

Pair of Linear Equations in Two Variables

IIT Foundation Material

SECTION - I

Straight Objective Type

This section contains multiple choice questions. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C), (D), out of which ONLY ONE is correct. Choose the correct option.

1. If $x + y = 7$ and $xy = 12$ then the value of $x^2 + y^2$ is
(a) 84 (b) 25 (c) 5 (d) 49
2. If $x + \frac{1}{x} = 3$ and then $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$ is
(a) 5 (b) 7 (c) 6 (d) 8
3. If $a + b + c$ and $ab + bc + ca = 26$ then the value of $a^2 + b^2 + c^2$ is
(a) 24 (b) 25 (c) 29 (d) 96
4. If $a - b = 2$ and $ab = 15$ then $a^3 + b^3$ is
(a) 9 (b) 89 (c) 98 (d) 86
5. If $(x+1)(x+2)(x+3) = x^3 + kx^2 + 11x + 6$ then the value of K is
(a) 3 (b) 4 (c) 5 (d) 6
6. If $x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x - 5$ is divided by $x - 2$ then the remainder is
(a) 5 (b) -5 (c) 4 (d) -4
7. If $a + b + c = 0$ then $a^3 + b^3 + c^3$ is
(a) 0 (b) 3 abc (c) $a^2 - b^2$ (d) -4
8. The value of $\frac{1.3 \times 1.3 + 2.6 \times 2.7 + 2.7 \times 2.7}{(2.7 \times 2.7) - 1.3 \times 1.3}$
(a) 1 (b) $\frac{10}{3.5}$ (c) 2 (d) $\frac{5}{2.7}$
9. If $(a^2 + b^2)^3 = (a^3 + b^3)^2$ and $ab \neq 0$ then the numerical value of $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{a}$ is

- (a) $\frac{1}{3}$ (b) $\frac{2}{3}$ (c) $\frac{4}{3}$ (d) $\frac{5}{3}$
10. If $x = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}+1}$, $y = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1}$ the value of $\frac{x^2 - xy + y^2}{x^2 + xy + y^2}$ is
(a) $\frac{13}{15}$ (b) $\frac{17}{15}$ (c) $\frac{15}{17}$ (d) $\frac{15}{13}$
11. If $3^{x-y} = 27$ and $3^{y+1} = 27^x$ then 2^{2x-y} is
(a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 4
12. If $zx + y = 7z$, $yz + x = 8z$, $x + y + z = 12$ then (x, y, z) =
(a) (4, 6, 2) (b) (4, 6, -2) (c) (2, 6, 4) (d) None of these
13. The value of $\frac{119^2 + 119 \times 111 + (111)^2}{119^3 - 111^3}$ is
(a) 8 (b) 1/8 (c) 230 (d) 1/300
14. If $ax = by = cz$ and $\frac{b}{c} = \frac{c}{a}$ then $\frac{2z}{x+z}$ is
(a) $\frac{y}{x}$ (b) $\frac{x}{y}$ (c) $\frac{x}{z}$ (d) $\frac{z}{x}$
15. Factor of $4x^2 - y^2 + 2x - 2y - 3xt$ are
(a) $(x+y)(4x+y-2)$ (b) $(x-y)(4x-y+2)$
(c) $(x+y)(4x-y-2)$ (d) $(x-y)(4x+y+2)$
16. If $x^4 + ax^2 + bx^2 + cx + d + (x^2 + px + q)^2$ then $2q = ?$
(a) $\frac{a}{2c}$ (b) $\frac{2c}{a}$ (c) $\frac{b^2 - a^2}{4}$ (d) None of these
17. If $1 + 3^{x-1} = 4^{x-2}$ then x is equal to

- (a) (- 4, 1) (b) (4, - 1) (c) $\left(-\frac{1}{4}, 1\right)$ (d) $\left(\frac{1}{4}, 1\right)$

18. If $x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ then the value of $\frac{1+x}{1+\sqrt{1+x}} + \frac{1-x}{1-\sqrt{1-x}}$ is
 (a) 2 (b) 1 (c) 0 (d) None of these

19. If $2x - 3y - z = 0$ and $x + 3y - 14z = 0$ $z \neq 0$ the numerical value of $\frac{x^2 + 3xy}{y^2 + z^2}$ is
 (a) 7 (b) 2 (c) 0 (d) - 2

