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#### **SECTION - A GENERAL APTITUDE**

- Q.1 Getting to the top is \_\_\_\_\_ than staying on top
  - (a) easier
  - (c) more easy

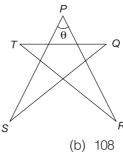
- (b) easiest
- (d) much easy

Ans. (a)

Easier

End of Solution

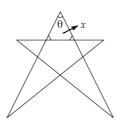
Q.2 In the given figure value of  $\theta$ , when PR, PS, QS, TR, TQ are of equal length.  $\theta = ?$ 



- (a) 36
- (c) 72

- (d) 45

Ans. 36



Sum of angle furmed at the pentagon = 540°

Each angle of pentagon = 
$$\frac{540}{6}$$
 = 108°

$$< x = 180 - 108 = 72^{\circ}$$

$$72^{\circ} + 72^{\circ} + \theta = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\theta = 36^{\circ}$$



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 $\oplus$  and  $\odot$  are two operators on numbers p and q such that  $p \oplus q = \frac{p^2 + q^2}{pq}$  and Q.3

$$p \odot q = \frac{p^2}{q}$$
, if  $x \oplus y = 2 \odot 2$ , then  $x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$ .

(a) *y* 

(c)  $\frac{y}{2}$ 

(d)  $\frac{3y}{2}$ 

Ans. (a)

$$x \oplus y = 2 \odot 2$$

$$\frac{x^2 + y^2}{xy} = \frac{2^2}{z}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 2xy$$
  
 $(x - y)^2 = 0$ 

$$(x - y)^2 = 0$$

$$x = y$$

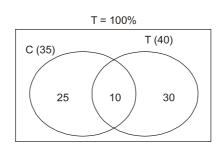
- Q.4 In a company, 35% and the employees drink coffee, 40% drink tea and 10% drink both tea and coffee. What % of employees drink neither tea nor coffee?
  - (a) 25

(b) 35

(c) 40

(d) 15

Ans. (b)



Percent of employees drink neither tea nor coffee = 100 - 25 - 10 - 35 = 35

End of Solution

- Q.5 Two paper M and N with same dimensions of 6 cm  $\times$  4 cm.
  - Operation 1: paper is folded exactly half by joining its shorter edges each time.
  - Operation 2: paper is folded half by joining its longer edges each time.
  - Now consider following:

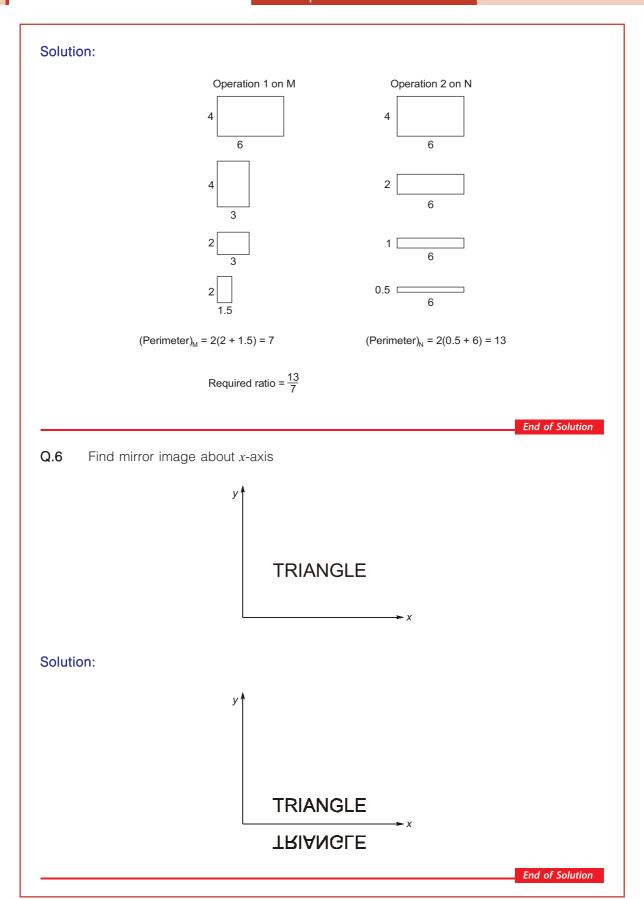
Operation 1 done for M paper 3 times and Operation 2 done for N paper 3 times.

Find the ratio of perimeter of rectangle formed (N to M ratio).



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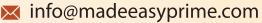




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- Q.7 Either P marries Q or X marries Y. Among the option below, what is the absolute logical 'Negations' of this statement?
  - (a) Neither P marry Q nor X marry Y
  - (b) P does not marry Q and X marries Y
  - (c) P marries Q and X marries Y
  - (d) X does nor marry and P marries Q

Ans. (a)

End of Solution

Q.8 Four persons P, Q, R and S are to be seat in a row, all are facing the same direction, but not necessary in the same order.

P and R can not seat adjacent to each other and S could be seated to the right of Q. The number of distinct seating arrangement possible?

