

Topic : Fundamentals of Mathematics

Type of Questions

M.M., Min.

Subjective Questions (no negative marking) Q.1,2,3,4,5,6

(4 marks, 5 min.)

[24, 30]

1. If $[x]$ denotes greatest integer $\leq x$ and $\{x\}$ denotes fractional part of x then evaluate / simplify the following :

(i) $|\sqrt{7-4\sqrt{3}}|$

(ii) $|\pi-3-\sqrt{8-2\sqrt{15}}|$

(iii) $||e^2 - \pi^2||$

(iv) $\{|\pi - e + 1|\}$

(v) $|\sqrt[3]{2} - \sqrt[4]{3}|$

2. Make the following expressions free from modulus sign : ($x \in \mathbb{R}$)

(i) $|x^2 - x + 3|$

(ii) $|2x - x^2 - 3|$

(iii) $|x + 1|$ if $x > -\frac{1}{2}$

3. Make the following expressions free from modulus sign : ($x \in \mathbb{R}$)

(i) $|x^2 - 3x - 4|$

(ii) $|x^2 - 7x + 10|$ if $x < 5$

(iii) $|x + 2| + |x - 2|$ if $x^2 \leq 2$

(iv) $|x^3 + 8|$

(v) $|x + 3| + |x| + |x - 1|$

4. Draw graph of the following expressions. Also find extremum value if it exists.

(i) $y = |x - 2| + |x - 1| + |x + 1| + |x + 2|$

(ii) $y = |2x - 5| - 2|2x + 5|$

(iii) $y = |2x - 1| + |x - 1|$

(iv) $y = |x - 1| - |x - 6|$

5. Solve the following equations :

(i) $|x - 3| = x - 1$

(ii) $|x^2 - 3x| = 2x - 6$

(iii) $|x - 4| + |x - 7| = 11$

6. Solve the following equations :

(i) $|x^2 - 2| = 2|x - 3|$

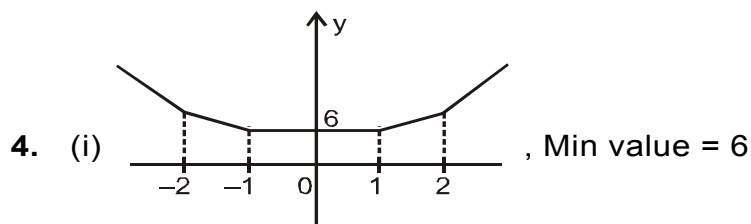
(ii) $|x^2 - 4| + |x^2 - 9| = 0$

(iii) $|x - 1| + |x + 5| = 6$

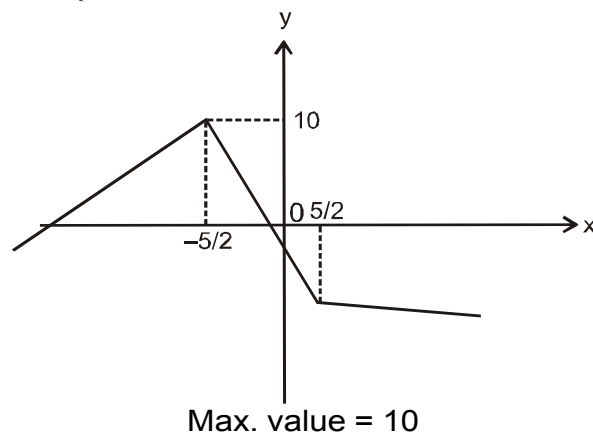
Answers Key

1. (i) $2 - \sqrt{3}$ (ii) $-\pi + 3 + \sqrt{5} - \sqrt{3}$ (iii) 2
 (iv) $\pi - e$ (v) $\sqrt[4]{3} - \sqrt[3]{2}$ 2. (i) $x^2 - x + 3$
 (ii) $x^2 - 2x + 3$ (iii) $x + 1$

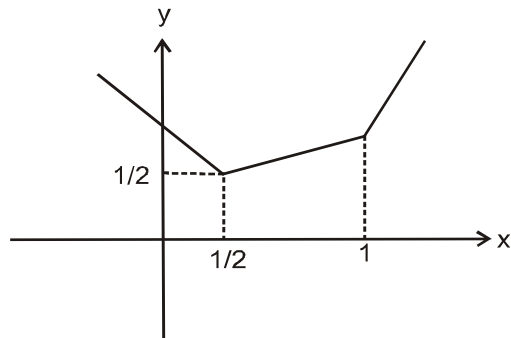
3. (i) $\begin{cases} -(x^2 - 3x - 4) & \text{if } x \in (-1, 4) \\ x^2 - 3x - 4 & \text{if } x \in (-\infty, -1] \cup [4, \infty) \end{cases}$
 (ii) $\begin{cases} (x^2 - 7x + 10) & \text{if } x \leq 2 \\ -(x^2 - 7x + 10) & \text{if } 2 < x < 5 \end{cases}$ (iii) 4
 (iv) $\begin{cases} -(x^3 + 8) & \text{if } x < -2 \\ (x^3 + 8) & \text{if } x \geq -2 \end{cases}$
 (v) $\begin{cases} -3x - 2, & x < -3 \\ -x + 4, & -3 \leq x < 0 \\ x + 4, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 3x + 2, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$



(ii) $y = \begin{cases} 2x + 15, & x < -\frac{5}{2} \\ -6x - 5, & -\frac{5}{2} \leq x < \frac{5}{2} \\ -2x - 15, & x \geq \frac{5}{2} \end{cases}$

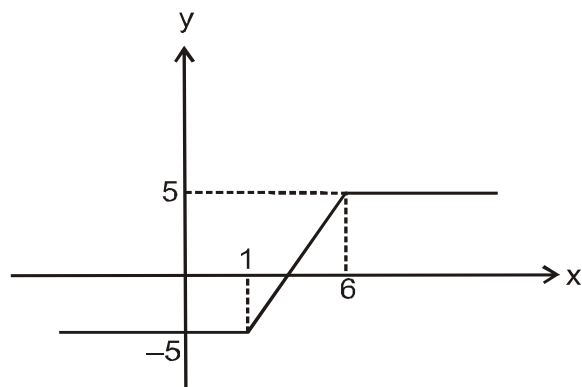


$$(iii) y = \begin{cases} -3x + 2 & , \quad x < \frac{1}{2} \\ x & , \quad \frac{1}{2} \leq x < 1 \\ 3x - 2 & , \quad x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$



$$\text{Min value} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(iv) y = \begin{cases} -5 & , \quad x < 1 \\ 2x - 7 & , \quad 1 \leq x < 6 \\ 5 & , \quad x \geq 6 \end{cases}$$



$$\text{Min value} = -5$$

$$\text{Max. value} = 5$$

5. (i) $x = 2$ (ii) $x = 3$ (iii) $x = 0, 11$

6. (i) $x = -4, 2$ (ii) No solution (iii) $x \in [-5, 1]$