

2. MATHEMATICAL INDUCTION

1. Let $P(n): 2+2^2+2^3+\dots+2^n=2^{n+1}$, $n \in N$. Then

[AP EAMCET 17-09-20_Shift-2]

1. $P(m)$ is true $\Rightarrow P(m+1)$ is true

2. $P(n)$ is true for all $n \in N$

3. $P(n)$ is true for all $n \geq 20$

4. $P(n)$ is true for all $n \leq 10$

2. $a^n + b^n$ is divisible by, if n is any odd positive integer

[AP EAMCET 18-09-20_Shift-1]

1. $a - b$

2. $a^2 - b^2$

3. $a^2 + b^2$

4. $a + b$

3. Let $P(n)$:

$$1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2 =$$

$$\frac{6(n-1)(n-2)\dots(n-2020) + 2n^3 + 3n^2 + n}{6}, \text{ for}$$

all $n \in N$. Then which of the following is correct?

[AP EAMCET 21-09-20_Shift-1]

1. $P(n)$ is true for all $n \in N$

2. $P(n)$ is true for all $n > 2020$

3. $P(n)$ is true for all $n \leq 2020$

4. $P(n)$ is not true for any $n \in N$

4. The sum of the cubes of three consecutive natural numbers is divisible by

[AP EAMCET 21-09-20_Shift-2]

1. 26

2. 25

3. 9

4. 7

5. How many multiples of 5 are there from 10 to 95 including both 10 and 95?

[AP EAMCET 22-09-20_Shift-1]

1. 17

2. 18

3. 16

4. 19

6. The ten's digit in

$$1!+4!+7!+10!+12!+13!+15!+16!+17!$$

is divisible by

[AP EAMCET 22-09-20_Shift-2]

1. 4!

2. 3!

3. 5

4. 7

7. If $k \in N$, then $3^{3k} - 26^k - 1$ divisible by

1. 676

2. 8

3. 64

4. 26

8. For $n \in N$, what is the value of $1+4+7+\dots+(3n-2)$

1. $\frac{n(3n+1)}{2}$

2. $\frac{(3n-1)}{2}$

3. $\frac{n(3n-1)}{2}$

4. $\frac{(3n+1)}{2}$

9. Let

$$m = (9n^2 + 54n + 80)(9n^2 + 45n + 54)(9n^2 + 36n + 35).$$

The greatest positive integer which divides m , for all positive integers n , is

[TS EAMCET 09-09-20_Shift-1]

1. 720

2. 724

3. 696

4. 842

10. The expression for a_n which satisfies

$$a_0 = 0, a_1 = 1 \text{ and } a_n = a_{n-1} + a_{n-2} \forall n \in N - \{0, 1\}$$

from the following is

[TS EAMCET 09-09-20_Shift-2]

1. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n$

2. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{7}} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{7}}{2} \right)^n - \frac{1}{\sqrt{7}} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{7}}{2} \right)^n$

3. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{2}}{2} \right)^n - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{2}}{2} \right)^n$

4. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^n - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^n$

11. Let the greatest common divisor of m, n be 1.

$$\text{If } \frac{1}{1.7} + \frac{1}{7.13} + \frac{1}{13.19} + \dots \text{ up to 20 terms}$$

$$= \frac{m}{n}, \text{ then } 5m + 2n =$$

[TS EAMCET 10-09-20_Shift-1]

1. 325

2. 330

3. 342

4. 337

12. If S_n is the sum of the first n terms of the series

$$1^2 + 2 \times 2^2 + 3^2 + 2 \times 4^2 + 5^2 + 2 \times 6^2 + \dots \infty$$

Then, when n is even $S_n =$

[TS EAMCET 10-09-20_Shift-2]

1. $\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$ 2. $\frac{n^2(n+1)}{2}$
 3. $\frac{n(n+1)^2}{2}$ 4. $\frac{n^2(n+2)}{2}$