(a) 4

(b) 2

(c) 8

(d) 6

Ans. (b)

If S is seated immediately right of Q then number of possible distinct arrangements are 2.

**Note:** If S is seated right of Q then number of possible distinct arrangements are 6.

End of Solution

Q.9 
$$\lambda(pq) = \begin{cases} (p-q)^2 & p \ge q \\ p+q & p < q \end{cases}$$

Calculate the value of 
$$\frac{\lambda \left\{-(-3+2),(-2+3)\right\}}{\left\{-(-2+1)\right\}}$$

Solution:

$$\frac{\lambda\left\{-(-3+2),(-2+3)\right\}}{\left\{-(-2+1)\right\}} = \lambda(1,1) = 1^2 - 1^2 = 0$$

**End of Solution** 



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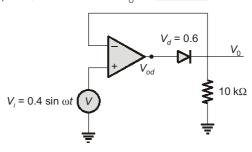
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## **SECTION - B**

## **TECHNICAL**

 $V_d = 0.6 \text{ V}$ 

Q.1 When  $V_i$  is at its peak, the value of  $V_0$  is \_\_\_



Ans.  $(V_0 = 0.4 \text{ V}; V_{od} = 1 \text{ V})$ 

Given circuit is called precision diode.

$$V_i = 0.4 \sin \omega t$$

Let diode be OFF.

Then 
$$V^{-} = V_{0} = 0$$
 and  $V^{+} = V$ ;

If 
$$V^+ < V^-$$
 i.e.,  $V_i < 0$  then  $V_{od} = -V_{\rm sat}$ 

and diode remains OFF 
$$\Rightarrow V_0 = 0$$

If 
$$V^+ > V^-$$
 i.e.,  $V_i > 0$  then  $V_{od}$  becomes +ve

Now diode becomes ON and opamp will be closed-loop.

 $V_0 = 0.4 \text{ V}$ 

$$\Rightarrow \qquad \qquad V^- = V^+ \quad \Rightarrow \quad V_0 = V_i$$

If 
$$V_i$$
 has peak value i.e.  $V_i = 0.4 \text{ V}$ 

$$V_{od} - V_0 = V$$

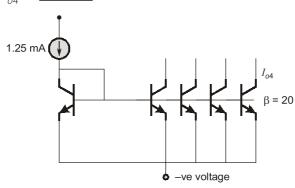
$$\Rightarrow$$

$$V_{od} - V_0 = V_d$$
  
 $V_{od} = V_d + V_0 = 0.6 + 0.4$   
 $V_{od} = 1 \text{ V}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$

**End of Solution** 

Q.2 Find value of  $I_{04} =$ \_\_\_\_\_ mA.



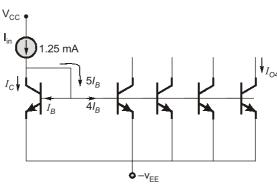


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Ans. (1) $\beta = 20$ 

> All transistors are identical and their  $V_{BE}$  values are perfectly equal. Hence, their currents will be equal.



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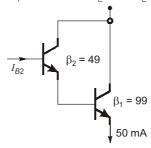
$$I_{\text{ln}} = I_C + 5I_B = I_C + \frac{5I_C}{\beta}$$

$$I_C = \frac{I_{in}}{1 + \frac{5}{\beta}}$$

$$I_{o4} = \frac{I_{in}}{1 + \frac{5}{\beta}} = \frac{1.25}{1 + \frac{5}{20}} = 1 \text{mA}$$

**End of Solution** 

The transistor  $Q_1$  has gain  $\beta_1$  = 99 and  $Q_2$  has  $\beta_2$  = 49, the current  $I_{B2}$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $\mu A$ . Q.3



Ans. (10)

$$\beta_1 = 99$$

$$\beta_2 = 49$$

$$\beta_2 = 49$$
 $I_{E1} = 50 \text{ mA}$ 

$$I_{E2} = I_{B1} = \frac{I_{E1}}{1 + \beta_1}$$

$$I_{E2} = \frac{50}{100} = 0.5 \,\text{mA} = 500 \,\mu\text{A}$$

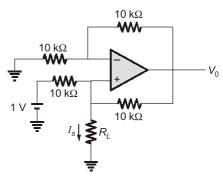
$$I_{B2} = \frac{I_{E2}}{1 + \beta_2} = \frac{500}{50}$$

$$I_{B2} = 10 \,\mu\text{A}$$



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Q.4 The output  $V_0$  of ideal Op. Amp used in circuit shown below is 5 V. Then the value of resistor  $R_I$  in  $k\Omega$  is

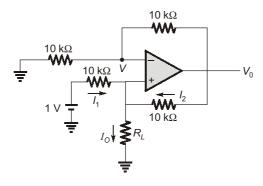


- (a) 25
- (c) 5

- (b) 50
- (d) 2.5

Ans. (a)

