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BIM/ First Semester/ MTH 204: Basic Mathematics

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Group A

[10X2=20]

Brief Answer Questions:

- Solve the differential eqn $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{ax+by}$.
- Write down the order and degree of differential eqn $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 5\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 8\frac{dy}{dx} - 6 = 0$
- Integrate $\int 3^x dx$
- Find the point of inflection when $y = 3x^3 - 4x^2 + 8x - 9$
- Find the area bounded by the curve $y^2 = 4ax$, x-axis and two ordinates at $x = 0$ and $x = 2$.
- Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3x^3 + 4x^2 - 8}{4x^3 - 5x^2 + 7} \right)$
- What are the complex cube roots of unity?
- Write the inequality $-5 \leq x \leq -2$ using absolute value sign.
- If $A = [-1, 3)$ and $B = [2, 4]$, find $A - B$ and $B - A$.
- If $n(A - B) = 24$, $n(B - A) = 14$, $n(A \cap B) = 11$, find $n(A \cup B)$.

Group B

[6X5=30]

Short Answer Questions (Attempt any SIX questions):

- Find the square root of $3 - 4i$.
 - Express $2 + 2\sqrt{3}i$ in polar form.
- Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\sqrt{3a-x} - \sqrt{x+a}}{4(x-a)}$
- A function $y = f(x)$ is defined by
$$\begin{cases} Ax^2 + 5x - 9, & x < 1 \\ B, & x = 1 \\ (3-x)(A-2x), & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

If it is continuous for all x , find 'A' & 'B'
- Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ when
 - $y = (3x^2 + 4x - 5)^{\frac{1}{2}}$
 - $x^2 + y^2 = 4$
- Integrate the following
 - $\int \frac{dx}{x(1+\log x)}$
 - $\int x^n \log x dx$
- Solve the differential eqn $\frac{dy}{dx} + ay = e^{mx}$
- If the marginal revenue function is $MR = \frac{ab}{(x+b)^2} - c$, find the demand law (or function) $p(x)$

Group C

[3X10=30]

Long Answer Questions (Attempt any THREE questions):

18. There are three brands of fertilizers X, Y and Z. 'X' contains 1 unit of nitre, 2 units of potash and 3 units of phosphate. Y contains 3 units of nitre, 1 unit of potash and 2 units of phosphate. Z contains 2 units of nitre, 3 units of potash and 1 unit of phosphate. If 11 units of nitre, 10 units of potash and 9 units of phosphate are necessary for a field, how much each type of fertilizers required for it? Solve by Cramer's rule or inverse matrix method.

19. In a group of 200 students, 100 are interested in music, 70 are interested in photography, 40 like swimming, 40 are interested in music and photography, 30 are interested in music and swimming, 20 are interested in photography and swimming and 10 are interested in all three activities. Find the number of students that are interested in

- exactly two activities.
- at least one activities.
- None of the activities.

20. If the marginal revenue and the marginal cost for an output x of a commodity are given by $MR = 5 - 4x + 3x^2$ and $MC = 3 + 2x$ and if the fixed cost is zero, find

- the total revenue function.
- the cost function.
- profit function.
- demand function.

21. The demand and supply functions for a commodity are $P_d = 23 - x^2$ and $P_s = 2x^2 - 4$ respectively. Find the consumer's surplus (CS), producer's Surplus (PS) and the total surplus (TS) at the market equilibrium price.

Group D

[1X20=20]

Comprehensive Answer Question:

22. Let the cost function of a firm be given by $c(x) = 300x - 10x^2 + \frac{x^3}{3}$ where x is an output. Calculate:

- the minimum marginal cost.
- the minimum average cost.
- the output at which average cost is equal to marginal cost.
- show that the marginal cost and average cost are equal at the minimum average cost. (6+6+6+2)

Group A

Q. No. 1

Solution,

The given differential equation is $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{ax+by}$

$$\text{or } \frac{dy}{dx} = e^{ax+by}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{dy}{dx} = e^{ax} \cdot e^{by}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{dy}{e^{by}} = e^{ax} dx$$

$$\text{or } e^{-by} dy = e^{ax} dx$$

Integrating on both sides,

$$\int e^{-by} dy = \int e^{ax} dx$$

$$\text{or } \frac{e^{-by}}{-b} = \frac{e^{ax}}{a} + c$$

$$\text{or } -\frac{e^{-by}}{b} = \frac{e^{ax}}{a} + c$$

$$\text{or } \frac{e^{ax}}{a} + \frac{e^{-by}}{b} = c \text{ is the required solution.}$$

