

ANSWER KEY OF CAPS-12

1. (B)	2. (B)	3. (C)	4. (B)	5. (D)
6. (A)	7. (A)	8. (C)	9. (D)	10. (D)
11. (AC)	12. (BD)	13. (AC)	14. (ABC)	15. (ABC)
16. (AC)	17. (D)	18. (A)	19. (B)	20. (B)
21. (A)	22. (A)	23. (9)	24. (6)	25. (8)
26. (1)	27. (2)	28. (4)	29. (A)	30. (B)

SCQ (Single Correct Type) :

1. The curves $C_1 : y = x^2 - 3$; $C_2 : y = kx^2$, $k < 1$ intersect each other at two different points. The tangent drawn to C_2 , at one of the points of intersection $A = (a, y_1)$ ($a > 0$) meets C_1 again at $B(1, y_2)$ ($y_1 \neq y_2$). Then the value of $a = ?$

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

Ans. (B)

Sol. $C_1 \text{ \& } C_2 \Rightarrow A \left(\sqrt{\frac{3}{1-k}}, \frac{3k}{1-k} \right) = (a, ka^2) \equiv (a, a^2 - 3)$

Tangent to C_2 at A is $y - (a^2 - 3) = 2ka(x - a)$ (1)

$\Rightarrow B = (1, -2)$

From expression (1)

$$-2 - a^2 + 3 = 2a \left(1 - \frac{3}{a^2} \right) (1 - a)$$

$\Rightarrow a = 3, a = -2, a = 1$

but $a \neq 1$ and $a > 0$

$\therefore a = 3$

2. Tangent at P_1 other than origin on the curve $y = x^3$ meets the curve again at P_2 . The tangent at P_2 meets the curve again at P_3 and so on, then $\frac{\text{area of } \Delta P_1 P_2 P_3}{\text{area of } \Delta P_2 P_3 P_4}$ equals

(A) 1 : 20 (B) 1 : 16 (C) 1 : 18 (D) 1 : 2

Ans. (B)

Sol. Let $P_1 = (t_1, t_1^3), P_2 = (t_2, t_2^3), P_3 = (t_3, t_3^3) \dots$

Solving tangent equation at P_1 with the curve again we get $t_2 = -2t_1$. Repeating the process we have $t_3 = 4t_1, t_4 = -8t_1 \dots$

$$\therefore \frac{\Delta P_1 P_2 P_3}{\Delta P_2 P_3 P_4} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} t_1 & t_1^3 & 1 \\ t_2 & t_2^3 & 1 \\ t_3 & t_3^3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} t_2 & t_2^3 & 1 \\ t_3 & t_3^3 & 1 \\ t_4 & t_4^3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{1}{16}$$

3. The portion of the tangent to the curve $x = \sqrt{a^2 - y^2} + \frac{a}{2} \log \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 - y^2}}{a + \sqrt{a^2 - y^2}}$ between the point of

contact and the x-axis is of length

- (A) a^2 (B) $2a$ (C) a (D) $3a$

Ans. (C)

Sol. Given, $x = \sqrt{a^2 - y^2} + \frac{a}{2} \log \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 - y^2}}{a + \sqrt{a^2 - y^2}}$

Thus, $y = a \sin 2\theta$

$$x = a \cos 2\theta + \frac{a}{2} \log(\tan^2 \theta)$$

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -a \sin 2\theta(2) + \frac{a}{2} \frac{1}{(\tan^2 \theta)} (2 \tan \theta \sec^2 \theta)$$

$$= -2a \sin 2\theta + \frac{2a}{\sin 2\theta}$$

$$= \frac{2a}{\sin 2\theta} (1 - \sin^2 2\theta)$$

$$= \frac{2a \cdot \cos^2 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2a \cos 2\theta}{2a \frac{\cos^2 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta}} = \tan 2\theta = m$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Length of tangent} = |y_1| \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{m^2}}$$

$$= |a \sin 2\theta| \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{\tan^2 2\theta}} = a \sin 2\theta \cdot \operatorname{cosec} 2\theta = a$$

4. The chord of the parabola $y = -a^2 x^2 + 5ax - 4$ touches the curve $y = \frac{1}{1-x}$ at the point $x = 2$ and is bisected by that point. Then 'a' can be.