Given,  $V_o = 5 \text{ V}$ 



$$V = \frac{V_o \times 10}{10 + 10} = \frac{V_o}{2} = 2.5V$$

Using virtual section property,

$$V^{+}=V^{-}=2.5 \text{ V}$$

by KCL,

$$I_1 + I_2 = I_0$$

$$\frac{1-2.5}{10} + \frac{5-2.5}{10} = \frac{2.5}{R_L}$$

 $\Rightarrow$ 

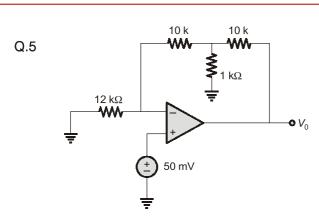
$$R_L = 25 \text{ k}\Omega$$



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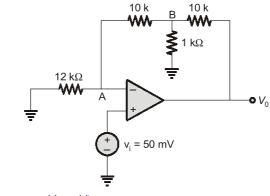
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Find  $V_0$ . (in volts)

Ans. (1.05)

Using vertual s/c property,



$$V^{-} = V^{+}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{A} = V_{i} = 50 \text{ mV}$$

by KCL at A: 
$$\frac{0 - V_A}{12} + \frac{V_B - V_A}{10} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_B = \frac{11V_A}{6} = \frac{11V_i}{6} \qquad \dots (i)$$

by KCL at B:

$$\frac{V_A - V_B}{10} + \frac{0 - V_B}{1} + \frac{V_o - V_B}{10} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V_A - V_A - 10V_A + V_0 - V_B = 0$$

$$V_0 = 12V_B - V_A$$

$$= 12 \times \frac{11V_i}{6} - V_i$$

$$= 21V_i = 21 \times 50 \text{ mV} = 1050 \text{ mV or } 1.05 \text{ V}$$

End of Solution

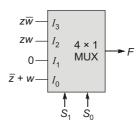
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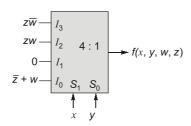
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**Q.6**  $4 \times 1$  MUX with two selection line is used to realize Boolean function F having four Boolean variable x, y, z, w as shown,  $S_0$ ,  $S_1$  denotes the LSB and MSB of selection lines of multiplexer.  $I_0$ ,  $I_1$ ,  $I_2$ ,  $I_3$  are input line. The canonical sum of product of F is



- (a)  $F(x, y, z, w) = \Sigma m(2, 5, 9, 11, 14)$
- (b)  $F(x, y, z, w) = \Sigma m(0, 1, 3, 11, 14)$
- (c)  $F(x, y, z, w) = \Sigma m(0, 1, 3, 14, 15)$
- (d) None of the above

Ans. (b)

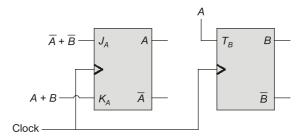


$$f = \overline{x}\overline{y}(\overline{z} + w) + \overline{x}y \cdot 0 + x\overline{y}(zw) + xy(z\overline{w})$$

 $f(x, y, z, w) = \Sigma m(0, 1, 3, 11, 14)$ 

End of Solution

Q.7 Given block diagram of synchronous sequential circuit with one JK-flipflop and one T flipflop with their output denote as A and B respectively with  $J_A = \overline{A} + \overline{B}$ ,  $K_A = A + B$  and  $T_B = A$ , Starting from the initial state AB = 00, the sequence of states AB visited by the circuit.

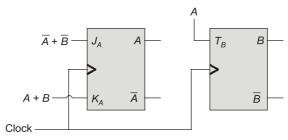




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- (a)  $00 \to 10 \to 11 \to 01 \to 00...$
- (b)  $00 \to 01 \to 10 \to 11 \to 00...$
- (c)  $00 \to 10 \to 01 \to 11 \to 00...$
- (d) None of the above

Ans. (c)



$$A^+ = J\overline{A} + \overline{K}A$$

$$B^+ = T_B \oplus B$$

$$A^{+} = (\overline{A} + \overline{B}) \cdot \overline{A} + (\overline{A + B}) \cdot A$$

$$B^+ = A \oplus B$$

$$A^+ = \overline{A}$$

**End of Solution** 

- Q.8 A 10 bit ADC has a full-scale of 10.230 V, when the digital output is (1111111111)<sub>2</sub>. The quantization error of ADC in millivolts is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Ans. (5)

Given, 10 bit ADC, Full scale = 10.23 V

Resolution = 
$$\frac{V_{FS}}{2^n - 1} = \frac{10.23}{2^{10} - 1} = 10 \text{ mV}$$

Quantization error = 
$$\frac{\text{Step size}}{2} = 5 \text{ mV}$$
 (Step size = resolution of ADC)



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- **Q.9** For a 4-bit flash type analog to digital convertor with full scale input voltage range 'V', which statement(s) is/are true?
  - (a) A change in input-voltage by  $\frac{V}{16}$  will always flip MSB of the output.
  - (b) A change in input-voltage by  $\frac{V}{16}$  will always flip LSB of the output.
  - (c) ADC requires on 4 to 2 priority encoder and 4 comparators.
  - (d) ADC require 15 comparators.

