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# Limit, Continuity and Differentiability

## Topic 1 $\frac{0}{0}$ and $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$ Form

**Objective Questions I** (Only one correct option)

1.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x + 2 \sin x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 2 \sin x + 1} - \sqrt{\sin^2 x - x + 1}}$  is  
 (2019 Main, 12 April II)

- (a) 6      (b) 2      (c) 3      (d) 1

2. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - ax + b}{x - 1} = 5$ , then  $a + b$  is equal to  
 (2019 Main, 10 April II)

- (a) -4      (b) 1      (c) -7      (d) 5

3. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^4 - 1}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \frac{x^3 - k^3}{x^2 - k^2}$ , then  $k$  is  
 (2019 Main, 10 April I)

- (a)  $\frac{4}{3}$       (b)  $\frac{3}{8}$       (c)  $\frac{3}{2}$       (d)  $\frac{8}{3}$

4.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{1 + \cos x}}$  equals  
 (2019 Main, 8 April I)

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

5.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\cot^3 x - \tan x}{\cos \left( x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)}$  is  
 (2019 Main, 12 Jan I)

- (a)  $4\sqrt{2}$       (b) 4      (c) 8      (d)  $8\sqrt{2}$

6.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cot(4x)}{\sin^2 x \cot^2(2x)}$  is equal to  
 (2019 Main, 11 Jan II)

- (a) 0      (b) 1      (c) 4      (d) 2

7.  $\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}} - \sqrt{2}}{y^4}$   
 (2019 Main, 9 Jan I)

- (a) exists and equals  $\frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}}$   
 (b) does not exist  
 (c) exists and equals  $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$   
 (d) exists and equals  $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2} + 1)}$

8.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2} \frac{\cot x - \cos x}{(\pi - 2x)^3}$  equals  
 (2017 Main)

- (a)  $\frac{1}{24}$       (b)  $\frac{1}{16}$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{8}$       (d)  $\frac{1}{4}$

9.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\pi \cos^2 x)}{x^2}$  is equal to  
 (2014 Main)

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

10.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 - \cos 2x)(3 + \cos x)}{x \tan 4x}$  is equal to  
 (2013 Main)

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

11. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{x^2 + x + 1}{x + 1} - ax - b \right) = 4$ , then  
 (2012)

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

12.  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2h + 2 + h^2) - f(2)}{f(h - h^2 + 1) - f(1)}$ , given that  $f'(2) = 6$  and  
 $f'(1) = 4$ ,  
 (2003, 2M)

- (a) does not exist      (b) is equal to  $-3/2$   
 (c) is equal to  $3/2$       (d) is equal to 3

13. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\{(a - n) nx - \tan x\} \sin nx}{x^2} = 0$ , where  $n$  is non-zero  
 real number, then  $a$  is equal to  
 (2003, 2M)

- (a) 0      (b)  $\frac{n+1}{n}$       (c)  $n$       (d)  $n + \frac{1}{n}$

14. The integer  $n$  for which  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\cos x - 1)(\cos x - e^x)}{x^n}$  is a  
 finite non-zero number, is  
 (2002, 2M)

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

15.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \tan 2x - 2x \tan x}{(1 - \cos 2x)^2}$  is  
 (1999, 2M)

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

16.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos 2(x-1)}}{x-1}$  (1998, 2M)

- (a) exists and it equals  $\sqrt{2}$
- (b) exists and it equals  $-\sqrt{2}$
- (c) does not exist because  $x-1 \rightarrow 0$
- (d) does not exist because left hand limit is not equal to right hand limit

17. The value of  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{2(1 - \cos^2 x)}}{x}$  is (1991, 2M)

- (a) 1
- (b) -1
- (c) 0
- (d) None of these

18. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin[x]}{[x]}, & [x] \neq 0 \\ 0, & [x] = 0 \end{cases}$

where,  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$  equals (1985, 2M)

- (a) 1
- (b) 0
- (c) -1
- (d) None of these

19.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{1}{1-n^2} + \frac{2}{1-n^2} + \dots + \frac{n}{1-n^2} \right)$  is equal to (1984, 2M)

- (a) 0
- (b)  $-\frac{1}{2}$
- (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$
- (d) None of these

20. If  $f(a) = 2, f'(a) = 1, g(a) = -1, g'(a) = 2$ , then the value of  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{g(x)f(a) - g(a)f(x)}{x-a}$  is (1983, 1M)

- (a) -5
- (b)  $\frac{1}{5}$
- (c) 5
- (d) None of these

21. If  $G(x) = -\sqrt{25-x^2}$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{G(x)-G(1)}{x-1}$  has the value (1983, 1M)

- (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{24}}$
- (b)  $\frac{1}{5}$
- (c)  $-\sqrt{24}$
- (d) None of these

## Objective Question II

(One or more than one correct option)

22. For any positive integer  $n$ , define  $f_n : (0, \infty) \rightarrow R$  as  $f_n(x) = \sum_{j=1}^n \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1 + (x+j)(x+j-1)} \right)$  for all  $x \in (0, \infty)$ . (Here, the inverse trigonometric function  $\tan^{-1} x$  assumes values in  $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ ). Then, which of the following statement(s) is (are) TRUE? (2018 Adv.)

- (a)  $\sum_{j=1}^5 \tan^2(f_j(0)) = 55$
- (b)  $\sum_{j=1}^{10} (1+f'_j(0)) \sec^2(f_j(0)) = 10$
- (c) For any fixed positive integer  $n$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan(f_n(x)) = \frac{1}{n}$
- (d) For any fixed positive integer  $n$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sec^2(f_n(x)) = 1$

23. Let  $L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} - \frac{x^2}{4}}{x^4}$ ,  $a > 0$ . If  $L$  is finite, then

- (a)  $a = 2$
- (b)  $a = 1$
- (c)  $L = \frac{1}{64}$
- (d)  $L = \frac{1}{32}$

## Fill in the Blanks

24.  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+2h) - 2\log(1+h)}{h^2} = \dots$  (1997C, 2M)

25. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x, & x \neq n\pi, n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots \\ 2, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  and  $g(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 1, & x \neq 0, 2 \\ 4, & x = 0 \\ 5, & x = 2 \end{cases}$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g[f(x)]$  is ..... (1996, 2M)

26.  $ABC$  is an isosceles triangle inscribed in a circle of radius  $r$ . If  $AB = AC$  and  $h$  is the altitude from  $A$  to  $BC$ , then the  $\Delta ABC$  has perimeter  $P = 2(\sqrt{2hr-h^2} + \sqrt{2hr})$  and area  $A = \dots$ . Also,  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{A}{P^3} = \dots$  (1989, 2M)

27.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \left[ \frac{\left( x^4 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + x^2 \right)}{(1+|x|^3)} \right] = \dots$  (1987, 2M)

28. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (x^3 + x^2 - 16x + 20)/(x-2)^2, & \text{if } x \neq 2 \\ k, & \text{if } x = 2 \end{cases}$ . If  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$ , then  $k = \dots$ . (1981, 2M)

29.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (1-x) \tan \frac{\pi x}{2} = \dots$  (1978, 2M)

## True/False

30. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x)g(x)]$  exists, then both  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)$  exist. (1981, 2M)

## Analytical & Descriptive Questions

31. Use the formula  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^x - 1}{x} = \log_e a$ , to find

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^x - 1}{(1+x)^{1/2} - 1}. \quad (1982, 2M)$$

32. Evaluate  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a+h)^2 \sin(a+h) - a^2 \sin a}{h}$ . (1980, 3M)

33. Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{\frac{x - \sin x}{x + \cos^2 x}}$ . (1979, 3M)

34. Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left( \frac{x-1}{2x^2 - 7x + 5} \right)$ . (1978, 3M)

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### Integer Type Questions

35. Let  $\alpha, \beta \in R$  be such that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 \sin(\beta x)}{\alpha x - \sin x} = 1$ . Then,  $6(\alpha + \beta)$  equals (2016 Adv)

## Topic 2 $1^\infty$ Form, RHL and LHL

### Objective Questions I (Only one correct option)

1. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be a differentiable function satisfying

$f'(3) + f'(2) = 0$ . Then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1 + f(3+x) - f(3)}{1 + f(2-x) - f(2)} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}}$  is equal to (2019 Main, 8 April II)

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

2.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\sqrt{\pi} - \sqrt{2 \sin^{-1} x}}{\sqrt{1-x}}$  is equal to (2019 Main, 12 Jan II)

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

3. Let  $[x]$  denote the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ . Then,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + (|x| - \sin(x[x]))^2}{x^2} \quad (2019 \text{ Main, 11 Jan I})$$

- (a) equals  $\pi$       (b) equals  $\pi + 1$   
 (c) equals 0      (d) does not exist

4. For each  $t \in R$ , let  $[t]$  be the greatest integer less than or equal to  $t$ . Then,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{(1 - |x| + \sin |1-x|) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}[1-x]\right)}{|1-x|[1-x]} \quad (2019 \text{ Main, 10 Jan I})$$

- (a) equals 0      (b) does not exist  
 (c) equals -1      (d) equals 1

5. For each  $x \in R$ , let  $[x]$  be the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ . Then,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{x([x] + |x|) \sin [x]}{|x|} \quad (2019 \text{ Main, 9 Jan II})$$

- (a) 0      (b)  $\sin 1$   
 (c)  $-\sin 1$       (d) 1

6. For each  $t \in R$ , let  $[t]$  be the greatest integer less than or equal to  $t$ . Then,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x \left( \left[ \frac{1}{x} \right] + \left[ \frac{2}{x} \right] + \dots + \left[ \frac{15}{x} \right] \right) \quad (2018 \text{ Main})$$

- (a) is equal to 0      (b) is equal to 15  
 (c) is equal to 120      (d) does not exist (in R)

7. Let  $f(x) = \frac{1-x(1+|1-x|)}{|1-x|} \cos\left(\frac{1}{1-x}\right)$

for  $x \neq 1$ . Then

- (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 0$   
 (b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x)$  does not exist  
 (c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 0$   
 (d)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)$  does not exist

36. Let  $m$  and  $n$  be two positive integers greater than 1. If  $\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{e^{\cos(\alpha^n)} - e}{\alpha^m} \right) = -\left(\frac{e}{2}\right)$ , then the value of  $\frac{m}{n}$  is (2015 Adv.)

8. Let  $p = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (1 + \tan^2 \sqrt{x})^{1/2x}$ , then  $\log p$  is equal to (2016 Main)

- (a) 2      (b) 1      (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$       (d)  $\frac{1}{4}$

9. Let  $\alpha(a)$  and  $\beta(a)$  be the roots of the equation  $(\sqrt[3]{1+a}-1)x^2 - (\sqrt{1+a}-1)x + (\sqrt[3]{1+a}-1) = 0$ , where  $a > -1$ . Then,  $\lim_{a \rightarrow 0^+} \alpha(a)$  and  $\lim_{a \rightarrow 0^+} \beta(a)$  are (2012)

- (a)  $-\frac{5}{2}$  and 1      (b)  $-\frac{1}{2}$  and -1  
 (c)  $-\frac{7}{2}$  and 2      (d)  $-\frac{9}{2}$  and 3

10. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [1 + x \log(1 + b^2)]^{\frac{1}{x}} = 2b \sin^2 \theta$ ,  $b > 0$

- and  $\theta \in (-\pi, \pi]$ , then the value of  $\theta$  is (2011)  
 (a)  $\pm \frac{\pi}{4}$       (b)  $\pm \frac{\pi}{3}$       (c)  $\pm \frac{\pi}{6}$       (d)  $\pm \frac{\pi}{2}$

11. For  $x > 0$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ (\sin x)^{1/x} + \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^{\sin x} \right]$  is (2006, 3M)

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

12. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be such that  $f(1) = 3$  and  $f'(1) = 6$ . Then,

- $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{f(1+x)}{f(1)} \right]^{\frac{1}{x}}$  equals (2002, 2M)

- (a) 1      (b)  $e^{\frac{1}{2}}$       (c)  $e^2$       (d)  $e^3$

13. For  $x \in R$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{x-3}{x+2} \right)^x$  is equal to (2000, 2M)

- (a)  $e$       (b)  $e^{-1}$       (c)  $e^{-5}$       (d)  $e^5$

### Fill in the Blanks

14.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1+5x^2}{1+3x^2} \right)^{1/x^2} = \dots$  (1996, 1M)

15.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{x+6}{x+1} \right)^{x+4} = \dots$  (1991, 2M)

### Analytical & Descriptive Question

16. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + x \right) \right\}^{\frac{1}{x}}$  (1993, 2M)

### Integer Answer Type Question

17. The largest value of the non-negative integer  $a$  for which  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left\{ \frac{-ax + \sin(x-1) + a}{x + \sin(x-1) - 1} \right\}^{\frac{1-x}{1-\sqrt{x}}} = \frac{1}{4}$  is (2014 Adv)

## Topic 3 Squeeze, Newton-Leibnitz's Theorem and Limit Based on Converting infinite Series into Definite Integrals

### Objective Questions I (Only one correct option)

1. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the roots of the equation

$375x^2 - 25x - 2 = 0$ , then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n \alpha^r + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n \beta^r$  is equal to

- (a)  $\frac{21}{346}$       (b)  $\frac{29}{358}$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{12}$       (d)  $\frac{7}{116}$

2.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\int_2^{\sec^2 x} f(t) dt}{x^2 - \frac{\pi^2}{16}}$  equals

(2007, 3M)

- (a)  $\frac{8}{\pi} f(2)$   
 (b)  $\frac{2}{\pi} f(2)$   
 (c)  $\frac{2}{\pi} f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$   
 (d)  $4f(2)$

3.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^{2n} \frac{r}{\sqrt{n^2 + r^2}}$  equals

(1999, 2M)

- (a)  $1 + \sqrt{5}$   
 (c)  $-1 + \sqrt{2}$

- (b)  $\sqrt{5} - 1$   
 (d)  $1 + \sqrt{2}$

### Objective Questions II

(One more than one correct option)

4. Let  $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{n^n (x+n) \left(x+\frac{n}{2}\right) \dots \left(x+\frac{n}{n}\right)}{n! (x^2+n^2) \left(x^2+\frac{n^2}{4}\right) \dots \left(x^2+\frac{n^2}{n^2}\right)} \right]^{\frac{x}{n}}$ ,

for all  $x \neq 0$ . Then

- (a)  $f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \geq f(1)$   
 (b)  $f\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \leq f\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$   
 (c)  $f'(2) \leq 0$   
 (d)  $\frac{f'(3)}{f(3)} \geq \frac{f'(2)}{f(2)}$

(2016 Adv.)

### Numerical Value

5. For each positive integer  $n$ , let

$$y_n = \frac{1}{n} ((n+1)(n+2)\dots(n+n))^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

For  $x \in R$ , let  $[x]$  be the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ . If  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = L$ , then the value of  $[L]$  is .....

(2018 Adv.)

### Fill in the Blank

6.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\int_0^{x^2} \cos^2 t dt}{x \sin x} = \dots$

(1997C, 2M)

## Topic 4 Continuity at a Point

### Objective Questions I (Only one correct option)

1. If the function  $f$  defined on  $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$  by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sqrt{2} \cos x - 1}{\cot x - 1}, & x \neq \frac{\pi}{4} \\ k, & x = \frac{\pi}{4} \end{cases}$$

is continuous,

then  $k$  is equal to

(2019 Main, 9 April I)

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

2. The function  $f(x) = [x]^2 - [x^2]$  (where,  $[x]$  is the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ ), is discontinuous at

- (a) all integers      (b) all integers except 0 and 1  
 (c) all integers except 0      (d) all integers except 1

3. Let  $[.]$  denotes the greatest integer function and  $f(x) = [\tan^2 x]$ , then

(1993, 1M)

- (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$  does not exist  
 (b)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$   
 (c)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 (d)  $f'(0) = 1$

4. The function  $f(x) = [x] \cos\left(\frac{2x-1}{2}\pi\right)$ ,  $[.]$  denotes the greatest integer function, is discontinuous at

(1993, 1M)

- (a) all  $x$   
 (b) all integer points  
 (c) no  $x$   
 (d)  $x$  which is not an integer

5. If  $f(x) = x(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{(x+1)})$ , then

(1985, 2M)

- (a)  $f(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 (b)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 (c)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 (d) None of the above

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6. The function  $f(x) = \frac{\log(1+ax) - \log(1-bx)}{x}$

## Objective Questions II

(One or more than one correct option)



9. For every integer  $n$ , let  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  be real numbers. Let function  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} a_n + \sin \pi x, & \text{for } x \in [2n, 2n+1] \\ b_n + \cos \pi x, & \text{for } x \in (2n-1, 2n), \end{cases}$$

for all integers  $n$ .

If  $f$  is continuous, then which of the following hold(s) for all  $n$ ? (2012)

(a)  $a_{n-1} - b_{n-1} = 0$       (b)  $a_n - b_n = 1$   
 (c)  $a_n - b_{n+1} = 1$       (d)  $a_{n-1} - b_n = -1$

## Fill in the Blank

- 10.** A discontinuous function  $y = f(x)$  satisfying  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  is given by  $f(x) = \dots$ . (1982, 2M)

## **Analytical & Descriptive Questions**

- $$11. \text{ Let } f(x) = \begin{cases} \{1 + |\sin x|\}^{a/|\sin x|}, & \frac{\pi}{6} < x < 0 \\ b, & x = 0 \\ e^{\tan 2x/\tan 3x}, & 0 < x < \frac{\pi}{6} \end{cases}$$

Determine  $a$  and  $b$  such that  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x=0$ .  
**(1994, 4M)**

- $$12. \text{ Let } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \cos 4x}{x^2}, & x < 0 \\ a, & x = 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{16 + \sqrt{x}} - 4}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Determine the value of  $a$  if possible, so that the function is continuous at  $x = 0$ . (1990, 4M)

- 13.** Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$  so that the function (1989)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x + a\sqrt{2}\sin x, & 0 \leq x \leq \pi/4 \\ 2x \cot x + b, & \pi/4 \leq x \leq \pi/2 \\ a \cos 2x - b \sin x, & \pi/2 < x \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

is continuous for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ .

- 14.** Let  $g(x)$  be a polynomial of degree one and  $f(x)$  be defined by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} g(x), & x \leq 0 \\ \left[ \frac{(1+x)}{(2+x)} \right]^{1/x}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$

- 15.** Determine the values  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$ , for which the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(a+1)x + \sin x}{x}, & \text{for } x < 0 \\ c, & \text{for } x = 0 \\ \frac{(x+bx^2)^{1/2} - x^{1/2}}{bx^{3/2}}, & \text{for } x > 0 \end{cases}$$

is continuous at  $x=0$ . (1982, 3M)

## Match the Columns

16. Let  $f_1 : R \rightarrow R$ ,  $f_2 : \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \rightarrow R$ ,  $f_3 : (-1, e^{\pi/2} - 2) \rightarrow R$  and  $f_4 : R \rightarrow R$  be functions defined by

  - $f_1(x) = \sin(\sqrt{1-e^{-x^2}})$ ,
  - $f_2(x) = \begin{cases} |\sin x| & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ \tan^{-1} x & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$ , where the inverse trigonometric function  $\tan^{-1} x$  assumes values in  $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ ,
  - $f_3(x) = [\sin(\log_e(x+2))]$ , where for  $t \in R$ ,  $[t]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $t$ ,
  - $f_4(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$

	List-I	List-II
P.	The function $f_1$ is	1. NOT continuous at $x=0$ continuous at $x=0$ and
Q.	The function $f_2$ is	2. NOT differentiable at $x=0$
R.	The function $f_3$ is	3. differentiable at $x=0$ and its derivative is NOT continuous at $x=0$
S.	The function $f_4$ is	4. differentiable at $x=0$ and its derivative is continuous at $x=0$

The correct option is

- (a) P → 2; Q → 3; R → 1; S → 4  
 (b) P → 4; Q → 1; R → 2; S → 3  
 (c) P → 4; Q → 2; R → 1; S → 3  
 (d) P → 2; Q → 1; R → 4; S → 3

## Topic 5 Continuity in a Domain

### Objective Question I (Only one correct option)

1. Let  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be a continuously differentiable function such that  $f(2) = 6$  and  $f'(2) = \frac{1}{48}$ . If  $\int_6^{f(x)} 4t^3 dt = (x-2)g(x)$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} g(x)$  is equal to (2019 Main, 12 April I)

- (a) 18 (b) 24  
(c) 12 (d) 36

2. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(p+1)x + \sin x}{x}, & x < 0 \\ q, & x = 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{x+x^2} - \sqrt{x}}{x^{3/2}}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$

is continuous at  $x=0$ , then the ordered pair  $(p, q)$  is equal to (2019 Main, 10 April I)

- (a)  $\left(-\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$   
(c)  $\left(\frac{5}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  (d)  $\left(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

3. If the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} a|\pi-x|+1, & x \leq 5 \\ b|x-\pi|+3, & x > 5 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x=5$ , then the value of  $a-b$  is (2019 Main, 9 April II)

- (a)  $\frac{-2}{\pi+5}$  (b)  $\frac{2}{\pi+5}$   
(c)  $\frac{2}{\pi-5}$  (d)  $\frac{2}{5-\pi}$

4. If  $f(x) = [x] - \left[\frac{x}{4}\right]$ ,  $x \in R$  where  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer function, then (2019 Main, 9 April II)

- (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x)$  exists but  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x)$  does not exist  
(b)  $f$  is continuous at  $x=4$   
(c) Both  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x)$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x)$  exist but are not equal  
(d)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x)$  exists but  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x)$  does not exist

5. Let  $f : [-1, 3] \rightarrow R$  be defined as

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} |x| + [x], & -1 \leq x < 1 \\ x + |x|, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ x + [x], & 2 \leq x \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

(2019 Main, 8 April II)

where,  $[t]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $t$ . Then,  $f$  is discontinuous at

- (a) four or more points (b) only two points  
(c) only three points (d) only one point

6. Let  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be a function defined as

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 5, & \text{if } x \leq 1 \\ a + bx, & \text{if } 1 < x < 3 \\ b + 5x, & \text{if } 3 \leq x < 5 \\ 30, & \text{if } x \geq 5 \end{cases}$$

Then,  $f$  is

(2019 Main, 9 Jan I)

- (a) continuous if  $a = -5$  and  $b = 10$   
(b) continuous if  $a = 5$  and  $b = 5$   
(c) continuous if  $a = 0$  and  $b = 5$   
(d) not continuous for any values of  $a$  and  $b$

7. If  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 1$ , then on the interval  $[0, \pi]$  (1989, 2M)

- (a)  $\tan[f(x)]$  and  $1/f(x)$  are both continuous  
(b)  $\tan[f(x)]$  and  $1/f(x)$  are both discontinuous  
(c)  $\tan[f(x)]$  and  $f^{-1}(x)$  are both continuous  
(d)  $\tan[f(x)]$  is continuous but  $1/f(x)$  is not continuous

### Objective Questions II

(One or more than one correct option)

8. The following functions are continuous on  $(0, \pi)$

- (a)  $\tan x$  (b)  $\int_0^x t \sin \frac{1}{t} dt$  (1991, 2M)  
(c)  $\begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq x \leq 3\pi/4 \\ 2\sin \frac{2}{9}x, & \frac{3\pi}{4} < x < \pi \end{cases}$  (d)  $\begin{cases} x \sin x, & 0 < x \leq \pi/2 \\ \frac{\pi}{2} \sin(\pi + x), & \frac{\pi}{2} < x < \pi \end{cases}$

9. Let  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ . If  $f(x) = [x \sin \pi x]$ , then  $f(x)$  is (1986, 2M)

- (a) continuous at  $x=0$  (b) continuous in  $(-1, 0)$   
(c) differentiable at  $x=1$  (d) differentiable in  $(-1, 1)$

### Fill in the Blank

10. Let  $f(x) = [x] \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{[x+1]}\right)$ , where  $[.]$  denotes the greatest integer function. The domain of  $f$  is..... and the points of discontinuity of  $f$  in the domain are..... . (1996, 2M)

### Analytical & Descriptive Question

11. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2}{2}, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 2x^2 - 3x + \frac{3}{2}, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$

Discuss the continuity of  $f$ ,  $f'$  and  $f''$  on  $[0, 2]$ .

(1983, 2M)

## Topic 6 Continuity for Composition and Function

### Objective Question II

(One or more than one correct option)

1. For the function  $f(x) = x \cos \frac{1}{x}$ ,  $x \geq 1$ , (2009)

- (a) for at least one  $x$  in the interval  $[1, \infty)$ ,  $f(x+2) - f(x) < 2$
- (b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f'(x) = 1$
- (c) for all  $x$  in the interval  $[1, \infty)$ ,  $f(x+2) - f(x) > 2$
- (d)  $f'(x)$  is strictly decreasing in the interval  $[1, \infty)$

### Analytical & Descriptive Questions

2. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x+a, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ |x-1|, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$  and  
 $g(x) = \begin{cases} x+1, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ (x-1)^2 + b, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$

where,  $a$  and  $b$  are non-negative real numbers. Determine the composite function  $gof$ . If  $(gof)(x)$  is continuous for all real  $x$  determine the values of  $a$  and  $b$ . Further, for these values of  $a$  and  $b$ , is  $gof$  differentiable at  $x=0$ ? Justify your answer. (2002, 5M)

3. Let  $f(x)$  be a continuous and  $g(x)$  be a discontinuous function. Prove that  $f(x) + g(x)$  is a discontinuous function. (1987, 2M)

4. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1+x, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 3-x, & 2 < x \leq 3 \end{cases}$

Determine the form of  $g(x) = f[f(x)]$  and hence find the points of discontinuity of  $g$ , if any (1983, 2M)

5. Let  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$  for all  $x$  and  $y$ . If the function  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x=0$ , then show that  $f(x)$  is continuous at all  $x$ . (1981, 2M)

## Topic 7 Differentiability at a Point

### Objective Questions I (Only one correct option)

1. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be differentiable at  $c \in R$  and  $f(c)=0$ . If  $g(x)=|f(x)|$ , then at  $x=c$ ,  $g$  is (2019 Main, 10 April I)
- (a) not differentiable
  - (b) differentiable if  $f'(c) \neq 0$
  - (c) not differentiable if  $f'(c) = 0$
  - (d) differentiable if  $f'(c) = 0$

2. If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is a differentiable function and

$$f(2) = 6, \text{ then } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \int_6^{f(x)} \frac{2t dt}{(x-2)} \text{ is } \quad (2019 \text{ Main, 9 April II})$$

- (a)  $12f'(2)$
- (b) 0
- (c)  $24f'(2)$
- (d)  $2f'(2)$

3. Let  $f(x) = 15 - |x-10|$ ;  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then, the set of all values of  $x$ , at which the function,  $g(x) = f(f(x))$  is not differentiable, is (2019 Main, 9 April I)
- (a)  $\{5, 10, 15, 20\}$
  - (b)  $\{5, 10, 15\}$
  - (c)  $\{10\}$
  - (d)  $\{10, 15\}$

4. Let  $S$  be the set of all points in  $(-\pi, \pi)$  at which the function,  $f(x) = \min \{\sin x, \cos x\}$  is not differentiable. Then,  $S$  is a subset of which of the following? (2019 Main, 12 Jan I)

- (a)  $\left\{-\frac{\pi}{4}, 0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right\}$
- (b)  $\left\{-\frac{\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right\}$
- (c)  $\left\{-\frac{3\pi}{4}, -\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right\}$
- (d)  $\left\{-\frac{3\pi}{4}, -\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{4}\right\}$

5. Let  $K$  be the set of all real values of  $x$ , where the function  $f(x) = \sin|x| - |x| + 2(x-\pi) \cos|x|$  is not differentiable. Then, the set  $K$  is equal to (2019 Main, 11 Jan II)

- (a)  $\{0\}$
- (b)  $\phi$  (an empty set)
- (c)  $\{\pi\}$
- (d)  $\{0, \pi\}$

6. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & -2 \leq x < 0 \\ x^2 - 1, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$  and

$g(x) = |f(x)| + f(|x|)$ . Then, in the interval  $(-2, 2)$ ,  $g$  is (2019 Main, 11 Jan I)

- (a) not differentiable at one point
- (b) not differentiable at two points
- (c) differentiable at all points
- (d) not continuous

7. Let  $f: (-1, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a function defined by  $f(x) = \max \{-|x|, -\sqrt{1-x^2}\}$ . If  $K$  be the set of all points at which  $f$  is not differentiable, then  $K$  has exactly (2019 Main, 10 Jan II)

- (a) three elements
- (b) five elements
- (c) two elements
- (d) one element

8. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \max \{|x|, x^2\}, & |x| \leq 2 \\ 8-2|x|, & 2 < |x| \leq 4 \end{cases}$