Q.No. 2

Solution,

The given differential equation is $\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} + 5 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 8 \frac{dy}{dx} - 6 = 0$

$$\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} + 5 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 8 \frac{dy}{dx} - 6 = 0$$

Order (Highest order derivative) = 3

Degree (power of Highest order derivative) = 1

Q.No. 3

Solution,

$$\int 3^x dx$$

$$= \frac{3^x}{\ln 3}$$

$$\left[\because \int a^x dx = \frac{a^x}{\ln a} \right]$$

Q.No. 4

Solution,

$$y = 3x^3 - 4x^2 + 8x - 9$$

Let $y = f(x) = 3x^3 - 4x^2 + 8x - 9$

Differentiating both sides with respect to 'x'.

$$f'(x) = \frac{d(3x^3 - 4x^2 + 8x - 9)}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{d(3x^3)}{dx} - \frac{d(4x^2)}{dx} + \frac{d(8x)}{dx} - \frac{d(9)}{dx}$$

$$= 3 \cdot 3x^2 - 4 \cdot 2x + 8 - 0$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 9x^2 - 8x + 8$$

Again,

Differentiating both sides with respect to 'x'

$$f''(x) = \frac{d(9x^2 - 8x + 8)}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{d(9x^2)}{dx} - \frac{d(8x)}{dx} + \frac{d(8)}{dx}$$

$$= 9 \cdot 2x - 8 + 0$$

$$\therefore f''(x) = 18x - 8$$

To find point of inflection.

$$f''(x) = 0$$

$$0 \Rightarrow 18x - 8 = 0$$

$$0 \Rightarrow 18x = 8$$

$$0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{8}{18}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{4}{9}$$

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\therefore The point of inflection is at $x = 4/g$.

Q.No.5

solution,

Given,

$$y^2 = 4ax$$

we know that,

$$\text{Required Area} = \int_a^b y \, dx \quad \dots \dots (i)$$

To get the value of y

$$y^2 = 4ax$$

$$\text{or } y = \pm \sqrt{4ax}$$

$$\text{or } y = \pm 2\sqrt{a}\sqrt{x}$$

$$\therefore y = 2\sqrt{a}\sqrt{x}$$

Ea (i) becomes

$$\text{Required Area} = \int_0^2 2\sqrt{a}\sqrt{x} \, dx$$

$$= 2\sqrt{a} \int_0^2 x^{1/2} \, dx$$

$$= 2\sqrt{a} \left[\frac{x^{1/2+1}}{1/2+1} \right]_0^2$$

$$= 2\sqrt{a} \left[\frac{2x^{3/2}}{3} \right]_0^2$$

$$= 2\sqrt{a} \left[\frac{2 \times 2^{3/2}}{3} - \frac{2 \times 0^{3/2}}{3} \right]$$

$$= 2\sqrt{a} \cdot \frac{2 \cdot 2^{3/2}}{3} \text{ sq. units}$$

Q.No. 6

Solution,

Given,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3x^3 + 4x^2 - 8}{4x^3 - 5x^2 + 7} \right)$$

Dividing Numerator and Denominator by ' x^3 '.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(\frac{3x^3 + 4x^2 - 8}{x^3} \right)}{\left(\frac{4x^3 - 5x^2 + 7}{x^3} \right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(\frac{3x^3}{x^3} + \frac{4x^2}{x^3} - \frac{8}{x^3} \right)}{\left(\frac{4x^3}{x^3} - \frac{5x^2}{x^3} + \frac{7}{x^3} \right)}$$

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$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3 + \frac{4}{x} - \frac{8}{x^3}}{4 - \frac{5}{x} + \frac{7}{x^3}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{3 + \frac{4}{\infty} - \frac{8}{(\infty)^3}}{4 - \frac{5}{\infty} + \frac{7}{(\infty)^3}}$$

$$= \frac{3 + 0 + 0}{4 - 0 + 0} \quad \left[\because \text{finite value} \right. \\ \left. \frac{\quad}{\infty} = 0 \right]$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} //$$

Q.No. 7

Solution

$$\text{let } z^3 = 1$$

$$\text{or, } z^3 - 1 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } z^3 - 1^3 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } (z-1)(z^2+z+1) = 0 \quad \left[\because (a^3-b^3) = (a-b)(a^2+ab+b^2) \right]$$

$$\text{or, } (z-1)(z^2+z+1) = 0$$

either,

$$z-1 = 0$$

$$z = 1$$

$$\text{Or, } z^2 + z + 1 = 0$$

Comparing with $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\therefore a = 1, \quad b = 1, \quad c = 1$$

$$z = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 1}}{2 \times 1}$$

$$= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 - 4}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-1 \times 3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{i^2 \times 3}}{2} \quad [\because i^2 = -1]$$

$$= \frac{-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Taking +ve sign

$$\therefore z = \frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Taking -ve sign

$$\therefore z = \frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

\therefore The complex cube roots of unity are ~~2~~,

$$1, \frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}.$$

Let ' ω ' = $\frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Then ' ω^2 ' = $\frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}$.