13. $n^5 - 5n^3 + 4n$ is divisible by 120 is true for
[TS EAMCET 11-09-20_Shift-1]

1. all positive integers n
 2. all positive integers for $n \geq 3$ only
 3. all positive integers for $n \geq 1$ only
 4. all positive integers for $n \geq 5$ only

14. For $n > 2$ and $n \in N$, the product of the roots of
 $(x-n)((x^2-2nx)^2 + (2n^2-5)(x^2-2nx) + (n^4-5n^2+4)) = 0$
 is divisible by

[TS EAMCET 11-09-20_Shift-2]

1. 625 2. 25
 3. 120 4. 80

15. If $f(1) = 3$, and $f(n+1) - f(n) = 3(4^n - 1)$,
 then $\forall n \in N$, $f(n) =$

[TS EAMCET 14-09-20_Shift-1]

1. $4^n - 1$ 2. $4^n - 5n + 4$
 3. $4^n - 3n + 2$ 4. $4^n + 4n - 5$

16. $n \in N$ then the statement $8n + 16 \leq 2^n$ is true for
[AP EAMCET 19-08-2021_Shift-1]

1. $n=2$ 2. $n=3$
 3. $n=6$ 4. $n=5$

17. For what natural numbers $n \in N$, the
 inequality $2^n > n + 1$ is valid?

[AP EAMCET 19-08-2021_Shift-2]

1. $\forall n \in N$ 2. $\forall n \geq 2$
 3. $\forall 1 \leq n \leq 3$ 4. $\forall n \in N - \{2, 3\}$

18. Using mathematical induction, the numbers a_n 's
 are defined by $a_0 = 1, a_{n+1} = 3n^2 + n + a_n$ ($n \geq 0$),
 then $a_n =$ **[AP EAMCET 20-08-2021_Shift-2]**

1. $n^3 + n^2 + 1$ 2. $n^3 - n^2 + 1$
 3. $n^3 - n^2$ 4. $n^3 + n^2$

19. If 'n' is a positive integer, then $2 \cdot 4^{2n+1} + 3^{3n+1}$
 is divisible by

[AP EAMCET 23-08-2021_Shift-1]

1. 2 2. 9
 3. 11 4. 27

20. For what values of $m \in N$, the following
 divisibility $x+y/x^m+y^m$ holds?

[AP EAMCET 24-08-2021_Shift-1]

1. Even numbers 2. Odd numbers
 3. All natural numbers
 4. Only when $m = 1$

21. If $1^4 + 2^4 + 3^4 + \dots + n^4 = f(n)(1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2)$, $\forall n \in N$,
 then $f(4) =$

[AP EAMCET 24-08-2021_Shift-2]

1. $\frac{58}{5}$ 2. $\frac{57}{5}$
 3. $\frac{59}{5}$ 4. $\frac{56}{5}$

22. For all $n \in N$, $(n+24)(n+25)(n+26)(n+27)$ is
 divisible by

[AP EAMCET 25-08-2021_Shift-1]

1. 27 2. 26
 3. 29 4. 24

23. For all $n \in N$, $2^{2n+1} + 3^{2n+1}$ is divisible by

[TS EAMCET 04-08-2021_Shift-2]

1. 7 2. 5
 3. 11 4. 8

24. For any $n \in N$,

$$\frac{1}{2.5} + \frac{1}{5.8} + \dots + \frac{1}{(3n-1)(3n+2)} =$$

[TS EAMCET 04-08-2021_Shift-1]

1. $\frac{n}{6n+4}$ 2. $\frac{n^2}{6n+4}$
 3. $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n^2}{6n+4}$ 4. $\frac{n}{6n^2+4}$

25. If $f(1) = 0$ and $f(n+1) - f(n) = 5n \forall n \in N$
then $f(n) =$

[TS EAMCET 05-08-2021_Shift-1]