20. If a, b, c are positive integer then $(a+b)(b+c)(c+a)$ is greater than
 (a) 2 abc (b) 4 abc (c) 6 abc (d) 8 abc

21. If $xy = - 42$, $yz = 30$, $zx = - 35$ the values of x, y, z are respectively given by
 (a) 7, 6, - 5 (b) - 7, - 6, 5 (c) 7, 6, 5 (d) 7, - 6, - 5

22. $a^x = (x+y+z)^y$, $a^y = (x+y+z)^z$, $a^z = (x+y+z)^x$,
 (a) $x = y = z = \frac{a}{3}$ (b) $x + y + z = \frac{a}{3}$
 (c) $x + y + z = 0$ (d) None

23. If $p = \sqrt{7} - \sqrt{5}$ and $q = \sqrt{13} - \sqrt{11}$ then
 (a) $p > q$ (b) $p < q$ (c) $p = q$ (d) None

24. The equation $x - \frac{2}{x-1} = 1 - \frac{2}{x-1}$ has
 (a) no root (b) one root
 (c) 2 equal roots (d) infinite number of roots

25. L.C.M. of $2x+2, 3x^2-12x^2, 4x^2+12x=8$ is
 (a) no root (b) one root
 (c) 2 equal roots (d) infinite number of roots

26. If the roots of $x^2 - 2mx + m^2 - 1 = 0$ lies between -2 and 4 then
(a) $-3 \leq m \leq 3$ (b) $-3 \leq m \leq 3$ (c) $-1 \leq m \leq 5$ (d) $-1 \leq m \leq 3$
27. If $x = 7 + 4\sqrt{3}$ the $xy = 1$ then $\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2}$ is equal to
(a) 64 (b) 134 (c) 194 (d) 234
28. If $2^{x-2} = 5^{2-x}$ then x is equal to
(a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 4 (d) 6
29. If $4^x \cdot 5^{y-18}$ and $3 \times 0^x - 10$, then (x, y) is equal to
(a) (1, 0) (b) (4, 0) (c) (2, 0) (d) (0, 2)
30. If $y = \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}$ then 't' is equal to
(a) $\left(\frac{1-y}{y+1}\right)^2$ (b) $\sqrt{\frac{1-y}{y+1}}$ (c) $\sqrt{\frac{1-y}{2}}$ (d) $\sqrt{\frac{(1-y)^2}{4}}$

SECTION - II

Assertion - Reason Questions

This section contains certain number of questions. Each question contains STATEMENT-1 (Assertion) and STATEMENT - 2 (Reason). Each question has 4 choices (a), (b), (c) and (d) out of which ONLY ONE is correct. Choose the correct option.

31. STATEMENT-1: Square root of $a^2 + 4ab + 4b^2$ is $a + 2b$

because

$$\text{STATEMENT - 2: } (a + 2b)^2 = a^2 + 4b^2 + 4ab$$

- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1

- (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
- (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
- (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True
32. STATEMENT-1: $\sum a^2 b = a^2 b + b^2 a$
- because**
- STATEMENT - 2: $\prod_{a,b,c} (a^2 + b^2) = (a^2 + b^2)(b^2 + c^2)(c^2 + a^2)$
- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
- (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
- (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
- (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True
33. STATEMENT-1: The roots of $5x^2 - 7x - 36 = 0$ are $\frac{9}{5}$ and $-\frac{4}{3}$
- because**
- STATEMENT - 2: $(a+b)^2 = (a-b)^2 = 4ab$
- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
- (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
- (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
- (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True
34. STATEMENT-1: If $x + y = 7$, $xy = 12$, then $x^2 + y^2 = 25$

because

$$\text{STATEMENT - 2: } (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$$

- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
- (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
- (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
- (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True

35. STATEMENT-1:

$$(a+b+c) = (a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca) = a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$$

because

$$\text{STATEMENT - 2: } (x-3)(x-4) = x^2 - 7x + 12$$

- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
- (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
- (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
- (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True

