

**Unit 2: Differentiation**

- 1) Let  $f$  be a real value function and  $x \in D_f$   
then  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$  when it exists is  
called  
A) The derivative of  $f$  at  $a$   
B) The derivative of  $f$  at  $h$   
C) The derivative of  $f$  at  $x$   
D) The derivative of  $f$  at  $x = h$
- 2) The value of the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{x^7 - a^7}{x - a}$  is equal to  
A) 0  
B) 0/0  
C)  $7a^7$   
D)  $7a^6$
- 3) The derivative of  $\frac{ax+b}{cx+d}$  w.r.t  $\frac{ax+b}{cx+d}$  is  
A)  $\frac{b}{(cx+d)^2}$   
B)  $\frac{a}{(cx+d)^2}$   
C) 1  
D) 0
- 4) The slope of the tangent to the curve  $y = x^3 + 5$  at the point (1, 2) is  
A) 6  
B) 2  
C) 5  
D) 3
- 5) If a particle thrown vertically upward move according to the law,  $x = 32t - 16t^2$  ( $x$  in ft,  $t$  in sec) then the height attained by the particle when the velocity is zero is  
A) 0  
B)  $32t$   
C) 16ft  
D) 2ft
- 6) If a particle moves according to the law  $x = 16t - 4$  then acceleration at time  $t = 20$  is  
A) 6  
B) 0  
C) 116  
D) 4
- 7) If a particle moves according to the law  $x = e^t$  then velocity at time  $t = 0$  is  
A) 0  
B) 1  
C)  $e$   
D) none of these
- 8) If  $x = 2t$ ,  $y = t^2$  then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is equal to  
A)  $4t$   
B) 2  
C)  $t$   
D) 4
- 9) The derivative of  $\sin(a + b)$  w.r.t  $x$  is  
A)  $\cos(a + b)$   
B)  $-\cos(a + b)$   
C)  $\cos(a - b)$   
D) 0
- 10) The derivative of  $x \sin a$  w.r.t  $x$  is  
A)  $\cos a$   
B)  $x \cos a + \sin a$   
C)  $-x \cos a + \sin a$   
D)  $\sin a$

- 11) The derivative of  $\frac{x+a}{\sin a}$  w.r.t x is
- A)  $\frac{\sin a - (x+a)\cos a}{(\sin a)^2}$   
 B)  $\frac{\sin a - \cos a}{\sin^2 a}$   
 C)  $\frac{\sin a - x - a}{\sin^2 a}$   
 D)  $\frac{1}{\sin a}$
- 12) The derivative of  $\frac{\sin a}{\cos a}$  w.r.t x is
- A)  $\sec^2(ax + b)$   
 B)  $\frac{\cos a}{\sin a}$   
 C)  $\frac{-\cos a}{\sin a}$   
 D) 0
- 13) The derivative of  $\tan(ax + b)$  w.r.t  $\tan(ax + b)$  is
- A)  $\sec^2(ax + b)$   
 B)  $a \sec^2(ax + b)$   
 C)  $b \sec^2(ax + b)$   
 D) 1
- 14) If  $x = 2\cos^7\theta$ ,  $y = 4\sin^7\theta$  then  $dy/dx$  is equal to
- A)  $4\tan^7\theta$   
 B)  $-4\tan^7\theta$   
 C)  $4\tan^5\theta$   
 D)  $-2\tan^5\theta$
- 15) The derivative of  $(\sec^{-1} x + \operatorname{cosec}^{-1}x)$  is equal to
- A)  $\frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2-1}}$   
 B)  $\frac{1}{1+a^2}$   
 C) 0  
 D)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}$
- 16) The derivative of  $\sin^{-1}a + \tan^{-1} a$  w.r.t x is equal to
- A)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-a^2}}$   
 B)  $\frac{1}{1+a^2}$   
 C)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-a^2}} + \frac{1}{1+a^2}$   
 D) 0
- 17) The value of e as sum of the series is
- A)  $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots$   
 B)  $1 + 2 + \frac{1}{3} + \dots$   
 C)  $1 + \frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3!} + \dots$   
 D)  $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots$
- 18) The base of the natural logarithmic function is
- A) 10  
 B) 2  
 C) e  
 D) none of these
- 19) The natural exponential function is defined by the equation
- A)  $y = a^x$   
 B)  $y = 2^x$   
 C)  $y = e^x$   
 D)  $y = 3^x$
- 20) The derivative of  $\sin(\sin a)$  w.r.t x is
- A)  $\cos(\sin a)$   
 B)  $\cos(\sin a) \cos a$   
 C)  $\cos(\cos a)$   
 D) 0
- 21) If  $a^y = x$  then the value of y is
- A)  $ax$   
 B)  $\log_a x$   
 C)  $x/a$   
 D)  $a/x$