Let  $S$  be the set of points in the interval  $(-4, 4)$  at which  $f$  is not differentiable. Then,  $S$  (2019 Main, 10 Jan I)

- (a) equals  $\{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$
- (b) equals  $\{-2, 2\}$
- (c) is an empty set
- (d) equals  $\{-2, -1, 1, 2\}$

9. Let  $f$  be a differentiable function from  $R$  to  $R$  such that

$$\int_0^3 |f(x) - f(y)| \leq 2|x-y|^2, \text{ for all } x, y \in R. \text{ If } f(0) = 1, \text{ then}$$

$$\int_0^1 f^2(x) dx \text{ is equal to} \quad (2019 \text{ Main, 9 Jan II})$$

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

10. Let  $S = \{t \in \mathbb{R} : f(x) = |x-\pi| \cdot (e^{|x|} - 1) \sin|x|\}$  is not differentiable at  $t$ . Then, the set  $S$  is equal to (2018 Main)

- (a)  $\phi$  (an empty set)
- (b)  $\{0\}$
- (c)  $\{\pi\}$
- (d)  $\{0, \pi\}$

- 11.** For  $x \in R$ ,  $f(x) = |\log 2 - \sin x|$  and  $g(x) = f(f(x))$ , then  
 (a)  $g$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$  (2016 Main)  
 (b)  $g'(0) = \cos(\log 2)$   
 (c)  $g'(0) = -\cos(\log 2)$   
 (d)  $g$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and  $g'(0) = -\sin(\log 2)$
- 12.** If  $f$  and  $g$  are differentiable functions in  $(0, 1)$  satisfying  $f(0) = 2 = g(1)$ ,  $g(0) = 0$  and  $f(1) = 6$ , then for some  $c \in ]0, 1[$   
 (2014 Main)  
 (a)  $2f'(c) = g'(c)$  (b)  $2f'(c) = 3g'(c)$   
 (c)  $f'(c) = g'(c)$  (d)  $f'(c) = 2g'(c)$
- 13.** Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \left| \cos \frac{\pi}{x} \right|, & x \neq 0, x \in R, \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ , then  $f$  is (2012)  
 (a) differentiable both at  $x = 0$  and at  $x = 2$   
 (b) differentiable at  $x = 0$  but not differentiable at  $x = 2$   
 (c) not differentiable at  $x = 0$  but differentiable at  $x = 2$   
 (d) differentiable neither at  $x = 0$  nor at  $x = 2$
- 14.** Let  $g(x) = \frac{(x-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(x-1)}$ ;  $0 < x < 2$ ,  $m$  and  $n$  are integers,  $m \neq 0$ ,  $n > 0$  and let  $p$  be the left hand derivative of  $|x-1|$  at  $x=1$ . If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = p$ , then  
 (a)  $n = 1, m = 1$  (b)  $n = 1, m = -1$  (2008, 3M)  
 (c)  $n = 2, m = 2$  (d)  $n > 2, m = n$
- 15.** If  $f$  is a differentiable function satisfying  $f\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = 0, \forall n \geq 1, n \in I$ , then (2005, 2M)  
 (a)  $f(x) = 0, x \in (0, 1]$   
 (b)  $f'(0) = 0 = f(0)$   
 (c)  $f(0) = 0$  but  $f'(0)$  not necessarily zero  
 (d)  $|f(x)| \leq 1, x \in (0, 1]$
- 16.** Let  $f(x) = ||x|-1|$ , then points where,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable is/are (2005, 2M)  
 (a)  $0, \pm 1$  (b)  $\pm 1$   
 (c)  $0$  (d)  $1$
- 17.** The domain of the derivative of the functions  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \tan^{-1} x, & \text{if } |x| \leq 1 \\ \frac{1}{2}(|x|-1), & \text{if } |x| > 1 \end{cases}$  (2002, 2M)  
 (a)  $R - \{0\}$  (b)  $R - \{1\}$   
 (c)  $R - \{-1\}$  (d)  $R - \{-1, 1\}$
- 18.** Which of the following functions is differentiable at  $x = 0$ ? (2001, 2M)  
 (a)  $\cos(|x|) + |x|$  (b)  $\cos(|x|) - |x|$   
 (c)  $\sin(|x|) + |x|$  (d)  $\sin(|x|) - |x|$
- 19.** The left hand derivative of  $f(x) = [x] \sin(\pi x)$  at  $x = k$ ,  $k$  is an integer, is (2001, 2M)  
 (a)  $(-1)^k (k-1) \pi$  (b)  $(-1)^{k-1} (k-1) \pi$   
 (c)  $(-1)^k k\pi$  (d)  $(-1)^{k-1} k\pi$
- 20.** Let  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be a function defined by  $f(x) = \max\{x, x^3\}$ . The set of all points, where  $f(x)$  is not differentiable, is (2001, 2M)  
 (a)  $\{-1, 1\}$  (b)  $\{-1, 0\}$   
 (c)  $\{0, 1\}$  (d)  $\{-1, 0, 1\}$
- 21.** Let  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be any function. Define  $g : R \rightarrow R$  by  $g(x) = |f(x)|, \forall x$ . Then,  $g$  is (2000, 2M)  
 (a) onto if  $f$  is onto  
 (b) one-one if  $f$  is one-one  
 (c) continuous if  $f$  is continuous  
 (d) differentiable if  $f$  is differentiable
- 22.** The function  $f(x) = (x^2 - 1) |x^2 - 3x + 2| + \cos(|x|)$  is not differentiable at (1999, 2M)  
 (a)  $-1$  (b)  $0$  (c)  $1$  (d)  $2$
- 23.** The set of all points, where the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1 + |x|}$  is differentiable, is (1987, 2M)  
 (a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$  (b)  $[0, \infty)$   
 (c)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$  (d)  $(0, \infty)$
- 24.** There exists a function  $f(x)$  satisfying  $f(0) = 1$ ,  $f'(0) = -1$ ,  $f(x) > 0, \forall x$  and (1982, 2M)  
 (a)  $f''(x) < 0, \forall x$  (b)  $-1 < f''(x) < 0, \forall x$   
 (c)  $-2 \leq f''(x) \leq -1, \forall x$  (d)  $f''(x) < -2, \forall x$
- 25.** For a real number  $y$ , let  $[y]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $y$ . Then, the function  $f(x) = \frac{\tan \pi [x(\pi - x)]}{1 + [x]^2}$  is (1981, 2M)  
 (a) discontinuous at some  $x$   
 (b) continuous at all  $x$ , but the derivative  $f'(x)$  does not exist for some  $x$   
 (c)  $f'(x)$  exists for all  $x$ , but the derivative  $f''(x)$  does not exist for some  $x$   
 (d)  $f'(x)$  exists for all  $x$

## Objective Questions II

(One or more than one correct option)

- 26.** For every twice differentiable function  $f : R \rightarrow [-2, 2]$  with  $(f(0))^2 + (f'(0))^2 = 85$ , which of the following statement(s) is (are) TRUE? (2018 Adv.)  
 (a) There exist  $r, s \in R$ , where  $r < s$ , such that  $f$  is one-one on the open interval  $(r, s)$   
 (b) There exists  $x_0 \in (-4, 0)$  such that  $|f'(x_0)| \leq 1$   
 (c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 1$   
 (d) There exists  $\alpha \in (-4, 4)$  such that  $f(\alpha) + f''(\alpha) = 0$  and  $f'(\alpha) \neq 0$
- 27.** Let  $f : (0, \pi) \rightarrow R$  be a twice differentiable function such that  $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(x) \sin t - f(t) \sin x}{t - x} = \sin^2 x$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$ . If  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{12}$ , then which of the following statement(s) is (are) TRUE? (2018 Adv.)  
 (a)  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4\sqrt{2}}$   
 (b)  $f(x) < \frac{x^4}{6} - x^2$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$   
 (c) There exists  $\alpha \in (0, \pi)$  such that  $f'(\alpha) = 0$   
 (d)  $f''\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$

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28. Let  $f : R \rightarrow R$ ,  $g : R \rightarrow R$  and  $h : R \rightarrow R$  be differentiable functions such that  $f(x) = x^3 + 3x + 2$ ,  $g(f(x)) = x$  and  $h(g(g(x))) = x$  for all  $x \in R$ . Then, (2016 Adv.)

- (a)  $g'(2) = \frac{1}{15}$
- (b)  $h'(1) = 666$
- (c)  $h(0) = 16$
- (d)  $h(g(3)) = 36$

29. Let  $a, b \in R$  and  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be defined by  $f(x) = a \cos(|x^3 - x|) + b|x| \sin(|x^3 + x|)$ . Then,  $f$  is (2016 Adv.)

- (a) differentiable at  $x = 0$ , if  $a = 0$  and  $b = 1$
- (b) differentiable at  $x = 1$ , if  $a = 1$  and  $b = 0$
- (c) not differentiable at  $x = 0$ , if  $a = 1$  and  $b = 0$
- (d) not differentiable at  $x = 1$ , if  $a = 1$  and  $b = 1$

30. Let  $f : \left[-\frac{1}{2}, 2\right] \rightarrow R$  and  $g : \left[-\frac{1}{2}, 2\right] \rightarrow R$  be functions defined by  $f(x) = [x^2 - 3]$  and  $g(x) = \lfloor x \rfloor f(x) + |4x - 7| f(x)$ , where  $[y]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $y$  for  $y \in R$ . Then, (2016 Adv.)

- (a)  $f$  is discontinuous exactly at three points in  $\left[-\frac{1}{2}, 2\right]$
- (b)  $f$  is discontinuous exactly at four points in  $\left[-\frac{1}{2}, 2\right]$
- (c)  $g$  is not differentiable exactly at four points in  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, 2\right)$
- (d)  $g$  is not differentiable exactly at five points in  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, 2\right)$

31. Let  $g : R \rightarrow R$  be a differentiable function with  $g(0) = 0$ ,  $g'(0) = 0$  and  $g'(1) \neq 0$ . (2015 Adv.)

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{|x|} g(x), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

and  $h(x) = e^{|x|}$  for all  $x \in R$ . Let  $(foh)(x)$  denotes  $f\{h(x)\}$  and  $(hof)(x)$  denotes  $h\{f(x)\}$ . Then, which of the following is/are true?

- (a)  $f$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$
- (b)  $h$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$
- (c)  $foh$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$
- (d)  $hof$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

32. Let  $f, g : [-1, 2] \rightarrow R$  be continuous functions which are twice differentiable on the interval  $(-1, 2)$ . Let the values of  $f$  and  $g$  at the points  $-1, 0$  and  $2$  be as given in the following table:

	$x = -1$	$x = 0$	$x = 2$
$f(x)$	3	6	0
$g(x)$	0	1	-1

In each of the intervals  $(-1, 0)$  and  $(0, 2)$ , the function  $(f - 3g)''$  never vanishes. Then, the correct statement(s) is/are (2015 Adv.)

- (a)  $f'(x) - 3g'(x) = 0$  has exactly three solutions in  $(-1, 0) \cup (0, 2)$
- (b)  $f'(x) - 3g'(x) = 0$  has exactly one solution in  $(-1, 0)$
- (c)  $f'(x) - 3g'(x) = 0$  has exactly one solution in  $(0, 2)$
- (d)  $f'(x) - 3g'(x) = 0$  has exactly two solutions in  $(-1, 0)$  and exactly two solutions in  $(0, 2)$

33. Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow [1, \infty)$  be a continuous function and

$$g : R \rightarrow R \text{ be defined as } g(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & , \text{ if } x < a \\ \int_a^x f(t) dt, & \text{if } a \leq x \leq b \\ \int_a^b f(t) dt, & \text{if } x > b \end{cases}$$

Then, (2013)

- (a)  $g(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $a$
- (b)  $g(x)$  is differentiable on  $R$
- (c)  $g(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $b$
- (d)  $g(x)$  is continuous and differentiable at either  $a$  or  $b$  but not both

$$34. \text{ If } f(x) = \begin{cases} -x - \frac{\pi}{2}, & x \leq -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ -\cos x, & -\frac{\pi}{2} < x \leq 0, \text{ then} \\ x - 1, & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ \ln x, & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

- (a)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = -\frac{\pi}{2}$
- (b)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$
- (c)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$
- (d)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = -\frac{3}{2}$

35. Let  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be a function such that

$f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$ ,  $\forall x, y \in R$ . If  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=0$ , then (2011)

- (a)  $f(x)$  is differentiable only in a finite interval containing zero
- (b)  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in R$
- (c)  $f'(x)$  is constant for all  $x \in R$
- (d)  $f(x)$  is differentiable except at finitely many points

36. If  $f(x) = \min\{1, x^2, x^3\}$ , then (2006, 3M)

- (a)  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere
- (b)  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable everywhere
- (c)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at two points
- (d)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at one point

37. Let  $h(x) = \min\{x, x^2\}$  for every real number of  $x$ , then

- (a)  $h$  is continuous for all  $x$  (1998, 2M)
- (b)  $h$  is differentiable for all  $x$
- (c)  $h'(x) = 1$ ,  $\forall x > 1$
- (d)  $h$  is not differentiable at two values of  $x$

38. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x-3|, & x \geq 1 \\ \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4}, & x < 1 \end{cases}$  is (1988, 2M)

- (a) continuous at  $x = 1$  (b) differentiable at  $x = 1$
- (c) discontinuous at  $x = 1$  (d) differentiable at  $x = 3$

39. The function  $f(x) = 1 + |\sin x|$  is (1986, 2M)  
 (a) continuous nowhere  
 (b) continuous everywhere  
 (c) differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 (d) not differentiable at infinite number of points
40. If  $x + |y| = 2y$ , then  $y$  as a function of  $x$  is (1984, 2M)  
 (a) defined for all real  $x$       (b) continuous at  $x = 0$   
 (c) differentiable for all  $x$       (d) such that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3}$  for  $x < 0$

### Assertion and Reason

- For the following questions, choose the correct answer from the codes (a), (b), (c) and (d) defined as follows.
- (a) Statement I is true, Statement II is also true;  
 Statement II is the correct explanation of Statement I
- (b) Statement I is true, Statement II is also true;  
 Statement II is not the correct explanation of Statement I
- (c) Statement I is true; Statement II is false
- (d) Statement I is false; Statement II is true
41. Let  $f$  and  $g$  be real valued functions defined on interval  $(-1, 1)$  such that  $g''(x)$  is continuous,  $g(0) \neq 0$ ,  $g'(0) = 0$ ,  $g''(0) \neq 0$ , and  $f(x) = g(x)\sin x$ .  
**Statement I**  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [g(x)\cos x - g(0)\operatorname{cosec} x] = f''(0)$ . and  
**Statement II**  $f'(0) = g(0)$ . (2008, 3M)

### Match the Columns

42. In the following,  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ .

Column I	Column II
A. $x x $	p. continuous in $(-1, 1)$
B. $\sqrt{ x }$	q. differentiable in $(-1, 1)$
C. $x + [x]$	r. strictly increasing $(-1, 1)$
D. $ x - 1  +  x + 1 $ , in $(-1, 1)$	s. not differentiable atleast at one point in $(-1, 1)$

(2007, 6M)

43. Match the conditions/expressions in Column I with statement in Column II (1992, 2M)

Column I	Column II
A. $\sin(\pi[x])$	p. differentiable everywhere
B. $\sin\{\pi(x-[x])\}$	q. no where differentiable
	r. not differentiable at 1 and -1

### Fill in the Blanks

44. Let  $F(x) = f(x)g(x)h(x)$  for all real  $x$ , where  $f(x)$ ,  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  are differentiable functions. At same point  $x_0$ ,  $F'(x_0) = 21F(x_0)$ ,  $f'(x_0) = 4f(x_0)$ ,  $g'(x_0) = -7g(x_0)$  and  $h'(x_0) = kh(x_0)$ , then  $k = \dots$ . (1997C, 2M)

45. For the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{1+e^{1/x}}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x=0 \end{cases}$ ,

the derivative from the right,  $f'(0^+) = \dots$  and the derivative from the left,  $f'(0^-) = \dots$ . (1983, 2M)

46. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (x-1)^2 \sin \frac{1}{(x-1)} - |x|, & \text{if } x \neq 1 \\ -1, & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$  be a real valued function. Then, the set of points, where  $f(x)$  is not differentiable, is .... . (1981, 2M)

### True/False

47. The derivative of an even function is always an odd function. (1983, 1M)

### Analytical & Descriptive Questions

$$48. f(x) = \begin{cases} b \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x+c}{2}\right), & -\frac{1}{2} < x < 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}, & x=0 \\ \frac{e^{ax/2}-1}{x}, & 0 < x < \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

If  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and  $|c| < \frac{1}{2}$ , then find the value of  $a$  and prove that  $64b^2 = (4 - c^2)$ . (2004, 4M)

49. If  $f: [-1, 1] \rightarrow R$  and  $f'(0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} nf\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)$  and  $f(0) = 0$ . Find the value of  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{\pi} (n+1) \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) - n$ , given that

$$0 < \left| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \right| < \frac{\pi}{2}. \quad (2004, 2M)$$

50. Let  $\alpha \in R$ . Prove that a function  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is differentiable at  $\alpha$  if and only if there is a function  $g: R \rightarrow R$  which is continuous at  $\alpha$  and satisfies  $f(x) - f(\alpha) = g(x)(x - \alpha)$ ,  $\forall x \in R$ . (2001, 5M)

51. Determine the values of  $x$  for which the following function fails to be continuous or differentiable

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1-x, & x < 1 \\ (1-x)(2-x), & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 3-x, & x > 2 \end{cases} \text{ Justify your answer.} \quad (1997, 5M)$$

52. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x e^{-\left(\frac{1}{|x|} + \frac{1}{x}\right)}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$

Test whether

- (i)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .  
 (ii)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ . (1997C, 5M)

53. Let  $f[(x+y)/2] = \{f(x) + f(y)\}/2$  for all real  $x$  and  $y$ , if  $f'(0)$  exists and equals -1 and  $f(0) = 1$ , find  $f(2)$ . (1995, 5M)

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54. A function  $f: R \rightarrow R$  satisfies the equation  $f(x+y) = f(x)f(y)$ ,  $\forall x, y \in R$  and  $f(x) \neq 0$  for any  $x \in R$ . Let the function be differentiable at  $x=0$  and  $f'(0)=2$ . Show that  $f'(x)=2f(x)$ ,  $\forall x \in R$ . Hence, determine  $f(x)$ . (1990, 4M)

55. Draw a graph of the function

$$y = [x] + |1-x|, -1 \leq x \leq 3.$$

Determine the points if any, where this function is not differentiable. (1989, 4M)

56. Let  $R$  be the set of real numbers and  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be such that for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ ,  $|f(x)-f(y)|^2 \leq (x-y)^3$ . Prove that  $f(x)$  is a constant. (1988, 2M)

57. Let  $f(x)$  be a function satisfying the condition  $f(-x) = f(x)$ ,  $\forall x$ . If  $f'(0)$  exists, find its value. (1987, 2M)

58. Let  $f(x)$  be defined in the interval  $[-2, 2]$  such that

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & -2 \leq x \leq 0 \\ x-1, & 0 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

and  $g(x) = f(|x|) + |f(x)|$ .

Test the differentiability of  $g(x)$  in  $(-2, 2)$ . (1986, 5M)

59. Let  $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - x + 1$

and  $g(x) = \begin{cases} \max\{f(t); 0 \leq t \leq x\}, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 3-x, & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$

Discuss the continuity and differentiability of the function  $g(x)$  in the interval  $(0, 2)$ . (1985, 5M)

## Topic 8 Differentiation

### Objective Questions I (Only one correct option)

1. If  ${}^{20}C_1 + (2^2) {}^{20}C_2 + (3^2) {}^{20}C_3 + \dots + (20^2) {}^{20}C_{20} = A(2^\beta)$ , then the ordered pair  $(A, \beta)$  is equal to (2019 Main, 12 April II)

- (a) (420, 19) (b) (420, 18) (c) (380, 18) (d) (380, 19)

2. The derivative of  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin x - \cos x}{\sin x + \cos x}\right)$ , with respect to  $\frac{x}{2}$ , where  $\left(x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right)$  is (2019 Main, 12 April II)

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

3. If  $e^y + xy = e$ , the ordered pair  $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}, \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)$  at  $x=0$  is equal to (2019 Main, 12 April I)

- (a)  $\left(\frac{1}{e}, -\frac{1}{e^2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(-\frac{1}{e}, \frac{1}{e^2}\right)$  (c)  $\left(\frac{1}{e}, \frac{1}{e^2}\right)$  (d)  $\left(-\frac{1}{e}, -\frac{1}{e^2}\right)$

4. If  $f(1)=1$ ,  $f'(1)=3$ , then the derivative of  $f(f(f(x))) + (f(x))^2$  at  $x=1$  is (2019 Main, 8 April II)

- (a) 12 (b) 9 (c) 15 (d) 33

5. If  $2y = \left(\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}\cos x + \sin x}{\cos x - \sqrt{3}\sin x}\right)\right)^2$ ,  $x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is equal to (2019 Main, 8 April I)

60. Find  $f'(1)$ , if  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-1}{2x^2-7x+5}, & \text{when } x \neq 1 \\ -\frac{1}{3}, & \text{when } x=1 \end{cases}$ . (1979, 3M)

61. If  $f(x) = x \tan^{-1} x$ , find  $f'(1)$  from first principle. (1978, 3M)

### Integer Answer Type Questions

62. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be a differentiable function such that  $f(0)=0$ ,  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)=3$  and  $f'(0)=1$ .

$$\text{If } g(x) = \int_x^{\frac{\pi}{2}} [f'(t) \operatorname{cosec} t - \cot t \operatorname{cosec} t f(t)] dt$$

$$\text{for } x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right], \text{ then } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) =$$

63. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  and  $g: R \rightarrow R$  be respectively given by  $f(x) = |x| + 1$  and  $g(x) = x^2 + 1$ . Define  $h: R \rightarrow R$  by  $h(x) = \begin{cases} \max\{f(x), g(x)\}, & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ \min\{f(x), g(x)\}, & \text{if } x > 0. \end{cases}$

The number of points at which  $h(x)$  is not differentiable is (2014 Adv.)

64. Let  $p(x)$  be a polynomial of degree 4 having extremum at  $x=1, 2$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[1 + \frac{p(x)}{x^2}\right] = 2$ . Then, the value of  $p(2)$  is ..... . (2010)

- (a)  $\frac{\pi}{6} - x$  (b)  $x - \frac{\pi}{6}$  (c)  $\frac{\pi}{3} - x$  (d)  $2x - \frac{\pi}{3}$

6. For  $x > 1$ , if  $(2x)^{2y} = 4e^{2x-2y}$ , then  $(1 + \log_e 2x)^2 \frac{dy}{dx}$  is equal to (2019 Main, 12 Jan I)

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

7. If  $x \log_e (\log_e x) - x^2 + y^2 = 4$  ( $y > 0$ ), then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at  $x=e$  is equal to (2019 Main, 11 Jan I)

- (a)  $\frac{e}{\sqrt{4+e^2}}$  (b)  $\frac{(2e-1)}{2\sqrt{4+e^2}}$  (c)  $\frac{(1+2e)}{\sqrt{4+e^2}}$  (d)  $\frac{(1+2e)}{2\sqrt{4+e^2}}$

8. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be a function such that  $f(x) = x^3 + x^2 f'(1) + x f''(2) + f'''(3)$ ,  $x \in R$ . Then,  $f(2)$  equals (2019 Main, 10 Jan I)

- (a) 30 (b) -4 (c) -2 (d) 8

9. If  $x = 3 \tan t$  and  $y = 3 \sec t$ , then the value of  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  at  $t = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , is (2019 Main, 9 Jan II)

- (a)  $\frac{1}{6}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}}$   
(c)  $\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$  (d)  $\frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}$

- 10.** For  $x \in \left(0, \frac{1}{4}\right)$ , if the derivative of

$\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{6x\sqrt{x}}{1-9x^3} \right)$  is  $\sqrt{x} \cdot g(x)$ , then  $g(x)$  equals (2017 Main)

- (a)  $\frac{9}{1+9x^3}$    (b)  $\frac{3x\sqrt{x}}{1-9x^3}$    (c)  $\frac{3x}{1-9x^3}$    (d)  $\frac{3}{1+9x^3}$

- 11.** If  $g$  is the inverse of a function  $f$  and  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^5}$ , then

$g'(x)$  is equal to (2015)

- (a)  $1+x^5$    (b)  $5x^4$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{1+\{g(x)\}^5}$    (d)  $1+\{g(x)\}^5$

- 12.** If  $y = \sec(\tan^{-1} x)$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at  $x=1$  is equal to (2013)

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

- 13.** Let  $g(x) = \log f(x)$ , where  $f(x)$  is a twice differentiable positive function on  $(0, \infty)$  such that  $f(x+1) = xf(x)$ .

Then, for  $N = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ ,  $g''\left(N + \frac{1}{2}\right) - g''\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$  is equal to

- (a)  $-4 \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N-1)^2} \right\}$  (2008, 3M)  
 (b)  $4 \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N-1)^2} \right\}$   
 (c)  $-4 \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N+1)^2} \right\}$   
 (d)  $4 \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N+1)^2} \right\}$

- 14.**  $\frac{d^2x}{dy^2}$  equals (2007, 3M)

- (a)  $\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^{-1}$    (b)  $-\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-3}$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-2}$    (d)  $-\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-3}$

- 15.** If  $f''(x) = -f(x)$ , where  $f(x)$  is a continuous double differentiable function and  $g(x) = f'(x)$ .

If  $F(x) = \left\{ f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right\}^2 + \left\{ g\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right\}^2$  and  $F(5) = 5$ ,  
 then  $F(10)$  is (2006, 3M)

- (a) 0   (b) 5   (c) 10   (d) 25

- 16.** Let  $f$  be twice differentiable function satisfying  $f(1) = 1$ ,  $f(2) = 4$ ,  $f(3) = 9$ , then (2005, 2M)

- (a)  $f''(x) = 2$ ,  $\forall x \in (R)$   
 (b)  $f'(x) = 5 = f''(x)$ , for some  $x \in (1, 3)$   
 (c) there exists atleast one  $x \in (1, 3)$  such that  $f''(x) = 2$   
 (d) None of the above

- 17.** If  $y$  is a function of  $x$  and  $\log(x+y) = 2xy$ , then the value of  $y'(0)$  is (2004, 1M)

- (a) 1   (b) -1   (c) 2   (d) 0

- 18.** If  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ , then (2000, 1M)

- (a)  $yy'' - 2(y')^2 + 1 = 0$    (b)  $yy'' + (y')^2 + 1 = 0$   
 (c)  $yy'' + (y')^2 - 1 = 0$    (d)  $yy'' + 2(y')^2 + 1 = 0$

- 19.** Let  $f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} x^3 & \sin x & \cos x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix}$ , where  $p$  is constant.

Then,  $\frac{d^3}{dx^3} f(x)$  at  $x=0$  is (1997, 2M)

- (a)  $p$    (b)  $p + p^2$   
 (c)  $p + p^3$    (d) independent of  $p$

- 20.** If  $y^2 = P(x)$  is a polynomial of degree 3, then

$2 \frac{d}{dx} \left( y^3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right)$  equals (1988, 2M)

- (a)  $P'''(x) + P'(x)$    (b)  $P''(x) \cdot P'''(x)$   
 (c)  $P(x)P'''(x)$    (d) a constant

### Fill in the Blanks

- 21.** If  $x e^{xy} = y + \sin^2 x$ , then at  $x=0$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \dots \dots \dots$  (1996, 2M)

- 22.** Let  $f(x) = x|x|$ . The set of points, where  $f(x)$  is twice differentiable, is  $\dots \dots \dots$  (1992, 2M)

- 23.** If  $f(x) = |x-2|$  and  $g(x) = f[f(x)]$ , then  $g'(x) = \dots \dots \dots$  for  $x > 2$ . (1990, 2M)

- 24.** The derivative of  $\sec^{-1} \left( -\frac{1}{2x^2-1} \right)$  with respect to  $\sqrt{1-x^2}$  at  $x = \frac{1}{2}$  is  $\dots \dots \dots$ . (1986, 2M)

- 25.** If  $f(x) = \log_x (\log x)$ , then  $f'(x)$  at  $x=e$  is  $\dots \dots \dots$  (1985, 2M)

- 26.** If  $f_r(x), g_r(x), h_r(x), r = 1, 2, 3$  are polynomials in  $x$  such that  $f_r(a) = g_r(a) = h_r(a), r = 1, 2, 3$

$$\text{and } F(x) = \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) & f_3(x) \\ g_1(x) & g_2(x) & g_3(x) \\ h_1(x) & h_2(x) & h_3(x) \end{vmatrix},$$

then  $F'(x)$  at  $x=a$  is  $\dots \dots \dots$ . (1985, 2M)

- 27.** If  $y = f\left(\frac{2x-1}{x^2+1}\right)$  and  $f'(x) = \sin^2 x$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \dots \dots \dots$  (1982, 2M)

### Analytical & Descriptive Questions

- 28.** If  $y = \frac{ax^2}{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{bx}{(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{c}{(x-c)} + 1$ ,

Prove that  $\frac{y'}{y} = \frac{1}{x} \left( \frac{a}{a-x} + \frac{b}{b-x} + \frac{c}{c-x} \right)$ . (1998, 8M)

- 29.** Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at  $x=-1$ , when

$$(\sin y)^{\frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2} x}{2}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sec^{-1}(2x) + 2^x \tan \ln(x+2) = 0. \quad (1991, 4M)$$

- 30.** If  $x = \sec \theta - \cos \theta$  and  $y = \sec^n \theta - \cos^n \theta$ , then show that

$$(x^2 + 4) \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = n^2 (y^2 + 4). \quad (1989, 2M)$$

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31. If  $\alpha$  be a repeated roots of a quadratic equation  $f(x) = 0$  and  $A(x)$ ,  $B(x)$  and  $C(x)$  be polynomials of degree 3, 4 and

5 respectively, then show that  $\begin{vmatrix} A(x) & B(x) & C(x) \\ A(\alpha) & B(\alpha) & C(\alpha) \\ A'(\alpha) & B'(\alpha) & C'(\alpha) \end{vmatrix}$  is divisible by  $f(x)$ , where prime denotes the derivatives.

