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Total Number of Questions : 100

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8. A blank sheet of paper is attached to the Question Booklet. This may be used for rough work.
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1. If $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$, then x equals

- A) $\begin{bmatrix} -3 & -14 \\ 4 & 17 \end{bmatrix}$ B) $\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 14 \\ 4 & 17 \end{bmatrix}$ C) $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -14 \\ 4 & 17 \end{bmatrix}$ D) $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 14 \\ 4 & 17 \end{bmatrix}$

2. The value of $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ a & b & c \\ a^2 & b^2 & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$ is

- A) $(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)$ B) $-(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)$
 C) $2(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)$ D) $-2(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)$

3. If $\cos \theta = \frac{2}{3}$ and $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$, then the value of $\cos 2\theta$ is

- A) -9 B) 9 C) $-\frac{1}{9}$ D) $\frac{1}{9}$

4. The equation of a straight line through $(2, -5)$ and perpendicular to the line $y = 3x - 11$ is

- A) $y = -\left(\frac{x+13}{3}\right)$ B) $y = \left(\frac{x+13}{3}\right)$
 C) $y = -\left(\frac{x-13}{3}\right)$ D) $y = \left(\frac{x-13}{3}\right)$

5. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$ is

- A) 1 B) -1 C) 0 D) ∞

6. The equation of normal to the curve $2y = 3 - x^2$, at the point $(1, 1)$ is

- A) $x + y = 0$ B) $x + y = 1$ C) $x - y = 0$ D) $x - y = 1$

7. For the function $f(x) = x^4 - 2x^2$, which of the following is correct ?

- A) Relative maximum occurs at $x = 1$ and relative minimum occurs at $x = 0$ and $x = -1$
 B) Relative minimum occurs at $x = 0$ and relative maximum occurs at $x = 1$ and $x = -1$
 C) Relative minimum occurs at $x = 1$ and relative maximum occurs at $x = 0$ and $x = -1$
 D) Relative maximum occurs at $x = 0$ and relative minimum occurs at $x = 1$ and $x = -1$

8. The value of $\int \frac{dx}{25-9x^2} =$
- A) $\frac{1}{30} \log \frac{3x+5}{3x-5}$ B) $\frac{1}{30} \log \frac{5+3x}{5-3x}$
- C) $-\frac{1}{30} \log \frac{3x+5}{3x-5}$ D) $-\frac{1}{30} \log \frac{5+3x}{5-3x}$
9. The area bounded by the curve $y = 4x - x^2$ and the x – axis is
- A) $\frac{4}{3}$ B) $\frac{16}{3}$ C) $\frac{32}{3}$ D) $\frac{64}{3}$
10. The solution of the initial value problem $y' + y \tan x = \sin 2x$, $y(0) = 1$ is
- A) $y = 3 \cos x + 2 \cos^2 x$ B) $y = 3 \cos x - 2 \cos^2 x$
- C) $y = 3 \sin x + 2 \sin^2 x$ D) $y = 3 \sin x - 2 \sin^2 x$
11. In chain survey, the area of land is divided into
- A) rectangles B) triangles
- C) circles D) semicircles
12. Sensitivity of a level tube is expressed by
- A) length of bubble tube
- B) length of level tube
- C) radius of level tube
- D) height of level tube
13. The rocks having clay as main constituent are known as
- A) metamorphic rocks B) igneous rocks
- C) argillaceous rocks D) calcareous rocks
14. Unit weight of plain concrete is
- A) 14 kN/m^3 B) 20 kN/m^3
- C) 24 kN/m^3 D) 30 kN/m^3
15. Piles are usually not made of
- A) Timber B) R.C.C.
- C) Steel D) Stainless steel

16. Which type of engine of the same specification need higher compression ratio ?
A) Petrol engine
B) Diesel Engine
C) Gas Turbine
D) All run with same ratio
17. Which component is used to smoothen the output energy of an automobile engine ?
A) Flywheel
B) Governor
C) Carburetor
D) Both A) and B)
18. Draft tube is compulsory for
A) Impulse turbines
B) Reaction turbines
C) Both A) and B)
D) None
19. In a reverted gear train, gear A drives a pinion gear C, co-axial with gear D, which meshes with gear B. Gear B and A are along the same axis. All gears are of module 8 mm. If the gear A contain 40 teeth and gear C contain 32 teeth, then how many teeth the gear D will have, if B contains 60 teeth ?
A) 8 teeth
B) 40 teeth
C) 12 teeth
D) 24 teeth
20. Boiled water reactors will yield more than they consume – Is it right ?
A) Yes
B) Don't know
C) No
D) Sometimes
21. Thermodynamic steam trap is used to
A) Release super heat from a main line
B) Release the pressure in steam pipeline
C) Release the moisture in pipeline
D) All the above
22. The property of a coil, which opposes any change of current or flux through the coil is called
A) Mutual inductance
B) Lenz's laws
C) Magnetizing force
D) Self-Inductance
23. A series RLC circuit consists of a resistor of 45Ω , an inductor of 80 mH and a capacitor of $30 \mu\text{F}$ connected on an AC supply voltage of 230 V, 60 Hz. Then the current in the circuit is given by
A) 3.122 A
B) 3.0 A
C) 5.11 A
D) 5.0 A