1. $\frac{5}{2}(n^2 + n)$
2. $\frac{5}{2}(n^2 - n)$
3. $\frac{5}{3}(3n^2 - n)$
4. $\frac{5}{4}(4n^2 - 1)(n - 1)$

26. If $\frac{1}{1 \cdot 5} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 9} + \frac{1}{9 \cdot 13} + \dots$ to n terms $= \frac{27}{109}$ then

$n =$ [TS EAMCET 05-08-2021_Shift-2]

1. 21
2. 27
3. 63
4. 189

27. For all natural numbers n , $3(5^{2n+1}) + 2^{3n+1}$ is divisible by

[TS EAMCET 06-08-2021_Shift-2]

1. 559
2. 17
3. 19
4. 23

28. For any $n \in N$, $4^n + 15n - 1$ is divisible by

[TS EAMCET 06-08-2021_Shift-1]

1. 2
2. 9
3. 5
4. 6

KEY

1)	1	2)	4	3)	3	4)	3	5)	2
6)	2	7)	4	8)	3	9)	1	10)	1
11)	3	12)	3	13)	1	14)	3	15)	3
16)	3	17)	2	18)	2	19)	3	20)	4
21)	3	22)	4	23)	2	24)	1	25)	2
26)	2	27)	2	28)	2	29)		30)	

SOLUTIONS

1. Given

$$p(n) = 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^n = 2^{n+1}, n \in N$$

$P(m)$ is true

Now we that P.T $p(m+1)$ is true

$$(2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^m) + 2^{m+1} = 2^{m+1} + 2^{m+1}$$

$$= 2(2^{m+1})$$

$$= 2^{(m+1)+1}$$

$\therefore p(m+1)$ is true

2. $a^n + b^n$ is divisible by $a+b$ if n is odd positive integer

$$3. \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} =$$

$$\frac{6(n-1)(n-2)\dots(n-2020) + 2n^3 + 3n^2 + n}{6}$$

Since

$$2n^3 + 3n^2 + n = n(n+1)(2n+1)$$

$$6(n-1)(n-2)\dots(n-2020) = 0$$

$$\therefore n = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 2020$$

$$n \leq 2020$$

4. Let $(n-1), n, (n+1)$ are 3 consecutive natural no's

Given condition is

$$(n-1)^3 + n^3 + (n+1)^3 = 6n + 3n^3$$

$$= 3n(n^2 + 2)$$

$$= 3n(n^2 - 1 + 3)$$

$$= 3(n(n-1)(n+1) + 3n)$$

$$\therefore n(n-1)(n+1) \& 3n \text{ are both divisible by 3.}$$

Hence their sum is also divisible by 3

$\therefore$ the whole no is divisible by 9

5. 10, 15, ..., 95

$$95 = 10 + (n-1)5$$

$$85 = (n-1)5$$

$$n = 18$$

6. conceptual

7. $3^{3k} - 26^k - 1$ is divisible by

$$n = 1 \Rightarrow G.E = 0$$

$$n = 2 \Rightarrow G.E = 52$$

$\therefore$ G.E is divisible by 26.

8. $1 + 4 + 7 + \dots + (3n-2)$

$$\sum (3n-2) = 3 \sum n - 2 \sum 1$$

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

$$9. m = (9n^2 + 54n + 80)(9n^2 + 45n + 54)(9n^2 + 36n + 35)$$

For $n=1$

$$m = 143 \times 108 \times 80 = 1235520$$

By verification 720 divides m

$$10. a_0 = 0, a_1 = 1$$

$$a_n = a_{n-1} + a_{n-2}$$

$$a_2 = a_1 + a_0 = 1$$

$$a_3 = a_2 + a_1 = 2$$

$$a_4 = a_3 + a_2 = 3$$

By verification $n=3$

$$a_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^3 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^3$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{10\sqrt{5} + 6\sqrt{5}}{8} \right) = 2$$