Q.No. 8

Solution,

Given,

$$-5 \leq x \leq -2$$

Now,

Adding $\frac{7}{2}$ on all sides

$$\text{or } \frac{-5+7}{2} \leq \frac{x+7}{2} \leq \frac{-2+7}{2}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{-10+7}{2} \leq \frac{2x+7}{2} \leq \frac{-4+7}{2}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{-3}{2} \leq \frac{2x+7}{2} \leq \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{or } -3 \leq 2x+7 \leq 3$$

$$|2x+7| \leq 3$$

$$[\because -a \leq x \leq a \Rightarrow |x| \leq a]$$

Rough

$$a = -5 \quad b = -$$

$$= - \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right)$$

$$= - \left(\frac{-5-2}{2} \right)$$

$$= - \left(\frac{-7}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{7}{2}$$

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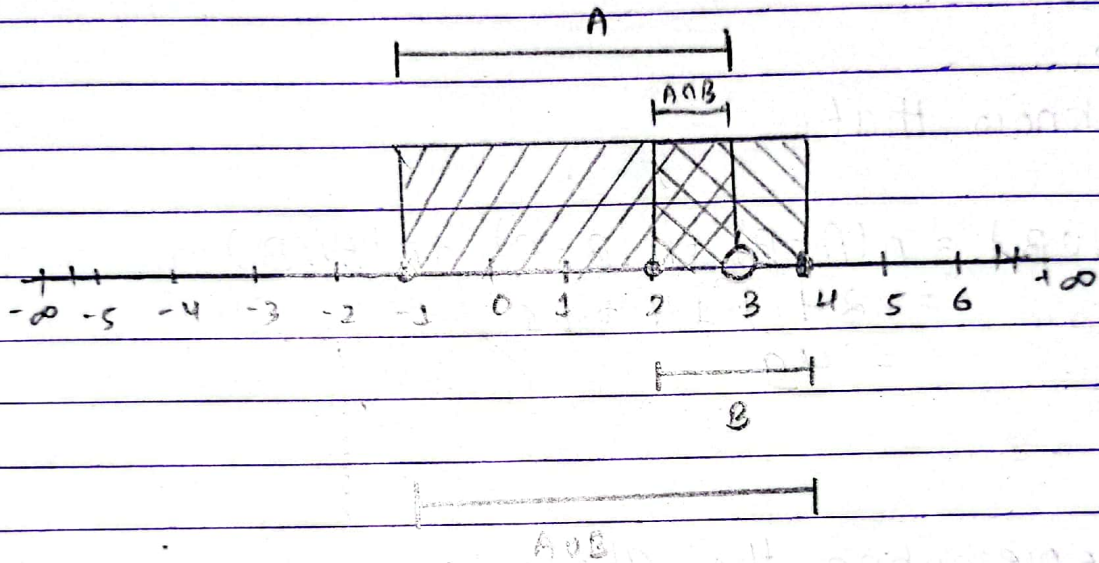
Q. No. 9