(1984, 4M)

32. Find the derivative with respect to  $x$  of the function

$$y = \left\{ (\log_{\cos x} \sin x) (\log_{\sin x} \cos x)^{-1} + \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right) \right\}$$

at  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

(1984, 4M)

33. If  $(a + bx) e^{y/x} = x$ , then prove that

$$x^3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \left( x \frac{dy}{dx} - y \right)^2.$$

(1983, 3M)

34. Let  $f$  be a twice differentiable function such that  
(1983, 3M)

$$f''(x) = -f(x), f'(x) = g(x) \text{ and}$$

$$h(x) = [f(x)]^2 + [g(x)]^2$$

Find  $h(10)$ , if  $h(5) = 11$ .

35. Let  $y = e^{x \sin x^3} + (\tan x)^x$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

(1981, 2M)

36. Given,  $y = \frac{5x}{3\sqrt{(1-x)^2}} + \cos^2(2x+1)$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

(1980)

### Integer Type Questions

37. Let  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be a continuous odd function, which vanishes exactly at one point and  $f(1) = \frac{1}{2}$ .

Suppose that  $F(x) = \int_{-1}^x f(t) dt$  for all  $x \in [-1, 2]$  and

$G(x) = \int_{-1}^x t |f(f(t))| dt$  for all  $x \in [-1, 2]$ . If

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{F(x)}{G(x)} = \frac{1}{14}$ , then the value of  $f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$  is

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## Answers

### Topic 1

- |  |                                       |            |                |
|--|---------------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| 1. (b)                                 | 2. (c)                                | 3. (d)     | 4. (a)         |
| 5. (c)                                 | 6. (b)                                | 7. (a)     | 8. (b)         |
| 9. (d)                                 | 10. (c)                               | 11. (b)    | 12. (d)        |
| 13. (d)                                | 14. (c)                               | 15. (c)    | 16. (c)        |
| 17. (d)                                | 18. (d)                               | 19. (b)    | 20. (c)        |
| 21. (a)                                | 22. (d)                               | 23. (a, c) | 24. -1         |
| 25. 1                                  | 26. $h\sqrt{2hr-h^2}, \frac{1}{128r}$ |            | 27. -1         |
| 28. 7                                  | 29. $\frac{2}{\pi}$                   | 30. False  | 31. $\log_e 4$ |
| 32. $a^2 \cos \alpha + 2a \sin \alpha$ |                                       | 33. 0      |                |
| 34. $\frac{-1}{3}$                     | 35. (7)                               | 36. (2)    |                |

### Topic 2

- |             |           |           |           |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1. (d)      | 2. (b)    | 3. (d)    | 4. (a)    |
| 5. (c)      | 6. (c)    | 7. (d)    | 8. (c)    |
| 9. (b)      | 10. (d)   | 11. (c)   | 12. (c)   |
| 13. (c)     | 14. $e^2$ | 15. $e^5$ | 16. $e^2$ |
| 17. $a = 2$ |           |           |           |

### Topic 3

- |        |        |        |          |
|--------|--------|--------|----------|
| 1. (c) | 2. (a) | 3. (b) | 4. (b,c) |
| 5. (1) | 6. 1   |        |          |

### Topic 4

- |          |                             |            |           |
|----------|-----------------------------|------------|-----------|
| 1. (a)   | 2. (b)                      | 3. (b)     | 4. (c)    |
| 5. (c)   | 6. (b)                      | 7. (a,b,d) | 8. (a, d) |
| 9. (b,d) | 10. $f(x) = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$ |            |           |

11.  $a = \frac{2}{3}, b = e^{2/3}$  12.  $a = 8$  13.  $a = \frac{\pi}{6}, b = \frac{-\pi}{12}$

$$14. f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{3} \left( \log\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) - \frac{1}{6} \right)x, & x \leq 0 \\ \left( \frac{1+x}{2+x} \right)^{1/x}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

15.  $a = \frac{-3}{2}, c = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $b \in R$  16. (d)

### Topic 5

- |             |   |        |           |
|-------------|---|--------|-----------|
| 1. (a)      | 2. (d)  | 3. (d) | 4. (b)    |
| 5. (c)      | 6. (d)  | 7. (b) | 8. (b, c) |
| 9. (a,b, d) | 10. $x \in (-\infty, -1) \cup [0, \infty), [-1, 0)$ |        |           |

11.  $f$  and  $f''$  are continuous and  $f'$  is discontinuous at  $x = \{1, 2\}$ .

### Topic 6

- |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| 1. (b, c, d)   |  |  |  |
| 2. $g\{f(x)\} = \begin{cases} x+a+1, & \text{if } x < -a \\ (x+a-1)^2, & \text{if } -a \leq x < c \\ x^2+b, & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ (x-2)^2+b, & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$ |  |  |  |
| $a = 1, b = 0$   |  |  |  |
| $gof$ is differentiable at $x = 0$   |  |  |  |
| 4. $g(x) = \begin{cases} 4-x, & 2 < x \leq 3 \\ 2+x, & 0 \leq x \leq 1, \text{ discontinuous at } x = \{1, 2\} \\ 2-x, & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$                                     |  |  |  |
| Discontinuity of $g$ at $x = \{1, 2\}$   |  |  |  |

**Topic 7**

1. (b)      2. (a)      3. (b)      4. (c)  
 5. (b)      6. (a)      7. (a)      8. (a)  
 9. (c)      10. (a)      11. (b)      12. (d)  
 13. (b)      14. (c)      15. (b)      16. (a)  
 17. (d)      18. (d)      19. (a)      20. (d)  
 21. (c)      22. (d)      23. (a)      24. (a)  
 25. (d)      26. (a,b,d)      27. (b,c,d)      28. (b,c)  
 29. (a,b)      30. (b,c)      31. (a,d)      32. (b,c)  
 33. (b, c)      34. (a, b, c, d)      35. (b, c)      36. (a, d)  
 37. (a, c, d)      38. (a, b)      39. (b, d)      40. (a, b, d)  
 41. (b)  
 42. (A) → p, q, r, s; (B) → p, s; (C) → r, s; (D) → p, s  
 43. (A) → p; (B) → r      44. (24)  
 45.  $f'(0^+) = 0, f'(0^-) = 1$   
 46.  $x = 0$       47. True      48. ( $a = 1$ )      49.  $\left(1 - \frac{2}{\pi}\right)$   
 51. (1, 2)      52. (i) Yes (ii) No  
 53. (-1)      54.  $e^{2x}$       55. {0, 1, 2}      57.  $f'(0) = 0$   
 58.  $g(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x \in (-2, 2) - \{0, 1\}$

59.  $g(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in (0, 2) - \{1\}$  and  $g(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x \in (0, 2) - \{1\}$   
 60.  $\left(-\frac{2}{9}\right)$       61.  $\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$       62. (2)      63. (3)

**Topic 8**

1. (b)      2. (d)      3. (b)      4. (d)  
 5. (b)      6. (b)      7. (b)      8. (c)  
 9. (b)      10. (a)      11. (d)      12. (a)  
 13. (a)      14. (d)      15. (b)      16. (c)  
 17. (a)      18. (b)      19. (d)      20. (c)  
 21. 1      22.  $x \in R - \{0\}$       23. 1      24. -4  
 25.  $\frac{1}{e}$       26. 0      27.  $\frac{-2(x^2 - x - 1)}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \cdot \sin^2\left(\frac{2x-1}{x^2+1}\right)$   
 29.  $\frac{3}{\pi\sqrt{\pi^2-3}}$       32.  $\frac{-8}{\log e^2} + \frac{32}{16+\pi^2}$       33. 11  
 35.  $e^{x \sin x^3} (3x^3 \cos x^3 + \sin x^3) + (\tan x)^x [2x \operatorname{cosec} 2x + \log(\tan x)]$   
 36. 
$$\begin{cases} \frac{5}{3(1-x)^2} - 2\sin(4x+2), & x < 1 \\ \frac{-5}{3(x-1)^2} - 2\sin(4x+2), & x > 1 \end{cases}$$
      37. (7)

## Hints & Solutions

**Topic 1  $\frac{0}{0}$  and  $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$  Form**

1. Let

$$P = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x + 2 \sin x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 2 \sin x + 1} - \sqrt{\sin^2 x - x + 1}} \quad \left[ \frac{0}{0} \text{ form} \right]$$

On rationalization, we get

$$\begin{aligned} P &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x + 2 \sin x)}{x^2 + 2 \sin x + 1 - \sin^2 x + x - 1} \\ &\quad \times (\sqrt{x^2 + 2 \sin x + 1} + \sqrt{\sin^2 x - x + 1}) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\sqrt{x^2 + 2 \sin x + 1} + \sqrt{\sin^2 x - x + 1}) \\ &\quad \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x + 2 \sin x}{x^2 - \sin^2 x + 2 \sin x + x} \\ &= 2 \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x + 2 \sin x}{x^2 - \sin^2 x + 2 \sin x + x} \quad \left[ \frac{0}{0} \text{ form} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Now applying the L' Hopital's rule, we get

$$\begin{aligned} P &= 2 \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + 2 \cos x}{2x - \sin 2x + 2 \cos x + 1} \\ &= 2 \frac{(1 + 2)}{0 - 0 + 2 + 1} \quad [\text{on applying limit}] \\ &= 2 \times \frac{3}{3} = 2 \\ &\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x + 2 \sin x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 2 \sin x + 1} - \sqrt{\sin^2 x - x + 1}} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

2. It is given that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - ax + b}{x - 1} = 5$  ... (i)

Since, limit exist and equal to 5 and denominator is zero at  $x = 1$ , so numerator  $x^2 - ax + b$  should be zero at  $x = 1$ ,

$$\text{So } 1 - a + b = 0 \Rightarrow a = 1 + b \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

On putting the value of 'a' from Eq. (ii) in Eq. (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - (1+b)x + b}{x - 1} &= 5 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x^2 - x) - b(x-1)}{x-1} = 5 \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x-1)(x-b)}{x-1} &= 5 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (x-b) = 5 \\ \Rightarrow 1 - b &= 5 \\ \Rightarrow b &= -4 \quad \dots \text{(iii)} \end{aligned}$$

On putting value of 'b' from Eq. (iii) to Eq. (ii), we get  
 $a = -3$

$$\text{So, } a + b = -7$$

3. Given,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^4 - 1}{x - 1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \frac{x^3 - k^3}{x^2 - k^2} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x-1)(x+1)(x^2+1)}{x-1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \frac{(x-k)(x^2+k^2+xk)}{(x-k)(x+k)} \end{aligned}$$

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$$\Rightarrow 2 \times 2 = \frac{3k^2}{2k}$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{8}{3}$$

4. Given limit is  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{1 + \cos x}}$   $\left[ \begin{matrix} 0 & \text{form} \\ 0 & \end{matrix} \right]$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2} \cos \frac{x}{2}} \quad \left[ \because 1 + \cos x = 2 \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sqrt{2} \left( 1 - \cos \frac{x}{2} \right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sqrt{2} \times 2 \sin^2 \left( \frac{x}{4} \right)} \quad \left[ \because 1 - \cos \frac{x}{2} = 2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{4} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2}{2\sqrt{2} \left( \frac{x}{4} \right)^2} = \frac{16}{2\sqrt{2}} = 4\sqrt{2} \quad [\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x]$$

5. Given, limit =  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{\cot^3 x - \tan x}{\cos \left( x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{1 - \tan^4 x}{\sqrt{2} (\cos x - \sin x)} \times \frac{1}{\tan^3 x} \quad \left[ \because \cot x = \frac{1}{\tan x} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{(1 - \tan^2 x) \times \sqrt{2}(1 + \tan^2 x)}{\cos x - \sin x} \times \frac{1}{\tan^3 x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x}{\cos x - \sin x} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}(\sec^2 x)}{\cos^2 x \tan^3 x} \quad [\because 1 + \tan^2 x = \sec^2 x]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{(\cos x - \sin x)(\cos x + \sin x)}{(\cos x - \sin x)} \times \frac{\sqrt{2} \sec^4 x}{\tan^3 x} \quad [\because (a^2 - b^2) = (a - b)(a + b)]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{\sqrt{2} \sec^4 x}{\tan^3 x} (\cos x + \sin x)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2} (\sqrt{2})^4}{(1)^3} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \quad [\text{on applying limit}]$$

$$= 4\sqrt{2} \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 8.$$

6.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cot 4x}{\sin^2 x \cdot \cot^2 2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{\tan 4x} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} \cdot \frac{\tan^2 2x}{1}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{4} \frac{4x}{(\tan 4x)} \frac{x^2}{\sin^2 x} \cdot \frac{\tan^2 2x}{x^2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{4} \frac{4x}{(\tan 4x)} \left( \frac{x}{\sin x} \right)^2 \cdot \left( \frac{\tan 2x}{2x} \right)^2 \cdot \frac{4}{1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \cdot 1 \cdot 1 \cdot \frac{4}{1} = 1 \quad \left[ \because \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{\sin x} = 1 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x}{x} \right]$$

7. Clearly,

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}} - \sqrt{2}}{y^4} \\ &= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}} - \sqrt{2}}{y^4} \times \frac{\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}} + \sqrt{2}} \quad [\text{rationalising the numerator}] \\ &= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}) - 2}{y^4 (\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}} + \sqrt{2})} \quad [ \because (a + b)(a - b) = a^2 - b^2 ] \\ &= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 + y^4} - 1}{y^4 (\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}} + \sqrt{2})} \times \frac{\sqrt{1 + y^4} + 1}{\sqrt{1 + y^4} + 1} \quad [\text{again, rationalising the numerator}] \\ &= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y^4}{y^4 (\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{1 + y^4}} + \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{1 + y^4} + 1)} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2} \times 2} \end{aligned}$$

(by cancelling  $y^4$  and then by direct substitution).

$$8. \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2} \frac{\cot x - \cos x}{(\pi - 2x)^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2} \frac{1}{8} \cdot \frac{\cos x(1 - \sin x)}{\sin x \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - x \right)^3}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{8} \cdot \frac{\cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - h \right) \left[ 1 - \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - h \right) \right]}{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - h \right) \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2} + h \right)^3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h (1 - \cos h)}{\cos h \cdot h^3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h \left( 2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{2} \right)}{\cos h \cdot h^3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h \cdot \sin^2 \left( \frac{h}{2} \right)}{h^3 \cos h}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin h}{h} \right) \left( \frac{\sin \frac{h}{2}}{\frac{h}{2}} \right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\cos h} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{16}$$

9.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\pi \cos^2 x)}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \pi (1 - \sin^2 x)}{x^2}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\pi - \pi \sin^2 x)}{x^2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\pi \sin^2 x)}{x^2} \quad [\because \sin(\pi - \theta) = \sin \theta]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \pi \sin^2 x}{\pi \sin^2 x} \times (\pi) \left( \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} \right) = \pi \left[ \because \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1 \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 10. \text{ We have, } & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 - \cos 2x)(3 + \cos x)}{x \tan 4x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 x(3 + \cos x)}{x \times \frac{\tan 4x}{4x} \times 4x} \\
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 x}{x^2} \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(3 + \cos x)}{4} \times \frac{1}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 4x}{4x}} \\
 & = 2 \times \frac{4}{4} \times 1 \quad \left[ \because \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1 \text{ and } \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan \theta}{\theta} = 1 \right] \\
 & = 2
 \end{aligned}$$

11. PLAN  $\left(\frac{\infty}{\infty}\right)$  form

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_0 x^n + a_1 x^{n-1} + \dots + a_n}{b_0 x^m + b_1 x^{m-1} + \dots + b_m} = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } n < m \\ \frac{a_0}{b_0}, & \text{if } n = m \\ +\infty, & \text{if } n > m \text{ and } a_0 b_0 > 0 \\ -\infty, & \text{if } n > m \text{ and } a_0 b_0 < 0 \end{cases}$$

**Description of Situation** As to make degree of numerator equal to degree of denominator.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{x^2 + x + 1}{x + 1} - ax - b \right) = 4 \\
 & \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + x + 1 - ax^2 - ax - bx - b}{x + 1} = 4 \\
 & \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2(1-a) + x(1-a-b) + (1-b)}{x+1} = 4
 \end{aligned}$$

Here, we make degree of numerator

= degree of denominator

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \therefore 1 - a = 0 \Rightarrow a = 1 \\
 & \text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x(1-a-b) + (1-b)}{x+1} = 4 \\
 & \Rightarrow 1 - a - b = 4 \\
 & \Rightarrow b = -4 \quad [ \because (1-a) = 0 ]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$12. \text{ Here, } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2h + 2 + h^2) - f(2)}{f(h - h^2 + 1) - f(1)} \quad [\because f'(2) = 6 \text{ and } f'(1) = 4, \text{ given}]$$

Applying L'Hospital's rule,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\{f'(2h + 2 + h^2)\} \cdot (2 + 2h) - 0}{\{f'(h - h^2 + 1)\} \cdot (1 - 2h) - 0} = \frac{f'(2) \cdot 2}{f'(1) \cdot 1} \\
 & = \frac{6 \cdot 2}{4 \cdot 1} = 3 \quad [\text{using } f'(2) = 6 \text{ and } f'(1) = 4]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$13. \text{ Given, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\{(a-n)nx - \tan x\} \sin nx}{x^2} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left\{ (a-n)n - \frac{\tan x}{x} \right\} \frac{\sin nx}{nx} \times n = 0 \\
 & \Rightarrow \{(a-n)n - 1\}n = 0 \\
 & \Rightarrow (a-n)n = 1 \\
 & \Rightarrow a = n + \frac{1}{n}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$14. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\cos x - 1)(\cos x - e^x)}{x^n}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left( -2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} \right) \left[ \left( 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \dots \right) - \left( 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \right) \right]}{x^n} \\
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left( -2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} \right) \left( -x - \frac{2x^2}{2!} - \frac{x^3}{3!} - \dots \right)}{4 \left( \frac{x}{2} \right)^2 x^{n-2}} \\
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 \frac{x}{2} \left( 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{3!} + \dots \right)}{2 \left( \frac{x}{2} \right)^2 x^{n-3}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Above limit is finite, if  $n - 3 = 0$ , i.e.  $n = 3$ .

$$15. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \tan 2x - 2x \tan x}{(1 - \cos 2x)^2}$$

**NOTE** In trigonometry try to make all trigonometric functions in same angle. It is called 3rd Golden rule of trigonometry.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \frac{2 \tan x}{1 - \tan^2 x} - 2x \tan x}{(2 \sin^2 x)^2} \\
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x \tan x \left[ \frac{1}{1 - \tan^2 x} - 1 \right]}{4 \sin^4 x} \\
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x \tan x \left[ \frac{1 - 1 + \tan^2 x}{1 - \tan^2 x} \right]}{4 \sin^4 x} \\
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x \tan^3 x}{2 \sin^4 x (1 - \tan^2 x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2} \frac{x \left( \frac{\tan x}{x} \right)^3 \cdot x^3}{2 \sin^4 x (1 - \tan^2 x)} \\
 & = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left( \frac{\tan x}{x} \right)^3}{\left( \frac{\sin x}{x} \right)^4 (1 - \tan^2 x)} = \frac{1 \cdot (1)^3}{2(1)^4 (1 - 0)} = \frac{1}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$16. \text{ LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos 2(x-1)}}{x-1} \\
 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\sqrt{2 \sin^2(x-1)}}{x-1} = \sqrt{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{|\sin(x-1)|}{x-1}$$

Put  $x = 1 - h$ ,  $h > 0$ , for  $x \rightarrow 1^-$ ,  $h \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & = \sqrt{2} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|\sin(-h)|}{-h} \\
 & = \sqrt{2} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{-h} = -\sqrt{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Again, RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos 2(x-1)}}{x-1}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \sqrt{2} \frac{|\sin(x-1)|}{x-1}$$

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Put  $x = 1 + h, h > 0$

For  $x \rightarrow 1^+, h \rightarrow 0$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{2} \frac{|\sin h|}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{2} \frac{\sin h}{h} = \sqrt{2}$$

$\therefore \text{LHL} \neq \text{RHL}$ .

Hence,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$  does not exist.

$$17. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{2}(1 - \cos^2 x)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{|\sin x|}{x}$$

At  $x = 0$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sin h}{h} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{and LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sin h}{-h} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Here,  $\text{RHL} \neq \text{LHL}$

$\therefore$  Limit does not exist.

$$18. \text{ Since, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin [x]}{[x]}, & [x] \neq 0 \\ 0, & [x] = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin [x]}{[x]}, & x \in R - [0, 1) \\ 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \end{cases}$$

At  $x = 0$ ,

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} 0 = 0$$

$$\text{and LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\sin [x]}{[x]} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin [0-h]}{[0-h]}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(-1)}{-1} = \sin 1$$

Since,  $\text{RHL} \neq \text{LHL}$

$\therefore$  Limit does not exist.

$$19. \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{1}{1-n^2} + \frac{2}{1-n^2} + \dots + \frac{n}{1-n^2} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1+2+3+\dots+n}{(1-n^2)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n(n+1)}{2(1-n)(1+n)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{2(1-n)} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

20. Given,  $f(a) = 2, f'(a) = 1, g(a) = -1, g'(a) = 2$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{g(x)f(a) - g(a)f(x)}{x-a}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{g'(x)f(a) - g(a)f'(x)}{1-0},$$

[using L' Hospital's rule]

$$= g'(a)f(a) - g(a)f'(a)$$

$$= 2(2) - (-1)(1) = 5$$

21. Given,  $G(x) = -\sqrt{25-x^2}$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{G(x)-G(1)}{x-1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{G'(x)-0}{1-0}$$

[using L' Hospital's rule]

$$= G'(1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{24}}$$

$$\left[ \because G(x) = -\sqrt{25-x^2} \Rightarrow G'(x) = \frac{2x}{2\sqrt{25-x^2}} \right]$$

22. We have,

$$f_n(x) = \sum_{j=1}^n \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1+(x+j)(x+j-1)} \right) \text{ for all } x \in (0, \infty)$$

$$\Rightarrow f_n(x) = \sum_{j=1}^n \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{(x+j)-(x+j-1)}{1+(x+j)(x+j-1)} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f_n(x) = \sum_{j=1}^n [\tan^{-1}(x+j) - \tan^{-1}(x+j-1)]$$

$$\Rightarrow f_n(x) = (\tan^{-1}(x+1) - \tan^{-1}x) + (\tan^{-1}(x+2) - \tan^{-1}(x+1)) + (\tan^{-1}(x+3) - \tan^{-1}(x+2)) + \dots + (\tan^{-1}(x+n) - \tan^{-1}(x+n-1))$$

$$\Rightarrow f_n(x) = \tan^{-1}(x+n) - \tan^{-1}x$$

This statement is false as  $x \neq 0$ . i.e.,  $x \in (0, \infty)$ .

(b) This statement is also false as  $0 \notin (0, \infty)$

$$(c) f_n(x) = \tan^{-1}(x+n) - \tan^{-1}x$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan(f_n(x)) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan(\tan^{-1}(x+n) - \tan^{-1}x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan(f_n(x)) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan \left( \tan^{-1} \frac{n}{1+nx+x^2} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{1+nx+x^2} = 0$$

$\therefore$  (c) statement is false.

$$(d) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sec^2(f_n(x)) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (1 + \tan^2 f_n(x)) = 1 + \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan^2(f_n(x)) = 1 + 0 = 1$$

$\therefore$  (d) statement is true.

$$23. L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} - \frac{x^2}{4}}{x^4}, a > 0$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a - a \cdot \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} - 1 \right)}{2} \cdot \frac{x^4}{a^4} - \dots \right] - \frac{x^2}{4}}{x^4}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x^2}{2a} + \frac{1}{8} \cdot \frac{x^4}{a^3} + \dots - \frac{x^2}{4}}{x^4}$$

Since,  $L$  is finite

$$\Rightarrow 2a = 4 \Rightarrow a = 2$$

$$\therefore L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{8 \cdot a^3} = \frac{1}{64}$$

$$24. \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+2h) - 2\log(1+h)}{h^2} \quad \left[ \begin{matrix} 0 & \text{form} \\ 0 & \end{matrix} \right]$$

Applying L'Hospital's rule, we get

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{2}{1+2h} - \frac{2}{1+h}}{2h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 + 2h - 2 - 4h}{2h(1+2h)(1+h)} = -1$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{(1+2h)(1+h)} = -1$$

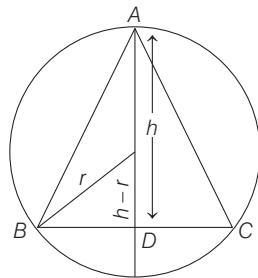
25. Given,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x, & x \neq n\pi, \quad n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots \\ 2, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$$g[f(x)] = \begin{cases} \{f(x)\}^2 + 1, & f(x) \neq 0, 2 \\ 4, & f(x) = 0 \\ 5, & f(x) = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore g[f(x)] = \begin{cases} (\sin^2 x) + 1, & x \neq n\pi = 0, \pm 1, \dots \\ 5, & x = n\pi \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g[f(x)] = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\sin^2 x) + 1 = 1$$

26. Given,  $P = 2(\sqrt{2hr - h^2} + \sqrt{2hr})$



$$\text{Here, } BD = \sqrt{r^2 - (h-r)^2} = \sqrt{2hr - h^2}$$

$$\therefore A = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2BD \cdot h = (\sqrt{2hr - h^2}) h$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{A}{P^3} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h \sqrt{2hr - h^2}}{8(\sqrt{2hr - h^2} + \sqrt{2hr})^3} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^{3/2}(\sqrt{2r-h})}{8h^{3/2}(\sqrt{2r-h} + \sqrt{2r})^3} \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2r}}{(\sqrt{2r} + \sqrt{2r})^3} = \frac{1}{128r} \end{aligned}$$

$$27. \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \left( \frac{x^4 \sin \frac{1}{x} + x^2}{1 + |x|^3} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^4 \sin \frac{1}{x} + x^2}{1 - x^3}$$

On dividing by  $x^3$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\frac{\sin(1/x)}{1/x} + \frac{1}{x}}{\frac{1}{x^3} - 1} &= \frac{1+0}{0-1} = -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$28. f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 + x^2 - 16x + 20}{(x-2)^2}, & \text{if } x \neq 2 \\ k, & \text{if } x = 2 \end{cases}$$

Since, continuous at  $x = 2$ .

$$\Rightarrow f(2) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^3 + x^2 - 16x + 20}{(x-2)^2}, [\text{using L'Hospital's rule}]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{3x^2 + 2x - 16}{2(x-2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{6x + 2}{2} = 7$$

$$\therefore k = 7$$

$$29. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (1-x) \tan \frac{\pi x}{2}$$

$$\text{Put } x-1 = y$$

$$\therefore -\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} y \tan \frac{\pi}{2}(y+1) = -\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} y \left[ -\cot \left( \frac{\pi}{2}y \right) \right]$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{y \frac{\pi}{2}}{\tan \frac{\pi}{2}y} \right) \cdot \frac{2}{\pi} = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

30. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x)g(x)]$  exists, then both  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)$  may or may not exist. Hence, it is a false statement.

