3, & x > 1 \end{cases}$$



**22. (C)**

Standard fact : Domain of  $(f + g)(x) = \text{Domain of } f(x) \cap \text{Domain of } g(x)$

**23. (D)**

If  $f(x) = f(y)$  implies only & only  $x = y$ , then  $f(x)$  is injective.

Hence  $f(f(f(x))) = f(f(f(y)))$  will imply only  $x = y$  when  $f(x)$  is injective.

**24. (C)**

If  $f(x)$  is even, then

$$f(-x) = f(x) \Rightarrow (-ax + b)\cos x - (-cx + d)\sin x = (ax + b)\cos x + (cx + d)\sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2ax \cos x + 2d \sin x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = d = 0.$$

25. (A)

$$3 \sin x - 4 \cos x + 6 = 5 \sin(x - \alpha) + 6, \text{ where } \alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\text{Now } y = \frac{1}{3 \sin x - 4 \cos x + 6} \Rightarrow 5 \sin(x - \alpha) + 6 = \frac{1}{y}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin(x - \alpha) = \frac{1 - 6y}{5y}$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq \frac{1 - 6y}{5y} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in \left[ \frac{1}{11}, 1 \right]$$

26. (B)

$$f(a_1) \neq b_4 \text{ \& } f(a_2) = b_1 \Rightarrow f(a_1) \text{ can be chosen in 3 ways}$$

Now  $f(a_3)$  \&  $f(a_4)$  can be chosen in  $3 \times 2$  ways

$$\text{Hence total number of injective functions} = 3 \times 3 \times 2 = 18.$$

27. (C)

Domain of  $f(x)$  is  $[-1, 2]$

$$\text{Now } \sqrt{2-x} + \sqrt{1+x} = y \Rightarrow 2\sqrt{2+x-x^2} = y^2 - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 \geq 3 \text{ \& } (2x-1)^2 = 6y - y^2$$

As  $x$  lies in  $[-1, 2]$ , hence range of  $(2x-1)^2$  is  $[0, 9]$

$$\text{Hence } 0 \leq 6y^2 - y^4 \leq 9 \text{ or } y^4 - 6y^2 + 9 \geq 0 \text{ \& } y^4 - 6y^2 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y \leq \sqrt{6}$$

$$\therefore y \in [\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{6}].$$

28. (D)

$$f(x) = \log(2 + \cos 3x)$$

(A) Domain :  $(-\infty, \infty)$  as  $2 + \cos 3x$  is always greater than 0.

(B) Range :  $\log(2 + \cos 3x) = y \Rightarrow \cos 3x = e^y - 2$

$$\text{Hence } -1 \leq e^y - 2 \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq y \leq \ln 3.$$

(C)  $f(-x) = \log(2 + \cos 3x) = f(x)$ , hence  $f(x)$  is even.

(D) As  $\cos 3x$  is periodic hence  $f(x)$  is periodic.

**29. (C)**

$$\text{Let } ax + b = y.$$

Interchanging  $x$  &  $y$  gives  $ay + b = x$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{x - b}{a}$$

$$\text{Now } ax + b = \frac{x - b}{a} \Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{a} \text{ \& } b = -\frac{b}{a}$$

$$\text{or } a = 1, b = 0 \text{ \& } a = -1, b \in \mathbb{R}.$$

**30. (D)**

$$\text{Given } f(x) = \log_{10} \frac{1+x}{1-x}$$

$$(I) \quad f(-x) = \log_{10} \frac{1-x}{1+x} \Rightarrow f(-x) = -\log_{10} \frac{1+x}{1-x} = -f(x)$$

$f(x)$  is odd, hence graph is not symmetric about  $y$  - axis.

(II) Domain of  $f(x)$  is  $(-1, 1)$ .

$$\text{Now } 2 \leq \frac{1+x}{1-x} < \infty \Rightarrow \log_{10} 2 \leq \log_{10} \left( \frac{1+x}{1-x} \right) < \infty.$$

Hence graph can't lie in IV quadrant.

