

Trial CAT 2 Answers & Solutions

Part I (Multiple-choice) Answers

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 1. A 12. E 13. A 14. B 15. B
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Part I (Multiple-choice) Solutions

Question 1 [B]

$$= mx + c$$

When $x = 0, y = -3$
 $\therefore 0 + c = -3$
 $\therefore c = -3$
 When $y = 0, x = 5$
 $\therefore mx - 3 = y$
 $\therefore -5m - 3 = 0$
 $\therefore m = -\frac{3}{5}$
 $\therefore y = -\frac{3}{5}x - 3$
 $\therefore 5y = -3x - 15$
 $\therefore 5y + 3x = -15$

Question 2 [A]

All values from -5 to 3 are defined, except for $x = -1$

Question 3 [E]

- shape indicates -ve quartic
- ve intercepts a and b indicates factors $(x - a)$ and $(x - b)$
- +ve intercept c indicates the factor $(x - c)$
- turning point at $(c, 0)$ indicates a squared factor
- $\therefore y = -(x - a)(x - b)(x - c)^2$

Question 4 [B]

- $a > 0$ indicates no reflection about x-axis
- $b = 0$ indicates no horizontal shift
- $c > 0$ indicates asymptote shifted up
- when $x = 0, f(x) = a + c$

Question 5 [A]

A vertex of (a, b) indicates the equation $y = (x - a)^2 + b$ regardless of the sign of a or b .

Question 6 [C]

A1 $x = -2, y = 3 + -7 = -4$
 A2 $x = 2, y = 2 + 0 = 2$

Question 7 [D]

The amplitude is double. The period is π which is half the period of 2π . Since $(2x + \frac{\pi}{2}) = 2(x + \frac{\pi}{4})$, the graph moves left $\frac{\pi}{4}$ units

Question 8 [E]

Period = π , so $n = 2$
 Amplitude = $\frac{2a - 0}{2} = a$

There is no horizontal translation. There is a vertical translation of a units. So, $y = a + a \sin(2x)$

Question 9 [B]

$$\cos 3x + \sqrt{3} \sin 3x = 0$$

$$\sqrt{3} \sin 3x = -\cos 3x$$

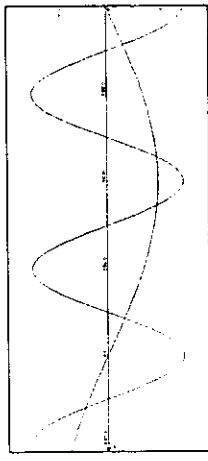
$$\tan 3x = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$3x = \pi - \frac{\pi}{6}, 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}, 3\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{5\pi}{18}, \frac{11\pi}{18}, \frac{17\pi}{18}$$

Question 10 [C]

The cosine graph has 2 cycles in the domain $[0, \pi]$, whereas the sine graph has $\frac{1}{2}$ a cycle. The amplitude of the cosine graph is greater than the sine graph, so it crosses four times.



Question 11 [A]

$$f(x) = e^x$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = e^x$$

$$\therefore f''(x) = e^x$$

gradient of normal, $m = \frac{-1}{e}$

$$y = mx + c$$

$$e = \frac{-1}{e} + c$$

$$c = e + \frac{1}{e}$$

$$y = \frac{-1}{e}x + \frac{1}{e} + e$$

Question 12 [E]

Let $m = 4e^{2x}$ and $n = \sin(2x)$
 $\frac{dm}{dx} = 12e^{2x}$ $\frac{dn}{dx} = 2 \cos(2x)$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{m}{n} \right) = \frac{m \frac{dn}{dx} - n \frac{dm}{dx}}{n^2}$$

$$= \frac{4e^{2x} [2 \cos(2x)] - \sin(2x) 12e^{2x}}{4e^{4x}}$$

$$= 8e^{2x} \cos(2x) - 12e^{2x} \sin(2x)$$

$$= 4e^{2x} [3 \sin(2x) + 2 \cos(2x)]$$

Question 13 [A]

The integral is -ve because it is below the graph

Question 14 [B]

$$\frac{3x^2 - x}{x - 3x - 1}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = 3$$

Question 15 [B]

$$\int \frac{1}{(ax + b)^n} dx = \frac{-1}{a(n-1)(ax + b)^{n-1}}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{(3x + 2)^5} dx = \frac{-1}{4 \times 3(3x + 2)^4}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{(3x + 2)^3} dx = \frac{-1}{12(3x + 2)^2}$$

Question 16 [D]