$$\begin{aligned} 31. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^x - 1}{\sqrt{1+x} - 1} \times \frac{\sqrt{1+x} + 1}{\sqrt{1+x} + 1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2^x - 1)(\sqrt{1+x} + 1)}{x} \\ &= \log_e(2) \cdot (2) \\ &= 2 \log_e 2 = \log_e 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$32. \text{ Here, } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a+h)^2 \sin(a+h) - a^2 \sin a}{h}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^2[\sin(a+h) - \sin a]}{h} \\ &\quad + \frac{h[2a \sin(a+h) + h \sin(a+h)]}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^2 \cdot 2 \cos\left(a + \frac{h}{2}\right) \cdot \sin \frac{h}{2}}{2 \cdot \frac{h}{2}} + (2a+h) \sin(a+h) \\ &= a^2 \cos a + 2a \sin a \end{aligned}$$

$$33. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{\frac{x - \sin x}{x + \cos^2 x}} = \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x - \sin x)^{1/2}}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x + \cos^2 x)^{1/2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ x \left( 1 - \frac{\sin x}{x} \right) \right]^{1/2}}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (0+1)^{1/2}} \\ &= \frac{0 \cdot 0}{1} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$34. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left\{ \frac{x-1}{(x-1)(2x-5)} \right\} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{(2x-5)}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$35. \text{ Here, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 \sin(\beta x)}{\alpha x - \sin x} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 \left( \beta x - \frac{(\beta x)^3}{3!} + \frac{(\beta x)^5}{5!} - \dots \right)}{\alpha x - \left( x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots \right)} = 1$$

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$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 \left( \beta - \frac{\beta^3 x^2}{3!} + \frac{\beta^5 x^4}{5!} - \dots \right)}{(\alpha - 1)x + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots} = 1$$

Limit exists only, when  $\alpha - 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 \left( \beta - \frac{\beta^3 x^2}{3!} + \frac{\beta^5 x^4}{5!} - \dots \right)}{x^3 \left( \frac{1}{3!} - \frac{x^2}{5!} - \dots \right)} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6\beta = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} 6(\alpha + \beta) &= 6\alpha + 6\beta \\ &= 6 + 1 = 7 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 36. \text{ Given, } \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{e^{\cos(\alpha^n)} - e}{\alpha^m} \right] &= -\frac{e}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\{e^{\cos(\alpha^n)-1}-1\}} \cdot \cos(\alpha^n)-1}{\cos(\alpha^n)-1} \cdot \frac{\cos(\alpha^n)-1}{\alpha^m} &= -\frac{e}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} e^{\left\{ \frac{e^{\cos(\alpha^n)-1}-1}{\cos(\alpha^n)-1} \right\}} \cdot \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha^n}{2}}{\alpha^m} &= -e/2 \\ \Rightarrow e \times 1 \times (-2) \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 \left( \frac{\alpha^n}{2} \right)}{\alpha^{2n}} \cdot \frac{\alpha^{2n}}{4 \alpha^m} &= -\frac{e}{2} \\ \Rightarrow e \times 1 \times -2 \times 1 \times \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \frac{\alpha^{2n-m}}{4} &= -\frac{e}{2} \end{aligned}$$

For this to be exists,  $2n - m = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m}{n} = 2$$

### Topic 2 $1^\infty$ Form, RHL and LHL

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \text{ Let } l &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1 + f(3+x) - f(3)}{1 + f(2-x) - f(2)} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}} \quad [1^\infty \text{ form}] \\ \Rightarrow l &= e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} \left( 1 - \frac{1 + f(3+x) - f(3)}{1 + f(2-x) - f(2)} \right)} \\ &= e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{1 + f(2-x) - f(2) - 1 - f(3+x) + f(3)}{x(1 + f(2-x) - f(2))} \right]} \\ &= e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{f(2-x) - f(3+x) + f(3) - f(2)}{x(1 + f(2-x) - f(2))} \right]} \end{aligned}$$

On applying L'Hopital rule, we get

$$l = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{-f'(2-x) - f'(3+x)}{1 - xf'(2-x) + f(2-x) - f(2)} \right]}$$

On applying limit, we get

$$l = e^{\left( \frac{-f'(2) - f'(3)}{1 - 0 + f(2) - f(2)} \right)} = e^0 = 1$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1 + f(3+x) - f(3)}{1 + f(2-x) - f(2)} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}} = 1$$

$$2. \text{ Let } L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\sqrt{\pi} - \sqrt{2 \sin^{-1} x}}{\sqrt{1-x}}, \text{ then}$$

$$L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\sqrt{\pi} - \sqrt{2 \sin^{-1} x}}{\sqrt{1-x}} \times \frac{\sqrt{\pi} + \sqrt{2 \sin^{-1} x}}{\sqrt{\pi} + \sqrt{2 \sin^{-1} x}}$$

[on rationalization]

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\pi - 2 \sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi} + \sqrt{2 \sin^{-1} x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\pi - 2 \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1} x \right)}{\sqrt{1-x}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi} + \sqrt{2 \sin^{-1} x}}$$

$\left[ \because \sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{2 \cos^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x}} \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi} + \sqrt{2 \sin^{-1} x}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{2 \cos^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x}} \quad \left[ \because \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \sin^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$$

Put  $x = \cos \theta$ , then as  $x \rightarrow 1^-$ , therefore  $\theta \rightarrow 0^+$

$$\text{Now, } L = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{2\theta}{\sqrt{1-\cos \theta}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{2\theta}{\sqrt{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}} \quad \left[ \because 1 - \cos \theta = 2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \sqrt{2} \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{2 \cdot \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot 2\sqrt{2} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \quad \left[ \because \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\theta}{\sin \theta} = 1 \right]$$

3.

**Key Idea**  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$  exist iff

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x)$$

At  $x = 0$ ,

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + (|x| - \sin(x[x]))^2}{x^2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + (x - \sin(x \cdot 0))^2}{x^2}$$

$\left[ \because |x| = x \text{ for } x > 0 \text{ and } [x] = 0 \text{ for } 0 < x < 1 \right]$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + x^2}{x^2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left( \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x)}{\pi \sin^2 x} \cdot \frac{\pi \sin^2 x}{x^2} + 1 \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \pi \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x)}{\pi \sin^2 x} \cdot \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} + 1 \\
 &= \pi + 1 \quad \left[ \because \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x}{x} = 1 \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1 \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

and LHL

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + (|x| - \sin(x[x]))^2}{x^2} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + (-x - \sin(x(-1)))^2}{x^2} \\
 &\quad \left[ \because |x| = -x \text{ for } x < 0 \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \text{and } [x] = -1 \text{ for } -1 < x < 0 \right] \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + (x + \sin(-x))^2}{x^2} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + (x - \sin x)^2}{x^2} \\
 &\quad [\because \sin(-\theta) = -\sin \theta] \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \left( \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + x^2 + \sin^2 x - 2x \sin x}{x^2} \right) \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \left( \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x)}{x^2} + 1 + \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} - \frac{2x \sin x}{x^2} \right) \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \left( \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x)}{\pi \sin^2 x} \cdot \frac{\pi \sin^2 x}{x^2} + 1 + \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} - 2 \frac{\sin x}{x} \right) \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x)}{\pi \sin^2 x} \cdot \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\pi \sin^2 x}{x^2} + \\
 &\quad 1 + \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} - 2 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\sin x}{x} \\
 &= \pi + 1 + 1 - 2 = \pi
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  RHL  $\neq$  LHL

$\therefore$  Limit does not exist

4. Given,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{(1 - |x| + \sin |1 - x|) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}[1 - x]\right)}{|1 - x|[1 - x]}$$

Put  $x = 1 + h$ , then

$$x \rightarrow 1^+ \Rightarrow h \rightarrow 0^+$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{(1 - |x| + \sin |1 - x|) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}[1 - x]\right)}{|1 - x|[1 - x]} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{(1 - |h + 1| + \sin |-h|) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}[-h]\right)}{|-h|[-h]} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{(1 - (h + 1) + \sin h) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}[-h]\right)}{h[-h]} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{(1 - (h + 1) + \sin h) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}[-h]\right)}{h[-h]} \\
 &\quad (\because |-h| = h \text{ and } |h + 1| = h + 1 \text{ as } h > 0)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{(-h + \sin h) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(-1)\right)}{h(-1)} \\
 &\quad (\because [x] = -1 \text{ for } -1 < x < 0 \text{ and } h \rightarrow 0^+ \Rightarrow -h \rightarrow 0^-) \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{(-h + \sinh) \sin\left(\frac{-\pi}{2}\right)}{-h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \left( \frac{\sin h}{h} \right) - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \left( \frac{h}{h} \right) = 1 - 1 = 0 \quad \left[ \because \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\sin h}{h} = 1 \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 5. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{x([x] + |x|) \sin [x]}{|x|} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{x([x] - x) \sin [x]}{-x} \\
 &\quad (\because |x| = -x, \text{ if } x < 0) \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{x(-1 - x) \sin(-1)}{-x} \\
 &\quad (\because \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} [x] = -1) \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{-x(x + 1) \sin(-1)}{-x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} (x + 1) \sin(-1) \\
 &= (0 + 1) \sin(-1) \text{ (by direct substitution)} \\
 &= -\sin 1 \quad (\because \sin(-\theta) = -\sin \theta)
 \end{aligned}$$

6. **Key Idea** Use property of greatest integer function  $[x] = x - \{x\}$ .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x \left( \left[ \frac{1}{x} \right] + \left[ \frac{2}{x} \right] + \dots + \left[ \frac{15}{x} \right] \right)$$

We know,  $[x] = x - \{x\}$

$$\therefore \left[ \frac{1}{x} \right] = \frac{1}{x} - \left\{ \frac{1}{x} \right\}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \left[ \frac{n}{x} \right] = \frac{n}{x} - \left\{ \frac{n}{x} \right\}$$

$$\therefore \text{Given limit} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x \left( \frac{1}{x} - \left\{ \frac{1}{x} \right\} + \frac{2}{x} - \left\{ \frac{2}{x} \right\} + \dots + \frac{15}{x} - \left\{ \frac{15}{x} \right\} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 15) - x \left( \left\{ \frac{1}{x} \right\} + \left\{ \frac{2}{x} \right\} + \dots + \left\{ \frac{15}{x} \right\} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 120 - 0 = 120 \\
 &\quad \left[ \because 0 \leq \left\{ \frac{n}{x} \right\} < 1, \text{ therefore } 0 \leq x \left\{ \frac{n}{x} \right\} < x \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x \left\{ \frac{n}{x} \right\} = 0 \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$7. \quad f(x) = \frac{1 - x(1 + |1 - x|)}{|1 - x|} \cos\left(\frac{1}{1 - x}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{1 - x(1 + 1 - x)}{1 - x} \cos\left(\frac{1}{1 - x}\right) \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} (1 - x) \cos\left(\frac{1}{1 - x}\right) = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{1 - x(1 - 1 + x)}{x - 1} \cos\left(\frac{1}{1 - x}\right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} -(x + 1) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{1}{x + 1}\right), \text{ which does not exist.}$$

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8. Given,  $p = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (1 + \tan^2 \sqrt{x})^{\frac{1}{2x}}$  ( $1^\infty$  form)

$$= e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\tan^2 \sqrt{x}}{2x}} = e^{\frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(\frac{\tan \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}}\right)^2} = e^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\therefore \log p = \log e^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

9. **PLAN** To make the quadratic into simple form we should eliminate radical sign.

**Description of Situation** As for given equation, when  $a \rightarrow 0$  the equation reduces to identity in  $x$ .

i.e.  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0, \forall x \in R$  or  $a = b = c \rightarrow 0$

Thus, first we should make above equation independent from coefficients as 0.

Let  $a + 1 = t^6$ . Thus, when  $a \rightarrow 0, t \rightarrow 1$ .

$$\therefore (t^2 - 1)x^2 + (t^3 - 1)x + (t - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (t - 1)\{(t + 1)x^2 + (t^2 + t + 1)x + 1\} = 0, \text{ as } t \rightarrow 1$$

$$2x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 + 2x + x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x + 1)(x + 1) = 0$$

$$\text{Thus, } x = -1, -1/2$$

$$\text{or } \lim_{a \rightarrow 0^+} \alpha(a) = -1/2$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{a \rightarrow 0^+} \beta(a) = -1$$

10. Here,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \{1 + x \log(1 + b^2)\}^{1/x}$  [1 $^\infty$  form]

$$\begin{aligned} &= e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \{x \log(1 + b^2)\} \cdot \frac{1}{x}} \\ &= e^{\log(1 + b^2)} = (1 + b^2) \end{aligned} \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Given, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \{1 + x \log(1 + b^2)\}^{1/x} = 2b \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + b^2) = 2b \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 \theta = \frac{1 + b^2}{2b} \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{By AM} \geq \text{GM}, \frac{b + \frac{1}{b}}{2} \geq \left(b \cdot \frac{1}{b}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^2 + 1}{2b} \geq 1 \quad \dots(iii)$$

From Eqs. (ii) and (iii),

$$\sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}, \text{ as } \theta \in (-\pi, \pi]$$

11. Here,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\sin x)^{1/x} + \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^{\sin x}$

$$= 0 + \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} e^{\log\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^{\sin x}} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1/x)}{\cosec x}} \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\sin x)^{1/x} \rightarrow 0 \right] \left[ \text{as, } (\text{decimal})^\infty \rightarrow 0 \right]$$

Applying L'Hospital's rule, we get

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{x\left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right)}{-\cosec x \cot x} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} \tan x} = e^0 = 1$$

12. Let  $y = \left[\frac{f(1+x)}{f(1)}\right]^{1/x} \Rightarrow \log y = \frac{1}{x} [\log f(1+x) - \log f(1)]$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \log y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{1}{f(1+x)} \cdot f'(1+x) \right]$$

[using L'Hospital's rule]

$$= \frac{f(1)}{f(1)} = \frac{6}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} y\right) = 2 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} y = e^2$$

13. For  $x \in R, \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x-3}{x+2}\right)^x = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(1-3/x)^x}{(1+2/x)^x} = \frac{e^{-3}}{e^2} = e^{-5}$

14.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1+5x^2}{1+3x^2}\right)^{1/x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{[(1+5x^2)^{1/5x^2}]^5}{[(1+3x^2)^{1/3x^2}]^3} = \frac{e^5}{e^3} = e^2$

15.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x+6}{x+1}\right)^{x+4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{5}{x+1}\right)^{x+4} \quad [1^\infty \text{ form}]$

$$= e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5(x+4)}{x+1}} = e^5$$

16.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) \right\}^{1/x}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{4} + \tan x}{1 - \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \tan x} \right\}^{1/x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \frac{1 + \tan x}{1 - \tan x} \right\}^{1/x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{[(1 + \tan x)^{1/\tan x}]^{\tan x/x}}{[(1 - \tan x)^{-1/\tan x}]^{-\tan x/x}} = \frac{e^1}{e^{-1}} = e^2$$

17. **PLAN**  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$

$$\text{Given, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left\{ \frac{\sin(x-1) + a(1-x)}{(x-1) + \sin(x-1)} \right\}^{\frac{(1+\sqrt{x})(1-\sqrt{x})}{1-\sqrt{x}}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left\{ \frac{\sin(x-1) - a}{1 + \frac{\sin(x-1)}{(x-1)}} \right\}^{1+\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{1-a}{2} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow (a-1)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2 \text{ or } 0$$

Hence, the maximum value of  $a$  is 2.

### Topic 3 Squeeze, Newton-Leibnitz's Theorem and Limit Based on Converting infinite Series into Definite Integrals

1. Given  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are roots of quadratic equation

$$375x^2 - 25x - 2 = 0$$

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta = \frac{25}{375} = \frac{1}{15} \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

$$\text{and } \alpha\beta = -\frac{2}{375} \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n \alpha^r + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n \beta^r \\ = (\alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3 + \dots + \text{upto infinite terms}) + \\ (\beta + \beta^2 + \beta^3 + \dots + \text{upto infinite terms}) \\ = \frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha} + \frac{\beta}{1-\beta} \quad \left[ \because S_\infty = \frac{a}{1-r} \text{ for GP} \right] \\ = \frac{\alpha(1-\beta) + \beta(1-\alpha)}{(1-\alpha)(1-\beta)} = \frac{\alpha - \alpha\beta + \beta - \alpha\beta}{1-\alpha-\beta+\alpha\beta} \\ = \frac{(\alpha+\beta)-2\alpha\beta}{1-(\alpha+\beta)+\alpha\beta} \end{aligned}$$

On substituting the value  $\alpha + \beta = \frac{1}{15}$  and  $\alpha\beta = \frac{-2}{375}$  from

Eqs. (i) and (ii) respectively,  
we get

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{15} + \frac{4}{375}}{1 - \frac{1}{15} - \frac{2}{375}} = \frac{29}{375 - 25 - 2} = \frac{29}{348} = \frac{1}{12}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2. \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\int_{\sec^2 x}^x f(t) dt}{x^2 - \frac{\pi^2}{16}} \quad \left[ \begin{matrix} 0 & \text{form} \\ 0 & \end{matrix} \right] \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{f(\sec^2 x) 2 \sec x \sec x \tan x}{2x} \quad [\text{using L'Hospital's rule}] \\ = \frac{2f(2)}{\pi/4} = \frac{8}{\pi} f(2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3. \text{ Let } I = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^{2n} \frac{r}{\sqrt{n^2 + r^2}} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^{2n} \frac{r}{n\sqrt{1 + (r/n)^2}} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^{2n} \frac{r/n}{\sqrt{1 + (r/n)^2}} \\ &= \int_0^2 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} dx = [\sqrt{1+x^2}]_0^2 = \sqrt{5} - 1 \end{aligned}$$

4. Here,

$$f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{n^n (x+n) \left( x + \frac{n}{2} \right) \dots \left( x + \frac{n}{n} \right)}{n! (x^2 + n^2) \left( x^2 + \frac{n^2}{4} \right) \dots \left( x^2 + \frac{n^2}{n^2} \right)} \right]^{\frac{x}{n}}, x > 0$$

Taking log on both sides, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \log_e \{f(x)\} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \log \left[ \frac{n^n (x+n) \left( x + \frac{n}{2} \right) \dots \left( x + \frac{n}{n} \right)}{n! (x^2 + n^2) \left( x^2 + \frac{n^2}{4} \right) \dots \left( x^2 + \frac{n^2}{n^2} \right)} \right]^{\frac{x}{n}} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{n} \cdot \log \left[ \frac{\prod_{r=1}^n \left( x + \frac{1}{r/n} \right)}{\prod_{r=1}^n \left( x^2 + \frac{1}{(r/n)^2} \right) \prod_{r=1}^n (r/n)} \right] \\ &= x \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^n \log \left[ \frac{x + \frac{n}{r}}{\left( x^2 + \frac{n^2}{r^2} \right) \frac{r}{n}} \right] \\ &= x \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^n \log \left( \frac{\frac{r}{n} \cdot x + 1}{\frac{r^2}{n^2} \cdot x^2 + 1} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Converting summation into definite integration, we get

$$\log_e \{f(x)\} = x \int_0^1 \log \left( \frac{xt+1}{x^2t^2+1} \right) dt$$

Put,

$$tx = z$$

$$xdt = dz$$

$$\therefore \log_e \{f(x)\} = x \int_0^x \log \left( \frac{1+z}{1+z^2} \right) \frac{dz}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_e \{f(x)\} = \int_0^x \log \left( \frac{1+z}{1+z^2} \right) dz$$

Using Newton-Leibnitz formula, we get

$$\frac{1}{f(x)} \cdot f'(x) = \log \left( \frac{1+x}{1+x^2} \right) \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

Here, at  $x = 1$ ,

$$\frac{f'(1)}{f(1)} = \log(1) = 0$$

$$\therefore f'(1) = 0$$

Now, sign scheme of  $f'(x)$  is shown below

	+	-	
$x=1$	+	-	

$\therefore$  At  $x = 1$ , function attains maximum.

Since,  $f(x)$  increases on  $(0, 1)$ .

$$\therefore f(1) > f(1/2)$$

$\therefore$  Option (a) is incorrect.

$$f(1/3) < f(2/3)$$

$\therefore$  Option (b) is correct.

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Also,  $f'(x) < 0$ , when  $x > 1$

$$\Rightarrow f'(2) < 0$$

$\therefore$  Option (c) is correct.

$$\text{Also, } \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = \log\left(\frac{1+x}{1+x^2}\right)$$

$$\therefore \frac{f'(3)}{f(3)} - \frac{f'(2)}{f(2)} = \log\left(\frac{4}{10}\right) - \log\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$$

$$= \log(2/3) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f'(3)}{f(3)} < \frac{f'(2)}{f(2)}$$

$\therefore$  Option (d) is incorrect.

5. We have,

$$y_n = \frac{1}{n}[(n+1)(n+2)\dots(n+n)]^{1/n}$$

and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = L$

$$\Rightarrow L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n}[(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)\dots(n+n)]^{1/n}$$

$$\Rightarrow L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right) \left(1 + \frac{3}{n}\right) \dots \left(1 + \frac{n}{n}\right) \right]^{1/n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \left[ \log\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) + \log\left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right) + \dots + \log\left(1 + \frac{n}{n}\right) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \log L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^n \log\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log L = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \log L = (x \cdot \log(1+x))_0^1 - \int_0^1 \left[ \frac{d}{dx} (\log(1+x)) \int dx \right] dx$$

[by using integration by parts]

$$\Rightarrow \log L = [x \log(1+x)]_0^1 - \int_0^1 \frac{x}{1+x} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \log L = \log 2 - \int_0^1 \left( \frac{x+1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x+1} \right) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \log L = \log 2 - [x]_0^1 + [\log(x+1)]_0^1$$

$$\Rightarrow \log L = \log 2 - 1 + \log 2 - 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \log L = \log 4 - \log e = \log \frac{4}{e} \Rightarrow L = \frac{4}{e} \Rightarrow$$

$$[L] = \left[ \frac{4}{e} \right] = 1$$

$$6. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\int_0^{x^2} \cos^2 t dt}{x \sin x} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ form}$$

Applying L'Hospital's rule, we get

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos^2(x^2) \cdot 2x - 0}{x \cos x + \sin x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \cdot \cos^2(x^2)}{\cos x + \frac{\sin x}{x}} = \frac{2}{1+1} = 1$$

### Topic 4 Continuity at a Point

1. Given function is

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sqrt{2} \cos x - 1}{\cot x - 1}, & x \neq \frac{\pi}{4} \\ k, & x = \frac{\pi}{4} \end{cases}$$

$\therefore$  Function  $f(x)$  is continuous, so it is continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

$$\therefore f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\sqrt{2} \cos x - 1}{\cot x - 1}$$

Put  $x = \frac{\pi}{4} + h$ , when  $x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}$ , then  $h \rightarrow 0$

$$k = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{2} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + h\right) - 1}{\cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + h\right) - 1}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{2} \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos h - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin h \right] - 1}{\frac{\cot h - 1}{\cot h + 1} - 1}$$

$$[\because \cos(x+y) = \cos x \cos y - \sin x \sin y \text{ and } \cot(x+y) = \frac{\cot x \cot y - 1}{\cot y + \cot x}]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos h - \sin h - 1}{\frac{-2}{1 + \cot h}}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{(1 - \cos h) + \sin h}{2 \sin h} (\sin h + \cos h) \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{\frac{2 \sin^2 h}{2} + 2 \sin \frac{h}{2} \cos \frac{h}{2}}{4 \sin \frac{h}{2} \cos \frac{h}{2}} (\sin h + \cos h) \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{\sin \frac{h}{2} + \cos \frac{h}{2}}{2 \cos \frac{h}{2}} \times (\sin h + \cos h) \right] \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{2}$$

2. NOTE All integers are critical point for greatest integer function.

**Case I** When  $x \in I$

$$f(x) = [x]^2 - [x^2] = x^2 - x^2 = 0$$

**Case II** When  $x \notin I$

If  $0 < x < 1$ , then  $[x] = 0$

and  $0 < x^2 < 1$ , then  $[x^2] = 0$

Next, if  $1 \leq x^2 < 2 \Rightarrow 1 \leq x < \sqrt{2}$

$\Rightarrow [x] = 1$  and  $[x^2] = 1$

Therefore,  $f(x) = [x]^2 - [x^2] = 0$ , if  $1 \leq x < \sqrt{2}$

Therefore,  $f(x) = 0$ , if  $0 \leq x < \sqrt{2}$

This shows that  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$ .

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous in  $(-\infty, 0) \cup [\sqrt{2}, \infty)$  on many other points. Therefore, (b) is the answer.

3. Given,  $f(x) = [\tan^2 x]$

Now,  $-45^\circ < x < 45^\circ$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & \tan(-45^\circ) < \tan x < \tan(45^\circ) \\ \Rightarrow & -\tan 45^\circ < \tan x < \tan(45^\circ) \\ \Rightarrow & -1 < \tan x < 1 \\ \Rightarrow & 0 < \tan^2 x < 1 \\ \Rightarrow & [\tan^2 x] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

i.e.  $f(x)$  is zero for all values of  $x$  from  $x = -45^\circ$  to  $45^\circ$ . Thus,  $f(x)$  exists when  $x \rightarrow 0$  and also it is continuous at  $x = 0$ . Also,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and has a value of zero.

Therefore, (b) is the answer.

4. Here,  $f(x) = [x] \cos\left(\frac{2x-1}{2}\pi\right)$

$$\therefore f(x) = \begin{cases} -\cos\left(\frac{2x-1}{2}\pi\right), & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ \cos\left(\frac{2x-1}{2}\pi\right), & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 2\cos\left(\frac{2x-1}{2}\pi\right), & 2 \leq x < 3 \end{cases}$$

which shows RHL = LHL at  $x = n \in \text{Integer}$  as if  $x = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \cos\left(\frac{2x-1}{2}\pi\right) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} 0 = 0$$

Also,  $f(1) = 0$

$\therefore$  Continuous at  $x = 1$ .

Similarly, when  $x = 2$ ,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = 0$$

Thus, function is discontinuous at no  $x$ .

Hence, option (c) is the correct answer.

5. Given,  $f(x) = x(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+1})$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  would exist when  $x \geq 0$  and  $x+1 \geq 0$ .

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  would exist when  $x \geq 0$ .

$\therefore f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$ ,

because LHL does not exist.

Hence, option (c) is correct.

6. For  $f(x)$  to be continuous, we must have

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+ax) - \log(1-bx)}{x} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a \log(1+ax)}{ax} + \frac{b \log(1-bx)}{-bx} \\ &= a \cdot 1 + b \cdot 1 \quad [\text{using } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+x)}{x} = 1] \\ &= a + b \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore f(0) = (a + b)$$

7.  $f(x) = x \cos(\pi(x + [x]))$

At  $x = 0$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \cos(\pi(x + [x])) = 0$$

and  $f(x) = 0$

$\therefore$  It is continuous at  $x = 0$  and clearly discontinuous at other integer points.

8. **PLAN** If a continuous function has values of opposite sign inside an interval, then it has a root in that interval.  
 $f, g : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

We take two cases.

**Case I** Let  $f$  and  $g$  attain their common maximum value at  $p$ .

$$\Rightarrow f(p) = g(p),$$

where  $p \in [0, 1]$

**Case II** Let  $f$  and  $g$  attain their common maximum value at different points.

$$\Rightarrow f(a) = M \text{ and } g(b) = M$$

$$\Rightarrow f(a) - g(a) > 0 \text{ and } f(b) - g(b) < 0$$

$\Rightarrow f(c) - g(c) = 0$  for some  $c \in [0, 1]$  as  $f$  and  $g$  are continuous functions.

$$\Rightarrow f(c) - g(c) = 0 \text{ for some } c \in [0, 1] \text{ for all cases. ... (i)}$$

$$\text{Option (a)} \Rightarrow f^2(c) - g^2(c) + 3[f(c) - g(c)] = 0$$

which is true from Eq. (i).

$$\text{Option (d)} \Rightarrow f^2(c) - g^2(c) = 0 \text{ which is true from Eq. (i)}$$

Now, if we take  $f(x) = 1$  and  $g(x) = 1, \forall x \in [0, 1]$

Options (b) and (c) does not hold. Hence, options (a) and (d) are correct.