(III) As  $f(x)$  is odd hence graph is symmetric about the origin.



(IV) Clearly  $f(0) = 0$  hence graph passes through the origin and lies in I & III quadrant.

31. (B)

$$2^x + 2^y = 1 \Rightarrow y = \log_2(1 - 2^x)$$

Hence for domain,  $1 - 2^x \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2^x \leq 1 \text{ or } x \in (-\infty, 0].$$

32. (D)

f is even hence  $f(-x) = f(x)$

g is odd hence  $g(-x) = -g(x)$

Now  $f(x) + g(x) = e^x \Rightarrow f(-x) + g(-x) = e^{-x}$  or  $f(x) - g(x) = e^{-x}$

Hence  $(f(x) + g(x))(f(x) - g(x)) = e^x e^{-x}$

$$\Rightarrow f^2(x) - g^2(x) = 1.$$

33. (B)

$$3 < \pi < 4 \Rightarrow [\pi] = 3 \text{ \& } [-\pi] = -4$$

Hence  $f(x) = \cos 3x - \sin 4x$ .

Period of  $\cos 3x = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  & period of  $\sin 4x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Therefore period of  $f(x) = \text{LCM} \left\{ \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right\} = 2\pi$ .

34. (C)

Number of ONTO functions from domain containing n elements to a codomain containing r elements is

$$r^n - {}^r C_1 (r-1)^n + {}^r C_2 (r-2)^n + \dots + (-1)^{r-1} {}^r C_{r-1} (r-1)^n$$

Hence for the given data, number of ONTO functions is

$$3^6 - {}^3 C_1 \times 2^6 + {}^3 C_2 \times 1^6 = 540.$$

35. (A)

Image of  $(5, k)$  in  $x = y$  is  $B(k, 5)$ .

As  $B$  lies on  $y = f(x)$  hence  $k = 2$ .

Reflection of  $B(2, 5)$  in origin will be  $(-2, -5)$ .

36. (D)

$$P(x^2 + 1) = (P(x))^2 + 1 \Rightarrow P(x) > 0$$

$$P(0) = 1 \Rightarrow P(1) = 2, P(2) = 5, P(-1) = 2 \dots \text{etc}$$

Clearly  $P(x) = x^2 + 1$ .

37. (A)

$$f(x) = \cos(\sqrt{2}x) + \cos(\sqrt{3}x)$$

$$\text{Period of } \cos(\sqrt{2}x) = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ \& period of } \cos(\sqrt{3}x) = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{3}}$$

As LCM of  $\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{2}}$  &  $\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{3}}$  doesn't exist hence  $f(x)$  is not periodic.

Also at  $x = 0$   $f(x) = 2$  which is clearly the greatest value of  $f(x)$  as cosine has a greatest value 1.

$$\cos(\sqrt{2}x) + \cos(\sqrt{3}x) = 0 \Rightarrow 2 \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}}{2}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}}{2}x\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \left(\frac{2n-1}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}}\right)\pi \text{ or } x = \left(\frac{2n-1}{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}}\right)\pi$$

Hence  $y = f(x)$  cuts the  $x$  - axis.

As  $f(-x) = f(x)$  hence  $f(x)$  is even.

38. (D)

$$\text{Let } n \leq x < n + \frac{1}{2}, \text{ then } [x] + \left[x + \frac{1}{2}\right] = 2004 \Rightarrow 2n = 2004 \text{ or } n = 1002$$

