

HSSC MOCK TEST - 171 (SOLUTION)

6. (C) Cost of x meter wire = ₹d

$$\text{Cost of 1 meter wire} = \frac{d}{x}$$

$$\text{Cost of } y \text{ meter wire} = \frac{d}{x} y$$

7. (A) $\frac{3}{4} = 7.5$ and $\frac{5}{6} = 0.833$

$$\frac{4}{5} = .8$$

9. (C) $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{29-x^2}} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{x}{(29-x^2)^{3/2}}$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{f(2)-f(x)}{x^3-8} \left[\begin{matrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{matrix} \right] \text{ form}$$

by L-Hospital's Rule

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{-f'(x)}{3x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\frac{-x}{(29-x^2)^{3/2}}}{3x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{-2}{(29-4)^{3/2}}}{3 \times 4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-2}{12 \times 125} = \frac{-1}{750}$$

10. (D) According to question,

$$a + b = 32$$

$$\text{and, } ab = 256$$

$$a = 16 \text{ and } b = 16$$

19. (A) $\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{x} = 4$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2x+3x+6}{6} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{18}{5}$$

26. (D) ATQ,

The distance from the origin (0, 0, 0) to line $2x - 3y + 4x = 6$

$$= 2x - 3y + 4x - 6$$

$$= \frac{|2 \times 0 - 3 \times 0 + 4 \times 0 - 6|}{\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2}} = \frac{6}{\sqrt{29}}$$

29. (A) $\frac{\cos(x+y)}{\cos(x-y)} = \frac{a-b}{a+b}$
by Componendo & Dividendo Rule

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos(x+y) + \cos(x-y)}{\cos(x+y) - \cos(x-y)} = \frac{a-b+a+b}{a-b-a-b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2\cos\left(\frac{x+y+x-y}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{x+y-x+y}{2}\right)}{2\sin\left(\frac{x+y+x-y}{2}\right) \cdot \sin\left(\frac{x-y-x-y}{2}\right)} = \frac{2a}{-2b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2\cos x \cdot \cos y}{-2\sin x \cdot \sin y} = \frac{-a}{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot x \cdot \cot y = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cot y}{\tan x} = \frac{a}{b}$$

32. (B) Series = $1.3^2 + 3.5^2 + 5.7^2 + \dots$

$$T_n = (2n-1)(2n+1)^2$$

$$T_n = 8n^3 + 4n^2 - 2n - 1$$

$$S_n = \sum T_n$$

$$S_n = 8 \sum n^3 + 4 \sum n^2 - 2 \sum n - \sum 1$$

$$S_n = 8 \times \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4} + 4 \times \frac{n}{6} (n+1)(2n+1) -$$

$$2 \times \frac{n(n+1)}{2} - n$$

$$S_n = 2n^2(n+1)^2 + \frac{2}{3} n(n+1)(2n+1) - n(n+1) - n$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{3} [6n(n+1)^2 + 2(n+1)(2n+1) - 3(n+1) - 3]$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{3} [6n(n^2+1+2n) + 2(2n^2+3n+1) - 3n - 3 - 3]$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{3} [6n^3 + 16n^2 + 9n - 4]$$

34. (D) $x = 3 + 2\sqrt{2}$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} = 3 + 2\sqrt{2} + 3 - 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \frac{1}{x} = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\sqrt{x} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \right)^2 = 6 - 2$$

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



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35. (A) In the expansion of $\left(x^3 - \frac{2}{x}\right)^{11}$

$$T_{r+1} = {}^{11}C_r (x^3)^{11-r} \left(\frac{-2}{x}\right)^r$$

$$= {}^{11}C_r x^{33-4r} (-2)^r$$

Hence $33 - 4r = -3 \Rightarrow r = 9$

The coefficient of $x^{-3} = {}^{11}C_9 (-2)^9$

$$= \frac{11!}{9!2!} \times 2^9$$

Again, $33 - 4r = 5 \Rightarrow r = 7$

The coefficient of $x^5 = {}^{11}C_7 (-2)^7$

$$= -\frac{11!}{7!4!} \times 2^7$$

$$\text{The required ratio} = \frac{-\frac{11!}{9!2!} \times 2^9}{-\frac{11!}{7!4!} \times 2^7}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} = 2 : 3$$

37. (B) $(1+x)^n = C_0 + C_1 x + C_2 x^2 + \dots + C_n x^n \dots \text{(i)}$

On multiply by x

$$\Rightarrow x(1+x)^n = C_0 x + C_1 x^2 + C_2 x^3 + \dots + C_n x^{n+1}$$

On differentiating both side w.r.t x

$$\Rightarrow x \times n(1+x)^{n-1} + (1+x)^n \cdot 1 = C_0 + 2C_1 x + 3C_2 x^2 + \dots + (n+1) C_n x^n$$

$$\Rightarrow nx(1+x)^{n-1} + (1+x)^n = C_0 + 2C_1 x + 3C_2 x^2 + \dots + (n+1) C_n x^n \dots \text{(ii)}$$

$$x \rightarrow \frac{1}{x} \text{ in eq(i)}$$

$$\left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^n = C_0 + \frac{C_1}{x} + \frac{C_2}{x^2} + \dots + \frac{C_n}{x^{n+1}} \dots \text{(iii)}$$

from eq(ii) and eq(iii)

$$\text{coefficient of } x^0 \text{ in } \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^n [nx(1+x)^{n-1} + (1+x)^n]$$