$$11. n^{\text{th}} \text{ term} = \frac{1}{(6n+1)(6n-5)}$$

$$\frac{1}{1.7} + \frac{1}{7.13} + \frac{1}{13.19} + \dots + \frac{1}{(6n+1)(6n-5)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \left[\frac{7-1}{1.7} + \frac{13-7}{7.13} + \frac{19-13}{13.19} + \dots + \frac{(6n+1)-(6n-5)}{(6n+1)(6n-5)} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \left[1 - \frac{1}{6n+1} \right] = \frac{n}{6n+1}$$

$$\text{put } n = 20 \rightarrow \frac{n}{6n+1} = \frac{20}{121}$$

Here $m=20, n=121$

$$5m+2n=342$$

$$12. 1^2 + 2.2^2 + 3^2 + 2.4^2 + 5^2 + 2.6^2 + \dots + \infty$$

$$= 1^2 + 2.2^2 + 3^2 + 2.4^2 + \dots + (n-1)^2 + 2n^2$$

$$= 1^2 + 2.2^2 + 3^2 + 2.4^2 + \dots + (2m-1)^2 + 2(2m)^2$$

$$[1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + (2m-1)^2 + (2m)^2] + 2^2[1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + m^2]$$

$$= \frac{2m(2m+1)(4m+1)}{6} + 4 \left(\frac{m(m+1)(2m+1)}{6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} + \frac{4 \left(\frac{n}{2} \right) \left(\frac{n}{2} + 1 \right) (n+1)}{6}$$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)^2}{2}$$

Put $n=0$, $0^5 - 5.0^3 + 4.0 = 0$ is divisible by 120

Put $n=1$, $1^5 - 5.1^3 + 4.1 = 0$ is divisible by 120

Put $n=2$, $2^5 - 5.2^3 + 4.2 = 0$ is divisible by 120

Put $n=3$, $3^5 - 5.3^3 + 4.3 = 120$ is divisible by 120

Clearly, among the options, $n^5 - 5n^3 + 4n$ is divisible by 120 $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

13. Put $n=0$, $0^5 - 5.0^3 + 4.0 = 0$ is divisible by 120

Put $n=1$, $1^5 - 5.1^3 + 4.1 = 0$ is divisible by 120

Put $n=2$, $2^5 - 5.2^3 + 4.2 = 0$ is divisible by 120

Put $n=3$, $3^5 - 5.3^3 + 4.3 = 120$ is divisible by 120

Clearly, among the options, $n^5 - 5n^3 + 4n$ is divisible by 120 $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

$$14. x \left[(x^2 - 2x)^2 + (2x^2 - 5)(x^2 - 2x) + (x^4 - 5x^2 + 4) \right]$$

$$-n \left[(x^2 - 2x)^2 + (2x^2 - 5)(x^2 - 2x) - n(n^4 - 5n^2 + 4) \right] = 0$$

Product of the roots

$$= n(n^4 - 5n^2 + 4)$$

$$= n(n^2 - 4)(n^2 - 1)$$

$$= (n-2)(n-1).n(n+1)(n+2)$$

It is divisible by $5! = 120$

$$15. f(n+1) - f(n) = 3(4^n - 1)$$

Put $n=1$

$$f(2) - f(1) = 3(3)$$

$$f(2) = 12 \text{ it is true}$$

$$f(n) = 4^n - 3n + 2 \text{ (option verification)}$$

$$16. n \in \mathbb{N}, 8n + 16 \leq 2^n$$

For $n=6$, $64 \leq 2^6 \Rightarrow 64 \leq 64$ which is true.

$$n \in \mathbb{N}, 2^n > n + 1$$

17. For $n = 1, 2 > 2$ not true.
For $n = 2, 4 > 3$ which is true.
 $\therefore \forall n > 1$, given statement is true.

18. $a_0 = 1, a_{n+1} = 3n^2 + n + a_n$

Put $n = 0$

$$a_1 = a_0 = 1$$

Option verify for $n = 0$ & $n = 1$

19. Let $S(n) = 2 \cdot 4^{2n+1} + 3^{3n+1}$

$$S(1) = 2 \cdot (64) + 81 = 209 = 11 \times 19$$

Clearly divisible by 11, as per options.