Solⁿ,

Given,

$$A = [-1, 3)$$

$$B = [2, 4]$$



$$A - B = [-1, 3) - [2, 4]$$
$$= [-1, 2)$$

$$B - A = [2, 4] - [-1, 3)$$
$$= [3, 4]$$

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Q.No. 10

Solution,

Given,

$$n(A-B) = 24$$

$$n(B-A) = 14$$

$$n(A \cap B) = 11$$

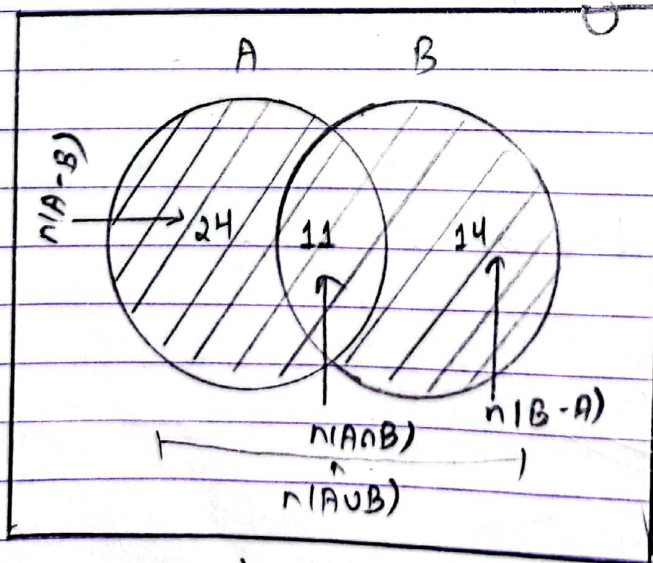
$$n(A \cup B) = ?$$

Now,

we know that,

$$\begin{aligned} n(A \cup B) &= n(A-B) + n(B-A) + n(A \cap B) \\ &= 24 + 14 + 11 \\ &= 49 \end{aligned}$$

Representing the above information in venn-diagram



$n(A \cup B) = \text{shaded region.}$

Group 'B'

Q. No. 11(a) (12)

Solution,

Given,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\sqrt{3a-x} - \sqrt{x+a}}{4(x-a)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\sqrt{3a-x} - \sqrt{x+a}}{4(x-a)} \times \frac{\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a}}{\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(\sqrt{3a-x} - \sqrt{x+a})(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}{4(x-a)(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(\sqrt{3a-x})^2 - (\sqrt{x+a})^2}{4(x-a)(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(3a-x) - (x+a)}{4(x-a)(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{3a-x-x-a}{4(x-a)(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{2a-2x}{4(x-a)(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}$$

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$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{-2x + 2a}{4(x-a)(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{-2(x-a)}{4(x-a)(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{-1}{2(\sqrt{3a-x} + \sqrt{x+a})}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2(\sqrt{3a-a} + \sqrt{a+a})}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2(\sqrt{2a} + \sqrt{2a})}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2(2\sqrt{2a})}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{4\sqrt{2a}} //$$

Q. No. 13

Solution,

Given,

$$y = f(x) = \begin{cases} Ax^2 + 5x - 9, & x < 1 \\ B, & x = 1 \\ (3-x)(A-2x), & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

Since the given function is continuous for all x .

Left Hand limit = Right Hand limit = Functional value

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = f(1)$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} (Ax^2 + 5x - 9) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (3-x)(A-2x) = B$$

$$\therefore Ax^2 + 5x - 9 = (3-x)(A-2x) = B$$

$$\therefore A + 5 - 9 = 2(A - 2) = B$$

$$\therefore A - 4 = 2A - 4 = B$$

Taking 1st and 2nd

$$A - 4 = 2A - 4$$

$$\therefore -4 + 4 = 2A - A$$

$$\therefore A = 0$$

Taking 1st and 3rd

$$A - 4 = B$$

$$\therefore 0 - 4 = B$$

$$\therefore B = -4$$

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\therefore The value of A is 0 and the value of B is -4 .

Q. No. 14 (a)

9. $y = (3x^2 + 4x - 5)^{1/2}$

Differentiating both sides with respect to 'x'.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d(3x^2 + 4x - 5)^{1/2}}{dx}$$

Using chain rule.

$$= \frac{d(3x^2 + 4x - 5)^{1/2}}{d(3x^2 + 4x - 5)} \cdot \frac{d(3x^2 + 4x - 5)}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (3x^2 + 4x - 5)^{1/2 - 1} \left[\frac{d(3x^2)}{dx} + \frac{d(4x)}{dx} - \frac{d(5)}{dx} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (3x^2 + 4x - 5)^{-1/2} [3 \cdot 2x + 4 - 0]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2(3x^2 + 4x - 5)^{1/2}} (6x + 4)$$

$$= \frac{(6x + 4)}{2\sqrt{3x^2 + 4x - 5}}$$

$$= \frac{2(3x + 2)}{2\sqrt{3x^2 + 4x - 5}}$$

$$= \frac{(3x + 2)}{\sqrt{3x^2 + 4x - 5}}$$

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Q.No. 14(b)

b. $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

Differentiating both sides with respect to 'x'.

