

BINOMIAL THEOREM

GENERAL TERM AND MIDDLE TERM

EXERCISE

- Q1.** If x^{2r} occurs in $\left(x + \frac{2}{x^2}\right)^n$, then $n - 2r$ must be of the form
- (a) $3k-1$ (b) $3k$ (c) $3k+1$ (d) $3k+2$
- Q2.** The coefficient of x^{53} in the following expansion $\sum_{m=0}^{100} {}^{100}C_m (x-3)^{100-m} \cdot 2^m$ is
- (a) ${}^{100}C_{47}$ (b) ${}^{100}C_{53}$ (c) ${}^{-100}C_{53}$ (d) ${}^{-100}C_{100}$
- Q3.** The term independent of x in the expansion of $\left(\sqrt{\frac{x}{3}} + \frac{3}{2x^2}\right)^{10}$ will be
- (a) $\frac{3}{2}$ (b) $\frac{5}{4}$ (c) $\frac{5}{2}$ (d) None of these
- Q4.** The coefficient of t^{24} in the expansion of $(1 + t^2)^{12}(1 + t^{12})(1 + t^{24})$ is
- (a) $C_6^{12} + 2$ (b) C_5^{12} (c) C_6^{12} (d) C_7^{12}
- Q5.** In the expansion of $(x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1})^6 + (x - \sqrt{x^2 - 1})^6$, the number of terms, is
- (a) 7 (b) 14 (c) 6 (d) 4
- Q6.** In the binomial expansion of $(a - b)^n$, $n \geq 5$, the sum of 5th and 6th term is zero, then $\frac{a}{b}$ equal
- (a) $\frac{5}{n-4}$ (b) $\frac{6}{n-5}$ (c) $\frac{n-5}{6}$ (d) $\frac{n-4}{5}$
- Q7.** The coefficient of x^n in the expansion of $\frac{(1+x)^2}{(1-x)^3}$, is
- (a) $n^2 + 2n + 1$ (b) $2n^2 + n + 1$
- (c) $2n^2 + 2n + 1$ (d) $n^2 + 2n + 2$

Q8. The middle term in the expansion of $\left(1 - \frac{1}{x}\right)^n (1 - x)^n$, is

- (a) $^{2n}C_n$ (b) $^{-2n}C_n$
 (c) $^{-2n}C_{n-1}$ (d) None of these

Q9. In the expansion of $\left(x^3 - \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^{15}$, the constant term, is

- (a) $^{15}C_6$ (b) 0 (c) $-^{15}C_6$ (d) 1

Q10. If the expansion in power of x of the function $\frac{1}{(1-ax)(1-bx)}$ is

$a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3 + \dots$, then a_n is

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

ANSWER KEY

1. (b)
2. (c)
3. (d)
4. (a)
5. (d)
6. (d)
7. (c)
8. (a)
9. (c)
10. (c)