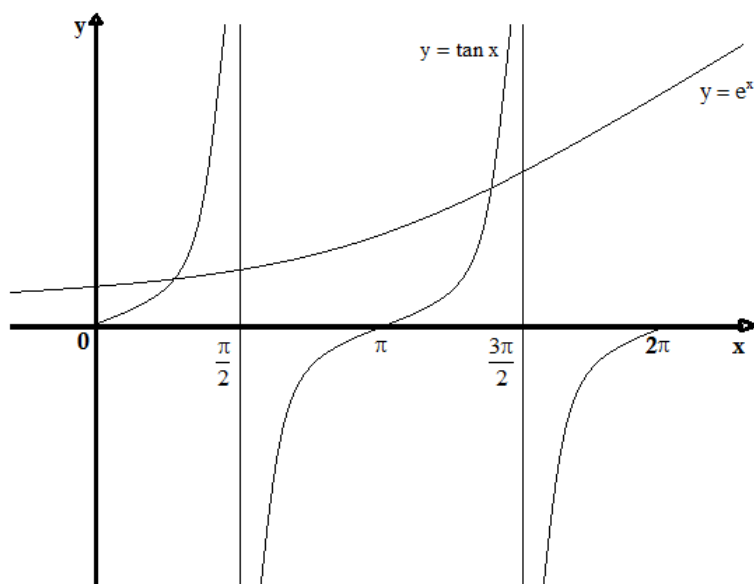
If  $n + \frac{1}{2} \leq x < n + 1$ , then  $[x] + \left[ x + \frac{1}{2} \right] = 2004 \Rightarrow 2n + 1 = 2004$ ,

but  $n$  can't be non integral.

Hence  $1002 \leq x < 1002 + \frac{1}{2}$ .

39. (B)

Refer the following graph :



Q.40 (D)

$\Rightarrow$  Only in D, the graph has a symmetry w.r.t. origin

Q.41 (C)

$$f(x) = |\sin^3 2x| + |\cos^3 2x|$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \sin^6 2x + \cos^6 2x + \frac{1}{4} |\sin^3 4x|$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 1 - \frac{3}{4} \sin^2 4x + \frac{1}{4} |\sin^3 4x|$$

Now periods of both  $\sin^2 4x$  &  $|\sin^3 4x|$  are  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  hence the period of  $f(x) = |\sin^3 2x| + |\cos^3 2x|$  is  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Q.42 (C)

We have for  $\cos^{-1}(1-x) \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq (1-x) \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 \leq -x \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq x \leq 2 \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{also, } 10 \cdot 3^{x-2} - 9^{x-1} - 1 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \cdot 3^x - 9^x - 9 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \cdot 3^x - 3^{2x} - 9 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^{2x} - 10 \cdot 3^x + 9 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3^x - 1)(3^x - 9) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 < 3^x < 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < x < 2 \quad \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

from (1) and (2)

$$\Rightarrow 0 < x < 2$$

**Q.43 (A)**

Note that  $f$  is bijective hence  $f^{-1}$  exist

$$\Rightarrow \text{when } y = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^3 + 7x - 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2(x-1) + 2x(x-1) + 9(x-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)(2x^2 + 2x + 9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1 \text{ only } \Rightarrow \text{A; as } 2x^2 + 2x + 9 = 0 \text{ has no other roots}$$

**Q.44 (A)**

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{4}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}; f(\sin x) = \frac{4}{|\cos x|} \text{ and } f(\cos x) = \frac{4}{|\sin x|};$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{hence } g(x) = |\sin x| + |\cos x|$$

**Q.45 (C)**

$\Rightarrow$  when  $p = \frac{\pi}{2}$  then  $D^r \rightarrow \cos x + \sin x \Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}$  cannot be the period]

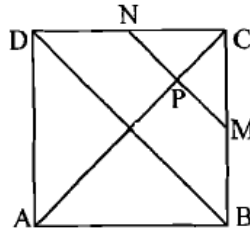
**Q.46 (B)**

$\Rightarrow AP = x$ ;  $MN = y$ ;  $BD = 2\sqrt{2}$

$\Rightarrow$  Hence,  $\frac{y}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}-x}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \Delta$ 's CNM and CDB are similar  $y = 2(2\sqrt{2}-x)$

$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{xy}{2} = x(2\sqrt{2}-x) = 2 - (x-\sqrt{2})^2$

$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} f(x)_{\max} = 2 \quad \text{when } x = \sqrt{2} \\ f(x)_{\max} = 0 \quad \text{when } x = 2\sqrt{2} \end{array} \right\}$