- zero gradient at $x = -2$ and 1
- +ve decreasing gradient in the interval $[-3, -2]$
- ve increasing then decreasing gradient in the interval $[-2, 0]$
- +ve increasing gradient in the interval $[0, 1]$
- $x = -2$ included, $x = 1$ not included

Question 17 [D]

$$y = \frac{\log_e(2x)}{2x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y'v - vy'}{v^2}$$

$$= \frac{2x \left(\frac{1}{2x} \right) - 2 \log_e(2x)}{4x^2}$$

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

Question 18 [B]

For the expression $(x + a)^n$
 $T_{r+1} = {}^n C_r (x)^r (a)^{n-r}$
 $T_{r+1} = {}^{12} C_r (x)^r (-2)^{12-r}$
 $T_{r+1} = {}^{12} C_r (-2)^r (x)^{12-r} (x)^r$
 $x^r = x^{10}$
 $r = 10$

Coefficient of $x^7 = {}^{12} C_{10} (-2)^{10} (3)^2 = {}^{12} C_{10} (-2)^{10} (9)$

Question 19 [D]

$$3e^{2x} = 6$$

$$e^{2x} = 2$$

$$2x = \log_e 2$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2} \log_e 2$$

Question 20 [E]

The inverse function exists if f is one-to-one. Intercepts are at $2x - 2x^2 = 0$
 $2x(1 - x) = 0$
 $x = 0$ or $x = 1$
 The smallest value of a would be at the turning point. Using symmetry this occurs when $x = \frac{1}{2}$
 $\therefore a = \frac{1}{2}$

Question 21 [E]

Let $y = e^{2x+1}$
 Interchanging x and y gives
 $x = e^{2y+1}$
 $\log_e x = 2y + 1$
 $y = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \log_e x)$
 $y = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log_e x$

Question 22 [D]

$$2 + \log_{10} 3x = \log_{10} y$$

$$2 = \log_{10} y - \log_{10} 3x$$

$$2 = \log_{10} \left(\frac{y}{3x} \right)$$

$$10^2 = \frac{y}{3x}$$

$$y = 300x$$

Question 23 [A]

$$P(x) = x^3 + ax^2 - 6x + 8$$

$$P(-2) = -8 + 4a + 12 + 8$$

$$4a = 12$$

$$a = 3$$

Question 24 [E]

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2xe^{2x} + e^{2x}$$

$$\int (2xe^{2x} + e^{2x}) dx = xe^{2x}$$

$$\int 2xe^{2x} dx + \int e^{2x} dx = xe^{2x}$$

$$2 \int xe^{2x} dx + \int e^{2x} dx = xe^{2x}$$

$$2 \int xe^{2x} dx = xe^{2x} - \int e^{2x} dx$$

$$2 \int xe^{2x} dx = xe^{2x} - \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} + c$$

$$\int xe^{2x} dx = \frac{e^{2x}}{2} (x - \frac{1}{2}) + c$$

Question 25 [B]

Each strip has a width of 1 unit. Area is simply the addition of all the lengths

$$A = 1 + 2 + 5 + 10 + 17 = 35 \text{ square units}$$

Question 26 [C]

$$\Pr(X < 5) = 1 - [\Pr(X = 5) - \Pr(X = 0)]$$

$$= 1 - (\frac{13}{50} + \frac{8}{50})$$

$$= 1 - \frac{21}{50}$$

$$= \frac{29}{50}$$

Question 27 [C]

$$E(X) = \frac{1}{50} (0 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 + 2 \times 5 + 3 \times 6 + 4 \times 15 + 5 \times 13 + 6 \times 8)$$

$$= \frac{203}{50}$$

$$= 4.06$$

Question 28 [E]

Variance = $np(1-p) = \sigma^2 = 6$

$$\mu = np = 10$$

$$p = \frac{10}{n}$$

$$n(\frac{10}{n})(1 - \frac{10}{n}) = 6$$

$$10(1 - \frac{10}{n}) = 6$$

$$\frac{10}{n} = 1 - \frac{6}{10}$$

$$\frac{10}{n} = \frac{4}{10}$$

$$n = 25$$

$$p = \frac{10}{25}$$

$$p = 0.4$$

Question 29 [E]

Option E is the only random variable which is "measured". The others are examples of "counting".