9.  $f(2n) = a_n, f(2n^+) = a_n$

$$f(2n^-) = b_n + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n - b_n = 1$$

$$f(2n+1) = a_n$$

$$f\{(2n+1)^-\} = a_n$$

$$f\{(2n+1)^+\} = b_{n+1} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = b_{n+1} - 1 \text{ or } a_n - b_{n+1} = -1$$

$$\text{or } a_{n-1} - b_n = -1$$

10. Given,  $x^2 + y^2 = 4 \Rightarrow y = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$

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

11.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \{1 + |\sin x|\}^{a|\sin x|}, & \pi/6 < x < 0 \\ b, & x = 0 \\ e^{\tan 2x/\tan 3x}, & 0 < x < \pi/6 \end{cases}$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

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$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \quad & \text{RHL (at } x=0) = \text{LHL (at } x=0) = f(0) \\ \Rightarrow \quad & \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} e^{\tan 2h / \tan 3h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \{1 + |\sin h|\}^{a/|\sin h|} = b \\ \Rightarrow \quad & e^{2/3} = e^a = b \\ \therefore \quad & a = 2/3 \\ \text{and} \quad & b = e^{2/3}\end{aligned}$$

12. Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x=0$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \quad & f(0) = \text{LHL} \\ \Rightarrow \quad & a = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos 4h}{h^2} \\ \Rightarrow \quad & a = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 2h}{h^2} \times \frac{4}{4} \\ \Rightarrow \quad & a = 8\end{aligned}$$

13. Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \quad & \text{RHL (at } x=\frac{\pi}{4}) = \text{LHL (at } x=\frac{\pi}{4}) \\ \Rightarrow \quad & \left(2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{4} \cot \frac{\pi}{4} + b\right) = \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + a\sqrt{2} \cdot \sin \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \quad & \frac{\pi}{2} + b = \frac{\pi}{4} + a \Rightarrow a - b = \frac{\pi}{4} \quad \dots(\text{i})\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Also, } \quad & \text{RHL (at } x=\frac{\pi}{2}) = \text{LHL (at } x=\frac{\pi}{2}) \\ \Rightarrow \quad & \left(a \cos \frac{2\pi}{2} - b \sin \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \left(2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \cot \frac{\pi}{2} + b\right) \\ \Rightarrow \quad & -a - b = b \\ \Rightarrow \quad & a + 2b = 0 \quad \dots(\text{ii})\end{aligned}$$

On solving Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$a = \frac{\pi}{6} \quad \text{and} \quad b = -\frac{\pi}{12}$$

14. Let  $g(x) = ax + b$  be a polynomial of degree one.

$$\Rightarrow \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} ax + b, & x \leq 0 \\ \left(\frac{1+x}{2+x}\right)^{1/x}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous and  $f'(1) = f(-1)$

$$\therefore \quad (\text{LHL at } x=0) = (\text{RHL at } x=0)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \quad & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (ax + b) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{x+1}{x+2}\right)^{1/x} \\ \Rightarrow \quad & b = 0 \quad \dots(\text{i})\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Also, } \quad f'(1) = f(-1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \quad & f(x) = \left(\frac{1+x}{2+x}\right)^{1/x}, \quad x > 0 \\ \Rightarrow \quad & \log f(x) = \frac{1}{x} [\log(1+x) - \log(2+x)]\end{aligned}$$

On differentiating both sides, we get

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

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \quad & f'(x) = \left(\frac{1+x}{2+x}\right)^{1/x} \left[ \frac{\frac{x}{(1+x)(2+x)} - \log \left( \frac{1+x}{2+x} \right)}{x^2} \right] \\ \Rightarrow \quad & f'(1) = \frac{2}{3} \left\{ \frac{1}{6} - \log \left( \frac{2}{3} \right) \right\} \\ \text{and} \quad & f(-1) = -a + b = -a \quad [\text{from Eq. (i)}] \\ \therefore \quad & -a = \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{1}{6} - \log \left( \frac{2}{3} \right) \right) \\ & \left[ \frac{2}{3} \left( \log \left( \frac{2}{3} \right) - \frac{1}{6} \right) x, \quad x \leq 0 \right. \\ \text{Thus, } & f(x) = \left. \left( \frac{1+x}{2+x} \right)^{1/x}, \quad x > 0 \right]\end{aligned}$$

Now, to check continuity of  $f(x)$  (at  $x=0$ ).

$$\begin{aligned}\text{RHL} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1+x}{2+x}\right)^{1/x} = 0 \\ \therefore \quad \text{LHL} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2}{3} \left[ \log \left( \frac{2}{3} \right) - \frac{1}{6} \right] x = 0\end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$ .

$$15. \quad \text{Given, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(a+1)x + \sin x}{x}, & x < 0 \\ c, & x = 0 \\ \frac{(x+bx^2)^{1/2} - x^{1/2}}{bx^{3/2}}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

is continuous at  $x=0$ .

$$\Rightarrow \quad (\text{LHL at } x=0) = (\text{RHL at } x=0) = f(0)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \quad & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{\sin(a+1)x + \sin x}{x} \right] \\ & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+bx)^{1/2} - 1}{bx} = c\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad (a+1)+1 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{bx}{bx} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+bx+1}} = c$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad a+2 = \frac{1}{2} = c$$

$$\therefore \quad a = -\frac{3}{2}, c = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{and} \quad b \in R$$

$$16. \quad \text{(i) Given, } f_1 : R \rightarrow R \text{ and } f_1(x) = \sin(\sqrt{1-e^{-x^2}})$$

$\therefore f_1(x)$  is continuous at  $x=0$

$$\text{Now, } f_1'(x) = \cos \sqrt{1-e^{-x^2}} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1-e^{-x^2}}} (2xe^{-x^2})$$

At  $x=0$

$f_1'(x)$  does not exist.

$\therefore f_1(x)$  is not differential at  $x=0$

Hence, option (2) for P.

$$\text{(ii) Given, } f_2(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|\sin x|}{\tan^{-1} x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 1, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_2(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{-\sin x}{\tan^{-1} x} & x < 0 \\ \frac{\sin x}{\tan^{-1} x} & x > 0 \\ 1 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f_2(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$ .

$\therefore$  Option (1) for  $Q$ .

(iii) Given,  $f_3(x) = [\sin(\log_e(x+2))]$ , where  $[ ]$  is G.I.F. and  $f_3 : (-1, e^{\pi/2} - 2) \rightarrow R$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{It is given } & -1 < x < e^{\pi/2} - 2 \\ \Rightarrow & -1 + 2 < x + 2 < e^{\pi/2} - 2 + 2 \\ \Rightarrow & 1 < x + 2 < e^{\pi/2} \\ \Rightarrow & \log_e 1 < \log_e(x+2) < \log_e e^{\pi/2} \\ \Rightarrow & 0 < \log_e(x+2) < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \Rightarrow & \sin 0 < \sin \log_e(x+2) < \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \Rightarrow & 0 < \sin \log_e(x+2) < 1 \\ \therefore & [\sin \log_e(x+2)] = 0 \\ \therefore & f_3(x) = 0, f'_3(x) = f''_3(x) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

It is differentiable and continuous at  $x = 0$ .

$\therefore$  Option (4) for  $R$

(iv) Given,  $f_4(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f_4(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0$$

$$f'_4(x) = 2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$\text{For } x = 0, f'_4(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'_4(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) - 0}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'_4(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \sin\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) = 0$$

$$\text{Thus, } f'_4(x) = \begin{cases} 2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Again, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f'(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)\right)$$

does not exists.

Since,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$  does not exists.

Hence,  $f'(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$ .

$\therefore$  Option (3) for  $S$ .

## Topic 5 Continuity in a Domain

1. Given  $\int_6^{f(x)} 4t^3 dt = (x-2) g(x)$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \frac{\int_6^{f(x)} 4t^3 dt}{(x-2)} \quad [\text{provided } x \neq 2]$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\int_6^{f(x)} 4t^3 dt}{x-2} \quad \left[ \because \frac{0}{0} \text{ form as } x \rightarrow 2 \Rightarrow f(2) = 6 \right]$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{4(f(x))^3 f'(x)}{1} \quad \left[ \because \frac{d}{dx} \int_{\phi_1(x)}^{\phi_2(x)} f(t) dt = f(\phi_2(x)) \cdot \phi'_2(x) - f(\phi_1(x)) \cdot \phi'_1(x) \right]$$

On applying limit, we get

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} g(x) = 4(f(2))^3 f'(2) = 4 \times (6)^3 \frac{1}{48},$$

$$\left[ \because f(2) = 6 \text{ and } f'(2) = \frac{1}{48} \right]$$

$$= \frac{4 \times 216}{48} = 18$$

2. Given function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(p+1)x + \sin x}{x}, & x < 0 \\ q, & x = 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{x+x^2} - \sqrt{x}}{x^{3/2}}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then

$$f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) \dots (i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\sin(p+1)x + \sin x}{x} \\ &= p+1+1=p+2 \quad \left[ \because \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(ax)}{x} = a \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\sqrt{x+x^2} - \sqrt{x}}{x^{3/2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\sqrt{x}(1+x)^{1/2} - 1}{x\sqrt{x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\left(1 + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}-1)}{2!}x^2 + \dots - 1\right)}{x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{(1 + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}-1)}{2!}x^2 + \dots - 1)}{x} \\ &= [ \because (1+x)^n \\ &= 1 + nx + \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2}x^2 + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3}x^3 + \dots, |x| < 1 ] \end{aligned}$$

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$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} - 1 \right)}{2!} x + \dots \right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

From Eq. (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= q = \frac{1}{2} \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = p + 2 = \frac{1}{2} \\ \Rightarrow p &= -\frac{3}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } (p, q) = \left( -\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

3. Given function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} a|\pi - x| + 1, & x \leq 5 \\ b|x - \pi| + 3, & x > 5 \end{cases}$$

and it is also given that  $f(x)$  is continuous at

$$\text{Clearly, } f(5) = a(5 - \pi) + 1$$

$$x = 5.$$

... (i)

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} f(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [a|\pi - (5 - h)| + 1] \\ &= a(5 - \pi) + 1 \end{aligned} \quad \dots (\text{ii})$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [b|(5 + h) - \pi| + 3] \\ = b(5 - \pi) + 3 \quad \dots (\text{iii})$$

$\therefore$  Function  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 5$ .

$$\therefore f(5) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow a(5 - \pi) + 1 = b(5 - \pi) + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow (a - b)(5 - \pi) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b = \frac{2}{5 - \pi}$$

4. Given function  $f(x) = [x] - \left[ \frac{x}{4} \right]$ ,  $x \in R$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( [4 + h] - \left[ \frac{4 + h}{4} \right] \right)$$

$[\because \text{put } x = 4 + h, \text{ when } x \rightarrow 4^+, \text{ then } h \rightarrow 0]$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (4 - 1) = 3$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( [4 - h] - \left[ \frac{4 - h}{4} \right] \right)$$

$[\because \text{put } x = 4 - h, \text{ when } x \rightarrow 4^-, \text{ then } h \rightarrow 0]$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (3 - 0) = 3$$

$$\text{and } f(4) = [4] - \left[ \frac{4}{4} \right] = 4 - 1 = 3$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) = f(4) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x) = 3$$

So, function  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 4$ .

5. Given function  $f : [-1, 3] \rightarrow R$  is defined as

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} |x| + [x], & -1 \leq x < 1 \\ x + |x|, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ x + [x], & 2 \leq x \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} -x - 1, & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 2x, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ x + 2, & 2 \leq x < 3 \\ 6, & x = 3 \end{cases}$$

$[\because \text{if } n \leq x < n + 1, \forall n \in \text{Integer}, [x] = n]$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = -1 \neq f(0) \quad [\because f(0) = 0]$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 1 \neq f(1) \quad [\because f(1) = 2]$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = 4 = f(2) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = 4 \quad [\because f(2) = 4]$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) = 5 \neq f(3) \quad [\because f(3) = 6]$$

$\therefore$  Function  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at points 0, 1 and 3.

6. **Key Idea** A function is said to be continuous if it is continuous at each point of the domain.

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 5 & \text{if } x \leq 1 \\ a + bx & \text{if } 1 < x < 3 \\ b + 5x & \text{if } 3 \leq x < 5 \\ 30 & \text{if } x \geq 5 \end{cases}$$

Clearly, for  $f(x)$  to be continuous, it has to be continuous at  $x = 1, x = 3$  and  $x = 5$

$[\because$  In rest portion it is continuous everywhere]

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (a + bx) = a + b = 5 \quad \dots (\text{i})$$

$$[\because \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = f(1)]$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} (b + 5x) = b + 25 = 30 \quad \dots (\text{ii})$$

$$[\because \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} f(x) = f(5)]$$

On solving Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get  $b = 5$  and  $a = 0$

Now, let us check the continuity of  $f(x)$  at  $x = 3$ .

$$\text{Here, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} (a + bx) = a + 3b = 15$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} (b + 5x) = b + 15 = 20$$

Hence, for  $a = 0$  and  $b = 5$ ,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 3$

$\therefore f(x)$  cannot be continuous for any values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

7. Given,  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 1$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$

$$\therefore [f(x)] = \begin{cases} -1, & 0 \leq x < 2 \\ 0, & 2 \leq x \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan [f(x)] = \begin{cases} \tan(-1), & 0 \leq x < 2 \\ \tan 0, & 2 \leq x \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \tan [f(x)] = -\tan 1$$

and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \tan [f(x)] = 0$

So,  $\tan f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 2$ .

$$\text{Now, } f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 1 \Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{x-2}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{f(x)} = \frac{2}{x-2}$$

Clearly,  $1/f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 2$ .

So,  $\tan [f(x)]$  and  $\left[ \frac{1}{f(x)} \right]$  are both discontinuous at  $x = 2$ .

8. The function  $f(x) = \tan x$  is not defined at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , so  $f(x)$  is not continuous on  $(0, \pi)$ .

- (b) Since,  $g(x) = x \sin \frac{1}{x}$  is continuous on  $(0, \pi)$  and the integral function of a continuous function is continuous,

$$\therefore f(x) = \int_0^x t \left( \sin \frac{1}{t} \right) dt \text{ is continuous on } (0, \pi).$$

$$(c) \text{ Also, } f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 < x \leq \frac{3\pi}{4} \\ 2 \sin \left( \frac{2x}{9} \right), & \frac{3\pi}{4} < x < \pi \end{cases}$$

We have,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{3\pi}{4}^-} f(x) = 1$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{3\pi}{4}^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{3\pi}{4}} 2 \sin \left( \frac{2x}{9} \right) = 1$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 3\pi/4$ .

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is continuous at all other points.

(d) Finally,  $f(x) = \frac{\pi}{2} \sin(x + \pi) \Rightarrow f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - h\right) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\pi}{2} \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} - h\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\pi}{2} \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} + h\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

So,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = \pi/2$ .

9. We have, for  $-1 < x < 1$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq x \sin \pi x \leq 1/2$$

$$\therefore [x \sin \pi x] = 0$$

Also,  $x \sin \pi x$  becomes negative and numerically less than 1 when  $x$  is slightly greater than 1 and so by definition of  $[x]$ .

$$f(x) = [x \sin \pi x] = -1, \text{ when } 1 < x < 1 + h$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is constant and equal to 0 in the closed interval  $[-1, 1]$  and so  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable in the open interval  $(-1, 1)$ .

At  $x = 1$ ,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous, since  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (1-h) = 0$

$$\text{and } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (1+h) = -1$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$ .

Hence, (a), (b) and (d) are correct answers.

10.  $f(x) = [x] \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{[x+1]} \right)$

We know that,  $[x]$  is continuous on  $R \sim I$ , where  $I$  denotes the set of integers and  $\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{[x+1]} \right)$  is discontinuous for  $[x+1] = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq x+1 < 1 \Rightarrow -1 \leq x < 0$$

Thus, the function is defined in the interval.

11. Given,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2}{2}, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 2x^2 - 3x + \frac{3}{2}, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$  ... (i)

Clearly, RHL (at  $x = 1$ ) = 1/2 and LHL (at  $x = 1$ ) = 1/2

$$\text{Also, } f(x) = 1/2$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in [0, 2]$ .

On differentiating Eq. (i), we get

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 4x-3, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$
 ... (ii)

Clearly, RHL (at  $x = 1$ ) for  $f'(x) = 1$

and LHL (at  $x = 1$ ) for  $f'(x) = 1$

$$\text{Also, } f'(1) = 1$$

Thus,  $f'(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in [0, 2]$ .

Again, differentiating Eq. (ii), we get

$$f''(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 4, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

Clearly, RHL (at  $x = 1$ )  $\neq$  LHL (at  $x = 1$ )

Thus,  $f''(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$ .

or  $f''(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in [0, 2] - \{1\}$ .

## Topic 6 Continuity for Composition and Function

1. Given,  $f(x) = x \cos \frac{1}{x}$ ,  $x \geq 1 \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} \sin \frac{1}{x} + \cos \frac{1}{x}$

$$\Rightarrow f''(x) = -\frac{1}{x^3} \cos \left( \frac{1}{x} \right)$$

Now,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f'(x) = 0 + 1 = 1 \Rightarrow$  Option (b) is correct.

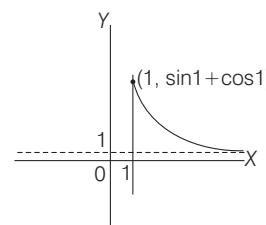
$$\text{Now, } x \in [1, \infty) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} \in (0, 1] \Rightarrow f''(x) < 0$$

Option (d) is correct.

$$\text{As } f'(1) = \sin 1 + \cos 1 > 1$$

$f'(x)$  is strictly decreasing and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f'(x) = 1$

So, graph of  $f'(x)$  is shown as below.



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Now, in  $[x, x+2]$ ,  $x \in [1, \infty)$ ,  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable so by LMVT,

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

As,  $f'(x) > 1$

For all  $x \in [1, \infty)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(x+2) - f(x)}{2} > 1 \Rightarrow f(x+2) - f(x) > 2$$

For all  $x \in [1, \infty)$

$$2. \quad \begin{aligned} gof(x) &= \begin{cases} f(x) + 1, & \text{if } f(x) < 0 \\ \{f(x) - 1\}^2 + b, & \text{if } f(x) \geq 0 \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{cases} x + a + 1, & \text{if } x < -a \\ (x + a - 1)^2 + b, & \text{if } -a \leq x < 0 \\ (|x - 1| - 1)^2 + b, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

As  $gof(x)$  is continuous at  $x = -a$

$$gof(-a) = gof(-a^+) = gof(-a^-)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + b = 1 + b = 1 \Rightarrow b = 0$$

Also,  $gof(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\Rightarrow gof(0) = gof(0^+) = gof(0^-)$$

$$\Rightarrow b = b = (a - 1)^2 + b \Rightarrow a = 1$$

$$\text{Hence, } gof(x) = \begin{cases} x + 2, & \text{if } x < -1 \\ x^2, & \text{if } -1 \leq x < 0 \\ (|x - 1| - 1)^2, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

In the neighbourhood of  $x = 0$ ,  $gof(x) = x^2$ , which is differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

3. As,  $f(x)$  is continuous and  $g(x)$  is discontinuous.

**Case I**  $g(x)$  is discontinuous as limit does not exist at  $x = k$ .

$$\therefore \phi(x) = f(x) + g(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \phi(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \{f(x) + g(x)\} = \text{does not exist.}$$

$\therefore \phi(x)$  is discontinuous.

**Case II**  $g(x)$  is discontinuous as,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow k} g(x) \neq g(k)$ .

$$\therefore \phi(x) = f(x) + g(x).$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \phi(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \{f(x) + g(x)\} = \text{exists and is a finite quantity}$$

$$\text{but } \phi(k) = f(k) + g(k) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \{f(x) + g(x)\}$$

$\therefore \phi(x) = f(x) + g(x)$  is discontinuous, whenever  $g(x)$  is discontinuous.

4. Given,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + x, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 3 - x, & 2 < x \leq 3 \end{cases}$

$$\therefore fof(x) = f[f(x)] = \begin{cases} 1 + f(x), & 0 \leq f(x) \leq 2 \\ 3 - f(x), & 2 < f(x) \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow fof = \begin{cases} 1 + f(x), & 0 \leq f(x) \leq 1 \\ 1 + f(x), & 1 < f(x) \leq 2 \\ 3 - f(x), & 2 < f(x) \leq 3 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 1 + (3 - x), & 2 < x \leq 3 \\ 1 + (1 + x), & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 3 - (1 + x), & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow (fof)(x) = \begin{cases} 4 - x, & 2 < x \leq 3 \\ 2 + x, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 2 - x, & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

Now, RHL (at  $x = 2$ ) = 2 and LHL (at  $x = 2$ ) = 0

Also, RHL (at  $x = 1$ ) = 1 and LHL (at  $x = 1$ ) = 3

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1, 2$

$\therefore f[f(x)]$  is discontinuous at  $x = \{1, 2\}$ .

5. Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0^+) = f(0^-) = f(0) = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

To show, continuous at  $x = k$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(k + h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [f(k) + f(h)] = f(k) + f(0^+)$$

$$= f(k) + f(0)$$

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(k - h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [f(k) + f(-h)] \\ = f(k) + f(0^-) = f(k) + f(0)$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow k} f(x) = f(k)$$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in R$ .

## Topic 7 Differentiability at a Point

1. Given function,  $g(x) = |f(x)|$

where  $f : R \rightarrow R$  be differentiable at  $c \in R$  and  $f(c) = 0$ , then for function ' $g$ ' at  $x = c$

$$g'(c) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(c+h) - g(c)}{h} \quad [\text{where } h > 0]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|f(c+h)| - |f(c)|}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|f(c+h)|}{h} \quad [\text{as } f(c) = 0 \text{ (given)}]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left| \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} \right| \quad [:\ h > 0]$$

$$= \left| \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} \right|$$

$$= |f'(c)| \quad [:\ f \text{ is differentiable at } x = c]$$

Now, if  $f'(c) = 0$ , then  $g(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = c$ , otherwise LHD (at  $x = c$ ) and RHD (at  $x = c$ ) is different.

- 2.

**Key Idea** (i) First use L' Hopital rule

(ii) Now, use formula

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_{\phi_1(x)}^{\phi_2(x)} f(t) dt = f[\phi_2(x)] \cdot \phi'_2(x) - f[\phi_1(x)] \cdot \phi'_1(x)$$

$$\text{Let } l = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \int_6^{f(x)} \frac{2tdt}{(x-2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{6}{(x-2)} \quad \left[ \frac{0}{0} \text{ form, as } f(2) = 6 \right]$$

On applying the L' Hopital rule, we get

$$l = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{2f(x)f'(x)}{1} \quad \left[ \because \frac{d}{dx} \int_{\phi_1(x)}^{\phi_2(x)} f(t) dt = f(\phi_2(x)) \cdot \phi'_2(x) - f(\phi_1(x)) \cdot \phi'_1(x) \right]$$

$$\text{So, } l = 2f(2) \cdot f'(2) = 12f'(2) \quad [:\ f(2) = 6]$$

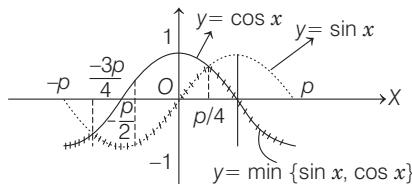
$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \int_6^{f(x)} \frac{2tdt}{x-2} = 12f'(2)$$

3. Given function is  $f(x) = 15 - |x-10|$ ,  $x \in \mathbf{R}$  and  $g(x) = f(f(x))$

$$\begin{aligned} &= f(15 - |x-10|) \\ &= 15 - |15 - |x-10|| - 10 \\ &= 15 - |5 - |x-10|| \\ &= \begin{cases} 15 - |5 - (x-10)|, & x \geq 10 \\ 15 - |5 + (x-10)|, & x < 10 \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{cases} 15 - |15 - x|, & x \geq 10 \\ 15 - |x-5|, & x < 10 \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{cases} 15 + (x-5) = 10 + x, & x < 5 \\ 15 - (x-5) = 20 - x, & 5 \leq x < 10 \\ 15 + (x-15) = x, & 10 \leq x < 15 \\ 15 - (x-15) = 30 - x, & x \geq 15 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

From the above definition it is clear that  $g(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 5, 10, 15$ .

4. Let us draw the graph of  $y = f(x)$ , as shown below



Clearly, the function  $f(x) = \min \{\sin x, \cos x\}$  is not differentiable at  $x = \frac{-3\pi}{4}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  [these are point of intersection of graphs of  $\sin x$  and  $\cos x$  in  $(-\pi, \pi)$ , on which function has sharp edges]. So,  $S = \left\{ \frac{-3\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4} \right\}$ , which is a subset of  $\left\{ \frac{-3\pi}{4}, \frac{-\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4} \right\}$

5. We have,

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sin|x| - |x| + 2(x - \pi) \cos|x| \\ f(x) &= \begin{cases} -\sin x + x + 2(x - \pi) \cos x, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \sin x - x + 2(x - \pi) \cos x, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases} \\ &\quad [\because \sin(-\theta) = -\sin \theta \text{ and } \cos(-\theta) = \cos \theta] \\ \therefore f'(x) &= \begin{cases} -\cos x + 1 + 2 \cos x - 2(x - \pi) \sin x, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \cos x - 1 + 2 \cos x - 2(x - \pi) \sin x, & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is differentiable everywhere except possibly at  $x = 0$

$\quad [\because f'(x) \text{ exist for } x < 0 \text{ and } x > 0]$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } Rf'(0) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (3 \cos x - 1 - 2(x - \pi) \sin x) \\ &= 3 - 1 - 0 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } Lf'(0) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} (\cos x + 1 - 2(x - \pi) \sin x) \\ &= 1 + 1 - 0 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore Rf'(0) = Lf'(0)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at all values of  $x$ .

$$\Rightarrow K = \emptyset$$

6. **Key Idea** This type of problem can be solved graphically.

We have,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & -2 \leq x < 0 \\ x^2 - 1, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$

and  $g(x) = |f(x)| + f(|x|)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Clearly, } |f(x)| &= \begin{cases} 1, & -2 \leq x < 0 \\ |x^2 - 1|, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{cases} 1, & -2 \leq x < 0 \\ -(x^2 - 1), & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x^2 - 1, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

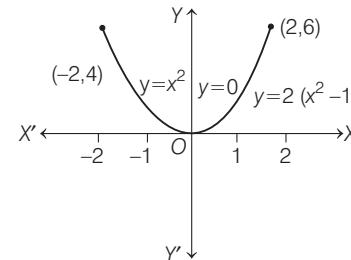
and  $f(|x|) = |x|^2 - 1$ ,  $0 \leq |x| \leq 2$

$$\begin{aligned} &[\because f(|x|) = -1 \text{ is not possible as } |x| \neq 0] \\ &= x^2 - 1, \quad |x| \leq 2 \quad [\because |x|^2 = x^2] \\ &= x^2 - 1, \quad -2 \leq x \leq 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore g(x) = |f(x)| + f(|x|)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \begin{cases} 1 + x^2 - 1, & -2 \leq x < 0 \\ -(x^2 - 1) + x^2 - 1, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x^2 - 1 + x^2 - 1, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{cases} x^2, & -2 \leq x < 0 \\ 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 2(x^2 - 1), & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Now, let us draw the graph of  $y = g(x)$ , as shown in the figure.



[Here,  $y = 2(x^2 - 1)$  or  $x^2 = \frac{1}{2}(y + 2)$  represent a parabola with vertex  $(0, -2)$  and it open upward]

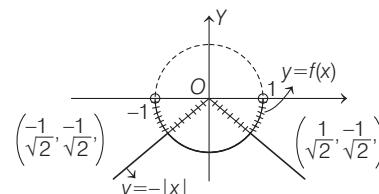
Note that there is a sharp edge at  $x = 1$  only, so  $g(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$  only.

7. **Key Idea** This type of questions can be solved graphically.

Given,  $f : (-1, 1) \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ , such that

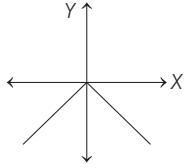
$$f(x) = \max \{-|x|, -\sqrt{1-x^2}\}$$

On drawing the graph, we get the following figure.

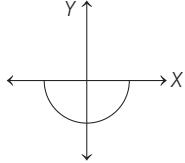


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[ $\because$  graph of  $y = -|x|$  is



and graph of  $y = -\sqrt{1-x^2}$



$\backslash [ \because x^2 + y^2 = 1 \text{ represent a complete circle}]$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} -\sqrt{1-x^2}, & -1 < x \leq -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -|x|, & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} < x \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\sqrt{1-x^2}, & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} < x < 1 \end{cases}$$

From the figure, it is clear that function have sharp edges, at  $x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

$\therefore$  Function is not differentiable at 3 points.

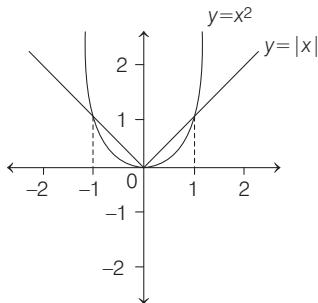
8. **Key Idea** This type of problem can be solved graphically

$$\text{We have, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \max\{|x|, x^2\}, & |x| \leq 2 \\ 8 - 2|x|, & 2 < |x| \leq 4 \end{cases}$$

Let us draw the graph of  $y = f(x)$

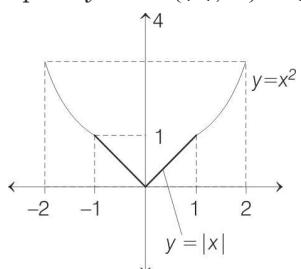
$$\text{For } |x| \leq 2 \quad f(x) = \max\{|x|, x^2\}$$

Let us first draw the graph of  $y = |x|$  and  $y = x^2$  as shown in the following figure.