**Q.47 (A)**

(A)  $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{g(x)} = \frac{1}{\frac{\ln x}{x}}$ ;  $f(x) = \frac{x}{\ln x}$   $x > 0, x \neq 1$  for both

(B)  $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{f(x)} = \frac{1}{\frac{x}{\ln x}}$ ;  $g(x) = \frac{\ln x}{x}$   $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  is not defined at  $x = 1$  but  $g(1) = 0$

(C)  $\Rightarrow f(x) \cdot g(x) = \frac{x}{\ln x} \cdot \frac{\ln x}{x} = 1$  if  $x > 0, x \neq 1 \Rightarrow$  N.I.

(D)  $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{f(x) \cdot g(x)} = \frac{1}{\frac{x}{\ln x} \cdot \frac{\ln x}{x}} = 1$  only for  $x > 0$  and  $x \neq 1$

**Q.48 (A)**

$\Rightarrow$  An equation of this kind is called a functional equation, and can often be solved by choosing particular values for the variables. In this case, by choosing  $x = 1$ , we see that  $f(y) = \frac{f(1)}{y}$  for all  $y$ . put  $y = 30$ ;  $f(1) =$

$$30 \cdot f(30) = 30 \cdot 20 = 600. \text{ Now } f(40) = \frac{f(1)}{40} = \frac{600}{40} = 15$$

**Q.49 (C)**

$\Rightarrow f(x) = \sin^2 x + (1 - \sin^2 x)^2 + 2$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - \sin^2 x + \sin^4 x$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - \sin^2 x \cos^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - \frac{\sin^2 2x}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow T_1 = \frac{\pi}{2}, \text{ and } T_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

**Q.50 (D)**

$\Rightarrow D_2$  means range of the function

$$\Rightarrow \text{let } y = \sqrt{1-2x} + x$$

$$\Rightarrow (y-x)^2 = 1-2x$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 2xy + x^2 = 1-2x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2x(1-y) + y^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{as, } x \in \mathbb{R}, D \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(1-y)^2 \geq 4(y^2-1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1+y^2-2y \geq y^2-1$$

$$\Rightarrow -2y \geq -2$$

$$\Rightarrow y \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in (-\infty, 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Alternatively: } f'(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-2x}}; f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-2x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(-\infty) \rightarrow -\infty$$

**Q.51 (A)**

$$\Rightarrow h(x) = \ln(f(x) \cdot g(x)) = \ln e^{\{y\}+[y]} = \{y\} + [y] = y = e^{|x|} \operatorname{sgn} x$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore h(x) = e^{|x|} \operatorname{sgn} x = \begin{cases} e^x & \text{if } x > 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ -e^{-x} & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow h(-x) = \begin{cases} e^x & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ -e^{-x} & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow h(x) + h(-x) = 0 \text{ for all } x$$

**Q.52 (D)**

(A)  $f(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - x^2 + 1 \rightarrow$  A polynomial of degree even will always be into

$\Rightarrow$  say,  $f(x) = a_0x^{2n} + a_1x^{2n-1} + a_2x^{2n-2} + \dots + a_{2n}$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \left[ x^{2n} \left( a_0 + \frac{a_1}{x} + \frac{a_2}{x^2} + \dots + \frac{a_{2n}}{x^{2n}} \right) \right] = \begin{cases} \infty & \text{if } a_0 > 0 \\ -\infty & \text{if } a_0 < 0 \end{cases}$$

Hence it will never approach  $\frac{\infty}{-\infty}$

(B)  $f(x) = x^3 + x + 1$

$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 3x^2 + 1 \Rightarrow$  injective as well as surjective

(C)  $f(x) = \sqrt{1+x^2}$

$\Rightarrow$  neither injective nor surjective (minimum value = 1)

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 - x + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 3x^2 + 4x - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow D > 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  Hence  $f(x)$  is surjective but not injective.