$$\frac{d(x^2 + y^2)}{dx} = \frac{d(4)}{dx}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{d(x^2)}{dx} + \frac{d(y^2)}{dx} = 0 \quad \left[\because \frac{d(\text{constant})}{dx} = 0 \right]$$

$$\text{or } 2x + \frac{dy^2}{dy} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\text{or } 2x + 2y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \quad \left[\because \frac{dx^n}{dx} = nx^{n-1} \right]$$

$$\text{or } 2x = -2y \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{2x}{-2y} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-x}{y} //$$

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Q.No. 15 (a)

a. $\int \frac{dx}{x(1+\log x)}$

Solution,

put $(1+\log x) = t$ --- (i)

Differentiating both sides with respect to 'x'.

$$\frac{d(1+\log x)}{dx} = \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d(1)}{dx} + \frac{d(\log x)}{dx} = \frac{dt}{dx} \quad \left[\because \frac{d(\log x)}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} \right]$$

$$\therefore 0 + \frac{1}{x} = \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dx}{x} = dt \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

substituting the value of $\frac{dx}{x}$.

$$\int \frac{dx}{x(1+\log x)} = \int \frac{dx}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{(1+\log x)}$$

$$= \int dt \cdot \frac{1}{t} \quad \text{[From eq. (i) & (ii)]}$$

Ans =

$$\int \frac{dt}{t} \quad \left[\because \frac{dx}{x} = \log x + c \right]$$

$$= \log t + k$$

[From eq. (i)]

$$= \log(1+\log x) + k //$$

Q.No. 15 (b)

$$\int x^n \log x \, dx$$

$$= \int \log x x^n \, dx$$

- Integrating by parts

$$= \log x \int x^n \, dx - \int \left(\frac{d}{dx} \log x \int x^n \, dx \right) dx$$

$$= \log x \cdot \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} - \int \left(\frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \cdot \log x - \frac{1}{n+1} \int \frac{x^{n+1}}{x} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \cdot \log x - \frac{1}{n+1} \int x^{n+1-1} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \log x - \frac{1}{n+1} \int x^n \, dx$$

$$= \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \log x - \frac{1}{n+1} \cdot \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + c$$

$$= \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \cdot \log x - \frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)^2} + c //$$

Q. No. 16

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + ay = e^{mx}$$

Comparing with $\frac{dy}{dx} + Py = Q$.

$$\therefore P = a \quad \therefore Q = e^{mx}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Integrating Factor (I.F.)} &= e^{\int P dx} \\ &= e^{\int a dx} \\ &= e^{ax} \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$y \times \text{I.F.} = \int (Q \times \text{I.F.}) dx + c$$

$$\text{or, } y \times e^{ax} = \int (e^{mx} \times e^{ax}) dx + c$$

$$\text{or, } y e^{ax} = \int e^{mx+ax} dx + c$$

$$\text{or, } y e^{ax} = \int e^{x(m+a)} dx$$

$$\text{or, } y e^{ax} = \frac{e^{x(m+a)}}{(m+a)} + c \quad \left[\because \int e^{ax} dx = \frac{e^{ax} + c}{a} \right]$$

$$\therefore y e^{ax} = \frac{e^{x(m+a)}}{(m+a)} + c$$

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Q.No.17

Solution,

Given,

$$\text{Marginal Revenue } MR(x) = \frac{ab}{(x+b)^2} - c$$

$$\text{Total Revenue } TR(x) = \int MR(x) dx$$

$$= \int \left(\frac{ab}{(x+b)^2} - c \right) dx$$

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

$$= ab \int (x+b)^{-2} dx - (cx + k)$$

$$= ab \cdot \frac{(x+b)^{-2+1}}{1(-2+1)} - cx + k$$

$$= ab \frac{(x+b)^{-1}}{-1} - cx + k$$

$$\therefore TR(x) = \frac{-ab}{(x+b)} - cx + k \quad \dots (i)$$

When $x = 0$

$$TR(0) = \frac{-ab}{(0+b)} - c(0) + k$$

$$\text{or, } 0 = \frac{-ab}{b} - 0 + k$$

$$\therefore k = a$$

Eq²(i) becomes.

$$TR(x) = \frac{-ab}{(x+b)} - (cx + a)$$

$$\text{Demand Law} = \frac{TR(x)}{x}$$

$$= \frac{-ab}{x(x+b)} - (cx + a)$$

$$= \frac{-ab}{x(x+b)} + \frac{a(x+b)}{x(x+b)} - c$$

$$= \frac{-ab + a(x+b)}{x(x+b)} - c$$

$$= \frac{-ab + ax + ab}{x(x+b)} - c$$

$$= \frac{ax}{x(x+b)} - c$$

$$= \frac{a}{(x+b)} - c //$$

Group 'C'

Q. No. 18

Solution,

	Nitre	Potash	Phosphate
X	Potash 1	2	3
Y	3	1	2
Z	2	3	1
Total	11	10	9

Let the type of fertilizer 'X' be x , 'Y' be y and 'Z' be z . Then.