36. STATEMENT-1: $(x+9)(x+3)x^2 = 12x + 27$

because

$$\text{STATEMENT - 2: } (x+a)(x+b) = x^2 + (a+b)x + ab$$

- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
- (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a

correct explanation for Statement - 1

- (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
 - (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True
37. STATEMENT-1: If $a + b + c = 0$ and $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = 3abc$

because

$$\text{STATEMENT - 2: } (a-b)^3 + (b-c)^3 + (c-a)^3 = 3(a-b)(b-c)(c-a)$$

- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
 - (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
 - (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
 - (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True
38. STATEMENT-1: $a^3 + b^3 = (a+b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)$

because

$$\text{STATEMENT - 2: } a^3 - 8 + (a-2) \text{ si } a^2 + 2a + 4$$

- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
 - (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
 - (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
 - (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True
39. STATEMENT-1:

$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca = \frac{1}{2} [(a-b)^2 + (b-c)^2 + (c-a)^2]$$

because

$$\text{STATEMENT - 2: } x + \frac{1}{x} = 3 \text{ then the value of } x^3 + \frac{1}{x^3} = 18$$

- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
- (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
- (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
- (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True
40. STATEMENT-1: $(a+b)^2 + (a-b)^2 = 2(a^2 + b^2)$

because

$$\text{STATEMENT - 2: } (x+y+z)^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2(xy + yz + zx)$$

- (a) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is a correct explanation for statement - 1
- (b) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is True; Statement - 2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement - 1
- (c) Statement - 1 is True, Statement - 2 is False
- (d) Statement - 1 is False, Statement - 2 is True

SECTION - III

Linked Comprehension Type

This section contains paragraphs. Based upon each paragraph multiple choice questions have to be answered. Each question has 4 choices (a), (b), (c) and (d), out of which ONLY ONE is correct. Choose the correct option.

Method of factorization:

- (1) Multiply the coefficient of x^2 by the constant term.
- (2) Break this product into two factors such that their sum is equal to the coefficient of x.
- (3) Rewrite the x term as the sum of two terms with these coefficients.
- (4) Then go through the factors.

41. Factor of $2x^2 + 7x + 6$
- (a) $x + 2$ (b) $x + 3$ (c) $2x + 4$ (d) $x + 6$
42. If one factor of $3x^2 - 11x + 6$ is $x - 3$ then the other factor is
- (a) $x + 4$ (b) $3x + 1$ (c) $3x - 2$ (d) $(3x - 6)$
43. Factor of $12x^2 - 17x + 6$ is
- (a) $3x - 2$ (b) $x + 12$ (c) $4x + 4$ (d) $x + 6$
- $$(a+b+c)(a^2+b^2+c^2-ab-bc-ca)=a^3+b^3+c^3-3abc$$
- $$(x+a)(x+b)(x+c)x^3+x^3(a+b+c)+(ab+bc+ca)+abc$$
- $$(ax+b)(cx+d)=acx^2+x(ad+bc)+bd$$
44. The value of $a^3 - b^3 + c^3 - 3abc + a - b - c$ is
- (a) $a^2 + b^2 + c^2$ (b) $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab + bc - ac$
(c) $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + ab - bc + ac$ (d) $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc + ac$
45. The product of $(2x + 3)$ $(3x + 5)$ is

- (a) $6x^2 + 19x + 15$ (b) $3x^2 + 2x + 6$
(c) $6x^2 + 12x + 15$ (d) $6x^2 + 5x + 15$
46. $(x+2)(x+3)(x+4) = x^3 + x^2 \cdot k + mx + l$ then the value of $k + l$ is
(a) 24 (b) 33 (c) 32 (d) 28

In the multiplications of polynomials the degree of the product equals the sum of the degrees of the polynomials closed under both addition and multiplications.

If $A = 2x + 3$, $B = 3x - 5$, $C = x^2 + 3x - 1$ then

47. $B \times C$ is
(a) $3x^2 - x^2 + 1$ (b) $3x^3 + 4x^2 - 18x + 5$
(c) $x^3 - 2x^2 + 7 + 1$ (d) None
48. $A \times B$ is
(a) $6x^2 - x - 15$ (b) $x^2 - 4x + 12$
(c) $2x^2 - x + 1$ (d) None
49. $(A \times B) + C$ is
(a) $5x^2 - 2x - 4$ (b) $x^2 - 2x - 8$
(c) $7x^2 + 2x - 16$ (d) None

In case of division of polynomials, the degree of the Quotient is equal to the degree of the dividend minus the degree of the divisor. The remainder may be zero or its degree is at least one less than that of the divisor.