Clearly,  $y = |x|$  and  $y = x^2$  intersect at  $x = -1, 0, 1$

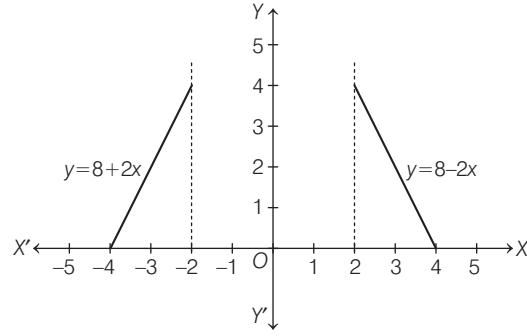
Now, the graph of  $y = \max\{|x|, x^2\}$  for  $|x| \leq 2$  is



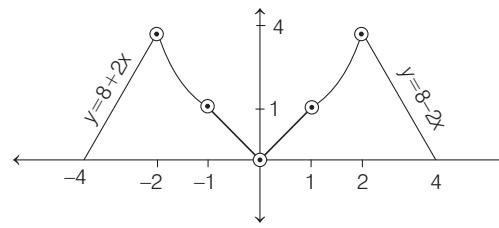
For  $|x| \in (2, 4]$

$$f(x) = 8 - 2|x| = \begin{cases} 8 - 2x, & x \in (2, 4] \\ 8 + 2x, & x \in [-4, -2) \end{cases}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \because 2 < |x| \leq 4 \\ \Rightarrow |x| > 2 \text{ and } |x| \leq 4 \end{array} \right]$$



Hence, the graph of  $y = f(x)$  is



From the graph it is clear that at  $x = -2, -1, 0, 1, 2$  the curve has sharp edges and hence at these points  $f$  is not differentiable.

9. Given,  $|f(x) - f(y)| \leq 2|x - y|^{\frac{3}{2}}$ ,  $\forall x, y \in R$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|f(x) - f(y)|}{|x - y|} \leq 2|x - y|^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

(dividing both sides by  $|x - y|$ )

Put  $x = x + h$  and  $y = x$ , where  $h$  is very close to zero.

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left| \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{(x+h) - x} \right| \leq \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2|(x+h) - x|^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left| \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \right| \leq \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2|h|^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \right| \leq 0$$

[substituting limit directly on right hand side and using  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} |f(x)| = \left| \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) \right|$ ]

$$\Rightarrow |f'(x)| \leq 0 \quad \left( \because \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = f'(x) \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow |f'(x)| = 0 \quad (\because |f'(x)| \text{ can not be less than zero})$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0$$

$$(\because |x| = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0)$$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is a constant function.

Since,  $f(0) = 1$ , therefore  $f(x)$  is always equal to 1.

$$\text{Now, } \int_0^1 (f(x))^2 dx = \int_0^1 1^2 dx = [x]_0^1 = (1 - 0) = 1$$

**10.** We have,

$$f(x) = |x - \pi| \cdot (e^{|x|} - 1) \sin |x|$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (x - \pi)(e^{-x} - 1) \sin x, & x < 0 \\ -(x - \pi)(e^x - 1) \sin x, & 0 \leq x < \pi \\ (x - \pi)(e^x - 1) \sin x, & x \geq \pi \end{cases}$$

We check the differentiability at  $x=0$  and  $\pi$ .

We have,

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} (x - \pi)(e^{-x} - 1) \cos x + (e^{-x} - 1) \sin x \\ \quad + (x - \pi) \sin x e^{-x} (-1), & x < 0 \\ -[(x - \pi)(e^x - 1) \cos x + (e^x - 1) \sin x] \\ \quad + (x - \pi) \sin x e^x, & 0 < x < \pi \\ (x - \pi)(e^x - 1) \cos x + (e^x - 1) \sin x \\ \quad + (x - \pi) \sin x e^x, & x > \pi \end{cases}$$

Clearly,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f'(x) = 0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f'(x)$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi^-} f'(x) = 0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi^+} f'(x)$$

$\therefore f$  is differentiable at  $x=0$  and  $x=\pi$

Hence,  $f$  is differentiable for all  $x$ .

**11.** We have,  $f(x) = |\log 2 - \sin x|$  and  $g(x) = f(f(x))$ ,  $x \in R$

Note that, for  $x \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\log 2 > \sin x$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(x) &= \log 2 - \sin x \\ \Rightarrow g(x) &= \log 2 - \sin(\log 2 - \sin x) \\ &= \log 2 - \sin(\log 2 - \sin x) \end{aligned}$$

Clearly,  $g(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=0$  as  $\sin x$  is differentiable.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } g'(x) &= -\cos(\log 2 - \sin x)(-\cos x) \\ &= \cos x \cdot \cos(\log 2 - \sin x) \\ \Rightarrow g'(0) &= 1 \cdot \cos(\log 2) \end{aligned}$$

**12.** Given,  $f(0) = 2 = g(1)$ ,  $g(0) = 0$  and  $f(1) = 6$

$f$  and  $g$  are differentiable in  $(0, 1)$ .

$$\text{Let } h(x) = f(x) - 2g(x) \quad \dots(i)$$

$$h(0) = f(0) - 2g(0) = 2 - 0 = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } h(1) &= f(1) - 2g(1) = 6 - 2(2) = 2 \\ h(0) &= h(1) = 2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, using Rolle's theorem,

$$h'(c) = 0, \text{ such that } c \in (0, 1)$$

Differentiating Eq. (i) at  $c$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f'(c) - 2g'(c) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow f'(c) &= 2g'(c) \end{aligned}$$

**13. PLAN** To check differentiability at a point we use RHD and LHD at a point and if RHD = LHD, then  $f(x)$  is differentiable at the point.

#### Description of Situation

$$\text{As, } R\{f'(x)\} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\text{and } L\{f'(x)\} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x-h) - f(x)}{-h}$$

Here, students generally gets confused in defining modulus. To check differentiable at  $x=0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} R\{f'(0)\} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 \left| \cos \frac{\pi}{h} \right| - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \cdot \left| \cos \frac{\pi}{h} \right| = 0 \\ L\{f'(0)\} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0-h) - f(0)}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 \left| \cos \left( -\frac{\pi}{h} \right) \right| - 0}{-h} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

So,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=0$ .

To check differentiability at  $x=2$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} R\{f'(2)\} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2+h) - f(2)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2+h)^2 \left| \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2+h} \right) \right| - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2+h)^2 \cdot \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2+h} \right)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2+h)^2 \cdot \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2+h} \right)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2+h)^2 \cdot \sin \left( \frac{\pi h}{2(2+h)} \right)}{h \cdot \frac{\pi}{2(2+h)}} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2(2+h)} = \pi \\ \text{and } L\{f'(2)\} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2-h) - f(2)}{-h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2-h)^2 \left| \cos \frac{\pi}{2-h} \right| - 2^2 \cdot \left| \cos \frac{\pi}{2} \right|}{-h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2-h)^2 - \left( -\cos \frac{\pi}{2-h} \right) - 0}{-h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(2-h)^2 \cdot \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2-h} \right)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2-h)^2 \cdot \sin \left( -\frac{\pi h}{2(2-h)} \right)}{h \times \frac{-\pi}{2(2-h)}} \times \frac{-\pi}{2(2-h)} = -\pi \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=0$  but not at  $x=2$ .

**14. Given,**  $g(x) = \frac{(x-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(x-1)}$ ;  $0 < x < 2$ ,  $m \neq 0$ ,  $n$  are integers and  $|x-1| = \begin{cases} x-1, & x \geq 1 \\ 1-x, & x < 1 \end{cases}$

The left hand derivative of  $|x-1|$  at  $x=1$  is  $p = -1$ .

Also,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = p = -1$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+h-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(1+h-1)} = -1$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 &\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^n}{\log \cos^m h} = -1 \\
 &\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^n}{m \log \cos h} = -1 \\
 &\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{n \cdot h^{n-1}}{m \frac{1}{\cos h} (-\sin h)} = -1 \\
 &\quad \text{[using L'Hospital's rule]} \\
 &\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( -\frac{n}{m} \right) \cdot \frac{h^{n-2}}{\left( \frac{\tan h}{h} \right)} = -1 \Rightarrow \left( \frac{n}{m} \right) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^{n-2}}{\left( \frac{\tan h}{h} \right)} = 1 \\
 &\Rightarrow n=2 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{n}{m} = 1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad m=n=2
 \end{aligned}$$

15. Given,  $f(1) = f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = f\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = \dots = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = 0$

as  $f\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = 0$ ;  $n \in \text{integers}$  and  $n \geq 1$ .

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow f(0) = 0$$

Since, there are infinitely many points in neighbourhood of  $x=0$ .

$$\therefore f(x) = 0$$

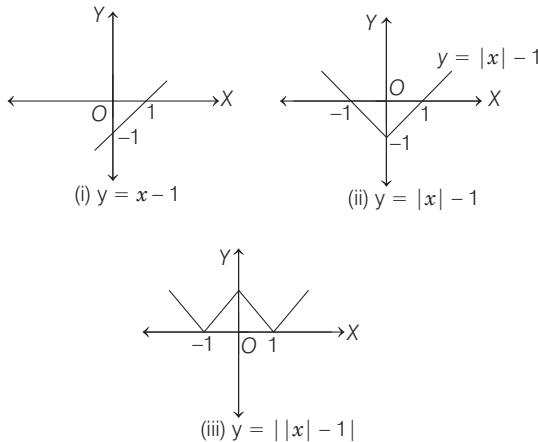
$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(0) = 0$$

Hence,  $f(0) = f'(0) = 0$

16. Using graphical transformation.

As, we know that, the function is not differentiable at sharp edges.



In function,

$y = ||x| - 1|$  we have 3 sharp edges at  $x = -1, 0, 1$ . Hence,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $\{0, \pm 1\}$ .

17. Given,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}(-x-1), & \text{if } x < -1 \\ \tan^{-1} x, & \text{if } -1 \leq x \leq 1 \\ \frac{1}{2}(x-1), & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$

$f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = -1$  and  $x = 1$ .

$\therefore$  Domain of  $f'(x) \in R - \{-1, 1\}$

18. RHD of  $\sin(|x|) - |x| = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h - h}{h} = 1 - 1 = 0$   
[ $\because f(0) = 0$ ]

LHD of  $\sin(|x|) - |x|$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin |-h| - |-h|}{-h} = \frac{\sin h - h}{-h} = 0$$

Therefore, (d) is the answer.

19. Given,  $f(x) = [x] \sin \pi x$

If  $x$  is just less than  $k$ ,  $[x] = k - 1$

$$\therefore f(x) = (k-1) \sin \pi x$$

$$\text{LHD of } f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow k^-} \frac{(k-1) \sin \pi x - k \sin \pi k}{x - k}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow k^-} \frac{(k-1) \sin \pi x}{x - k},$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(k-1) \sin \pi (k-h)}{-h}$$

[where  $x = k - h$ ]

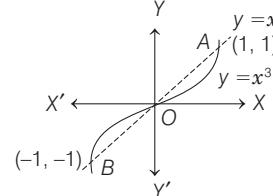
$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(k-1)(-1)^{k-1} \cdot \sin h \pi}{-h} = (-1)^k (k-1) \pi$$

20. Given,  $f(x) = \max\{x, x^3\}$  considering the graph separately,  $y = x^3$  and  $y = x$

**NOTE**  $y = x^3$  is odd order parabola and  $y = x$  is always intersect at  $(1, 1)$  and  $(-1, -1)$ .

Now,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{in } (-\infty, -1] \\ x^3 & \text{in } (-1, 0] \\ x & \text{in } (0, 1] \\ x^3 & \text{in } (1, \infty) \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{in } (-\infty, -1] \\ 3x^2 & \text{in } (-1, 0] \\ 1 & \text{in } (0, 1] \\ 3x^2 & \text{in } (1, \infty) \end{cases}$$



The point of consideration are

$$f'(-1^-) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad f'(-1^+) = 3$$

$$f'(-0^-) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad f'(0^+) = 1$$

$$f'(1^-) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad f'(1^+) = 3$$

Hence,  $f$  is not differentiable at  $-1, 0, 1$ .

21. Let  $h(x) = |x|$ , then  $g(x) = |f(x)| = h\{f(x)\}$

Since, composition of two continuous functions is continuous,  $g$  is continuous if  $f$  is continuous. So, answer is (c).

(a) Let  $f(x) = x \Rightarrow g(x) = |x|$

Now,  $f(x)$  is an onto function. Since, co-domain of  $x$  is  $R$  and range of  $x$  is  $R$ . But  $g(x)$  is into function. Since, range of  $g(x)$  is  $[0, \infty)$  but co-domain is given  $R$ . Hence, (a) is wrong.

- (b) Let  $f(x) = x \Rightarrow g(x) = |x|$ . Now,  $f(x)$  is one-one function but  $g(x)$  is many-one function. Hence, (b) is wrong.
- (d) Let  $f(x) = x \Rightarrow g(x) = |x|$ . Now,  $f(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x \in R$  but  $g(x) = |x|$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$ . Hence, (d) is wrong.
- 22.** Function  $f(x) = (x^2 - 1) |x^2 - 3x + 2| + \cos(|x|)$  ... (i)

**NOTE** In differentiable of  $|f(x)|$  we have to consider critical points for which  $f(x) = 0$ .

$|x|$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

$$\text{but } \cos|x| = \begin{cases} \cos(-x), & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \cos x, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos|x| = \begin{cases} \cos x, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \cos x, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

Therefore, it is differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

Now,  $|x^2 - 3x + 2| = |(x-1)(x-2)|$

$$= \begin{cases} (x-1)(x-2), & \text{if } x < 1 \\ (x-1)(2-x), & \text{if } 1 \leq x < 2 \\ (x-1)(x-2), & \text{if } 2 \leq x \end{cases}$$

Therefore,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (x^2 - 1)(x-1)(x-2) + \cos x, & \text{if } -\infty < x < 1 \\ -(x^2 - 1)(x-1)(x-2) + \cos x, & \text{if } 1 \leq x < 2 \\ (x^2 - 1)(x-1)(x-2) + \cos x, & \text{if } 2 \leq x < \infty \end{cases}$$

Now,  $x = 1, 2$  are critical point for differentiability. Because  $f(x)$  is differentiable on other points in its domain.

#### Differentiability at $x = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} Lf'(1) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \left[ (x^2 - 1)(x-2) + \frac{\cos x - \cos 1}{x-1} \right] \\ &= 0 - \sin 1 = -\sin 1 \\ &\quad [\because \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{\cos x - \cos 1}{x-1} = \frac{d}{dx}(\cos x) \text{ at } x = 1 = 0] \\ &= -\sin x \text{ at } x = 1 = 0 = -\sin x \text{ at } x = 1 = -\sin 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } Rf'(1) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \left[ -(x^2 - 1)(x-2) + \frac{\cos x - \cos 1}{x-1} \right]$$

$$= 0 - \sin 1 = -\sin 1 \quad [\text{same approach}]$$

$\therefore Lf'(1) = Rf'(1)$ . Therefore, function is differentiable at  $x = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Again, } Lf'(2) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{f(x) - f(2)}{x - 2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \left[ -(x^2 - 1)(x-1) + \frac{\cos x - \cos 2}{x-2} \right] \\ &= -(4-1)(2-1) - \sin 2 = -3 - \sin 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } Rf'(2) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{f(x) - f(2)}{x - 2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \left[ (x^2 - 1)(x-1) + \frac{\cos x - \cos 2}{x-2} \right] \\ &= (2^2 - 1)(2-1) - \sin 2 = 3 - \sin 2 \end{aligned}$$

So,  $Lf'(2) \neq Rf'(2)$ ,  $f$  is not differentiable at  $x = 2$ . Therefore, (d) is the answer.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{23. Given, } f(x) &= \frac{x}{1+|x|} = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{1+x}, & x \geq 0 \\ \frac{x}{1-x}, & x < 0 \end{cases} \\ \therefore f'(x) &= \begin{cases} \frac{(1+x) \cdot 1 - x \cdot 1}{(1+x)^2}, & x \geq 0 \\ \frac{(1-x) \cdot 1 - x(-1)}{(1-x)^2}, & x < 0 \end{cases} \\ \Rightarrow f'(x) &= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{(1+x)^2}, & x \geq 0 \\ \frac{1}{(1-x)^2}, & x < 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{RHD at } x = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} = 1$$

$$\text{and } \text{LHD at } x = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(1-x)^2} = 1$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x$ .

- 24.** Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable where  $f(0) = 1$  and  $f'(0) = -1$ ,  $f(x) > 0, \forall x$ . Thus,  $f(x)$  is decreasing for  $x > 0$  and concave down.  $\Rightarrow f''(x) < 0$ . Therefore, (a) is answer.

- 25.** Here,  $f(x) = \frac{\tan \pi [(x-\pi)]}{1+[x]^2}$

Since, we know  $\pi [(x-\pi)] = n\pi$  and  $\tan n\pi = 0$

$$\because 1+[x]^2 \neq 0$$

$$\therefore f(x) = 0, \forall x$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is a constant function.

$\therefore f'(x), f''(x), \dots$  all exist for every  $x$ , their value being 0.

$\Rightarrow f'(x)$  exists for all  $x$ .

- 26.** We have,

$$(f(0))^2 + (f'(0))^2 = 85$$

$$\text{and } f : R \rightarrow [-2, 2]$$

- (a) Since,  $f$  is twice differentiable function, so  $f$  is continuous function.

$\therefore$  This is true for every continuous function.

Hence, we can always find  $x \in (r, s)$ , where  $f(x)$  is one-one.

$\therefore$  This statement is true.

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(b) By L.M.V.T

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} \Rightarrow |f'(c)| = \left| \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow |f'(x_0)| = \left| \frac{f(0) - f(-4)}{0 + 4} \right| = \left| \frac{f(0) - f(-4)}{4} \right|$$

Range of  $f$  is  $[-2, 2]$

$$\therefore 4 \leq f(0) - f(-4) \leq 4 \Rightarrow 0 \leq \left| \frac{f(0) - f(-4)}{4} \right| \leq 1$$

Hence,  $|f'(x_0)| \leq 1$ .

Hence, statement is true.

(c) As no function is given, then we assume

$$f(x) = 2 \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{85}x}{2}\right)$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \sqrt{85} \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{85}x}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{Now, } (f(0))^2 + (f'(0))^2 = (2 \sin 0)^2 + (\sqrt{85} \cos 0)^2$$

$$(f(0))^2 + (f'(0))^2 = 85$$

and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x)$  does not exists.

Hence, statement is false.

(d) From option b,  $|f'(x_0)| \leq 1$  and  $x_0 \in (-4, 0)$

$$\therefore (f'(x_0))^2 \leq 1$$

$$\text{Hence, } g(x_0) = (f(x_0))^2 + (f'(x_0))^2 \leq 4 + 1$$

$$[\because f(x_0) \in [-2, 2]]$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x_0) \leq 5$$

Now, let  $p \in (-4, 0)$  for which  $g(p) = 5$

Similarly, let  $q$  be smallest positive number  $q \in (0, 4)$

such that  $g(q) = 5$

Hence, by Rolle's theorem is  $(p, q)$

$g'(\alpha) = 0$  for  $\alpha \in (-4, 4)$  and since  $g(x)$  is greater than 5 as we move from  $x = p$  to  $x = q$

and  $f(x))^2 \leq 4 \Rightarrow (f'(x))^2 \geq 1$  in  $(p, q)$

Thus,  $g'(\alpha) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow f' f + f' f'' = 0$$

So,  $f(\alpha) + f''(\alpha) = 0$  and  $f'(\alpha) \neq 0$

Hence, statement is true.

$$27. \text{ Given, } \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(x) \sin t - f(t) \sin x}{t - x} = \sin^2 x$$

Using L' Hospital rules

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(x) \cos t - f'(t) \sin x}{1} = \sin^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \cos x - f'(x) \sin x = \sin^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) \sin x - f(x) \cos x = -\sin^2 x$$

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

$$\Rightarrow d\left(\frac{f(x)}{\sin x}\right) = -1$$

On integrating, we get

$$\frac{f(x)}{\sin x} = -x + C \Rightarrow f(x) = -x \sin x + C \sin x$$

$$\text{It is given that } x = \frac{\pi}{6}, f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{12}$$

$$\therefore f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{6} \sin \frac{\pi}{6} + C \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= -\frac{\pi}{12} = -\frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{1}{2}C$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 0$$

$$\therefore f(x) = -x \sin x$$

$$(a) f(x) = -x \sin x$$

$$f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{4} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = -\frac{\pi}{4\sqrt{2}} \text{ false}$$

$$(b) f(x) = -x \sin x$$

$$\sin x > x - \frac{x^3}{6}, \forall x \in (0, \pi)$$

$$\Rightarrow -x \sin x < -x^2 + \frac{x^4}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) < \frac{x^4}{6} - x^2, \forall x \in (0, \pi)$$

It is true

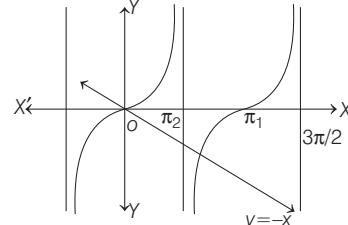
$$(c) f(x) = -x \sin x$$

$$f'(x) = -\sin x - x \cos x$$

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\sin x - x \cos x = 0$$

$$\tan x = -x$$



⇒ There exists  $\alpha \in (0, \pi)$  for which  $f'(\alpha) = 0$

It is true

$$(d) f(x) = -x \sin x$$

$$f'(x) = -\sin x - x \cos x$$

$$f''(x) = -2 \cos x + x \sin x$$

$$f''\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}, f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\therefore f''\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$$

It is true.

$$28. \text{ As, } g(f(x)) = x$$

Thus,  $g(x)$  is inverse of  $f(x)$ .

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

$$\Rightarrow g'(f(x)) \cdot f'(x) = 1$$

$$\therefore g'(f(x)) = \frac{1}{f'(x)} \quad \dots(i)$$

[where,  $f'(x) = 3x^2 + 3$ ]

When

$$f(x) = 2, \text{ then}$$

$$x^3 + 3x + 2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

i.e. when  $x = 0$ , then  $f(x) = 2$

$$\therefore g'(f(x)) = \frac{1}{3x^2 + 3} \text{ at } (0, 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(2) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$\therefore$  Option (a) is incorrect.

$$\text{Now, } h(g(g(x))) = x$$

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

$$\Rightarrow h(g(x)) = f(x) \quad \dots(\text{ii})$$

$$\text{As } g(f(x)) = x$$

$$\therefore h(g(3)) = f(3) = 3^3 + 3(3) + 2 = 38$$

$\therefore$  Option (d) is incorrect.

$$\text{From Eq. (ii), } h(g(x)) = f(x)$$

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

$$\Rightarrow h(x) = f(f(x)) \quad \dots(\text{iii})$$

[using  $g(f(x)) = x$ ]

$$\Rightarrow h'(x) = f'(f(x)) \cdot f'(x) \quad \dots(\text{iv})$$

Putting  $x = 1$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} h'(1) &= f'(f(1)) \cdot f'(1) = (3 \times 36 + 3) \times (6) \\ &= 111 \times 6 = 666 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Option (b) is correct.

Putting  $x = 0$  in Eq. (iii), we get

$$h(0) = f(f(0)) = f(2) = 8 + 6 + 2 = 16$$

$\therefore$  Option (c) is correct.

29. Here,  $f(x) = a \cos(|x^3 - x|) + b|x| \sin(|x^3 + x|)$

If  $x^3 - x \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow \cos|x^3 - x| = \cos(x^3 - x)$$

$$x^3 - x \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos|x^3 - x| = \cos(x^3 - x)$$

$$\therefore \cos(|x^3 - x|) = \cos(x^3 - x), \forall x \in R \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

Again, if  $x^3 + x \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow |x| \sin(|x^3 + x|) = x \sin(x^3 + x)$$

$$x^3 + x \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |x| \sin(|x^3 + x|) = -x \sin(-(x^3 + x))$$

$$\therefore |x| \sin(|x^3 + x|) = x \sin(x^3 + x), \forall x \in R \quad \dots(\text{ii})$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = a \cos(|x^3 - x|) + b|x| \sin(|x^3 + x|)$$

$$\therefore f(x) = a \cos(x^3 - x) + bx \sin(x^3 + x) \quad \dots(\text{iii})$$

which is clearly sum and composition of differential functions.

Hence,  $f(x)$  is always continuous and differentiable.

30. Here,

$$f(x) = [x^2 - 3] = [x^2] - 3 = \begin{cases} -3, & -1/2 \leq x < 1 \\ -2, & 1 \leq x < \sqrt{2} \\ -1, & \sqrt{2} \leq x < \sqrt{3} \\ 0, & \sqrt{3} \leq x < 2 \\ 1, & x = 2 \end{cases}$$

and  $g(x) = |x| f(x) + |4x - 7| f(x)$

$$= (|x| + |4x - 7|) f(x)$$

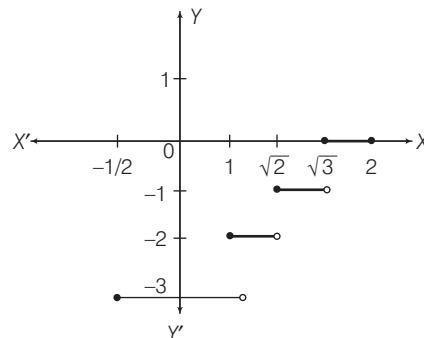
$$= (|x| + |4x - 7|) [x^2 - 3]$$

$$= \begin{cases} (-x - 4x - 7)(-3), & -1/2 \leq x < 0 \\ (x - 4x + 7)(-3), & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ (x - 4x + 7)(-2), & 1 \leq x < \sqrt{2} \\ (x - 4x + 7)(-1), & \sqrt{2} \leq x < \sqrt{3} \\ (x - 4x + 7)(0), & \sqrt{3} \leq x < 7/4 \\ (x + 4x - 7)(0), & 7/4 \leq x < 2 \\ (x + 4x - 7)(1), & x = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore g(x) = \begin{cases} 15x + 21, & -1/2 \leq x < 0 \\ 9x - 21, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 6x - 14, & 1 \leq x < \sqrt{2} \\ 3x - 7, & \sqrt{2} \leq x < \sqrt{3} \\ 0, & \sqrt{3} \leq x < 2 \\ 5x - 7, & x = 2 \end{cases}$$

Now, the graphs of  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are shown below.

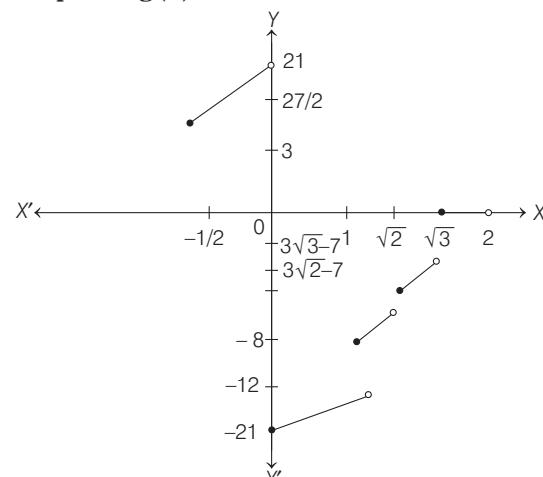
**Graph for  $f(x)$**



Clearly,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at 4 points.

$\therefore$  Option (b) is correct.

**Graph for  $g(x)$**



Clearly,  $g(x)$  is not differentiable at 4 points, when  $x \in (-1/2, 2)$ .

$\therefore$  Option (c) is correct.

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31. Here,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} g(x), & x > 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ -g(x), & x < 0 \end{cases}$

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} g'(x), & x \geq 0 \\ -g'(x), & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$\therefore$  Option (a) is correct.

(b)  $h(x) = e^{|x|} = \begin{cases} e^x, & x \geq 0 \\ e^{-x}, & x < 0 \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow h'(x) = \begin{cases} e^x, & x \geq 0 \\ -e^{-x}, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow h'(0^+) = 1 \text{ and } h'(0^-) = -1$$

So,  $h(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x=0$ .

$\therefore$  Option (b) is not correct.

(c)  $(foh)(x) = f\{h(x)\}$  as  $h(x) > 0$   
 $= \begin{cases} g(e^x), & x \geq 0 \\ g(e^{-x}), & x < 0 \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow (foh)'(x) = \begin{cases} e^x g'(e^x), & x \geq 0 \\ -e^{-x} g'(e^{-x}), & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow (foh)'(0^+) = g'(1), (foh)'(0^-) = -g'(1)$$

So,  $(foh)(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x=0$ .