### Q.53 (D)

Let  $f(x_1) = n$  and  $f(x_2) = m$ ,  $x_1, x_2 \in (a, b)$  with  $n > m$  (say). According to the intermediate value theorem,

between  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  there must be some value  $x$  for which  $f(x) = m + \frac{1}{2}$  which is impossible since  $m + \frac{1}{2}$  is not an integer.

### Q.54 (D)

$$\Rightarrow g\left(-1, -\frac{3}{2}\right) = \max\left(-1, -\frac{3}{2}\right) - \min\left(-1, -\frac{3}{2}\right) = -1 - \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{and } g(-4, -1.75) = \max(-4, -1.75) - \min(-4, -1.75) = -1.75 - (-4) = 2.25 = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{then } f\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{9}{4}\right) = \left(\max\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{9}{4}\right)\right)^{\min\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{9}{4}\right)} = \left(\frac{9}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{3}{2}$$

### Q.55 (A)

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{e^x \ln x \cdot 5^{(x^2+2)} \cdot (x-2)(x-5)}{(2x-3)(x-4)}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Note that at  $x = \frac{3}{2}$  &  $x = 4$  function is not defined and in open interval  $\left(\frac{3}{2}, 4\right)$  function is continuous.

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}^+} = \frac{(+ve)(-ve)(-ve)}{(+ve)(-ve)} \rightarrow -\infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} = \frac{(+ve)(+ve)(-ve)}{(+ve)(-ve)} \rightarrow -\infty$$

$\Rightarrow$  In the open interval  $\left(\frac{3}{2}, 4\right)$  the function is continuous & takes up all real values from  $(-\infty, \infty)$

$\Rightarrow$  Hence range of the function is  $(-\infty, \infty)$  or  $\mathbb{R}$

### Q.56 (D)

$$f^2(x) - f(x) - 6 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (f(x) - 3)(f(x) + 2) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \geq 3 \quad \text{or} \quad f(x) \leq -2$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{given } x \in (0, \infty) \Rightarrow x \in (0, \infty)$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore f(x) \geq 3 \Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) > -2 \Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, 5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore f(x) \leq -2 \Rightarrow x \in [5, \infty)$$

### Q.57 (C)

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = f^{-1}(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = x$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+1)^2 - 1 = x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ or } -1$$

### Q.58 (D)

$$x f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 0 & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \sin x \text{ near } x \rightarrow \pi \text{ though rational then } x f(x) \rightarrow \pi \text{ but } g(x) \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow x f(x) > g(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = x \text{ is negative for negative irrational } x \text{ while } x f(x) \text{ is } 0; x f(x) > g(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = x^2 \text{ is smaller than } x \text{ for } 0 < x < 1 \text{ and rational; so } x f(x) > g(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = |x| \text{ equals } x f(x) \text{ for } x \text{ positive and rational, is larger than } x f(x) \text{ for } x \text{ irrational.}$$

### Q.59 (D)

$$h(x) = {}^{x+1}C_{2x-8} \cdot {}^{2x-8}C_{x+1}; x+1 \geq 2x-8$$

$$\Rightarrow x \leq 9; 2x-8 \geq x+1 \Rightarrow x \geq 9$$



⇒ Hence  $x = 9$

⇒ Domain of  $h(x) = \{9\}$

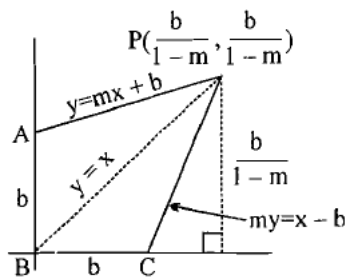
⇒ Range of  $h(x) = 1$

**Q.60 (C)**

If  $f(x) = mx + b$ , then  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x-b}{m}$  and their point of intersection

⇒ Can be found by setting  $x = mx + b$  since they intersect on  $y = x$ . Thus  $x = \frac{b}{1-m}$  and the point of

intersection is  $\left(\frac{b}{1-m}, \frac{b}{1-m}\right)$ .