Ans. (b, d)

Given, 4 bit flash ADC, n = 4

Resolution = 
$$\frac{V_R}{2^n} = \frac{V_R}{2^4} = \frac{V_R}{16}$$

Any change  $\frac{V_R}{16}$  changes LSB.

Example, Input:  $0 \text{ V} \rightarrow 0000$ 

$$\frac{V_R}{16} \rightarrow 0001$$

No. of comparators required for 4-bit flash type ADC =  $2^4 - 1 = 15$ 

End of Solution

- Q.10  $\sqrt{2} \sin t \ u(t)$  is applied to system with  $TF G(s) = \frac{1}{s+1}$ . Amplitude of steady state output is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Ans. (1)

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s+1}$$

$$r(t) = A \sin \omega t = \sqrt{2} \sin t$$

$$c(t) = B \sin (\omega t + \phi)$$

$$B = A|G(j\omega)$$

$$= \sqrt{2} \left| \frac{1}{s+1} \right|_{s=j1} = 1$$



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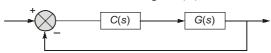
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Q.11 A PID controller is incorporated in closed loop system as shown below. The transfer function of the system G(s) and transfer function of C(s) are given as below. Which of the following is true about the controller gain (K).



$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(s+1)(s+3)} \text{ and } C(s) = \frac{k(s+3-j)(s+3+j)}{s} \text{ with } k \text{ being scalar, the closed loop}$$

system is

- (a) only stable at k > 0.
- (b) only stable for k between -1 and +1.
- (c) stable for all value of k.
- (d) only stable for k < 0.

[2 marks]

Ans. (a)

$$q(s) = 1 + C(s)G(s) = 0$$
  
 $q(s) = s^3 + s^2(K + 4) + s(6K + 3) + 10K = 0$ 

Necessary: 
$$K > -4$$
;  $K > -\frac{1}{2}$ ;  $K > 0$ 

Sufficient: bc > ad

$$(K + 4)(6K + 3) > 10 K$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 6 $K^2 + 17K + 12 > 0$ 

$$\Rightarrow K > \frac{-4}{3} \text{ and } K > -\frac{3}{2} (\text{or}) K < -\frac{4}{3} \text{ and } K < -3$$

Finally K > 0 and  $K > \frac{-4}{3}$ 

... The closed loop system is stable only for K > 0.

- Q.12 Consider a system with transfer function  $G(s) = \frac{2}{s+1}$ . A unit step function u(t) is applied to the system, which result in an output y(t) and e(t) = y(t) u(t), then  $\lim_{t \to \infty} e(t)$  is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Ans. (-1)

$$TF = \frac{2}{s+1}$$

$$OLTF = \frac{2}{s-1}$$

Type 
$$= 0$$

$$e_{ss} = \frac{1}{1 + k_p}$$
 for step input,



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$$k_p = \lim_{s \to 0} \frac{2}{s - 1} = -2$$

 $e_{ss} = \frac{1}{1 - 2} = -1$ 

**End of Solution** 

- Q.13 A response of a system is oscillatory in nature and it is decaying to zero slowly then the system is
  - (a) First order system
  - (b) Second order system
  - (c) the system is under damped for pair of poles
  - (d) does not has real roots

Ans. (\*)

If MSQ ans. (C)

If MSQ ans. B and C

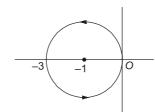
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Q.14 Taking N as positive for CW encirclement otherwise negative, the number of encirclement of (-1, 0) in the Nyquist plot of  $G(s) = \frac{3}{s-1}$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans. (-1)

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

Nyquist plot



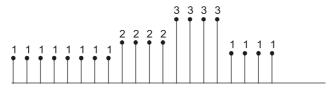
Since N is the in CW and -ve in ACW as in the question,

·. 
$$N = -1$$

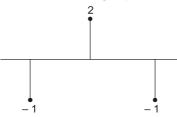


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Q.15 The input signal is shown below:

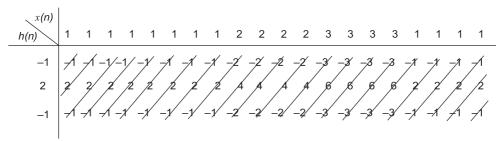


is passed through the filter with following taps.



No. of non zero samples in output is \_\_\_\_\_

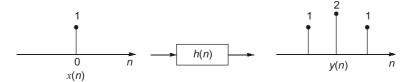
Ans. (10)



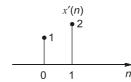
 $y[n] = \{-1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, -1, 1, 0, 0, -1, 1, 0, 0, 2, -2, 0, 0, 1, -1\}$ Number of non-zero samples in y[n] = 10

End of Solution

Q.16 Input-output relationship of LTI system is shown below:



In input x'(n) is



then the peak value of output when x'(n) is passing through the given system h(n) is

(a) 4

(b) 5

(c) 2

(d) 6



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Ans. (b)