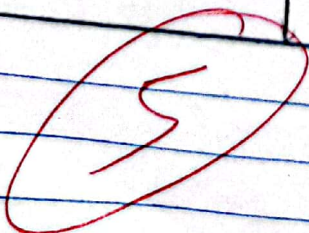
$$x + 3y + 2z = 11 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$2x + y + 3z = 10 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$3x + 2y + z = 9 \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Using Cramer's rule

Coefficient of x	Coefficient of y	Coefficient of z	constant term
1	3	2	11
2	1	3	10
3	2	1	9



$$D = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding 'D' along 'R₁'

$$= 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(1 \times 1 - 3 \times 2) - 3(2 \times 1 - 3 \times 3) + 2(2 \times 2 - 3 \times 1)$$

$$= 1(1 - 6) - 3(2 - 9) + 2(4 - 3)$$

$$= 1(-5) - 3(-7) + 2(1)$$

$$= -5 + 21 + 2$$

$$= 18$$

$$D_1 = \begin{vmatrix} 11 & 3 & 2 \\ 10 & 1 & 3 \\ 9 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding 'D₁' along 'R₁'

$$= 11 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 10 & 3 \\ 9 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} 10 & 1 \\ 9 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 11(1 \times 1 - 2 \times 3) - 3(10 \times 1 - 9 \times 3) + 2(10 \times 2 - 9 \times 1)$$

$$= 11(1 - 6) - 3(10 - 27) + 2(20 - 9)$$

$$= 11(-5) - 3(-17) + 2(11)$$

$$= -55 + 51 + 22$$

$$= 18$$

$$D_2 = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 11 & 2 \\ 2 & 10 & 3 \\ 3 & 9 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding 'D₂' along 'R₁'

$$= 1 \begin{vmatrix} 10 & 3 \\ 9 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 11 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 10 \\ 3 & 9 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(10 \times 1 - 9 \times 3) - 11(2 \times 1 - 3 \times 3) + 2(9 \times 2 - 10 \times 3)$$

$$= 1(10 - 27) - 11(2 - 9) + 2(18 - 30)$$

$$= 1(-17) - 11(-7) + 2(-12)$$

$$= -17 + 77 - 24$$

$$= 36$$

$$D_3 = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 11 \\ 2 & 1 & 10 \\ 3 & 2 & 9 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding 'D₃' along 'R₁'

$$= 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 10 \\ 2 & 9 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 10 \\ 3 & 9 \end{vmatrix} + 11 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

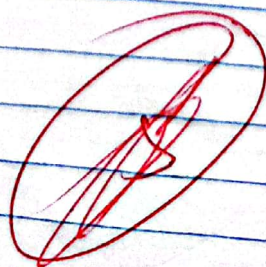
$$= 1(1 \times 9 - 2 \times 10) - 3(9 \times 2 - 3 \times 10) + 11(2 \times 2 - 3 \times 1)$$

$$= 1(9 - 20) - 3(18 - 30) + 11(4 - 3)$$

$$= 1(-11) - 3(-12) + 11(1)$$

$$= -11 + 36 + 11$$

$$= 36$$



Using Cramer's rule

$$x = \frac{D_1}{D} = \frac{18}{18} = 1$$

$$y = \frac{D_2}{D} = \frac{36}{18} = 2$$

$$z = \frac{D_3}{D} = \frac{36}{18} = 2$$

\therefore 1 unit of fertilizer 'X', 2 unit of fertilizer 'Y' and '2' unit of fertilizer 'Z' is required for it.

