

Topic : Binomial Theorem

Type of Questions

M.M., Min.

Single choice Objective (no negative marking) Q.4,5,6,7,13,15	(3 marks, 3 min.)	[18, 18]
Multiple choice objective (no negative marking) Q.14	(5 marks, 4 min.)	[5, 4]
Subjective Questions (no negative marking) Q.1,2,3,8,9,10,11,12	(4 marks, 5 min.)	[32, 40]

1. Find the index 'n' of the binomial $\left(\frac{x}{5} + \frac{2}{5}\right)^n$ if the 9th term of the expansion has numerically the greatest coefficient ($n \in \mathbb{N}$).

2. If $(3\sqrt{3} + 5)^n = p + f$, where p is an integer and f is a proper fraction, then find the value of $(3\sqrt{3} - 5)^n$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

3. Show that the integral part in $(6\sqrt{6} + 14)^{2n+1}$ is even, $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

4. Find numerically greatest term in the expansion of $(2 + 3x)^9$, when $x = 3/2$.
(A) ${}^9C_6 \cdot 2^9 \cdot (3/2)^{12}$ (B) ${}^9C_3 \cdot 2^9 \cdot (3/2)^6$ (C) ${}^9C_5 \cdot 2^9 \cdot (3/2)^{10}$ (D) ${}^9C_4 \cdot 2^9 \cdot (3/2)^8$

5. The numerically greatest term in the expansion of $(2x + 5y)^{34}$, when $x = 3$ & $y = 2$ is :
(A) T_{21} (B) T_{22} (C) T_{23} (D) T_{24}

6. The greatest integer less than or equal to $(\sqrt{2} + 1)^6$ is
(A) 196 (B) 197 (C) 198 (D) 199

7. Let $(5 + 2\sqrt{6})^n = p + f$, where $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $p \in \mathbb{N}$ and $0 < f < 1$, then the value of $f^2 - f + pf - p$ is:
(A) a natural number (B) a negative integer (C) a prime number (D) an irrational number

8. $\frac{C_1}{C_0} + 2 \frac{C_2}{C_1} + 3 \frac{C_3}{C_2} + \dots + n \frac{C_n}{C_{n-1}} = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

9. $(C_0 + C_1)(C_1 + C_2)(C_2 + C_3)(C_3 + C_4)\dots\dots(C_{n-1} + C_n) = \frac{C_0 C_1 C_2 \dots C_{n-1} (n+1)^n}{n!}$

10. $C_0 - 2C_1 + 3C_2 - 4C_3 + \dots + (-1)^n (n+1) C_n = 0$

11. $2 \cdot C_0 + \frac{2^2 \cdot C_1}{2} + \frac{2^3 \cdot C_2}{3} + \frac{2^4 \cdot C_3}{4} + \dots + \frac{2^{n+1} \cdot C_n}{n+1} = \frac{3^{n+1} - 1}{n+1}$

12. Prove that $nC_r + n-1C_r + n-2C_r + \dots + rC_r = n+1C_{r+1}$

13. The value of the expression $\left(\sum_{r=0}^{10} {}^{10}C_r \right) \left(\sum_{K=0}^{10} (-1)^K \frac{{}^{10}C_K}{2^K} \right)$ is :

(A) 2^{10}

(B) 2^{20}

(C) 1

(D) 2^5

14. The sum of the co-efficients in the expansion of $(1 - 2x + 5x^2)^n$ is a and the sum of the co-efficients in the expansion of $(1 + x)^{2n}$ is b. Then:

(A) $a = b$

(B) $(x - a)^2 + (x - b)^2 = 0$, has real roots

(C) $\sin^2 a + \cos^2 b = 1$

(D) $ab = 1$

15. $\frac{{}^{11}C_0}{1} + \frac{{}^{11}C_1}{2} + \frac{{}^{11}C_2}{3} + \dots + \frac{{}^{11}C_{10}}{11} =$

(A) $\frac{2^{11}-1}{11}$

(B) $\frac{2^{11}-1}{6}$

(C) $\frac{3^{11}-1}{11}$

(D) $\frac{3^{11}-1}{6}$

Answers Key

1. $n = 12$

2. 1 – f, if n is even and f, if n is odd

4. (A)

5. (B)

6. (B)

7. (B)

13. (C)

14. (A)(B)(C)

15. (B)