Given,

When  $x[n] = \delta[n]$ , then y[n] = h[n]

$$h[n] = \delta[n] + 2\delta[n-1] + \delta[n-2]$$
  
= {1, 2, 3}

= {1, 2, 3

$$x'[n] = \delta[n] + 2\delta[n-1]$$
  
 $x'[n] = \{1, 2\}$ 

$$y[n] = x'[n] * h[n]$$

Sum by column method:

$$y[n] = \begin{cases} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & \\ & 1 & 2 \\ \hline 1 & 4 & 5 & 2 \end{cases}$$

Peak value at the output is (5)

**End of Solution** 

- **Q.17** The signal  $\sin(\sqrt{2\pi t})$  is
  - (a) Periodic with period  $T = 4\pi^2$
  - (b) Periodic with period  $T = \sqrt{2}\pi$
  - (c) Non periodic
  - (d) Periodic with period  $T = 2\pi$

Ans. (c)

$$x(t) = \sin(\sqrt{2\pi t})$$

- For negative values of 't', sine-function will apply on imaginary values.
- For positive values of 't', sine-function will apply on real-values.
- So, there will not be repetition in the waveform.
- .. We can draw waveform only in the RHS.

But we cannot draw waveform in the LHS.

• Therefore,  $\sin(\sqrt{2\pi t})$  is non-periodic.



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Q.18 If  $y(t) = e^{-3t}u(t) * u(t+3)$  where \* denotes convolution and u(t) denotes the step function. The value of y(t) at  $t \to \infty$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans. (0.33)

$$v(t) = e^{-3t} u(t) * u(t + 3)$$

$$Y(s) = e^{3s} \left[ \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s+3} \right) \right]$$

$$Y(s) = e^{3s} F(s) \qquad \dots (i)$$

where,

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s+3} \right)$$

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{3} \left[ 1 - e^{-3t} \right] \times u(t)$$
 ... (ii)

From (i),

$$Y(s) = e^{3s} F(s)$$

$$y(t) = f(t + 3)$$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{3} \left[ 1 - e^{-3(t+3)} \right] u(t+3) \dots$$
 From (ii)

Put 
$$t = \infty$$
,  $y(\infty) = \frac{1}{3}[1-0] \times 1 = \frac{1}{3}$ 

End of Solution

- Q.19 Let u(t) denotes the unit step function, the bilateral laplace transform of function  $f(t) = e^t u(-t)$  is
  - (a)  $\frac{1}{s-1}$  with real part of s > 1.
  - (b)  $\frac{1}{s-1}$  with real part of s < 1.
  - (c)  $\frac{-1}{s-1}$  with real part of s > 1.
  - (d)  $\frac{-1}{s-1}$  with real part of s < 1.

Ans. (d)

$$f(t) = e^t u(-t)$$

As we know, 
$$e^{-t}u(t) = \frac{1}{s+1}, \sigma > -1$$

By using time-reversal property of Laplace transform,

$$e^t u(-t) \longrightarrow \frac{1}{-s+1}, \quad -\sigma > -1$$

$$\therefore e^t u(-t) \rightleftharpoons \frac{-1}{s-1}, \qquad \sigma < 1$$

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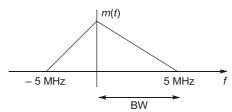




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Q.20 Signal having bandwidth of 5 MHz is transmitted using the pulse code modulation. The signal is sampled at the rate 50% above the Nyquist rate and quantized in 256 level. The binary pulse rate of PCM signal in M bits per second is \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Ans. (120)



$$f_m = 5 \text{ MHz}$$
  
 $N.R = 2f_m = 2 \times BW$   
 $N.R = 10 \text{ MHz}$ 

$$f_s = 1.5 \times \text{N.R} = 1.5 \times 10 = 15 \text{ MHz} = \frac{1}{T_s}$$
  
 $L = 256$   
 $L = 2^n$ 

So, n = 8 bit/sec

Bit rate, 
$$R_b = \frac{n}{T_s} = 8 \times 15 = 120$$

End of Solution

- Q.21 An amplitude modulation scheme use the modulation with modulation index of 0.6. The power efficiency of the AM scheme is \_\_\_\_\_%.
- Ans. (15.25)

Amplitude modulation,  $\mu = 0.6$  Assuming sinusoidal message

modulation efficiency, 
$$\eta = \frac{\mu^2/2}{1 + \frac{\mu^2}{2}} \times 100$$

$$\% \eta = \frac{(0.6)^2}{2 + (0.6)^2} = \frac{0.36}{2 + 0.36} \times 100$$

$$= 15.25\%$$



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- Q.22 A single phase transformer has a magnetizing inductance of 250 mH and core loss resistance of 300  $\Omega$  referred to primary side, when excited with 230 V, 50 Hz sinusoidal supply at the primary. The power factor of the input current drawn with secondary on open circuit is \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Rounded to 2 decimal place).
- Ans. (0.25)

$$L = 250 \times 10^{-3}; \quad R_0 = 300 \ \Omega$$

$$B_L = \frac{1}{2\pi f L} = \frac{1}{2\pi (50)250 \times 10^{-3}} = 0.012732$$

$$G_0 = \frac{1}{300} = 3.33 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{G_0}{\sqrt{G_0^2 + B_L^2}} = 0.253 \log$$