- 22) If  $\frac{y}{x} = \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{y}$  then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is
- A)  $xy$   
 B)  $\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2}$   
 C)  $\frac{1}{1 + y^2}$   
 D)  $\frac{y}{x}$
- 23) The derivative of  $\exp(\sin x)$  is
- A)  $\exp(\cos x)$   
 B)  $\sin x \exp(\cos x)$   
 C)  $(\cos x) \exp(\sin x)$   
 D)  $\cos x \exp(\cos x)$
- 24) The derivative of  $e^2$  w.r.to  $x$  is
- A)  $2e$   
 B)  $2$   
 C)  $1$   
 D)  $0$
- 25) The derivative of  $X^x$  is
- A)  $X^{x-1}$   
 B)  $X \cdot X^{x-1}$   
 C)  $X^x (1 + \ln x)$   
 D)  $X^x \ln x$
- 26) If  $\delta x$  or  $dx$  is quite small then the difference between  $\delta y$  and  $\delta y$  will be
- A) very large  
 B) large  
 C) small  
 D) negligible
- 27) If radius of a circular disc is unity then its area will be
- A)  $\pi \chi^2$   
 B)  $2\pi \chi$   
 C)  $\pi$   
 D)  $2\pi$
- 28) the derivative of the function  $f(x) = \sin x + \sin x + \dots$  up to 9 times, is
- A)  $\cos x + \cos x + \cos x$   
 B)  $9 \cos x$   
 C)  $9 \sin x$   
 D)  $3 \cos x$
- 29) If  $x = \cos^2 \theta$ ,  $y = 4 \sin^2 \theta$  then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is
- A)  $-2$   
 B)  $2$   
 C)  $-4$   
 D)  $4$
- 30) The derivative of the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\cos ecx}$  is
- A)  $\sec^2 45^\circ \cos x$   
 B)  $\sec^2 45^\circ \sin x$   
 C)  $-\operatorname{Cosec}^2 45^\circ \cot x$   
 D)  $\cos x$
- 31) The derivative of the function  $y = \tan x$  is
- A)  $\tan x \sec^2 45^\circ + \sec^2 x \tan 45^\circ$   
 B)  $\sec^2 x \sec^2 45^\circ$   
 C)  $\sec^2 45^\circ$   
 D)  $\sec^2 x$
- 32) A particle thrown vertically upward, moves according to the law,  $x = 32 - 16t^2$  ( $x$  in ft,  $t$  in sec) then the maximum height attained by the particle is
- A) 32ft  
 B) 16ft  
 C) 48ft  
 D) 2ft
- 33) If in a function  $y = x^2 - 2x$ ,  $x = 4$ , increment in  $x = 0.5$  then the value of differential of the dependent variable is
- A) 4.5  
 B) 3.5  
 C) 3  
 D) 2.5

- 34) If  $y = e^{2x}$  then  $y_9$  is
- A)  $e^{-2x}$   
 B)  $2^9$   
 C)  $2^9 e^{2x}$   
 D)  $2^8 e^{2x}$
- 35) In the interval  $(-\infty, \infty)$  the function defined by the equation  $y = x^3$  is
- A) increasing  
 B) decreasing  
 C) constant  
 D) even
- 36) The origin for the function  $y = x^3$  is a point of
- A) Maxima  
 B) Minima  
 C) Inflexion  
 D) Absolute Maxima
- 37) If  $f'(c)$  exists then  $f(c)$  is a maximum or minimum value of  $f$ , only if
- A)  $f'(c) > 0$   
 B)  $f'(c) < 0$   
 C)  $f'(c) = 0$   
 D)  $f'(c) = 1$
- 39) If  $f'(c) < 0$  for every  $c \in (a, b)$  then  $f$  is
- A) increasing  
 B) decreasing  
 C) constant  
 D) zero
- 40) A function  $f$  will have a minimum value at  $x = a$ , if  $f'(a) = 0$  and  $f''(a)$  is
- A) + ve  
 B) - ve  
 C) 0  
 D)  $\infty$
- 41) The function  $f(x) = x^2$  increases in the interval
- A)  $[1, 5]$   
 B)  $[-1, 5]$   
 C)  $[-5, 1]$   
 D)  $[-5, -1]$
- 42) The function  $f(x) = 1 - x^2$  increases in the interval
- A)  $(-5, 1)$   
 B)  $(-5, 2)$   
 C)  $(-5, 3)$   
 D)  $(-5, -1)$
- 43) The function  $f(x) = 1 - x^3$  decreases in the interval
- A)  $(-1, 1)$   
 B)  $(-2, 2)$   
 C)  $(-3, 3)$   
 D) All A, B and C are true
- 44) In the interval  $(-2, 3)$  the function  $f(x) = x^2$  is
- A) increasing  
 B) decreasing  
 C) neither increasing nor decreasing  
 D) maximum
- 45) The function  $f(x) = \frac{2}{x}$  is decreasing in the interval
- A)  $(0, 2)$   
 B)  $(0, 3)$   
 C)  $(0, 4)$   
 D) All A, B, C are true
- 46) The function  $f(x) = x^3 - 1$  is increasing in the interval
- A)  $(-5, -1)$   
 B)  $(-5, 1)$   
 C)  $(-5, 5)$   
 D) All A, B, C are true
- 47) The function  $f(x) = 1 - x^3$  has a point of inflexion at
- A) origin  
 B)  $x = 2$   
 C)  $x = -1$   
 D)  $x = 1$
- 48) The function  $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 2$  has a minima at
- A)  $x = 1$   
 B)  $x = 3/2$