Question 30 [C]

$$p = 0.3 \quad q = 0.7 \quad n = 10$$

$$\Pr(X > 1) = 1 - [\Pr(X = 0) + \Pr(X = 1)]$$

$$= 1 - [{}^{10}C_0 (0.3)^0 (0.7)^{10} + {}^{10}C_1 (0.3)^1 (0.7)^9]$$

$$= 1 - [(0.7)^{10} + 10(0.3)(0.7)^9]$$

Question 31 [B]

The margin of error is given by

$$m = 2 \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}$$

$$(\frac{m}{2})^2 = \frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}$$

$$n = (\frac{2}{m})^2 \hat{p}(1-\hat{p})$$

The minimum value of $\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})$ is 0.25, so

$$n = (\frac{2}{0.05})^2 (0.25) = 400$$

Question 32 [C]

$$\Pr(T > 27) = \Pr(Z > \frac{27-24}{2})$$

$$\Pr(Z > \frac{3}{2}) = 1 - \Pr(Z < \frac{3}{2}) \text{ [using symmetry]}$$

Question 33 [D]

$$\Pr(c_1 < T < c_2) = 0.95$$

$$\Pr(\frac{c_1 - 24}{2} < Z < \frac{c_2 - 24}{2}) = 0.95$$

$$\Pr(Z < \frac{c_2 - 24}{2}) - \Pr(Z < \frac{c_1 - 24}{2}) = 0.95$$

$$\Pr(Z < \frac{c_2 - 24}{2}) - [1 - \Pr(Z < \frac{c_2 - 24}{2})] = 0.95$$

$$2 \times \Pr(Z < \frac{c_2 - 24}{2}) - 1 = 0.95$$

$$\Pr(Z < \frac{c_2 - 24}{2}) = 0.975$$

By symmetry:

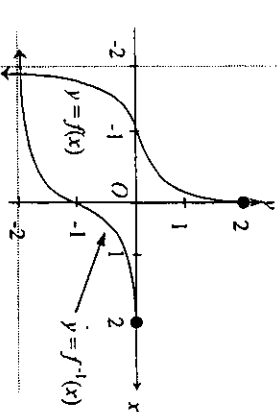
$$\frac{c_2 - 24}{2} = 1.9600$$

$$c_2 \approx 28$$

Part II (Short Answer Questions) Solutions

Question 1

correct shape
correct intercepts and asymptote



b. $\text{ran}(f) = \text{dom}(f) = (-2, 0]$ [1A]

Question 2

a.

$$P = 2 + \sin \frac{2\pi}{28} \times 7$$

$$= 2 + \sin \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$= 3$$
 [1A]

b.

$$2 + \sin \frac{2\pi}{28} t = 1$$

$$\sin \frac{2\pi}{28} t = -1$$

$$\frac{2\pi}{28} t = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$t = 21 \text{ days}$$
 [1A]

Question 3

$$f'(x) = 2\cos(2x)$$

$$0.5 = \cos(2x)$$

$$\cos^{-1}(0.5) = 2x$$

$$\frac{\pi}{3} = 2x$$

$$\frac{\pi}{6} = x$$

Substitute x into $\sin(2x)$ to get:

$$\sin(\frac{\pi}{3}) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

So, the point is $(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})$

 [1A]

Question 4.

a. $0.3(\$0)^2 + 20(\$0) + 200 = \$1950$ [1A]
 b. Since the function is increasing for $x > 0$, the maximum cost will be at the domain maximum, i.e. $x = 100$.
 $0.3(\$0)^2 + 20(\$0) + 200 = \$5200$ [1A]

Question 5

For the expression $(x+a)^n$

$${}^{n-1}C_{r-1} = {}^nC_r (x)^{n-r} (a)^r$$

$${}^4C_2 (2x)^2 (-1)^2 = 24x^2$$

$${}^4C_1 (2x)^3 (-1)^1 = 16x^3$$

$$b = 24$$

$$a = 16$$

$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{16}{24} = \frac{2}{3}$$
 [1A]

Question 6

a. Let $Y =$ no. of bullets in 3 throws

$$p = \frac{1365}{9100} = 0.15 \quad q = 0.85$$

$$\Pr(X \geq 1) = 1 - [\Pr(X = 0)]$$

$$= 1 - {}^3C_0 (0.15)^0 (0.85)^3$$

$$= 1 - (0.85)^3$$

$$= 0.385$$
 [1A]

b.

$$\Pr(X = 1) = {}^3C_1 (0.15)^1 (0.85)^2$$

$$= 3 \times 0.15 \times 0.7225$$

$$= 0.325125$$

$$\approx 0.33$$
 [1A]

Total 17 marks