**End of Solution** 

- Q.23 A toroid mode of CRGO has an inner diameter of 10 cm and outer diameter of 14 cm. The thickness of the toroid is 2 cm. 200 turns of copper wire is wound on the core. If  $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7}$  H/m and  $\mu_R$  of CRGO is 3000. When a current of 5 mA flows through the winding, the flux density in the core in millitesla is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Ans. (10)

$$\phi = \frac{MMF}{s} = \frac{NI}{\frac{I}{a\mu_0\mu_0}} = \frac{NI}{I}(a\mu_0\mu_r)$$

$$B = \frac{d}{a} = \frac{NI}{l} (a\mu_0 \mu_r)$$

$$B = \frac{NI\mu_0\mu_r}{I}$$

$$B = \frac{200(5 \times 10^{-3})(4\pi \times 10^{-7})(3000)}{2\pi \left(\frac{12 \times 10^{-2}}{2}\right)}$$

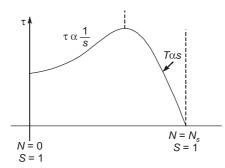
B = 10 milli Tesla



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- Q.24 The slipring induction motor is started by an external resistance so advantage of external resistance added is
  - (a) power factor at starting is lower
- (b) starting torque is high
- (c) losses at starting is lower
- (d) starting current is higher

Ans. (b, c)



For power factor 
$$\cos \theta_2 = \frac{R_2}{Z_2} = \frac{R_2}{R_2 + jsX_2}$$

at starting 
$$(\cos \theta_2)_{\text{starting}} = \frac{R_2}{R_2 + X_2}$$

Order of  $R_2$ /phase = 0.1 to 0.2 $\Omega$ Order of  $X_2$ /phase = 1.5 $\Omega$  to 2 $\Omega$ 

$$R_2^2 <<< X_2^2$$

So

$$R_2^2 \rightarrow \text{neglected}$$

$$\cos\theta_2 = \frac{R_2}{X_2}$$

As  $R_2 \uparrow$  so power factor increases.

Hence option (a) is wrong.

$$T_{s} = \frac{180}{2\pi N_{s}} \times \frac{E_{2}^{2} R_{2}}{R_{2}^{2} + X_{2}^{2}}$$

So,  $R_2^2$  term is neglected

$$T_{\rm s} = \frac{180}{2\pi N_{\rm s}} \frac{E_2^2 R_2}{X_2^2},$$

so, starting increases at it is directly proportional to rotor resistance.

Losses at time of starting.

Iron and mech. losses are low.

By inserting external resistance will reduce the starting current.

Hence option B and C are correct.



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Q.25 Determinant of matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Ans. (4)

Expanding along  $R_1$ 

$$|A| = +(1)\begin{vmatrix} 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - (2)\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= (1)[4(4 - 6)] -2[3(4 - 6)] = 4$$

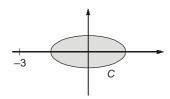
**End of Solution** 

Q.26 Let  $F(z) = \frac{1}{z^2 + 6z + 9}$  defined in complex plane. The integral,  $\oint_c F(z)$  over the contour of a circle C with center at the origin and having unit radius is \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans. (0)

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2 + 6z + 9} = \frac{1}{(z+3)^2}$$

Poles of f(z),  $(z + 3)^2 = 0 \implies z = -3$  (Double pole) C: |z| = 1



 $\therefore$  Pole lies outside 'C' so by CIT,  $\oint_C F(z)dz = 0$ 

End of Solution

**Q.27** If 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$
. Then the determinant of  $[A^4 - 5A^3 + 6A^2 + 2I]$  is

Ans. (4)

Characteristic Eq. of *A* is  $|A - \lambda I| = 0 \implies (\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 3) = 0 \implies \lambda^2 + 5\lambda + 6 = 0$ By C.H theorem replace  $\lambda \to A$  in Characteristic Eq.

$$A^{2} - 5A + 6I = 0 \qquad ...(1)$$
Now  $|A^{4} - 5A^{3} + 6A^{2} + 2I| = |A^{2}(A^{2} - 5A + 6I) + 2I|$ 

$$= |0 + 2I| = |2I| = 2^{2}|I| = 4|I| = 4 \times 1 = 4$$



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**Q.28** Minimum value of f(x) in range of [5, 10] where  $f(x) = -x^2 + 10x + 100$  is given

Ans. (100)

$$f(x) = -2x + 10$$
  
 $f(5) = 0$   
 $f(10) = -100$ 

 $f(x) \le 0$  in [5, 10] so f(x) is decreasing function.

Min 
$$f(x) = f(10) = -(10)^2 + 10(10) + 100$$
  
= -100 + 100 + 100 = 100

End of Solution

**Q.29**  $U = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $V = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  both are row matrices.