$\therefore$  Option (c) is not correct.

(d)  $(hof)(x) = e^{|f(x)|} = \begin{cases} e^{|g(x)|}, & x \neq 0 \\ e^0 = 1, & x = 0 \end{cases}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } (hof)'(0) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{|g(x)|} - 1}{x} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{|g(x)|} - 1}{|g(x)|} \cdot \frac{|g(x)|}{x} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{|g(x)|} - 1}{|g(x)|} \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|g(x) - 0|}{|x|} \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|x|}{x} \\ &= 1 \cdot g'(0) \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|x|}{x} = 0 \text{ as } g'(0) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Option (d) is correct.

32. Let  $F(x) = f(x) - 3g(x)$

$$\therefore F(-1) = 3, F(0) = 3 \text{ and } F(2) = 3$$

So,  $F'(x)$  will vanish atleast twice in  $(-1, 0) \cup (0, 2)$ .

$\therefore F''(x) > 0$  or  $< 0$ ,  $\forall x \in (-1, 0) \cup (0, 2)$

Hence,  $f'(x) - 3g'(x) = 0$  has exactly one solution in  $(-1, 0)$  and one solution in  $(0, 2)$ .

33. A function  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x=a$ ,

$$\text{if } \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = f(a).$$

Also, a function  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=a$ , if

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

$$\text{i.e. } f'(a^-) = f'(a^+)$$

Given that,  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow [1, \infty)$

an  $g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < a \\ \int_a^x f(t) dt, & a \leq x \leq b \\ \int_a^b f(t) dt, & x > b \end{cases}$

$$\text{Now, } g(a^-) = 0 = g(a^+) = g(a)$$

$$[\text{as } g(a^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} \int_a^x f(t) dt = 0]$$

$$\text{and } g(a) = \int_a^a f(t) dt = 0]$$

$$g(b^-) = g(b^+) = g(b) = \int_a^b f(t) dt$$

$\Rightarrow g$  is continuous for all  $x \in R$ .

Now,  $g'(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < a \\ f(x), & a < x < b \\ 0, & x > b \end{cases}$

$$g'(a^-) = 0$$

$$\text{but } g'(a^+) = f(a) \geq 1$$

[ $\because$  range of  $f(x)$  is  $[1, \infty)$ ,  $\forall x \in [a, b]$ ]

$\Rightarrow g$  is non-differentiable at  $x=a$

$$\text{and } g'(b^+) = 0$$

$$\text{but } g'(b^-) = f(b) \geq 1$$

$\Rightarrow g$  is not differentiable at  $x=b$ .

34.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} -x - \frac{\pi}{2}, & x \leq -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ -\cos x, & -\frac{\pi}{2} < x \leq 0 \\ x - 1, & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ \log x, & x > 1 \end{cases}$

Continuity at  $x = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ ,

$$f\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) - \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) = 0$$

$\therefore$  Continuous at  $x = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Continuity at  $x=0$

$$f(0) = -1$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (0 + h) - 1 = -1$$

$\therefore$  Continuous at  $x=0$ .

Continuity at  $x=1$ ,

$$f(1) = 0$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \log(1 + h) = 0$$

$\therefore$  Continuous at  $x=1$

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & x \leq -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ \sin x, & -\frac{\pi}{2} < x \leq 0 \\ 1, & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ \frac{1}{x}, & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

Differentiable at  $x=0$ , LHD = 0, RHD = 1

$\therefore$  Not differentiable at  $x=0$

Differentiable at  $x=1$ , LHD = 1, RHD = 1

$\therefore$  Differentiable at  $x=1$ .

Also, for  $x = -\frac{3}{2}$

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

$\therefore$  Differentiable at  $x = -\frac{3}{2}$

35.  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$ , as  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=0$ .

$$\Rightarrow f'(0) = k \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) + f(h) - f(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)}{h} \quad \left[ \begin{matrix} 0 & \text{form} \\ 0 & \end{matrix} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Given,  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y), \forall x, y$

$$\therefore f(0) = f(0) + f(0),$$

$$\text{when } x = y = 0 \Rightarrow f(0) = 0$$

Using L'Hospital's rule,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(h)}{1} = f'(0) = k \quad \dots(ii)$$

$\Rightarrow f'(x) = k$ , integrating both sides,

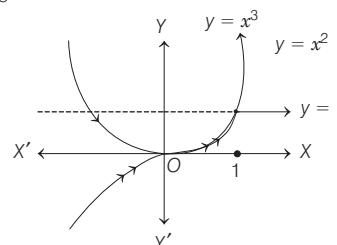
$$f(x) = kx + C, \text{ as } f(0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 0 \quad \therefore f(x) = kx$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in R$  and  $f'(x) = k$ , i.e. constant for all  $x \in R$ .

Hence, (b) and (c) are correct.

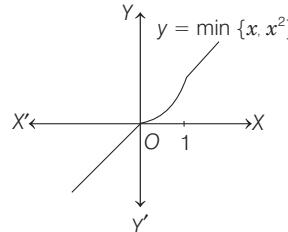
36. Here,  $f(x) = \min \{1, x^2, x^3\}$  which could be graphically shown as



$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is continuous for  $x \in R$  and not differentiable at  $x=1$  due to sharp edge.

Hence, (a) and (d) are correct answers.

37. From the figure,



$h(x)$  is continuous all  $x$ , but  $h(x)$  is not differentiable at two points  $x=0$  and  $x=1$ . (due to sharp edges). Also  $h'(x) = 1, \forall x > 1$ .

Hence, (a), (c) and (d) is correct answers.

38. Here,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x-3|, & x \geq 1 \\ \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4}, & x < 1 \end{cases}$

$$\therefore \text{RHL at } x=1, \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} |1+h-3| = 2$$

LHL at  $x=1$ ,

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1-h)^2}{4} - \frac{3(1-h)}{2} + \frac{13}{4} = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{13}{4} = \frac{14}{4} - \frac{3}{2} = 2$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous at  $x=1$

$$\text{Again, } f(x) = \begin{cases} -(x-3), & 1 \leq x < 3 \\ (x-3), & x \geq 3 \\ \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4}, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

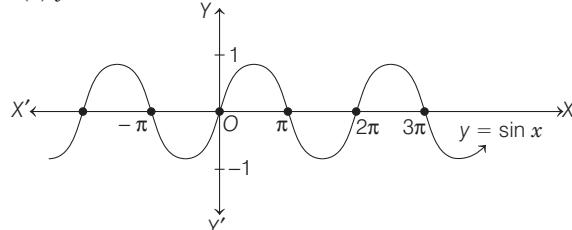
$$\therefore f'(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & 1 \leq x < 3 \\ 1, & x \geq 3 \\ \frac{x}{2} - \frac{3}{2}, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

$\therefore$  RHD at  $x=1 \Rightarrow -1$   
 $\therefore$  LHD at  $x=1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} = -1$  ] differentiable at  $x=1$ .

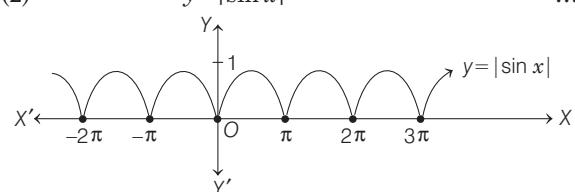
Again, RHD at  $x=3 \Rightarrow 1$   
 $\therefore$  LHD at  $x=3 \Rightarrow -1$  ] not differentiable at  $x=3$ .

39. We know that,  $f(x) = 1 + |\sin x|$  could be plotted as,

$$(1) y = \sin x \quad \dots(i)$$

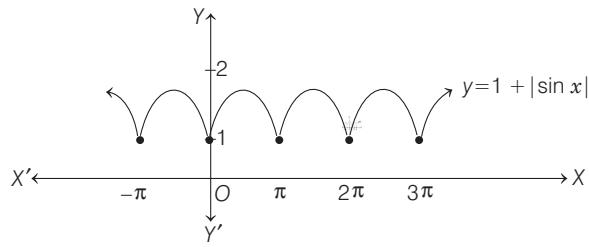


$$(2) y = |\sin x| \quad \dots(ii)$$



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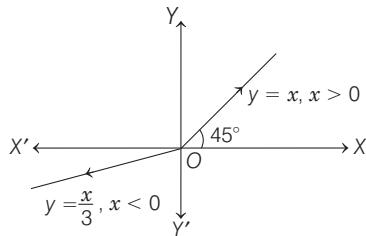
(3)  $y = 1 + |\sin x|$



Clearly,  $y = 1 + |\sin x|$  is continuous for all  $x$ , but not differentiable at infinite number of points..

40. Since,  $x + |y| = 2y \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x + y = 2y, & \text{when } y > 0 \\ x - y = 2y, & \text{when } y < 0 \end{cases}$   
 $\Rightarrow \begin{cases} y = x, & \text{when } y > 0 \Rightarrow x > 0 \\ y = x/3, & \text{when } y < 0 \Rightarrow x < 0 \end{cases}$

which could be plotted as,



Clearly,  $y$  is continuous for all  $x$  but not differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

Also,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \begin{cases} 1, & x > 0 \\ 1/3, & x < 0 \end{cases}$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is defined for all  $x$ , continuous at  $x = 0$ , differentiable for all  $x \in R - \{0\}$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3}$  for  $x < 0$ .

41. We have,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x) \cos x - g(0)}{\sin x} \quad \left[ \begin{matrix} 0 & \text{form} \\ 0 & \end{matrix} \right]$   
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{g'(x) \cos x - g(x) \sin x}{\cos x} = 0$

Since,  $f(x) = g(x) \sin x$   
 $f'(x) = g'(x) \sin x + g(x) \cos x$

and  $f''(x) = g''(x) \sin x + 2g'(x) \cos x - g(x) \sin x$   
 $\Rightarrow f''(0) = 0$

Thus,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [g(x) \cos x - g(0) \cosec x] = 0 = f''(0)$

$\Rightarrow$  Statement I is true.

**Statement II**  $f'(x) = g'(x) \sin x + g(x) \cos x$   
 $\Rightarrow f'(0) = g(0)$

Statement II is not a correct explanation of Statement I.

42. A.  $x|x|$  is continuous, differentiable and strictly increasing in  $(-1, 1)$ .  
B.  $\sqrt{|x|}$  is continuous in  $(-1, 1)$  and not differentiable at  $x = 0$ .  
C.  $x + [x]$  is strictly increasing in  $(-1, 1)$  and discontinuous at  $x = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow$  not differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

... (iii)

D.  $|x - 1| + |x + 1| = 2$  in  $(-1, 1)$

$\Rightarrow$  The function is continuous and differentiable in  $(-1, 1)$ .

43. We know,  $[x] \in I, \forall x \in R$ .

Therefore,  $\sin(\pi[x]) = 0, \forall x \in R$ . By theory, we know that  $\sin(\pi[x])$  is differentiable everywhere, therefore  $(A) \leftrightarrow (p)$ .

Again,  $f(x) = \sin(\pi(x - [x]))$

Now,  $x - [x] = \{x\}$

then  $\pi(x - [x]) = \pi\{x\}$

which is not differentiable at  $x \in I$ .

Therefore,  $(B) \leftrightarrow (r)$  is the answer.

44. Given,  $F(x) = f(x) \cdot g(x) \cdot h(x)$

On differentiating at  $x = x_0$ , we get

$$F'(x_0) = f'(x_0) \cdot g(x_0) \cdot h(x_0) + f(x_0) \cdot g'(x_0) \cdot h(x_0) + f(x_0) \cdot g(x_0) \cdot h'(x_0) \quad \dots (i)$$

where,  $F'(x_0) = 21 F(x_0), f'(x_0) = 4f(x_0)$

$g'(x_0) = -7 g(x_0)$  and  $h'(x_0) = k h(x_0)$

On substituting in Eq. (i), we get

$$21 F(x_0) = 4 f(x_0) g(x_0) h(x_0) - 7 f(x_0) g(x_0) h(x_0) + k f(x_0) g(x_0) h(x_0)$$

$\Rightarrow 21 = 4 - 7 + k$ , [using  $F(x_0) = f(x_0) g(x_0) h(x_0)$ ]

$\therefore k = 24$

45. Given,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{1 + e^{1/x}}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$

$$\therefore Rf'(0) = f'(0^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + e^{1/h}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1 + e^{-1/h}} = 0$$

and  $Lf'(0) = f'(0^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + e^{-1/h}}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1 + e^{1/h}} = 1$

$$\therefore f'(0^+) = 0 \text{ and } f'(0^-) = 1$$

46. Given,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (x-1)^2 \sin \frac{1}{(x-1)} - |x|, & \text{if } x \neq 1 \\ -1, & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$

$$\text{As, } f(x) = \begin{cases} (x-1)^2 \sin \frac{1}{(x-1)} - x, & 0 \leq x - \{1\} \\ (x-1)^2 \sin \frac{1}{(x-1)} + x, & x < 0 \\ -1, & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Here, } f(x) \text{ is not differentiable at } x = 0 \text{ due to } |x|. \\ \text{Thus, } f(x) \text{ is not differentiable at } x = 0.$$

47. It is always true that differential of even function is and odd function.

48. Since,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

$\Rightarrow$  It is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

$$\text{i.e. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = f(0)$$

$$\text{Here, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{ah/2} - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{ah/2} - 1}{a \frac{h}{2}} \cdot \frac{a}{2} = \frac{a}{2}$$

$$\text{Also, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} b \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{c-h}{2} \right) = b \sin^{-1} \frac{c}{2}$$

$$\therefore b \sin^{-1} \frac{c}{2} = \frac{a}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1$$

Also, it is differentiable at  $x=0$

$$Rf'(0^+) = Lf'(0^-)$$

$$\begin{aligned} Rf'(0^+) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{e^{h/2} - 1}{h} - \frac{1}{2}}{h} & [\because a = 1] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2e^{h/2} - 2 - h}{2h^2} = \frac{1}{8} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } Lf'(0^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{b \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{c-h}{2} \right) - \frac{1}{2}}{-h} = \frac{b/2}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{c^2}{4}}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{b}{\sqrt{4 - c^2}} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow 64b^2 = (4 - c^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad 64b^2 = (4 - c^2)$$

$$49. \text{ Here, } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{\pi} (n+1) \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \right) - n$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left\{ \frac{2}{\pi} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right) \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \right) - 1 \right\} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n f \left( \frac{1}{n} \right)$$

$$\text{where, } f \left( \frac{1}{n} \right) = \frac{2}{\pi} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right) \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \right) - 1 = f'(0)$$

$$\left[ \text{given, } f'(0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n f \left( \frac{1}{n} \right) \right]$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{\pi} (n+1) \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{n} - n = f'(0) \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{where, } f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} (1+x) \cos^{-1} x - 1, f(0) = 0$$

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

$$\Rightarrow f'(0) = \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ -1 + \frac{\pi}{2} \right\} = 1 - \frac{2}{\pi} \quad \dots(ii)$$

$\therefore$  From Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{\pi} (n+1) \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \right) - n = 1 - \frac{2}{\pi}$$

$$50. \text{ Since, } g(x) \text{ is continuous at } x=\alpha \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} g(x) = g(\alpha)$$

$$\text{and } f(x) - f(\alpha) = g(x)(x-\alpha), \forall x \in R \quad [\text{given}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(x) - f(\alpha)}{(x-\alpha)} = g(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} \frac{f(x) - f(\alpha)}{x - \alpha} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} g(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(\alpha) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} g(x) \Rightarrow f'(\alpha) = g(\alpha)$$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=\alpha$ .

Conversely, suppose  $f$  is differentiable at  $\alpha$ , then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} \frac{f(x) - f(\alpha)}{x - \alpha} \text{ exists finitely.}$$

$$\text{Let } g(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{f(x) - f(\alpha)}{x - \alpha}, & x \neq \alpha \\ f'(\alpha), & x = \alpha \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Clearly, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha} g(x) = f'(\alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) \text{ is continuous at } x=\alpha.$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x=\alpha$ , iff  $g(x)$  is continuous at  $x=\alpha$ .

51. It is clear that the given function

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

continuous and differentiable at all points except possibly at  $x=1$  and  $2$ .

Continuity at  $x=1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHL} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} (1-x) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1 - (1-h)] = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h = 0 \\ \text{and } \text{RHL} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (1-x)(2-x) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1 - (1+h)][2 - (1+h)] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -h \cdot (1-h) = 0 \\ \therefore \text{LHL} &= \text{RHL} = f(1) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $f$  is continuous at  $x=1$

Differentiability at  $x=1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} Lf'(1) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{-h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - (1-h) - 0}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{h}{-h} \right) = -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } Rf'(1) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[1 - (1+h)][2 - (1+h)] - 0}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h(1-h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (h-1) = -1 \end{aligned}$$

Since,  $L[f'(1)] = Rf'(1)$ , therefore  $f$  is differentiable at  $x=1$ .

Continuity at  $x=2$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHL} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} (1-x)(2-x) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1 - (2-h)][2 - (2-h)] \end{aligned}$$

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$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (-1 + h) h = 0$$

and RHL =  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} (3 - x)$   
 $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [3 - (2 + h)] = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (1 - h) = 1$

Since, LHL  $\neq$  RHL, therefore  $f$  is not continuous at  $x = 2$  as such  $f$  cannot be differentiable at  $x = 2$ .

Hence,  $f$  is continuous and differentiable at all points except at  $x = 2$ .

52. Given,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} xe^{-\left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}\right)}, & x > 0 \\ xe^{-\left(-\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}\right)}, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$

$$= \begin{cases} xe^{-\frac{2}{x}}, & x > 0 \\ x, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

(i) To check continuity at  $x = 0$ ,

$$\text{LHL (at } x = 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -h = 0$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{e^{2/h}} = 0$$

$$\text{Also, } f(0) = 0$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

(ii) To check differentiability at  $x = 0$ ,

$$L f'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0 - h) - f(0)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(0 - h) - 0}{-h} = 1$$

$$R f'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0 + h) - f(0)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{he^{-2/h} - 0}{h} = 0$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

53. Given,  $f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right) = \frac{f(x) + f(y)}{2}, \forall x, y \in R$

On putting  $y = 0$ , we get

$$f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \frac{f(x) + f(0)}{2} = \frac{1}{2}[1 + f(x)] \quad [\because f(0) = 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = f(x) + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 2f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - 1, \forall x, y \in R \quad \dots(i)$$

Since,  $f'(0) = -1$ , we get

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0 + h) - f(0)}{h} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h} = -1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{Again, } f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f\left(\frac{2x+2h}{2}\right) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{f(2x) + f(2h)}{2} - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2}\left[2f\left(\frac{2x}{2}\right) - 1 + 2f\left(\frac{2h}{2}\right) - 1\right] - f(x)}{h} \quad [\text{from Eq. (i)}]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2}[2f(x) - 1 + 2f(h) - 1] - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) + f(h) - 1 - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h} = -1 \quad [\text{from Eq. (ii)}]$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = -1, \forall x \in R$$

$$\Rightarrow \int f'(x) dx = \int -1 dx$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = -x + k, \text{ where, } k \text{ is a constant.}$$

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

$$\text{therefore } f(0) = -0 + k$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = k$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 1 - x, \forall x \in R \Rightarrow f(2) = -1$$

54. We have,  $f(x+y) = f(x) \cdot f(y), \forall x, y \in R$ .

$$\therefore f(0) = f(0) \cdot f(0) \Rightarrow f(0)\{f(0) - 1\} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = 1 \quad [\because f(0) \neq 0]$$

$$\text{Since, } f'(0) = 2 \Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h} = 2 \quad [\because f(0) = 1] \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Also, } f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) \cdot f(h) - f(x)}{h},$$

$$= f(x) \left\{ \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h} \right\} \quad [\text{using, } f(x+y) = f(x) \cdot f(y)]$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 2f(x) \quad [\text{from Eq. (i)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = 2$$

On integrating both sides between 0 to  $x$ , we get

$$\int_0^x \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx = 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_e |f(x)| - \log_e |f(0)| = 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_e |f(x)| = 2x \quad [\because f(0) = 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_e |f(0)| = 0$$

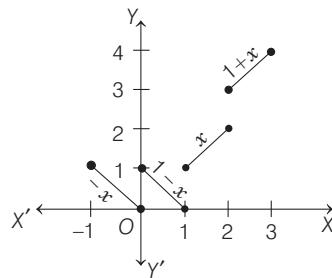
$$\Rightarrow f(x) = e^{2x}$$

55.  $y = [x] + |1-x|, -1 \leq x \leq 3$

$$\Rightarrow y = \begin{cases} -1 + 1 - x, & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ 0 + 1 - x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 1 + x - 1, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 2 + x - 1, & 2 \leq x \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \begin{cases} -x, & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ 1 - x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ x + 1, & 2 \leq x < 3 \end{cases}$$

which could be shown as,



Clearly, from above figure,  $y$  is not continuous and not differentiable at  $x = \{0, 1, 2\}$ .

56. Since,  $|f(y) - f(x)|^2 \leq (x - y)^3$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|f(y) - f(x)|^2}{(y - x)^2} \leq (x - y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{f(y) - f(x)}{y - x} \right|^2 \leq x - y \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{y \rightarrow x} \left| \frac{f(y) - f(x)}{y - x} \right|^2 \leq \lim_{y \rightarrow x} (x - y)$$

$$\Rightarrow |f'(x)|^2 \leq 0$$

which is only possible, if  $|f'(x)| = 0$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 0$$

or  $f'(x) = \text{Constant}$

57. Since,  $f(-x) = f(x)$

$\therefore f(x)$  is an even function.

$$\therefore f'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0-h) - f(0)}{-h} \quad [\because f(-h) = f(h)]$$

Since,  $f'(0)$  exists.

$$\therefore Rf'(0) = Lf'(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{-h}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = 0$$

$$\therefore f'(0) = 0$$

58. Given that,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & -2 \leq x \leq 0 \\ (x-1), & 0 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$

Since,  $x \in [-2, 2]$ . Therefore,  $|x| \in [0, 2]$

$$\Rightarrow f(|x|) = |x| - 1, \forall x \in [-2, 2]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(|x|) = \begin{cases} x - 1, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ -x - 1, & -2 \leq x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Also, } |f(x)| = \begin{cases} 1, & -2 \leq x < 0 \\ 1 - x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x - 1, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Also, } g(x) = f(|x|) + |f(x)| = \begin{cases} -x - 1 + 1, & -2 \leq x \leq 0 \\ x - 1 + 1 - x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x - 1 + x - 1, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} -x, & -2 \leq x \leq 0 \\ 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 2(x-1), & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore g'(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & -2 \leq x \leq 0 \\ 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 2, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \text{RHD (at } x=1) = 2, \text{LHD (at } x=1) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow g(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x=1$ .

$$\text{Also, RHD (at } x=0) = 0, \text{LHD at } (x=0) = -1$$

$\Rightarrow g(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x=0$ .

Hence,  $g(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x \in (-2, 2) - \{0, 1\}$

59. Given,  $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - x + 1$

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

$\therefore f(x)$  is increasing for  $x \in (-\infty, -1/3) \cup (1, \infty)$  and decreasing for  $x \in (-1/3, 1)$

$$\text{Also, given } g(x) = \begin{cases} \max\{f(t); 0 \leq t \leq x\}, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 3 - x, & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \begin{cases} f(x), & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 3 - x, & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \begin{cases} x^3 - x^2 - x + 1, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 3 - x, & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

At  $x=1$ ,

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (3 - x) = 2$$

$$\text{and LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (x^3 - x^2 - x + 1) = 0$$

$\therefore$  It is discontinuous at  $x=1$ .

$$\text{Also, } g'(x) = \begin{cases} 3x^2 - 2x - 1, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ -1, & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(1^+) = -1$$

$$\text{and } g'(1^-) = 3 - 2 - 1 = 0$$

$\therefore g(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in (0, 2) - \{1\}$  and  $g(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x \in (0, 2) - \{1\}$ .

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60. Given that,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-1}{2x^2 - 7x + 5}, & \text{when } x \neq 1 \\ -\frac{1}{3}, & \text{when } x = 1 \end{cases}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHD} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{\frac{1+h-1}{2(1+h)^2 - 7(1+h)+5} - \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)}{h} \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{3h+2(1+h)^2 - 7(1+h)+5}{3h\{2(1+h)^2 - 7(1+h)+5\}} \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{2h^2}{3h(-3h+2h^2)} \right) = -\frac{2}{9} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHD} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{-h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{\frac{1-h-1}{2(1-h)^2 - 7(1-h)+5} - \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)}{-h} \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-3h+2(1+h^2-2h)-7(1-h)+5}{-3h[2(1-h)^2 - 7(1-h)+5]} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2h^2}{-3h(2h^2+3h)} = -\frac{2}{9} \therefore \text{LHD} = \text{RHD} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, required value of  $f'(1) = -\frac{2}{9}$ .

61. Given,  $f(x) = x \tan^{-1} x$

Using first principle,

$$\begin{aligned} f'(1) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{(1+h) \tan^{-1}(1+h) - \tan^{-1}(1)}{h} \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{\tan^{-1}(1+h) - \tan^{-1}(1)}{h} + \frac{h \tan^{-1}(1+h)}{h} \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{1}{h} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{h}{2+h} \right) + \tan^{-1}(1+h) \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{h}{2+h} \right)}{(2+h) \cdot \frac{h}{2+h}} \right] + \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2+h} \left( \frac{\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{h}{2+h} \right)}{\frac{h}{2+h}} \right) + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

62.  $g(x) = \int_x^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (f'(t) \operatorname{cosec} t - \cot t \operatorname{cosec} t f(t)) dt$

$$\therefore g(x) = f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\pi}{2} - f(x) \operatorname{cosec} x$$

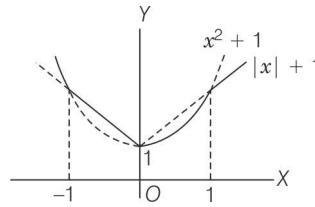
$$\Rightarrow g(x) = 3 - \frac{f(x)}{\sin x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{3 \sin x - f(x)}{\sin x} \right) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 \cos x - f'(x)}{\cos x} \\ &= \frac{3-1}{1} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

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- (i) In these type of questions, we draw the graph of the function.
- (ii) The points at which the curve taken a sharp turn, are the points of non-differentiability.

Curve of  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are



$h(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = \pm 1$  and 0.  
As,  $h(x)$  take sharp turns at  $x = \pm 1$  and 0.

Hence, number of points of non-differentiability of  $h(x)$  is 3.

64. Let  $p(x) = ax^4 + bx^3 + cx^2 + dx + e$

$$\Rightarrow p'(x) = 4ax^3 + 3bx^2 + 2cx + d$$

$$\therefore p'(1) = 4a + 3b + 2c + d = 0 \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

$$\text{and } p'(2) = 32a + 12b + 4c + d = 0 \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

$$\text{Since, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( 1 + \frac{p(x)}{x^2} \right) = 2 \quad [\text{given}]$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{ax^4 + bx^3 + (c+1)x^2 + dx + e}{x^2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow c+1 = 2, \quad d=0, \quad e=0$$

$$\Rightarrow c=1$$

From Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$4a+3b=-2$$

$$\text{and } 32a+12b=-4$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{4} \text{ and } b = -1.$$

$$\therefore p(x) = \frac{x^4}{4} - x^3 + x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow p(2) = \frac{16}{4} - 8 + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow p(2) = 0$$

## Topic 8 Differentiation

1. We know,

$$(1+x)^n = {}^nC_0 + {}^nC_1 x + {}^nC_2 x^2 + \dots + {}^nC_n x^n$$

On differentiating both sides w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$n(1+x)^{n-1} = {}^nC_1 + 2 {}^nC_2 x + \dots + n {}^nC_n x^{n-1}$$

On multiplying both sides by  $x$ , we get

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

Again on differentiating both sides w.r.t.  $x$ ,

we get

$$n [(1+x)^{n-1} + (n-1)x(1+x)^{n-2}] = {}^n C_1 + 2^2 {}^n C_2 x + \dots + n^2 {}^n C_n x^{n-1}$$

Now putting  $x=1$  in both sides, we get

$$\begin{aligned} {}^n C_1 + (2^2) {}^n C_2 + (3^2) {}^n C_3 + \dots + (n^2) {}^n C_n \\ = n(2^{n-1} + (n-1)2^{n-2}) \end{aligned}$$

For  $n=20$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} {}^{20} C_1 + (2^2) {}^{20} C_2 + (3^2) {}^{20} C_3 + \dots + (20^2) {}^{20} C_{20} \\ = 20(2^{19} + (19)2^{18}) \\ = 20(2+19)2^{18} = 420(2^{18}) \\ = A(2^B) \text{ (given)} \end{aligned}$$

On comparing, we get

$$(A, B) = (420, 18)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2. \text{ Let } f(x) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sin x - \cos x}{\sin x + \cos x} \right) &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\tan x - 1}{\tan x + 1} \right) \\ [\text{dividing numerator and denominator}] &\quad \text{by } \cos x > 0, x \in \left( 0, \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \\ &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\tan x - \tan \frac{\pi}{4}}{1 + \left( \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \right) (\tan x)} \right) \\ &= \tan^{-1} \left[ \tan \left( x - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right] \\ &\quad \left[ \because \frac{\tan A - \tan B}{1 + \tan A \tan B} = \tan(A - B) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Since, it is given that  $x \in \left( 0, \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$ , so

$$x - \frac{\pi}{4} \in \left( -\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

Also, for  $\left( x - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \in \left( -\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$ ,

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \tan^{-1} \left( \tan \left( x - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right) = x - \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &\quad \left[ \because \tan^{-1} \tan \theta = \theta, \text{ for } \theta \in \left( -\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Now, derivative of  $f(x)$  w.r.t.  $\frac{x}{2}$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d(f(x))}{d(x/2)} &= 2 \frac{df(x)}{dx} \\ &= 2 \times \frac{d}{dx} \left( x - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = 2 \end{aligned}$$

3. **Key Idea** Differentiating the given equation twice w.r.t. 'x'.