- (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 2 (D) 3

Ans. (B)

Sol. Given parabola, $y = -a^2x^2 + 5ax - 4$... (1)

Given curve $y = \frac{1}{1-x}$

At $x = 2, y = \frac{1}{1-2} = -1$

Point of contact of chord is (2, -1)

Also equation of tangent at (2, -1) to $y = \frac{1}{1-x}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{(1-x)^2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\bigg|_{x=2} = 1$$

Equation of tangent

$$(y+1) = (1)(x-2)$$

Now Equation (1) and (2) meet at a point

$$\therefore x - 3 = -a^2x^2 + 5ax - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow -a^2x^2 + (5a-1)x - 1 = 0$$

Let x_1, x_2 be the two values of x

$$\therefore \text{Sum of roots } (x_1 + x_2) = \frac{-1+5a}{a^2} \quad \dots (3)$$

Also given, the chord is bisected at $x = 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} = 2 \quad \therefore \frac{5a-1}{2a^2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 5a - 1 = 4a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a^2 - 5a + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1, \frac{1}{4}$$

5. Angle between the curves $y = [| \sin x | + | \cos x |]$ where $[.]$ denotes the greatest integer function and $x^2 + y^2 = 5$ is $\tan^{-1}(k)$ then k can be -

- (A) -2 (B) 3 (C) $\frac{1}{3}$ (D) 2

Ans. (D)

Sol. $1 < |\sin x| + |\cos x| < \sqrt{2} \quad [|\sin x| + |\cos x|] = 1$

P(2, 1) and Q(-2, 1) are the point of intersections, angle at p is $\tan^{-1}2$

6. Let $f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\sin(x+h))^{\ln(x+h)} - (\sin x)^{\ln x}}{h}$ then $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ is
 (A) equal to 0 (B) equal to 1 (C) $\ln \frac{\pi}{2}$ (D) non existent

Ans. (A)

Sol. Let $g(x) = (\sin x)^{\ln x} = e^{\ln x \cdot \ln(\sin x)}$

$$f(x) = g'(x) = (\sin x)^{\ln x} \left[\cot x (\ln x) + \frac{\ln(\sin x)}{x} \right]$$

$$\text{Hence } f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = g'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 1(0 + 0) = 0 \text{ Ans.}]$$

7. If $y = \frac{x}{\sqrt{a^2-1}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{a^2-1}} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin x}{a + \sqrt{a^2-1} + \cos x}\right)$ where $a \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$ then $y'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ equals
 (A) $\frac{1}{a}$ (B) $\frac{2}{a}$ (C) $\frac{1}{2a}$ (D) a

Ans. (A)

Sol. Let $\sqrt{a^2-1} = C_1$ and $a + \sqrt{a^2-1} = C_2 \Rightarrow C_2 - C_1 = a$

$$\therefore y = \frac{x}{C_1} - \frac{2}{C_1} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin x}{C_2 + \cos x}\right)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{C_1} - \frac{2}{C_1} \frac{[(C_2 + \cos x) \cos x + \sin^2 x]}{\left[1 + \left(\frac{\sin x}{C_2 + \cos x}\right)^2\right] \cdot (C_2 + \cos x)^2} = \frac{1}{C_1} - \frac{2}{C_1} \cdot \frac{C_2 \cos x + 1}{(C_2 + \cos x)^2 + \sin^2 x}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=\frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{1}{C_1} - \frac{2}{C_1} \cdot \frac{1}{C_2^2 + 1} = \frac{1}{C_1} \left[\frac{C_2^2 + 1 - 2}{C_2^2 + 1} \right] = \frac{1}{C_1} \cdot \frac{C_2^2 - 1}{C_2^2 + 1}$$

$$\therefore \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=\frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{2a^2 + 2a\sqrt{a^2-1} - 2}{\sqrt{a^2-1}(2a^2 - 1 + 2a\sqrt{a^2-1} + 1)} = \frac{2a^2 + 2a\sqrt{a^2-1} - 2}{\sqrt{a^2-1}(2a(a + \sqrt{a^2-1}))}$$

$$= \frac{2(a^2 - 1) + 2a\sqrt{a^2-1}}{\sqrt{a^2-1}(2a(a + \sqrt{a^2-1}))} = \frac{2\sqrt{a^2-1}(\sqrt{a^2-1} + a)}{(\sqrt{a^2-1})(2a)(a + \sqrt{a^2-1})} = \frac{1}{a} \text{ Ans.}]$$