50. When $x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x - 5$ is divided by $x + 2$ then the remainder is

- (a) $x + 2$ (b) 3 (c) $x - 5$ (d) 4
51. When $x^3 - 5x^2 + 11x - 10$ is divided by $x - 2$ then the remainder is
 (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 4
52. When $x^4 - 4x^2 - 13x - 4$ is divided by $x^2 - 2x + 3$ then Quotient is
 (a) $x^2 - x - 3$ (b) $x - 2$ (c) $x + 4$ (d) $x^2 + 2x - 3$

SECTION - IV

Matrix - Match Type

This section contains Matrix-Match type questions. Each question contains statements given in two columns which have to be matched. Statements (a, b, c, d) in Column I have to be matched with statements (p, q, r, s) in Column II. The answers to these questions have to be appropriately bubbled as illustrated in the following example.

If the correct matches are a-p, a-s, b-q, b-r, c-p, c-q and d-s, then the correctly bubbled 4×4 matrix should be as follows:

| | p | q | r | s |
|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| A | <input checked="" type="radio"/> p | <input type="radio"/> q | <input type="radio"/> r | <input checked="" type="radio"/> s |
| B | <input type="radio"/> p | <input checked="" type="radio"/> q | <input checked="" type="radio"/> r | <input type="radio"/> s |
| C | <input checked="" type="radio"/> p | <input type="radio"/> q | <input type="radio"/> r | <input type="radio"/> s |
| D | <input type="radio"/> p | <input type="radio"/> q | <input type="radio"/> r | <input checked="" type="radio"/> s |

- | 53. Column I | Column II |
|---|--------------------|
| (a) $(a^3 - b^3) \div (a^2 + ab + b^2)$ | (p) $a - b$ |
| (b) $(a^2 - b^2) \div (a - b)$ | (q) $a + b$ |
| (c) $(a + b)^2 + (a - b)^2$ | (r) $2(a^2 + b^2)$ |
| (d) $(a + b)^2 - (a - b)^2$ | (s) $4ab$ |

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| 54. | Column I | Column II |
| | (a) $a^2 + 2b + ab + 2a$ | (p) $(a+b)(a+2)$ |
| | (b) $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca$ | (q) $(a+b+c)^2$ |
| | (c) $(z+1)(x+y)$ | (r) $(x+yz+xz+y)$ |
| | (d) $1+x+y+z+xy+yz+zx+xyz$ | (s) $(1+x)(1+y)(1+z)$ |
| 55. | Column I | Column II |
| | (a) $x^2 + 5x + 6$ | (p) $(x+2)(x+3)$ |
| | (b) $x^2 + 21x + 90$ | (q) $(x+6)(x+15)$ |
| | (c) $x^2 - 24x - 180$ | (r) $(x-30)(x+6)$ |
| | (d) $x^2 - 4\sqrt{2}x + 6$ | (s) $(x-\sqrt{2})(x-3\sqrt{2})$ |
| 56. | Column I | Column II |
| | (a) $a^4 + a^2b^2 + b^4$ | (p) $(a^2 + ab + b^2)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$ |
| | (b) $x^4 + 6x^2 + 1$ | (q) $(x^2 + 2x - 1)(x^2 - 2x - 1)$ |
| | (c) $a^2 + b^2 + 2bc - c^2$ | (r) $(a+bc-c)(a-b+c)$ |
| | (d) $x^2 - a^2 + 4a - 4$ | (s) $(x+a-2)(x-a+2)$ |

57.

Column I

Column II

(a) $\frac{x^2 - 1}{x} = 4$ then $\frac{x^6 - 1}{x^3}$

(p) 76

(b) $c - \frac{1}{c} = 5$ then $c^3 - \frac{1}{c^3}$

(q) 140

(c) $\left(\frac{x}{y} + \frac{y}{x} \right) \left(\frac{x}{y} - \frac{y}{x} \right)$

(r) $\frac{x^2}{y^2} - \frac{y^2}{x^2}$

(d) $(53497)^2 - (53487)^2$

(s) 1069840