20. Let $S(m) \equiv \frac{x+y}{x^m + y^m}, m \in N$

$$\text{Clearly, } S(1) \equiv \frac{x+y}{x+y} = 1$$

For any $m > 1$, $S(m)$ is not true.

21. $1^4 + 2^4 + 3^4 + \dots + n^4 = f(n)(1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2)$

For $n = 4$

$$1^4 + 2^4 + 3^4 + 4^4 = f(4)(1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 354 = f(4) \cdot 30$$

$$\therefore f(4) = \frac{59}{5}$$

22. $n \in N, (n+24)(n+25)(n+26)(n+27)$

The product any 4 consecutive integers are always divisible by $4! = 24$.

23. $S \equiv 2^{2n+1} + 3^{2n+1}, n \in N$

Suppose $n = 1$

$$S \equiv 2^3 + 3^3 = 8 + 27 = 35$$

$$n = 2$$

$$S \equiv 2^5 + 3^5 = 32 + 243 = 275$$

So S is divisible by 5

24. $\frac{1}{2 \cdot 5} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 8} + \dots + \frac{1}{(3n-1)(3n+2)}$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{8} + \dots + \frac{1}{3n-1} - \frac{1}{3n+2} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3n+2} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{n}{6n+4}$$

25. Given $f(n+1) - f(n) = 5n$ and $f(1) = 0$
 $n = 0 \Rightarrow f(1) = 0$

$$n = 1 \Rightarrow f(2) = 5 + f(1)$$

$$n = 2 \Rightarrow f(3) = 10 + f(2) = 10 + 5 + f(1)$$

$$n = 3 \Rightarrow f(4) = 15 + f(3) = 15 + 10 + 5 + f(1)$$

$$f(n) = 5(n-1) + 5(n-2) + \dots + 15 + 10 + 5 + f(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(n) = f(1) + 5[1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + (n-1)]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(n) = 0 + 5 \left[\frac{(n-1)(n-1+1)}{2} \right]$$

$$\therefore f(n) = \frac{5}{2}[n^2 - n]$$

26. 1, 5, 9... in A.P. then n^{th} term $= a + (n-1)d$
 $= 1 + (n-1)4 = (4n-3)$

$$n^{\text{th}} \text{ term of the given series} = \frac{1}{(4n-3)(4n+1)}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{5-1}{1 \cdot 5} + \frac{9-5}{5 \cdot 9} + \frac{13-9}{9 \cdot 13} + \dots + \frac{(4n+1)-(4n-3)}{(4n+1)(4n-3)} \right] = \frac{27}{109}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \left[1 - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{9} + \dots + \frac{1}{4n-3} - \frac{1}{4n+1} \right] = \frac{27}{109}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{4n+1-1}{4n+1} = \frac{27}{109}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n}{4n+1} = \frac{27}{109}$$

$$\Rightarrow 109n = 108n + 27 \Rightarrow n = 27$$

27. $3(5^{2n+1}) + 2^{3n+1}$

$$\text{Put } n=1, 3 \cdot 5^3 + 2^4 = 391 = 23 \times 17$$

$$n=2, 3 \cdot 5^5 + 2^7 = 9503 = 559 \times 17$$

$$\therefore 3 \cdot 5^{2n+1} + 2^{3n+1} \text{ is divisible by 17.}$$

28. Let $S(n) = 4^n + 15n - 1$

$$S(1) = 18, S(2) = 45$$

H.C.F of 18, 45 is 9

$S(n) = 4^n + 15n - 1$ is divisible by 9.