The rank of  $A = 2V^TV + 3U^TU$  is

(c) 
$$4$$

Ans. (b)

$$A = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\rho(A) = 1$$

End of Solution

**Q.30** 
$$f(z) = (z-1)^{-1} - 1 + (z-1) - (z-1)^2 + \dots$$

Series expansions of

(a) 
$$\frac{-1}{z(z-1)}$$
 for  $|z-1| < 1$ 

(b) 
$$\frac{1}{z(z-1)}, |z-1| < 1$$

(c) 
$$\frac{-1}{z-1}$$
 for  $|z-1| < 1$ 

(d) 
$$\frac{1}{(z-1)^2}$$
, for  $|z-1| < 1$ 

Ans. (b)

$$f(z) = (z-1)^{-1} \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{(z-1)^{-1}} + \frac{(z-1)}{(z-1)^{-1}} - \frac{(z-1)^2}{(z-1)^{-1}} + \dots \right]$$
$$= (z-1)^{-1} \left[ 1 - (z-1) + (z-1)^2 - (z-1)^3 + \dots \right]$$

We know that,  $(1 + x)^{-1} = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + ...$ ; for |x| < 1



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$$= \frac{1}{(z-1)} [1 + (z-1)]^{-1}; \text{ for } |z-1| < 1$$

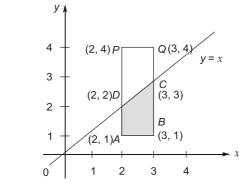
$$= \frac{1}{(z-1)} [z^{-1}]; \text{ for } |z-1| < 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{z(z-1)}; \text{ for } |z-1| < 1$$

End of Solution

Q.31 Consider x and y are independent continuous valued random variables with uniform PDF given by  $x \in U(2, 3)$  and  $y \in U(1, 4)$ . Then  $P(y \le x)$  is

Ans. (0.5)



Total area =  $AB \times AP$ = 1 × 3 = 3

Favourable Area  $(F_{av})$  = Area of ABCD (i.e., Trapezium)

=  $\frac{1}{2}$ (sum of parallel sides) × (Distance between them)

$$= \frac{1}{2}(AD + BC) \times (AB) = \frac{1}{2}(1+2) \times 1 = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$P(y \le n) = \frac{F_{av.} \text{ area}}{\text{Total area}} = \frac{3/2}{3} = \frac{3}{6} = 0.5$$

End of Solution

Q.32 A infinitely long line, with uniform positive charge density, lies along the z-axis. In cylindrical coordinates  $(r. \phi, z)$ , at any point not on the z-axis, the direction of the electric field is

(a)  $\hat{r}$ 

(b)  $\frac{\hat{r} + \hat{z}}{\sqrt{2}}$ 

(c)  $\hat{\phi}$ 

(d) *ẑ* 

Ans. (a)



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**Q.33** Consider the sequence  $x_n = 0.5x_{n-1} + 1$ 

n = 1, 2, 3...., if  $x_0 = 0$  then the value of  $\lim_{n \to \infty} x_n$  is

(a) ∞

(b) C

(c) 2

(d) 1

Ans. (c)

$$x_n = \frac{x_{n-1}}{2} + 1 \implies x_1 = 1, x_2 = \frac{3}{2}, x_3 = \frac{7}{4}, x_4 = \frac{15}{8}, x_5 = \frac{31}{16}$$

Sequence is  $1, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{7}{2^2}, \frac{15}{2^3}, \frac{31}{2^4}, \dots, \frac{2^n - 1}{2^{n-1}}, \dots$ 

$$x_n = \frac{2^n - 1}{2^{n-1}} = \frac{2^n - 1}{2^n / 2} = 2 \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{2^n} \right]$$

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} x_n = \lim_{n \to \infty} 2 \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2^n} \right) = 2 \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\infty} \right) = 2$$

**End of Solution** 

- Q.34 In AC mains circuit  $V_{ac} = 100 \pm 1\%$ , rms current  $I_{ac} = 1A \pm 1\%$  and power  $W_{ac} = 50W \pm 2\%$ . Percentage error in calculating the power factor using these readings is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Ans. (4)

$$V_{GC} = 100\pm1\%, I_{GC} = \pm1\%, W_{GC} = 50W\pm2\%$$

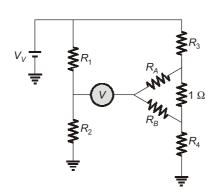
$$P = VI\cos(\phi) \Rightarrow pf = \cos(\phi) = \frac{P}{VI} = \frac{50}{100 \times 1} = 0.5$$

%Error = 
$$\pm \left[ \frac{\delta P}{P} + \frac{\delta V}{V} + \frac{\delta I}{I} \right] = \pm \left[ 2\% + 1\% + 1\% \right] = \pm 4\%$$

End of Solution

Q.35 In the bridge circuit shown, the voltmeter *V* showed zero when the values of the resistors

are  $R_1 = 100 \ \Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 110 \ \Omega$  and  $R_3 = 90 \ \Omega$ . If  $\frac{R_1}{R_2} = \frac{R_A}{R_B}$ , the value of  $R_4$  in ohm is



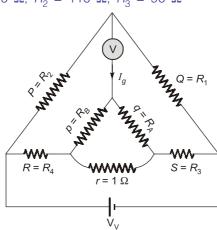


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Ans. (99)