$$= C_0^2 + 2C_1^2 + 3C_2^2 + \dots + (n+1)C_n^2$$

\Rightarrow coefficient of x^0 in

$$\left[\frac{(1+x)^n}{x^n} \times nx(1+x)^{n-1} + \frac{(1+x)^n}{x^n} \times (1+x)^n \right]$$

$$= C_0^2 + 2C_1^2 + 3C_2^2 + \dots + (n+1)C_n^2$$

\Rightarrow coefficient of x^{n-1} in $[n(1+x)^{2n-1}] +$

$$\text{coefficient of } x^n \text{ in } (1+x)^{2n} = C_0^2 + 2C_1^2$$

$$+ 3C_2^2 + \dots + (n+1)C_n^2$$

$$\Rightarrow nx^{2n-1} C_{n-1} + 2^n C_n = C_0^2 + 2C_1^2 + \dots + (n+1)C_n^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n \times (2n-1)!}{(n-1)!n!} + \frac{2n!}{n!n!} = C_0^2 + 2C_1^2 + \dots + (n+1)C_n^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n \times (2n-1)!}{(n-1)!n!} + \frac{2n(2n-1)!}{n(n-1)!n!} = C_0^2 + 2C_1^2 + \dots$$

$$\dots + (n+1)C_n^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(2n-1)!}{(n-1)!n!} [n+2] = C_0^2 + 2C_1^2 + \dots + (n+1)C_n^2$$

$$\text{Hence } C_0^2 + 2C_1^2 + \dots + (n+1)C_n^2$$

$$= (n+2) {}^{2n-1}C_{n-1}$$

39. (B) **Statement I**

Prime numbers

$$2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The required sum} &= 2^2 + 3^2 + 5^2 + 7^2 + 11^2 \\ &+ 13^2 + 17^2 + 19^2 + 23^2 \\ &= 4 + 9 + 25 + 49 + 121 + 169 + 289 + 361 + 529 \\ &= 1556 \end{aligned}$$

Statement I is incorrect.

Statement II

Odd natural numbers

$$1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The required sum} &= 1^3 + 3^3 + 5^3 + 7^3 + 9^3 \\ &+ 11^3 + 13^3 \\ &= 1 + 27 + 125 + 343 + 729 + 1331 + 2197 \\ &= 4753 \end{aligned}$$

Statements II is correct.

40. (C) Ellipse $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$

$$a^2 = 9 \Rightarrow a = 3, b^2 = 4 \Rightarrow b = 2$$

The sum of the focal distance

= length of major-axis

$$= 2a = 2 \times 3 = 6$$

45. (D) Numbers = 10, 15, 20, 25 and 30

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Required average} &= \frac{10 + 15 + 20 + 25 + 30}{5} \\ &= 20 \end{aligned}$$

53. (C) $(1-y^2) \frac{dx}{dy} + yx = ay$

$$= \frac{dx}{dy} + \frac{yx}{1-y^2} = \frac{ay}{1-y^2}$$

$$\text{I.F.} = \int_e^y \frac{y}{1-y^2} dy$$

$$= e^{\frac{-1}{2} \ln(1-y^2)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-y^2}}$$



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56. (D) $\frac{138}{+23}, \frac{161}{+24}, \frac{185}{+25}, \frac{210}{+26}, \underline{\underline{236}}$

63. (D) $f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 3$
 $f(x) = 2x - 6$
 For maximum $2x - 6$
 $2x - 6 \geq 0$
 $x \geq 3$
 $x \in [3, \infty)$

70. (A) According to question,
 $x^2 + (x + 2)^2 + (x + 4)^2 = 200$
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + x^2 + 4 + 4x + x^2 + 16 + 8x = 200$
 $\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 12x + 20 = 200$
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + 4x - 60 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + 10x - 6x - 60 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow x(x + 10) - 6(x + 10) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow x = 6$
 ∴ Required numbers 6, 8 and 10.

HSSC MOCK TEST - 171 (ANSWER KEY)

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| 1. (C) | 11. (C) | 21. (B) | 31. (*) | 41. C) | 51. (D) | 61. (D) | 71. (C) | 81. (D) |
| 2. (A) | 12. (D) | 22. (A) | 32. (B) | 42. B) | 52. (D) | 62. (C) | 72. (C) | 82. (A) |
| 3. (A) | 13. (A) | 23. (A) | 33. (D) | 43. C) | 53. (C) | 63. (D) | 73. (D) | 83. (D) |
| 4. (B) | 14. (B) | 24. (B) | 34. (D) | 44. D) | 54. (C) | 64. (A) | 74. (A) | 84. (C) |
| 5. (B) | 15. (B) | 25. (D) | 35. (A) | 45. D) | 55. (D) | 65. (B) | 75. (B) | 85. (B) |
| 6. (C) | 16. (B) | 26. (D) | 36. (B) | 46. D) | 56. (D) | 66. (C) | 76. (B) | 86. (C) |
| 7. (A) | 17. (B) | 27. (A) | 37. (B) | 47. D) | 57. (A) | 67. (D) | 77. (A) | 87. (B) |
| 8. (B) | 18. (B) | 28. (A) | 38. (B) | 48. C) | 58. (A) | 68. (C) | 78. (A) | 88. (C) |
| 9. (C) | 19. (A) | 29. (A) | 39. (B) | 49. A) | 59. (C) | 69. (A) | 79. (D) | 89. (A) |
| 10. (D) | 20. (D) | 30. (A) | 40. (C) | 50. B) | 60. (C) | 70. (A) | 80. (C) | 90. (B) |