⇒ Region R can be broken up into congruent triangles PAB and PCB which both have a base of  $b$  and a height of  $\frac{b}{1-m}$ .

⇒ The area of R is  $\left(\frac{2b}{2}\right)\left(\frac{b}{1-m}\right) = \frac{b^2}{1-m} = 49$ . For  $m = \frac{9}{25}$ ,  $b^2 = \frac{16}{25} \cdot 49$

⇒  $b = \frac{28}{5}$

**Q.61 (A)**

⇒  $9 - x^2 \geq 0$

⇒  $-3 \leq x \leq 3$

⇒ Also  $9 - |2x + 5| > 0$

⇒  $-9 < 2x + 5 < 9$

⇒  $-7 < x < 1$

Hence domain of  $f(x)$  is  $[-3, 2)$

⇒  $\% = \frac{2}{5} = 40\%$

**Q.62 (D)**

⇒ **I**  $f(x) = x$  and  $g(x) = 1 - x$  or  $f(x) = x$  and  $g(x) = -x^3$

⇒ **II**  $f(x) = x$  and  $g(x) = x^3$

⇒ **III**  $f(x) = \sin x$  which is odd but not one-one

**Q.63 (D)**

$$\Rightarrow x + xe^{f(x)} = 1 - e^{f(x)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+1)e^{f(x)} = 1-x$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \ln\left(\frac{1-x}{1+x}\right)$$

**Q.64 (D)**

$$\Rightarrow \text{Replacing } x \text{ by } \frac{\pi}{2} - x; f\left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)\right) = \cos 17\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(\sin x) = \sin 17x = g(\sin x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{hence } f = g$$

**Q.65 (A)**

$$y = 2 \log_a x$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_a x = \frac{y}{2}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(b+c)a^{\frac{b+c}{2}} = f^{-1}(b) \cdot f^{-1}(c)$$

**Q.66 (D)**

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{[a]}} = \pi,$$

$$\text{Hence } \sqrt{[a]} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow (A) = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \leq a < 5$$

**Q.67 (C)**

$$2f(x) + f(1-x) = x^2 \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$f(x) + 2f(1-x) = (1-x)^2 \quad \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

$$4f(x) + 2f(1-x) = 2x^2 \quad \dots\dots\dots(3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} x \rightarrow 1-x \\ \text{multiply (1) by (2)} \\ \text{(3)-(2)} \end{array}$$

$$3f(x) = 2x^2 - (1-x)^2$$

$$3f(4) = 32 - 9 = 23$$

$$f(4) = \frac{23}{3}$$

**Q.68 (B)**

$$f(x) = \frac{a^x + a^{-x}}{2} \text{ \& } f(x+y) + f(x-y) = kf(x)f(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^{x+y} + a^{-x-y}}{2} + \frac{a^{x-y} + a^{y-x}}{2} = k \left( \frac{a^x + a^{-x}}{2} \right) \left( \frac{a^y + a^{-y}}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \left( a^x a^y + \frac{1}{a^x a^y} + \frac{a^x}{a^y} + \frac{a^y}{a^x} \right) = k \left( a^x a^y + \frac{1}{a^x a^y} + \frac{a^x}{a^y} + \frac{a^y}{a^x} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 2.$$

**Q.69 (A)**

$\Rightarrow$  A one to one function and its inverse are symmetric across the line  $y = x$ . Thus  $x$  and  $y$  intercept are interchanged and the sum is the same i.e. 5.

**Q.70 (C)**

$$\Rightarrow x(x+3) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x \geq 0 \text{ or } x \leq -3$$

and  $-1 \leq x^2 + 3x + 1 \leq 1$

$$\Rightarrow x(x+3) \leq 0 \text{ and } 2^2 + 3x + 2^3 \text{ which is always true.}$$

Hence  $-3 \leq x \leq 0$

Hence  $x = 0$  or  $-3$

$$\Rightarrow x = \{0, -3\}$$