By redrawing CKT, we can get, "KELVIN DOUBLE BRIDGE" Given that,  $R_1$  = 100  $\Omega$ ,  $R_2$  = 110  $\Omega$ ,  $R_3$  = 90  $\Omega$ 



Balance condition, 
$$R = \frac{P}{Q} \times S + \frac{qr}{p+q+r} \left[ \frac{P}{Q} - \frac{p}{q} \right]$$

By comparing, 
$$\frac{R_1}{R_2} = \frac{R_A}{R_B} \Rightarrow \frac{P}{Q} = \frac{P}{q} \Rightarrow R = \frac{P}{Q} \times S$$

$$\therefore R_H = \frac{R_2}{R_1} \times R_3 = \frac{110}{100} \times 90 \Rightarrow R_4 = 99 \Omega$$

End of Solution

- Q.36 The input and output characteristics appear to be exponential in the following:
  - (a) Thermocouple

(b) RTD

(c) Thermistor

(d) Strain gauge

Ans. (c)

End of Solution

Q.37 A metallic strain gauge, which has initial resistance of 1000 ohm and gauge factor of 2.5 is subjected to strain of 100 micron. The resistance of the strain gauge changes to \_\_\_\_\_\_. (upto two decimal points)

Ans. (1000.25)

For strain gauge = 
$$\frac{\delta R}{R} = G.f \times \epsilon$$
 ( $\epsilon = strain$ )

$$\delta R = 1000 \times 2.5 \times 100 \times 10^{-6} = 0.25 \Omega$$

Resistance of the strain gauge changes to  $1000 + 0.25 = 1000.25\Omega$ 



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Q.38 The movable arm (mirror) of michelson interferometer is displaced by 325 micrometers. If 1000 fringes are passed in field of view then the wave length of source in nanometer is \_\_\_\_\_.

[1 mark]

Ans. (650)

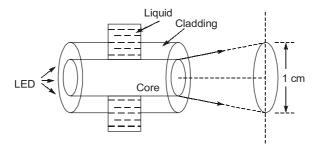
Given, d = 325 mmpath difference,  $= 2d = 2 \times 325 \text{ mm}$ path difference  $= n\lambda$ 

$$\therefore \qquad 2d = n\lambda \quad \Rightarrow \quad n = \frac{2d}{\lambda} = \frac{2 \times 325 \mu m}{1000}$$

 $\therefore \qquad \qquad n = 650 \text{ nm}$ 

**End of Solution** 

Q.38 A multimodel optical fiber is made up of a core of refractive index  $(n_{\text{core}}) = 1.5$  and cladding of refractive index  $(n_{\text{cladding}}) = 1.2$  is used as shown below. LED is used to pump the light ray from one end of the fiber and at other end of the fiber a paper is placed as shown below. The diameter of the spot observed on the paper is 1 cm. If some portion of the cladding is removed by water and passed as shown then the refractive index of water  $(n_{\text{core}})$  is \_\_\_\_\_.



[2 marks]

Ans. (1.15)

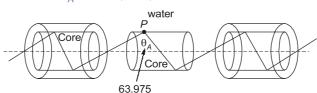
Numerical Apeture, 
$$NA = \sqrt{n_{\text{core}}^2 - n_{\text{clad}}^2}$$
  
=  $\sqrt{(1.5)^2 - (1.2)^2}$   
 $NA = 0.9$ 

at starting of fiber,

$$n_0 \sin \theta_A = NA$$

$$\sin \theta_A = \frac{NA}{n_0} = \frac{0.9}{1} = 0.95$$

 $\theta_{A} = \sin^{-1}(0.95) = 63.975^{\circ}$ 





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.. Apply Snells law at point P,

$$n_{core} \times \sin \theta_A' = n_W \sin \theta_C$$

where

$$\theta_C = 90 - 63.975 = 26.025$$

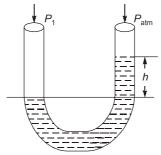
- $15 \times \sin(26.025) = n_W$ ٠.
- : refractive index of water,

$$n_W = 1.15$$

**End of Solution** 

Q.38 An U-tube manometer is used for the measurement of pressure and it is uses Mano metric fluid of density 13,600 kg/m<sup>3</sup>. If the atmospheric pressure is 101 KPa and acceleration due to gravity is 9.81 m/sec<sup>2</sup> and height indicated in one of the leg is 1 cm then the differential pressure in pascals is \_\_\_\_\_

Ans. (1334.16)



Density of monometric fluid ( $\rho$ ) = 13,600 kg/m<sup>3</sup> Acceleration due to gravity is  $(g) = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$ 

Height indicated (h) = 1 cm

$$P_1 = P_{\text{atm}} + \rho gh$$

$$P_1 - P_{\text{atm}} = \rho gh$$

Differential pressure

$$\Delta P = P_1 - P_{\text{atm}} = \rho g h$$
  
 $\Delta P = 13600 \times 9.81 \times 10 \times 10^{-2} = 1334.16 \text{ Pa}$