Q. No. 20

Solution,

Given,

$$\text{Marginal Revenue } MR(x) = 5 - 4x + 3x^2$$

$$\text{Marginal Cost } MC(x) = 3 + 2x$$

$$\text{Fixed Cost} = 0$$

a) Total Revenue Function:

$$\text{Total Revenue } TR(x) = \int MR(x) dx$$

$$= \int (5 - 4x + 3x^2) dx$$

$$= \int 5 dx - \int 4x dx + \int 3x^2 dx$$

$$= 5x - \frac{4x^2}{2} + \frac{3x^3}{3} + k$$

$$\therefore TR(x) = 5x - 2x^2 + x^3 + k \quad \dots (i)$$

When $x = 0$

$$TR(0) = 5 \times 0 - 2 \times 0^2 + 0^3 + k$$

$$\therefore k = 0$$

Eqⁿ (i) becomes

$$TR(x) = 5x - 2x^2 + x^3$$

\therefore The total revenue function is $5x - 2x^2 + x^3$.

b. The cost function.

$$\therefore \text{Total cost } TC(x) = \int MC(x) dx$$

$$= \int (3 + 2x) dx$$

$$= \int 3 dx + \int 2x dx$$

$$= 3x + \frac{2x^2}{2} + k$$

$$\therefore TC(x) = 3x + x^2 + k \quad \dots (ii)$$

When $x = 0$

$$TC(0) = 3 \times 0 + 0^2 + k$$

$$\text{Or } 0 = k$$

Eqⁿ (ii) becomes

$$\therefore TC(x) = 3x + x^2$$

\therefore The total cost function is $3x + x^2$.

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c. Profit Function:

$$\begin{aligned}\pi(x) &= TR(x) - TC(x) \\ &= 5x - 2x^2 + x^3 - 3x - x^2 \\ &= 2x - 3x^2 + x^3 \\ &= x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x\end{aligned}$$

\therefore The profit function is $x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x$.

d. Demand Function:

$$\text{Demand} = \frac{TR(x)}{x} \quad \left(\frac{\text{Total Revenue}}{\text{Quantity}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{5x - 2x^2 + x^3}{x}$$

$$= 5 - 2x + x^2$$

\therefore The demand function is $5 - 2x + x^2$.

Q.No.21

Solution,

Given,

$$\text{Demand } (P_d) = 23 - x^2$$

$$\text{Supply } (P_s) = 2x^2 - 4$$

At market equilibrium

$$P_d = P_s$$

$$0.1. \quad 23 - x^2 = 2x^2 - 4$$

$$0.1. \quad 23 + 4 = 2x^2 + x^2$$

$$0.1. \quad 27 = 3x^2$$

$$0.1. \quad x^2 = 9$$

$$0.1. \quad x = \pm \sqrt{9}$$

$$0.1. \quad x = \pm 3$$

$$\therefore x = 3 \quad (-3 \text{ is rejected})$$

When $x = 3$

$$\text{Price} = 2(3)^2 - 4$$

$$= 2 \times 9 - 4$$

$$= 18 - 4$$

$$= 14$$

$$\text{Consumer's surplus } (C.S(x)) = \int_0^x P_d(x) dx - P \times x$$

$$= \int_0^3 (23 - x^2) dx - 14 \times 3$$

$$= \left[23x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^3 - 42$$

$$= \left[\left(\frac{23 \times 3 - 3^3}{3} \right) - \left(\frac{23 \times 0 - 0^3}{3} \right) \right] - 42$$

$$= (69 - 9) - 42$$

$$= 60 - 42$$

$$= 18$$

$$\text{Producer's surplus } P.S(x) = px - \int_0^x P_s(x) dx$$

$$= 14 \times 3 - \int_0^3 (2x^2 - 4) dx$$

$$= 42 - \left[\frac{2x^3}{3} - 4x \right]_0^3$$

$$= 42 - \left[\left(\frac{2 \times 3^3}{3} - 4 \times 3 \right) - \left(\frac{2 \times 0}{3} - 4 \times 0 \right) \right]$$

$$= 42 - (18 - 12) - 0$$

$$= 42 - 6$$

$$= 36$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total surplus (ts)} &= \text{Consumer Surplus} + \text{Producer surplus} \\ &= 18 + 36 \\ &= 54 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore The consumer's surplus is 18, producer surplus is 36 and total surplus is 54.

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Group 'D'

Q. No. 22

Solution

Given,

$$C(x) = 300x - 10x^2 + \frac{x^3}{3}$$

a. Minimum marginal cost

Solⁿ,

For minimum marginal cost

~~$C'(x) = d$~~
Marginal cost $m(x) = \frac{dC(x)}{dx}$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} \left(300x - 10x^2 + \frac{x^3}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{d(300x)}{dx} - \frac{d(10x^2)}{dx} + \frac{d\left(\frac{x^3}{3}\right)}{dx}$$

$$= 300 \frac{dx}{dx} - 10 \frac{d(x^2)}{dx} + \frac{1}{3} \frac{d(x^3)}{dx}$$

$$= 300 - 20x + \frac{1}{3} \cdot 3x^2$$

$$\therefore m(x) = 300 - 20x + x^2$$

$$MC'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} (300 - 20x + x^2)$$

$$= \frac{d(300)}{dx} - \frac{d(20x)}{dx} + \frac{d(x^2)}{dx}$$

$$= 0 - 20 + 2x$$

$$\therefore MC'(x) = -20 + 2x \quad \dots \dots (i)$$

At critical point,

$$MC'(x) = 0$$

$$0 \therefore -20 + 2x = 0$$

$$0 \therefore 2x = 20$$

$$\therefore x = 10$$

Again

Differentiating eqⁿ (i) with respect to x .