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24. An LC circuit stores a total energy of E and the maximum charge on the capacitor is assumed as Q . What will be the energy stored in the inductor while the charge on the capacitor is $Q/2$?
- A) $2E/3$ B) $E/3$ C) E D) $3E/4$
25. If footing resistance of transmission tower is 50Ω and the lightning current from tower to ground is 50 kA , then the degree of rise in tower potential is
- A) 1000 kV
B) 2500 kV
C) 1500 kV
D) None of the above
26. The energy stored as static electricity on an object depends on
- A) Size of the object
B) Capacitance of the object
C) Both A) and B)
D) None of these
27. The minimum data rate for stationary users in 3G is
- A) 0.02 Mbit/s B) 2 Mbit/s
C) 20 Mbit/s D) 200 Mbit/s
28. The number of _____ on switches defines how many separate circuits the switch can control.
- A) poles B) throws
C) terminals D) none of these
29. A full-wave rectifier circuit delivers 3W to a load resistance of 300Ω . If ripple factor is given 1% , then the ac ripple voltage across the load is
- A) 0.03V B) 0.3V C) 3V D) 30V
30. The ac input voltage to a fullwave bridge rectifier has an rms value of 230V , then the diode PIV rating is
- A) $230\sqrt{2}\text{V}$ B) $\frac{230}{\sqrt{2}}\text{V}$
C) 230V D) none of these

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40. Affordable delay in a task chain is known as
A) Event
B) Duration
C) Float
D) Constraint
41. The process by which bauxite is converted to aluminium is known as
A) Hall-Heroult Process
B) Bayer Process
C) Clark's Process
D) Brymer Process
42. The ratio of the volume of the soil displaced by the sampler tube in proportion to the volume of the sample
A) Recovery ratio
B) Area ratio
C) Disturbance ratio
D) Sampling ratio
43. The hierarchical order in PWD is
A) AXE, EE, SE, CE
B) EE, AXE, SE, CE
C) SE, EE, AXE, CE
D) AXE, SE, EE, CE
44. The method of supporting the structures for increasing the depth and width of an existing foundation is known as
A) Shoring
B) Scaffolding
C) Prestressing
D) Underpinning
45. The bearing measured in the direction of advancement of surveying is called
A) Back Bearing
B) Intermediate Bearing
C) First Bearing
D) Fore Bearing
46. Inclination of the magnetic needle of the compass with horizontal plane at a particular location on the planet is known as
A) Declination
B) Latitude
C) Dip
D) Longitude
47. The method of levelling in which only fore and back sights are taken to connect the bench mark to the starting point of the alignment is known as
A) Differential levelling
B) Simple levelling
C) Precise levelling
D) Reciprocal levelling

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55. Approximate estimate is calculated based on which of the following method ?
- A) Plinth Area Method B) Cubical Content Method
C) Unit Base Method D) All the above
56. The total quantity of TMT bars required for construction of a project can be obtained from
- A) Critical path method B) Project evaluation schedule
C) Bar bending schedule D) None of the above
57. The workers platform provided around the building to work at heights is called
- A) Form work B) Frame work
C) Scaffolding D) Underpinning
58. The loading and unloading charges for per ton of steel bars as on 2018-20 is
- A) 562.75 B) 675.00
C) 462.50 D) 325.42
59. The forces which cannot be solved by the equations of equilibrium are called
- A) Collinear forces B) Redundant forces
C) Body forces D) Concurrent forces
60. The value of Poisson's ratio can be
- A) Only positive
B) Only negative
C) Can either be positive or negative
D) None of the above
61. The relation between elastic constants can be given by the expression
- A) $E = \frac{9KG}{G + 3K}$ B) $E = \frac{3KG}{6K + 2G}$
C) $E = \frac{9KG}{3G + 2K}$ D) $E = \frac{3KG}{3K + 2G}$