- C)  $x = 3$   
 D)  $x = 2$
- 49) The function  $f(x) = \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{3x^2}{2} + 2x$  has minima at
- A)  $x = 0$   
 B)  $x = 1$   
 C)  $x = -1$   
 D)  $x = 2$
- 50) In the interval  $(0, \frac{p}{2})$  the function  $f(x) = \cos x$  is
- A) increasing  
 B) decreasing  
 C) neither increasing nor decreasing  
 D) constant
- 51) The function  $f(x) = 3x^2 - 4x + 5$  has a minima at
- A)  $x = 2/3$   
 B)  $x = 2$   
 C)  $x = 3$   
 D)  $x = -2$
- 52) The function  $f(x) = 5x^2 - 6x + 2$  has a minima at
- A)  $x = 3$   
 B)  $x = 5$   
 C)  $x = 3/5$   
 D)  $x = -3/5$
- 53) In the interval  $(0, \pi)$  the function  $\sin x$  has a maxima at the point
- A)  $x = 0$   
 B)  $x = \pi/2$   
 C)  $x = \pi$   
 D)  $x = \pi/4$
- 54) In the interval  $(0, \pi)$  the function  $f(x) = \sin x$  has a minimum value at the point
- A)  $x = 0$   
 B)  $x = \pi/2$   
 C)  $x = \pi/4$   
 D)  $x = \pi$
- 55) In the interval  $[-\frac{p}{2}, \frac{p}{2}]$  the function  $f(x) = \cos x$  has a maxima at
- A)  $x = \pi/2$   
 B)  $x = -\pi/2$   
 C)  $x = 0$   
 D)  $x = \pi/4$
- 56) The function  $f(x) = \sin x$  decreases in the interval
- A)  $(0, \frac{p}{2})$   
 B)  $(p, \frac{3p}{2})$   
 C)  $(\frac{3p}{2}, 2p)$   
 D)  $(0, \frac{p}{2})$
- 57) The function  $f(x) = \cos x$  increases in the interval
- A)  $(0, \frac{p}{2})$   
 B)  $(\frac{p}{2}, p)$   
 C)  $(\frac{p}{2}, \frac{2p}{3})$   
 D)  $(\frac{3p}{2}, 2p)$
- 58) The function  $f(x) = \tan x$  increases in the interval
- A)  $(0, \frac{p}{2})$   
 B)  $(\frac{p}{2}, p)$   
 C)  $(p, \frac{3p}{2})$   
 D) All A, B, C is true

- 59) The function  $f(x) = \cot x$  decreases in the interval
- A)  $\left(0, \frac{p}{2}\right)$   
 B)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$   
 C)  $\left(p, \frac{3p}{2}\right)$   
 D) All A, B, C are true
- 60) The function  $f(x) = \sec x$  increases in the interval
- A)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$   
 B)  $\left(p, \frac{3p}{2}\right)$   
 C)  $\left(\frac{3p}{2}, 2p\right)$   
 D)  $\left(p, \frac{5p}{4}\right)$
- 61) The function  $f(x) = \sec x$  decreases in the interval
- A)  $\left(0, \frac{p}{2}\right)$   
 B)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$   
 C)  $\left(p, \frac{3p}{2}\right)$
- D)  $\left(0, \frac{p}{3}\right)$
- 62) The function  $\operatorname{cosec} x$  increases in the interval
- A)  $\left(0, \frac{p}{2}\right)$   
 B)  $\left(p, \frac{3p}{2}\right)$   
 C)  $\left(\frac{3p}{2}, 2p\right)$   
 D)  $\left(0, \frac{p}{4}\right)$
- 63) The function  $\operatorname{cosec} x$  decreases in the interval
- A)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$   
 B)  $\left(p, \frac{3p}{2}\right)$   
 C)  $\left(\frac{3p}{2}, 2p\right)$   
 D)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, \frac{2p}{3}\right)$
- 64) Two positive real numbers, whose sum is 40 and whose product is a maximum are
- A) 30, 10  
 B) 25, 15  
 C) 20, 20  
 D) 19, 21

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