$$\frac{d}{dx} (MC'(x)) = \frac{d}{dx} (-20 + 2x)$$

$$= \frac{d(-20)}{dx} + \frac{d(2x)}{dx}$$

$$\therefore MC''(x) = 0 + 2$$

when $x = 10$

$$MC''(10) = 2 > 0 \text{ (minimum)}$$

\therefore The marginal cost is minimum at $x = 10$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{marginal cost} &= 300 - 20 \times 10 + 10^2 \\ &= 300 - 200 + 100 \\ &= 200 \end{aligned}$$

b. minimum Average cost

$$\text{Average cost} = \frac{\text{Cost function}}{\text{Quantity}}$$

$$= \frac{C(x)}{x}$$

$$= \frac{300x - 10x^2 + x^3}{3x}$$

$$\therefore A(x) = 300 - 10x + \frac{x^2}{3} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

For minimum $A(x)$

Differentiating eqⁿ (i) with respect to 'x'.

$$\frac{dA(x)}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(300 - 10x + \frac{x^2}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{d(300)}{dx} - \frac{d(10x)}{dx} + \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^2}{3} \right)$$

$$= 0 - 10 + \frac{1}{3} \frac{d(x^2)}{dx}$$

$$= -10 + \frac{1}{3} \cdot 2x$$

$$\therefore AC'(x) = -10 + \frac{2x}{3} \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

At critical point, $AC'(x) = 0$

$$0 = -10 + \frac{2x}{3} = 0$$

$$0 \therefore \frac{2}{3}x = 10$$

$$0 \therefore 2x = 30$$

$$0 \therefore x = 15$$

Again,

Differentiating ea^n (if) with respect to 'x'.

$$\frac{d}{dx} AC'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(-10 + \frac{2}{3}x \right)$$

$$= \frac{d(-10)}{dx} + \frac{d\left(\frac{2}{3}x\right)}{dx}$$

$$= 0 + \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{dx}{dx}$$

$$\therefore AC''(x) = \frac{2}{3}$$

When $x = 15$

$$AC''(15) = \frac{2}{3} > 0 \text{ (minimum)}$$

\therefore The average cost is minimum at $x = 15$.

$$\text{Minimum Average Cost} = 300 - 10 \times 15 + \frac{15^2}{3}$$

$$= 300 - 150 + 75$$

$$= 225$$

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c) output at which average cost is equal to marginal cost.

Solution,

According to Question,

Average cost = Marginal cost

$$A(x) = M(x)$$

$$\text{or } 300 - 10x + \frac{x^2}{3} = 300 - 20x + x^2$$

$$\text{or } 0 = 300 - 300 - 20x + 10x + x^2 - \frac{x^2}{3}$$

$$\text{or } -10x + \frac{2}{3}x^2 = 0$$

$$\text{or } \frac{2}{3}x^2 - 10x = 0$$

$$\text{or } x \left(\frac{2}{3}x - 10 \right) = 0$$

Either,

$$x = 0$$

or

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

$$x = \frac{30}{2}$$

$$\therefore x = 15$$

\therefore The output at which average cost is equal to marginal cost is at $x = 0$ or 15 .

d) Show that the marginal cost and average cost are equal at the minimum average cost.

Solution,

Here,

Minimum average cost = 15

Marginal cost at minimum average cost

$$\begin{aligned} &= 300 - 20x + x^2 \quad [x = 15] \\ &= 300 - 20 \times 15 + (15)^2 \\ &= 300 - 300 + 225 \\ &= 225 \end{aligned}$$

Average cost at minimum

$$\begin{aligned} &= 300 - 10x + \frac{x^2}{3} \quad [x = 15] \\ &= 300 - 10 \times 15 + \frac{15^2}{3} \\ &= 300 - 150 + \frac{225}{3} \\ &= 150 + 75 \\ &= 225 \end{aligned}$$

∴ The marginal cost and average cost are equal at the minimum average cost.