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69. The crippling load according to Euler's theory of long column when one end of the column is fixed and other end is free is equal to

- A) $\frac{4\pi^2 EI}{l^2}$ B) $\frac{\pi^2 EI}{l^2}$ C) $\frac{\pi^2 EI}{4l^2}$ D) $\frac{2\pi^2 EI}{l^2}$

70. The property by virtue of which a metal can be heated into plates is called

- A) Ductility B) Malleability
C) Resilience D) Plasticity

71. The base slab thickness for a gravity retaining wall of height 'H' is

- A) H/10 to H/14 B) H/6 to H/8
C) H/15 to H/20 D) H/3 to H/5

72. In the case of a three-pinned parabolic arch carrying a uniformly distributed load on the entire span, then bending moment will be

- A) Equal to that of a simply supported beam loaded in the same manner
B) Maximum at quarter span
C) Zero only at the centre
D) Zero throughout the span

73. In a pitot tube the rise of liquid in the tube above liquid surface is 45 m. Then the velocity of flow through it is

- A) 20 m/s B) 30 m/s C) 40 m/s D) 45 m/s

74. If the coefficient of contraction is 0.70 and the coefficient of discharge is 0.60, then the value of coefficient of velocity is

- A) 0.67 B) 0.86 C) 0.93 D) 0.96

75. The base period of a crop, having duty 8.64 hectares/cumecs and depth of water supplied 160 cm is

- A) 1 day B) 1.2 days C) 1.4 days D) 1.6 days

76. According to Dicken's formula the flood discharge for a catchment basin of area 1 km² is (Take flood coefficient C = 10)

- A) 0.1 B) 1.0 C) 10.0 D) 100.0

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86. The normal detention periods maintained in a horizontal flow grit chamber (non-aerated) and detritus tank are respectively
- A) 1 minute and 3.5 minutes B) 10 minutes and 3.5 minutes
C) 1 minute and 30 minutes D) 10 minutes and 30 minutes
87. What is coefficient of curvature if $D_{60} = 3\text{mm}$, $D_{30} = 1.5\text{mm}$, $D_{10} = 0.75\text{mm}$?
- A) 8 B) 1
C) 1.5 D) 4
88. The value of porosity of a soil sample in which the total volume of soil grains is equal to twice the total volume of voids would be
- A) 75% B) 66.66%
C) 50% D) 33.33%
89. Equation for a line in a plasticity chart is
- A) $I_p = 0.007(w_L - 10)$
B) $I_p = 0.23(w_L - 20)$
C) $I_p = 0.73(w_L - 20)$
D) $I_p = 0.73(w_L - 10)$
90. If the OMC of a soil sample is 12.5%, maximum dry density is 19.6 kN/m^3 and $G = 2.68$, the degree of saturation of the sample is _____%.
- A) 2 B) 34 C) 66 D) 98
91. Indirect method of geotechnical investigation is also termed as
- A) Geo chemical method
B) Geo physical method
C) Borehole method
D) Pumping out method
92. Maximum net pressure intensity causing shear failure of soil is known as
- A) Safe bearing capacity
B) Net safe bearing capacity
C) Net ultimate bearing capacity
D) Ultimate bearing capacity
93. The minimum value of camber provided for bituminous surface hill roads is
- A) 2.3% B) 2.5%
C) 3.0% D) 3.5%

94. In pavements _____ forms the foundation layer.
- A) Base course
 - B) Subbase
 - C) Subgrade
 - D) Wearing course
95. The number of vehicles moving in a specified direction on a roadway that pass a given point during specified unit of time is called
- A) traffic density
 - B) traffic volume
 - C) traffic capacity
 - D) none of these
96. Size of ballast used in points and crossings under Indian railways is
- A) 10 mm
 - B) 20 mm
 - C) 25 mm
 - D) 40 mm
97. Extra widening of pavements recommended by IRC for roads having radius of horizontal curve 120m is
- A) 1.5 m
 - B) 1.2 m
 - C) 0.9 m
 - D) 0.6 m
98. Slab bridges are used to a maximum span of
- A) 4 m
 - B) 6 m
 - C) 9 m
 - D) 12 m
99. The most suitable soil for compressed air tunneling is
- A) clay
 - B) sand
 - C) silt
 - D) gravel
100. What is the airport reference temperature if the monthly mean of average temperature for the hottest month of the year is 25°C and monthly mean of maximum daily temperature is 40°C ?
- A) 20°C
 - B) 30°C
 - C) 35°C
 - D) 21.6°C

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