8. Let $f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} \cos x & \sin x & \cos x \\ \cos 2x & \sin 2x & 2\cos 2x \\ \cos 3x & \sin 3x & 3\cos 3x \end{vmatrix}$ then $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) =$

- (A) 0 (B) -12 (C) 6 (D) 12

Ans. (C)

Sol. Differentiate column wise, where $\Delta_1 = -2$; $\Delta_2 = 0$ and $\Delta_3 = 8$.

9. If a curve is represented parametrically by the equations $x = f(t)$ and $y = g(t)$ then

$\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) / \left(\frac{d^2x}{dy^2}\right)$ is equal to (where $f'(t) \neq 0, g'(t) \neq 0$)

- (A) 1 (B) $\frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)}$ (C) $-\left(\frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)}\right)^2$ (D) $-\left(\frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)}\right)^3$

Ans. (D)

Sol. We know that $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{\frac{dy}{dx}}$

$$\therefore \frac{d^2x}{dy^2} = \frac{d}{dy} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{dy}{dx}} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{\frac{dy}{dx}} \right) \cdot \frac{dx}{dy} \quad (\text{chain rule}) = \frac{-1}{\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2} \cdot \left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{\frac{dy}{dx}}\right)$$

$$\therefore \frac{d^2x}{dy^2} = \frac{-\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}}{\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3}; \quad \text{Hence } \frac{\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}}{\frac{d^2x}{dy^2}} = -\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3 = -\left(\frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}\right)^3 = -\left(\frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)}\right)^3.$$

Alternatively : $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)}; \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)} \right) \cdot \frac{dt}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{f'(t)g''(t) - g'(t)f''(t)}{(f'(t))^3}$

And $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{\frac{dx}{dt}}{\frac{dy}{dt}} = \frac{f'(t)}{g'(t)} \Rightarrow \frac{d^2x}{dy^2} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{f'(t)}{g'(t)} \right) \cdot \frac{dt}{dy} = \frac{g'(t)f''(t) - f'(t)g''(t)}{(g'(t))^3}$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) / \left(\frac{d^2x}{dy^2}\right) = -\left(\frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)}\right)^3$$

10. If $f(x) = \sin^{-1} \left\{ [3x+2] - \{3x + (x - \{2x\})\} \right\}, x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{12}\right)$ and $gof(x) = x, x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{12}\right)$

then $g'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ is equal to :

- (A) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{8}$ (B) $\frac{-1}{4}$ (C) $\frac{1}{8}$ (D) $\frac{-\sqrt{3}}{4}$

Ans. (D)

Sol. $f(x) = \sin^{-1} \left\{ [3x+2] - \{3x + (x - \{2x\})\} \right\}$

$$x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{12}\right) \Rightarrow 2x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{6}\right) \therefore \{2x\} = 2x$$

$$\text{and } 3x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1} \{2 - \{3x - x\}\} = \sin^{-1} \{2 - 2x\} \quad (\text{As } \{2 - 2x\} = 1 - 2x)$$

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1}(1 - 2x) = y \Rightarrow 1 - 2x = \sin y \Rightarrow x = \frac{1 - \sin y}{2} = f^{-1}(y)$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1 - \sin x}{2} = g(x)$$

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

$$g'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

MCQ (One or more than one correct) :

11. The equation of a straight line which is tangent to one point and normal to the other point on the curve $x = 2t^2 + 1$ & $y = 4t^3$ is/are

(A) $\sqrt{2}x - y = \frac{31\sqrt{2}}{27}$

(B) $\sqrt{2}x - y = \frac{39\sqrt{2}}{27}$

(C) $\sqrt{2}x + y = \frac{31\sqrt{2}}{27}$

(D) $\sqrt{2}x + y = \frac{39\sqrt{2}}{27}$

Ans. (AC)

Sol. $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3t$

Equation of tangent at 't' is $(y - 4t^3) = 3t(x - 2t^2 - 1)$... 1

This is a normal at another point 't₁'