Given equation is

$$e^y + xy = e \quad \dots(i)$$

On differentiating both sides w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$e^y \frac{dy}{dx} + x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = - \left( \frac{y}{e^y + x} \right) \quad \dots(iii)$$

Again differentiating Eq. (ii) w.r.t. 'x', we get

$$e^y \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + e^y \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + x \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Now, on putting  $x=0$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$e^y = e^1$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 1$$

On putting  $x=0, y=1$  in Eq. (iii), we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = - \frac{1}{e+0} = - \frac{1}{e}$$

Now, on putting  $x=0, y=1$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{e}$  in

Eq. (iv), we get

$$e^1 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + e^1 \left( -\frac{1}{e} \right)^2 + 0 \left( \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right) + \left( -\frac{1}{e} \right) + \left( -\frac{1}{e} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \Big|_{(0,1)} = \frac{1}{e^2}$$

So,  $\left( \frac{dy}{dx}, \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right)$  at  $(0, 1)$  is  $\left( -\frac{1}{e}, \frac{1}{e^2} \right)$

4. Let  $y = f(f(f(x))) + (f(x))^2$

On differentiating both sides w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f'(f(f(x))) \cdot f'(f(x)) \cdot f'(x) + 2f(x)f'(x) \quad [\text{by chain rule}]$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=1} = f'(f(f(1))) \cdot f'(f(1)) \cdot f'(1) + 2f(1)f'(1)$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=1} = f'(f(1)) \cdot f'(1) \cdot (3) + 2(1)(3)$$

$[\because f(1) = 1 \text{ and } f'(1) = 3]$

$$= f'(1) \cdot (3) \cdot (3) + 6$$

$$= (3 \times 9) + 6 = 27 + 6 = 33$$

5. Given expression is

$$2y = \left( \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3} \cos x + \sin x}{\cos x - \sqrt{3} \sin x} \right) \right)^2 = \left( \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3} \cot x + 1}{\cot x - \sqrt{3}} \right) \right)^2$$

[dividing each term of numerator and denominator by  $\sin x$ ]

$$= \left( \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{\cot \frac{\pi}{6} \cot x + 1}{\cot x - \cot \frac{\pi}{6}} \right) \right)^2 \quad \left[ \because \cot \frac{\pi}{6} = \sqrt{3} \right]$$

$$= \left( \cot^{-1} \left( \cot \left( \frac{\pi}{6} - x \right) \right) \right)^2 \quad \left[ \because \cot(A - B) = \frac{\cot A \cot B + 1}{\cot B - \cot A} \right]$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \begin{cases} \left(\frac{\pi}{6} - x\right)^2, & 0 < x < \frac{\pi}{6} \\ \left(\pi + \left(\frac{\pi}{6} - x\right)\right)^2, & \frac{\pi}{6} < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases} \\
 &\quad \left[ \because \cot^{-1}(\cot \theta) = \begin{cases} \pi + \theta, & -\pi < \theta < 0 \\ \theta, & 0 < \theta < \pi \\ \theta - \pi, & \pi < \theta < 2\pi \end{cases} \right] \\
 \Rightarrow 2y &= \begin{cases} \left(\frac{\pi}{6} - x\right)^2, & 0 < x < \frac{\pi}{6} \\ \left(\frac{7\pi}{6} - x\right)^2, & \frac{\pi}{6} < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases} \\
 \Rightarrow 2 \frac{dy}{dx} &= \begin{cases} 2\left(\frac{\pi}{6} - x\right)(-1), & 0 < x < \frac{\pi}{6} \\ 2\left(\frac{7\pi}{6} - x\right)(-1), & \frac{\pi}{6} < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases} \\
 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} &= \begin{cases} x - \frac{\pi}{6}, & 0 < x < \frac{\pi}{6} \\ x - \frac{7\pi}{6}, & \frac{\pi}{6} < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

6. Given equation is

$$(2x)^{2y} = 4 \cdot e^{2x-2y} \quad \dots (i)$$

On applying 'log<sub>e</sub>' both sides, we get

$$\log_e(2x)^{2y} = \log_e 4 + \log_e e^{2x-2y}$$

$$2y \log_e(2x) = \log_e(2)^2 + (2x-2y)$$

[ $\because \log_e n^m = m \log_e n$  and  $\log_e e^{f(x)} = f(x)$ ]

$$\Rightarrow (2 \log_e(2x) + 2)y = 2x + 2 \log_e(2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{x + \log_e 2}{1 + \log_e(2x)}$$

On differentiating 'y' w.r.t. 'x', we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{(1 + \log_e(2x))1 - (x + \log_e 2) \cdot 2}{(1 + \log_e(2x))^2} \\
 &= \frac{1 + \log_e(2x) - 1 - \frac{1}{x} \log_e 2}{(1 + \log_e(2x))^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } (1 + \log_e(2x))^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = \left( \frac{x \log_e(2x) - \log_e 2}{x} \right)$$

7. We have,  $x \log_e(\log_e x) - x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , which can be written as

$$y^2 = 4 + x^2 - x \log_e(\log_e x) \quad \dots (i)$$

Now, differentiating Eq. (i) w.r.t. x, we get

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x - x \frac{1}{\log_e x} \cdot \frac{1}{x} - 1 \cdot \log_e(\log_e x)$$

[by using product rule of derivative]

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) = \frac{2x - \frac{1}{\log_e x} - \log_e(\log_e x)}{2y} \quad \dots (ii)$$

$$\text{Now, at } x = e, y^2 = 4 + e^2 - e \log_e(\log_e e)$$

[using Eq. (i)]

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 4 + e^2 - e \log_e(1) = 4 + e^2 - 0 \\
 &= e^2 + 4 \\
 \Rightarrow y &= \sqrt{e^2 + 4} \quad [\because y > 0] \\
 \therefore \text{At } x = e \text{ and } y = \sqrt{e^2 + 4}, \\
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{2e - 1 - 0}{2 \sqrt{e^2 + 4}} = \frac{2e - 1}{2 \sqrt{e^2 + 4}} \quad [\text{using Eq. (ii)}]
 \end{aligned}$$

8. We have,

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= x^3 + x^2 f'(1) + x f''(2) + f'''(3) \\
 \Rightarrow f'(x) &= 3x^2 + 2x f'(1) + f''(2) \quad \dots (i) \\
 \Rightarrow f''(x) &= 6x + 2f'(1) \quad \dots (ii) \\
 \Rightarrow f'''(x) &= 6 \quad \dots (iii) \\
 \Rightarrow f'''(3) &= 6
 \end{aligned}$$

Putting  $x = 1$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$f'(1) = 3 + 2f'(1) + f''(2) \quad \dots (iv)$$

and putting  $x = 2$  in Eq. (ii), we get

$$f''(2) = 12 + 2f'(1) \quad \dots (v)$$

From Eqs. (iv) and (v), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(1) &= 3 + 2f'(1) + (12 + 2f'(1)) \\
 \Rightarrow 3f'(1) &= -15 \\
 \Rightarrow f'(1) &= -5 \\
 \Rightarrow f''(2) &= 12 + 2(-5) = 2 \quad [\text{using Eq. (v)}] \\
 \therefore f(x) &= x^3 + x^2 f'(1) + x f''(2) + f'''(3) \\
 \Rightarrow f(x) &= x^3 - 5x^2 + 2x + 6 \\
 \Rightarrow f(2) &= 2^3 - 5(2)^2 + 2(2) + 6 = 8 - 20 + 4 + 6 = -2
 \end{aligned}$$

9. We have,  $x = 3 \tan t$  and  $y = 3 \sec t$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Clearly, } \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt}(3 \sec t)}{\frac{d}{dt}(3 \tan t)} \\
 &= \frac{3 \sec t \tan t}{3 \sec^2 t} = \frac{\tan t}{\sec t} = \sin t \\
 \text{and } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) \cdot \frac{dt}{dx} \\
 &= \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) = \frac{d}{dt} (\sin t) = \frac{\cos t}{\frac{d}{dt}(3 \tan t)} = \frac{\cos t}{3 \sec^2 t} = \frac{\cos^3 t}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \left( \text{at } t = \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \frac{\cos^3 \frac{\pi}{4}}{3} = \frac{1}{3(2\sqrt{2})} = \frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 10. \text{ Let } y &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{6x\sqrt{x}}{1 - 9x^3} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{2 \cdot (3x^{3/2})}{1 - (3x^{3/2})^2} \right] \\
 &= 2 \tan^{-1}(3x^{3/2}) \left[ \because 2 \tan^{-1} x = \tan^{-1} \frac{2x}{1 - x^2} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{1 + (3x^{3/2})^2} \cdot 3 \times \frac{3}{2} (x)^{1/2} = \frac{9}{1 + 9x^3} \cdot \sqrt{x}$$

$$\therefore g(x) = \frac{9}{1 + 9x^3}$$

11. Here,  $g$  is the inverse of  $f(x)$ .

$$\Rightarrow fog(x) = x$$

On differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

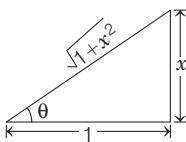
$$\begin{aligned} f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) &= 1 \Rightarrow g'(x) = \frac{1}{f'(g(x))} \\ &= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{1 + \{g(x)\}^5}} \quad \left[ \because f'(x) = \frac{1}{1 + x^5} \right] \\ \Rightarrow g'(x) &= 1 + \{g(x)\}^5 \end{aligned}$$

12. Given,  $y = \sec(\tan^{-1} x)$

$$\text{Let } \tan^{-1} x = \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \tan \theta$$

$$\therefore y = \sec \theta = \sqrt{1 + x^2}$$



On differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+x^2}} \cdot 2x$$

$$\text{At } x = 1, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

13. Since,  $f(x) = e^{g(x)} \Rightarrow e^{g(x+1)} = f(x+1) = xf(x) = xe^{g(x)}$

$$\text{and } g(x+1) = \log x + g(x)$$

$$\text{i.e. } g(x+1) - g(x) = \log x \quad \dots (\text{i})$$

Replacing  $x$  by  $x - \frac{1}{2}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} g\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right) - g\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) &= \log\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) = \log(2x-1) - \log 2 \\ \therefore g''\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right) - g''\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) &= \frac{-4}{(2x-1)^2} \quad \dots (\text{ii}) \end{aligned}$$

On substituting,  $x = 1, 2, 3, \dots, N$  in Eq. (ii) and adding, we get

$$g''\left(N + \frac{1}{2}\right) - g''\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -4 \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N-1)^2} \right\}.$$

14. Since,  $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{dy/dx} = \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-1}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dy} \left( \frac{dx}{dy} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^{-1} \frac{dx}{dy}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2x}{dy^2} = - \left( \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right) \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^{-2} \left( \frac{dx}{dy} \right) = - \left( \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right) \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^{-3}$$

15. Since,  $f''(x) = -f(x)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \{f'(x)\} = -f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(x) = -f(x) \quad [\because g(x) = f'(x), \text{ given}] \dots (\text{i})$$

$$\text{Also, } F(x) = \left\{ f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right\}^2 + \left\{ g\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right\}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow F'(x) = 2 \left( f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right) \cdot f'\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$+ 2 \left( g\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right) \cdot g'\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 0 \quad [\text{from Eq.(i)}]$$

$\therefore F(x)$  is constant  $\Rightarrow F(10) = F(5) = 5$

16. Let,  $g(x) = f(x) - x^2$

$\Rightarrow g(x)$  has atleast 3 real roots which are  $x = 1, 2, 3$

[by mean value theorem]

$\Rightarrow g'(x)$  has atleast 2 real roots in  $x \in (1, 3)$

$\Rightarrow g''(x)$  has atleast 1 real roots in  $x \in (1, 3)$

$\Rightarrow f'''(x) - 2 \cdot 1 = 0$ . for atleast 1 real root in  $x \in (1, 3)$

$\Rightarrow f'''(x) = 2$ , for atleast one root in  $x \in (1, 3)$

17. Given that,  $\log(x+y) = 2xy$  ... (i)

$\therefore$  At  $x=0$ ,  $\log(y) = 0 \Rightarrow y=1$

$\therefore$  To find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at  $(0, 1)$

On differentiating Eq. (i) w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{1}{x+y} \left( 1 + \frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 2x \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y \cdot 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2y(x+y)-1}{1-2(x+y)x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{(0,1)} = 1$$

18. Given,  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

On differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$2x + 2yy' = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + yy' = 0.$$

Again, differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$1 + y'y' + yy'' = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + (y')^2 + yy'' = 0$$

$$19. \text{ Given, } f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} x^3 & \sin x & \cos x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

On differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$f'(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 3x^2 & \cos x & -\sin x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} x^3 & \sin x & \cos x \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$+ \begin{vmatrix} x^3 & \sin x & \cos x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 3x^2 & \cos x & -\sin x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 6x & -\sin x & -\cos x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix} + 0 + 0$$

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and  $f'''(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & -\cos x & \sin x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix} + 0 + 0$

$$\therefore f'''(0) = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & -1 & 0 \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix} = 0 = \text{independent of } p$$

20. Since,  $y^2 = P(x)$

On differentiating both sides, we get

$$2yy_1 = P'(x),$$

Again, differentiating, we get

$$2yy_2 + 2y_1^2 = P''(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y^3 y_2 + 2y^2 y_1^2 = y^2 P''(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y^3 y_2 = y^2 P''(x) - 2(yy_1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y^3 y_2 = P(x) \cdot P''(x) - \frac{\{P'(x)\}^2}{2}$$

Again, differentiating, we get

$$2 \frac{d}{dx}(y^3 y_2) = P'(x) \cdot P''(x) + P(x) \cdot P'''(x) - \frac{2P'(x) \cdot P''(x)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \frac{d}{dx}(y^3 y_2) = P(x) \cdot P'''(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \frac{d}{dx} \left( y^3 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} \right) = P(x) \cdot P'''(x)$$

21. Given,  $xe^{xy} = y + \sin^2 x$

On putting  $x=0$ , we get

$$0 \cdot e^0 = y + 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 0$$

On differentiating Eq. (i) both sides w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$1 \cdot e^{xy} + x \cdot e^{xy} \left( x \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + y \right) = \frac{dy}{dx} + 2 \sin x \cos x$$

On putting  $x=0, y=0$ , we get

$$e^0 + 0(0+0) = \left[ \frac{dy}{dx} \right]_{(0,0)} + 2 \sin 0 \cos 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[ \frac{dy}{dx} \right]_{(0,0)} = 1$$

22. Given,  $f(x) = x|x|$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -x^2, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x=0$  but all  $R-\{0\}$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & x > 0 \\ -2x, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(x) = \begin{cases} 2, & x > 0 \\ -2, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is twice differentiable for all  $x \in R-\{0\}$ .

23. Given,  $f(x) = |x-2|$   
 $\therefore g(x) = f[f(x)] = ||x-2|-2|$   
 When,  $x > 2$   
 $g(x) = |(x-2)-2| = |x-4| = x-4$   
 $\therefore g'(x) = 1 \text{ when } x > 2$

24. Let  $u = \sec^{-1} \left( -\frac{1}{2x^2-1} \right)$  and  $v = \sqrt{1-x^2}$   
 Put  $x = \cos \theta$   
 $\therefore u = \sec^{-1}(-\sec 2\theta)$  and  $v = \sin \theta$   
 $\Rightarrow u = \pi - 2\theta \quad [\because \sec^{-1}(-x) = \pi - \sec^{-1} x]$   
 and  $v = \sin \theta$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{du}{d\theta} = -2$   
 an  $d\frac{dv}{d\theta} = \cos \theta$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{du}{dv} = -\frac{2}{\cos \theta}, \left( \frac{du}{dv} \right)_{\theta=\pi/3} = -4$

25. Given,  $f(x) = \log_x(\log x)$   
 $\therefore f(x) = \frac{\log(\log x)}{\log x}$

On differentiating both sides, we get

$$f'(x) = \frac{(\log x) \left( \frac{1}{\log x} \cdot \frac{1}{x} \right) - \log(\log x) \cdot \frac{1}{x}}{(\log x)^2}$$

$$\therefore f'(e) = \frac{1 \cdot \left( \frac{1}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{e} \right) - \log(1) \cdot \frac{1}{e}}{(1)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(e) = \frac{1}{e}$$

26. Given,  $F(x) = \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) & f_3(x) \\ g_1(x) & g_2(x) & g_3(x) \\ h_1(x) & h_2(x) & h_3(x) \end{vmatrix}$   
 $\therefore F'(x) = \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) & f_3(x) \\ g_1(x) & g_2(x) & g_3(x) \\ h_1(x) & h_2(x) & h_3(x) \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) & f_3(x) \\ g_1'(x) & g_2'(x) & g_3'(x) \\ h_1(x) & h_2(x) & h_3(x) \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) & f_3(x) \\ g_1(x) & g_2(x) & g_3(x) \\ h_1'(x) & h_2'(x) & h_3'(x) \end{vmatrix}$   
 $\Rightarrow F'(a) = 0 + 0 + 0 = 0$   
 $\quad [\because f_r(a) = g_r(a) = h_r(a); r = 1, 2, 3]$

27. Given,  $y = f \left( \frac{2x-1}{x^2+1} \right)$   
 and  $f'(x) = \sin^2 x$   
 $\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = f' \left( \frac{2x-1}{x^2+1} \right) \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{2x-1}{x^2+1} \right)$   
 $= \sin^2 \left( \frac{2x-1}{x^2+1} \right) \cdot \left\{ \frac{(x^2+1) \cdot 2 - (2x-1)(2x)}{(x^2+1)^2} \right\}$

$$= \sin^2\left(\frac{2x-1}{x^2+1}\right) \cdot \frac{-2x^2+2x+2}{(x^2+1)^2}$$

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

28.  $y = \frac{ax^2}{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{bx}{(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{c}{(x-c)} + 1$

$$= \frac{ax^2}{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{bx}{(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{x}{(x-c)}$$

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

$$= \frac{ax^2}{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{x}{(x-c)} \cdot \frac{x}{(x-b)}$$

$$= \frac{x^2}{(x-c)(x-b)} \left( \frac{a}{x-1} + 1 \right) \Rightarrow y = \frac{x^3}{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log y = \log x^3 - \log(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log y = 3 \log x - \log(x-a) - \log(x-b) - \log(x-c)$$

On differentiating, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{y'}{y} &= \frac{3}{x} - \frac{1}{x-a} - \frac{1}{x-b} - \frac{1}{x-c} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} &= \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x-a} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x-b} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x-c} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} &= \frac{-a}{x(x-a)} - \frac{b}{x(x-b)} - \frac{c}{x(x-c)} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} &= \frac{a}{x(a-x)} + \frac{b}{x(b-x)} + \frac{c}{x(c-x)} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} &= \frac{1}{x} \left( \frac{a}{a-x} + \frac{b}{b-x} + \frac{c}{c-x} \right) \end{aligned}$$

29. Here,  $(\sin y)^{\frac{\sin \pi x}{2}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sec^{-1}(2x) + 2^x \tan \{\log(x+2)\} = 0$

On differentiating both sides, we get

$$\begin{aligned} (\sin y)^{\frac{\sin \pi x}{2}} \cdot \log(\sin y) \cdot \cos \frac{\pi}{2} x \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \\ + \left( \sin \frac{\pi}{2} x \right) (\sin y)^{\left( \frac{\sin \pi x}{2} \right) - 1} \cdot \cos y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} \\ + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{(2|x|) \sqrt{4x^2-1}} + \frac{2^x \cdot \sec^2 \{\log(x+2)\}}{(x+2)} \\ + 2^x \log 2 \cdot \tan \{\log(x+2)\} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Putting  $\left( x = -1, y = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\pi} \right)$ , we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\left( -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\pi} \right)^2}{\sqrt{1 - \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\pi} \right)^2}} = \frac{3}{\pi \sqrt{\pi^2 - 3}}$$

30. Given,  $x = \sec \theta - \cos \theta$  and  $y = \sec^n \theta - \cos^n \theta$   
On differentiating w.r.t.  $\theta$  respectively, we get

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = \sec \theta \tan \theta + \sin \theta$$

and  $\frac{dy}{d\theta} = n \sec^{n-1} \theta \cdot \sec \theta \tan \theta - n \cos^{n-1} \theta \cdot (-\sin \theta)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{d\theta} = \tan \theta (\sec \theta + \cos \theta)$$

and  $\frac{dy}{d\theta} = n \tan \theta (\sec^n \theta + \cos^n \theta)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{n (\sec^n \theta + \cos^n \theta)}{\sec \theta + \cos \theta}$$

$$\therefore \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = \frac{n^2 (\sec^n \theta + \cos^n \theta)^2}{(\sec \theta + \cos \theta)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n^2 \{(\sec^n \theta - \cos^n \theta)^2 + 4\}}{\{(\sec \theta - \cos \theta)^2 + 4\}} = \frac{n^2 (y^2 + 4)}{(x^2 + 4)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + 4) \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = n^2 (y^2 + 4)$$

31. Let  $\phi(x) = \begin{vmatrix} A(x) & B(x) & C(x) \\ A(\alpha) & B(\alpha) & C(\alpha) \\ A'(\alpha) & B'(\alpha) & C'(\alpha) \end{vmatrix}$  ... (i)

Given that,  $\alpha$  is repeated root of quadratic equation  $f(x) = 0$ .

∴ We must have  $f(x) = (x-\alpha)^2 \cdot g(x)$

$$\therefore \phi'(x) = \begin{vmatrix} A'(x) & B'(x) & C'(x) \\ A(\alpha) & B(\alpha) & C(\alpha) \\ A'(\alpha) & B'(\alpha) & C'(\alpha) \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi'(\alpha) = \begin{vmatrix} A'(\alpha) & B'(\alpha) & C'(\alpha) \\ A(\alpha) & B(\alpha) & C(\alpha) \\ A'(\alpha) & B'(\alpha) & C'(\alpha) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

⇒  $x = \alpha$  is root of  $\phi'(x)$ .

⇒  $(x-\alpha)$  is a factor of  $\phi'(x)$  also.  
or we can say  $(x-\alpha)^2$  is a factor of  $f(x)$ .

⇒  $\phi(x)$  is divisible by  $f(x)$ .

32. Given,  $y = \left\{ (\log_{\cos x} \sin x) \cdot (\log_{\sin x} \cos x)^{-1} + \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right) \right\}$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \left\{ \frac{\log_e(\sin x)}{\log_e(\cos x)} \cdot \frac{\frac{(\log_e(\cos x) \cdot \cot x)}{\log_e(\cos x)}}{\{ \log_e(\cos x) \}^2} \right\} + \frac{2}{1+x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{x=\frac{\pi}{4}} = 2 \left\{ 1 \cdot \frac{\frac{2 \cdot \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)}{\left( \log \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2}}{1 + \frac{\pi^2}{16}} \right\} + \frac{2}{1 + \frac{\pi^2}{16}}$$

$$= -\frac{8}{\log_e 2} + \frac{32}{16 + \pi^2}$$

33. Given,  $(a+bx) e^{y/x} = x \Rightarrow y = x \log \left( \frac{x}{a+bx} \right)$

$$\Rightarrow y = x [\log(x) - \log(a+bx)] \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

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On differentiating both sides, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= x \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{b}{a+bx} \right) + 1 [\log(x) - \log(a+bx)] \\ \Rightarrow x \frac{dy}{dx} &= x^2 \left( \frac{a}{x(a+bx)} \right) + y \\ \Rightarrow x y_1 &= \frac{ax}{a+bx} + y \end{aligned} \quad \dots(\text{ii})$$

Again, differentiating both sides, we get

$$\begin{aligned} x y_2 + y_1 &= a \left\{ \frac{(a+bx) \cdot 1 - x \cdot b}{(a+bx)^2} \right\} + y_1 \\ \Rightarrow x^3 y_2 &= \frac{a^2 x^2}{(a+bx)^2} \\ \Rightarrow x^3 y_2 &= \left( \frac{ax}{a+bx} \right)^2 \quad [\text{from Eq. (ii)}] \\ \Rightarrow x^3 y_2 &= (xy_1 - y)^2 \\ \Rightarrow x^3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= \left( x \frac{dy}{dx} - y \right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

34. Given,  $h(x) = [f(x)]^2 + [g(x)]^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow h' x &= 2f(x) \cdot f'(x) + 2g(x) \cdot g'(x) \\ &= 2[f(x) \cdot g(x) - g(x) \cdot f(x)] \\ &= 0 \quad [ \because f'(x) = g(x) \text{ and } g'(x) = -f(x) ] \\ \therefore h(x) &\text{ is constant.} \\ \Rightarrow h(10) &= h(5) = 11 \end{aligned}$$

35. Since,  $y = e^{x \sin x^3} + (\tan x)^x$ , then

$$y = u + v, \text{ where } u = e^{x \sin x^3} \text{ and } v = (\tan x)^x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \left( \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{dv}{dx} \right) \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

Here,  $u = e^{x \sin x^3}$  and  $\log v = x \log(\tan x)$

On differentiating both sides w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{du}{dx} = e^{x \sin x^3} \cdot (3x^2 \cos x^3 + \sin x^3) \quad \dots(\text{ii})$$

$$\text{and } \frac{1}{v} \cdot \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{x \sec^2 x}{\tan x} + \log(\tan x)$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = (\tan x)^x [2x \cosec(2x) + \log(\tan x)] \quad \dots(\text{iii})$$

From Eqs. (i), (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= e^{x \sin x^3} (3x^2 \cdot \cos x^3 + \sin x^3) + (\tan x)^x \\ &\quad [2x \cosec 2x + \log(\tan x)] \end{aligned}$$

$$36. \text{ Given, } y = \frac{5x}{3|1-x|} + \cos^2(2x+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \begin{cases} \frac{5x}{3(1-x)} + \cos^2(2x+1), & x < 1 \\ \frac{5x}{3(x-1)} + \cos^2(2x+1), & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

The function is not defined at  $x = 1$ .

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \begin{cases} \frac{5}{3} \left\{ \frac{(1-x)-x(-1)}{(1-x)^2} \right\} - 2 \sin(4x+2), & x < 1 \\ \frac{5}{3} \left\{ \frac{(x-1)-x(1)}{(x-1)^2} \right\} - 2 \sin(4x+2), & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \begin{cases} \frac{5}{3(1-x)^2} - 2 \sin(4x+2), & x < 1 \\ -\frac{5}{3(x-1)^2} - 2 \sin(4x+2), & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$37. \text{ Here, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{F(x)}{G(x)} = \frac{1}{14}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{F'(x)}{G'(x)} = \frac{1}{14} \quad [\text{using L'Hospital's rule}] \dots(\text{i})$$

$$\text{As } F(x) = \int_{-1}^x f(t) dt \Rightarrow F'(x) = f(x) \quad \dots(\text{ii})$$

$$\text{and } G(x) = \int_{-1}^x t |f\{f(t)\}| dt$$

$$\Rightarrow G'(x) = x |f\{f(x)\}| \quad \dots(\text{iii})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{F(x)}{G(x)} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{F'(x)}{G'(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{f(x)}{x |f\{f(x)\}|} \\ &= \frac{f(1)}{1 |f\{f(1)\}|} = \frac{1/2}{|f(1/2)|} \end{aligned} \quad \dots(\text{iv})$$

$$\text{Given, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{F(x)}{G(x)} = \frac{1}{14}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{|f(\frac{1}{2})|} = \frac{1}{14} \Rightarrow \left| f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \right| = 7$$