$\therefore$ Slope of normal at $(2t_1^2 + 1, 4t_1^3) = 3t$

i.e., $\frac{-1}{3t_1} = 3t$ (2)

& $(2t_1^2 + 1, 4t_1^3)$ lies on (1)

$\Rightarrow t_1 = \frac{-t}{2}$ (3)

From (2) & (3), $t = \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$

$\therefore$ Required straight lines are $\sqrt{2}x - y = \frac{31\sqrt{2}}{27}$ & $\sqrt{2}x + y = \frac{31\sqrt{2}}{27}$

12. Suppose 'f' and 'g' are functions having second derivatives f'' and g'' everywhere, if $f(x) \cdot g(x) = 1$ for all 'x' and f' and g' are never zero, then $\frac{f''(x)}{f'(x)} - \frac{g''(x)}{g'(x)}$ equals

(A) $\frac{-2f'(x)}{f(x)}$ (B) $\frac{-2g'(x)}{g(x)}$ (C) $\frac{-f'(x)}{f(x)}$ (D) $\frac{2f'(x)}{f(x)}$

Ans. (BD)

Sol. $g = \frac{1}{f} \Rightarrow g' = \frac{-1}{f^2} f'$

$$g'' = -\left[\frac{-2}{f^3} f'^2 + \frac{1}{f^2} f'' \right] = \frac{2}{f^3} f'^2 - \frac{f''}{f^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f''}{f'} - \frac{g''}{g'} = \frac{f''}{f'} - \frac{\frac{2}{f^3} f'^2 - \frac{f''}{f^2}}{\frac{-1}{f^2} f'} = \frac{f''}{f'} - \left(\frac{-2f'}{f} + \frac{f''}{f} \right) = \frac{2f'}{f}$$

In a similar manner, we can show that the same is equal to $\frac{-2g'}{g}$

13. Let 'f' be a real valued function defined on the interval $(0, \infty)$ by $f(x) = \ln x + \int_0^x \sqrt{1 + \sin t} dt$.

Then which of the following statement(s) is/are true?

- (A) $f'(x)$ exists for all $x \in (0, \infty)$ and f' is continuous on $(0, \infty)$, but not differentiable on $(0, \infty)$
 (B) $f''(x)$ exists for all $x \in (0, \infty)$
 (C) There exists $\alpha > 1$ such that $|f'(x)| < |f(x)|$ for all $x \in (\alpha, \infty)$
 (D) There exists $\beta > 0$ such that $|f(x)| + |f'(x)| < \beta$ for all $x \in (0, \infty)$

Ans. (AC)

Sol. $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} + \sqrt{1 + \sin x}$ for $x > 0$

$\therefore f'$ is continuous on $(0, \infty)$ but f' is not differentiable at $x = 2n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{2}$ ('n' is a non-negative integer) so f' is not differentiable on $(0, \infty)$

Both $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$ are positive for all $x > 1$ and $f'(x) < \sqrt{2} + 1$ for $x > 1$

Since, $0 \leq \int_0^x \sqrt{1 + \sin t} dt < (\sqrt{2} + 1)x$ for $x > 0$

$f(x) \rightarrow +\infty$ as $x \rightarrow +\infty$

So, there exists $\alpha > 1$ such that $x > \alpha \Rightarrow f(x) > \sqrt{2} + 1$ and this implies that

$f'(x) < \sqrt{2} + 1 < f(x)$ or $|f'(x)| < |f(x)|$ for $x > \alpha$

$f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ as $x \rightarrow 0^+$ and $f'(x) \rightarrow +\infty$ as $x \rightarrow 0^+$

$\therefore |f(x)| + |f'(x)| \rightarrow +\infty$ as $x \rightarrow 0^+$

Also, $f(x) \rightarrow \infty$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$ and $f'(x)$ is bounded on $(1, \infty)$

Hence, $|f(x)| + f'(x) \rightarrow +\infty$ as $x \rightarrow +\infty \Rightarrow f(x)$ is unbounded.

14. Let a curve be given parametrically $x(t) = 3t^2$, $y(t) = 2t^3$, $t \in \mathbb{R}$

Suppose a line L is tangent at one point and normal at another point of the curve. Then which of the following statements is/are correct?

- (A) There are two possible situation for the line L
 (B) A possible equation of line L is $\sqrt{2}x - y - 2\sqrt{2} = 0$
 (C) A possible equation of line L is $\sqrt{2}x + y - 2\sqrt{2} = 0$
 (D) A possible equation of line L is $x + \sqrt{2}y - 2\sqrt{2} = 0$

Ans. (ABC)

Sol. Suppose L is tangent at t_1 , normal of t_2

$$\therefore \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{t=t_1} = t_1, \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{t=t_2} = \frac{-1}{t_2}, t_1 t_2 = -1$$

$$t_1 = \frac{2t_1^3 - 2t_2^3}{3t_1^2 - 3t_2^2} = \frac{2(t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_1 t_2)}{3(t_1 + t_2)}$$

$$= \frac{2\left(t_1^2 + \frac{1}{t_1^2} - 1\right)}{3\left(t_1 - \frac{1}{t_1}\right)} = \frac{2(t_1^4 - t_1^2 + 1)}{3t_1(t_1^2 - 1)} \Rightarrow t_1^2 = 2 \Rightarrow t_1 = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

$$t_1 = \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow \frac{y - 4\sqrt{2}}{x - 6} = \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow y = \sqrt{2}x - 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$t_2 = -\sqrt{2} \Rightarrow \frac{y + 4\sqrt{2}}{x - 6} = -\sqrt{2} \Rightarrow y + \sqrt{2}x = -2\sqrt{2}$$

15. Two functions f & g have first & second derivatives at $x = 0$ & satisfy the relations,

$$f(0) = \frac{2}{g(0)}, f'(0) = 2g'(0) = 4g(0), g''(0) = 5f''(0) = 6f(0) = 3 \text{ then}$$

(A) if $h(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ then $h'(0) = \frac{15}{4}$ (B) if $k(x) = f(x) \cdot g(x) \sin x$ then $k'(0) = 2$

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

(D) none

Ans. (ABC)

Sol. $h'(0) = \frac{g(0)f'(0) - f(0)g'(0)}{(g(0))^2} = \frac{g(0)4g(0) - \frac{2}{g(0)} \cdot 2g(0)}{(g(0))^2}$

$$= 4 - \frac{4}{(g(0))^2} = 4 - (f(0))^2 = 4 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$k'(0) = f(0) g(0) \cos 0 + f'(0) g(0) \sin 0 \times f(0) g'(0) \sin 0$$

$$k'(0) = f(0) g(0) = 2$$

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

16. Which of the following statements are true?

(A) If $xe^{xy} = y + \sin^2 x$, then at $x = 0$, $(dy/dx) = 1$.

(B) If $f(x) \equiv a_0 x^{2m+1} + a_1 x^{2m} + a_2 x^{2m-1} + \dots + a_{2m+1} = 0$ ($a_0 \neq 0$) is a polynomial equation with rational co-efficients then the equation $f'(x) = 0$ must have a real root. ($m \in \mathbb{N}$).

(C) If $(x - r)$ is a factor of the polynomial $f(x) = a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + a_{n-2} x^{n-2} + \dots + a_0$ repeated m times where $1 \leq m \leq n$ then r is a root of the equation $f'(x) = 0$ repeated $(m - 1)$ times.

(D) If $y = \sin^{-1}(\cos \sin^{-1} x) + \cos^{-1}(\sin \cos^{-1} x)$ then $\frac{dy}{dx}$ is dependent on x .

Ans. (AC)

Sol. (A) $dy/dx = 1$

(D) y reduces to $\frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow \text{False.}]$

Comprehension Type Question:

Comprehension # 1

To find the point of contact $P = (x_1, y_1)$ of a tangent to the graph of $y = f(x)$ passing through origin O , we equate the slope of tangent to $y = f(x)$ at 'P' to the slope of OP . Hence, we solve

the equation $f'(x_1) = \frac{f(x_1)}{x_1}$ to get x_1 and y_1 .

17. The equation $|\ln(mx)| = p x$, where 'm' is a positive constant has a single root for

(A) $0 < p < \frac{m}{e}$ (B) $p < \frac{e}{m}$ (C) $0 < p < \frac{e}{m}$ (D) $p > \frac{m}{e}$

Ans. (D)