

Numeric Response Questions

Binomial Theorem

- Q.1 When 2^{30t} is divided by 5, then find least positive remainder. x_1 & x_2 then find value of $x_1 + x_2$
- Q.3 In the binomial expansion of $\left(\sqrt[3]{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3}}\right)^n$, the ratio of the 7th term from the beginning to the 7th term from the end is 1: 6; then find n .
- Q.4 If $a^2 + b = 2$ then maximum value of term independent of x in expression of $(ax + bx - 25)$ ($a > 0, b > 0$) is $9^k + k + 1$, then find value of k .
- Q.5 If the term independent of x in $\left(\sqrt{x} - \frac{k}{x^2}\right)^{10}$ is 405, then find value of k .
- Q.6 Number of irrational terms in expansion of $(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{7})^{17}$ is equal to $3k + k$ then find value of k .
- Q.7 If the third term in the expansion of $[x + x^{\log_{10} x}]^5$ is equal to 10,00,000, then $x =$
- Q.8 If ${}^{\infty}C_4 + \sum_{r=1}^6 m_{6-r}C_3 = n + k_4$ then find k .
- Q.9 If $(1 + x - 2x^2)^0 = 1 + a_1x + ax^2 + \dots + a + 2x^{22}$, then find the value of expression $a_2 + a_4 + a^2 + \dots + a_{12}$
- Q.10 If $2, {}^{10}C_0 + \frac{2^2}{2}, {}^{10}C_1 + \frac{2^3}{3}, {}^{10}C_2 + \dots + \frac{2^{11}}{11}, {}^{10}C_{10} = \frac{3^k - 1}{11}$ then find k .
- Q.11 If the coefficient of x^{-7} in $\left(2x - \frac{1}{3x^2}\right)^{11}$ is $11C_6 \frac{2^5}{3^4}$ then find k .
- Q.12 The sum of the series ${}^{10}C_1 \cdot 4 + {}^{10}C_2 \cdot 4^2 + \dots + {}^{10}C_{10} \cdot 4^{10}$ is $5^k - 1$ then find k .
- Q.13 If the 17th and 18th terms of the expansion $(2 + a)^{ri}$ are equal, then find the value of 'a'.
- Q.14 Find the coefficients of x^5 in the expansion of $(1 + x^2)^4(1 + x)^5$.
- Q.15 Find the number of rational terms in the expansion of $(7^{1\pi} + 11^{109})^{561}$.



ANSWER KEY

1. 2.00 2. 3.00 3. 9.00 4. 2.00 5. 3.00 6. 3.00 7. 10.00
 8. 6.00 9. 31.00 10. 11.00 11. 6.00 12. 10.00 13. 1.00 14. 71.00
 15. 730.00

Hints & Solutions

1. $2^{301} = 2 \cdot 2^{300} = 2 \cdot 4^{150} = 2(5-1)^{150}$
 Here all terms, except last term are divisible by 5
 \therefore Remainder = 2(last term) = $2(-1)^{150} = 2$

2.
$$\left[2^{\log_2 \sqrt{9^{x-1}+7}} + \frac{1}{2^{(1/5)\log_2(3^{x-1}+1)}} \right]^7$$

$$= \left[\sqrt{9^{x-1}+7} + \frac{1}{(3^{x-1}+1)^{1/5}} \right]^7$$

 Here
 $T_6 = 84$

$$\Rightarrow {}^7C_5 \cdot (\sqrt{9^{x-1}+7})^2 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{(3^{x-1}+1)^{1/5}} \right)^5 = 84$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{21 \cdot (9^{x-1}+7)}{(3^{x-1}+1)} = 84$$

$$\Rightarrow 9^{x-1}+7 = 4(3^{x-1}+1)$$

 Put $3^{x-1} = t$

$$\Rightarrow t^2+7 = 4t+4$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2-4t+3 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow t=1 \text{ or } t=3$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} -3^{x-1} & 3^{x-1} = 3 \\ \hline \therefore x=1 & x=2 \end{array}$$

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

 7th term from the beginning

$$= {}^nC_6 \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{3^3} \right)^6} \left(2^{\frac{1}{3}} \right)^{n-6}$$

 7th term from the end = $(n-7+2)$ th term from the beginning i.e. $(n-5)$ th term.

$$\text{Hence, } \frac{{}^nC_6 \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{3^3} \right)^6} \left(2^{\frac{1}{3}} \right)^{n-6}}{{}^nC_{n-6} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{3^3} \right)^{n-6}} \times \left(2^{\frac{1}{3}} \right)^6} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{3^3} \right)^{n-12} \times \left(2^{\frac{1}{3}} \right)^{n-12} = 6^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{6^3} \right)^{n-12} = 6^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{6} \right)^{\frac{n-12}{3}} = 6^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n-12}{3} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow n-12 = -3$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 9 \text{ Ans.}$$

4. Let T_{r+1} term is independent of x
 $\therefore T_{r+1} = {}^9C_r (ax^{1/6})^{9-r} (bx^{-1/3})^r$

$$= {}^9C_r a^{9-r} \cdot b^r x^{\frac{9-r}{6} - \frac{r}{3}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{9-r}{6} - \frac{r}{3} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 3$$

$$\therefore T_4 = {}^9C_3 a^6 b^3$$

$$= 84 (\sqrt{a^2 b})^6$$

$$\leq 84 \left(\frac{a^2 + b}{2} \right)^6$$

 $(T_4)_{\max} = 84$

5.
$$t_{r+1} = {}^{10}C_r (\sqrt{x})^{10-r} \left(-\frac{k}{x^2}\right)^r$$

$$= {}^{10}C_r x^{5-\frac{5r}{2}} (-k)^r$$
For the independent of x, r must be 2 so that
$${}^{10}C_2 k^2 = 405$$

$$\therefore k = 3$$

6.
$$\therefore (\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{7})^{17} = \sum_{r=0}^{17} {}^{17}C_r (\sqrt{3})^r (\sqrt{7})^{17-r}$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{17} {}^{17}C_r 3^{\frac{r}{2}} 7^{\frac{17-r}{2}}$$

$$\therefore \text{Both } \frac{r}{2} \text{ \& } \frac{17-r}{2} \text{ can't be integer at same so all term are irrational}$$

$$\therefore \text{Total irrational terms are 18}$$

$$\therefore k = 3$$

7.
$$T_3 = {}^5C_2 \cdot (x)^3 \cdot (x^{\log_{10} x})^2 = 10^6$$

$$x^3 \cdot (x^{\log_{10} x})^2 = 10^5 = 10^3 \cdot (10)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 10$$

8.
$${}^{50}C_4 + ({}^{55}C_3 + {}^{54}C_3 + \dots + {}^{50}C_3)$$

$$= {}^{51}C_4 + {}^{51}C_3 + {}^{52}C_3 + \dots + {}^{55}C_3$$

$$= {}^{52}C_4 + {}^{52}C_3 + \dots + {}^{55}C_3$$

$$= \dots \dots \dots$$

$$= \dots \dots \dots$$

$$= {}^{55}C_4 + {}^{55}C_3 = {}^{56}C_4$$

9. Put $x = 1, x = -1$

$$(1 + 1 - 2)^6 = 0 = 1 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_{12}$$

$$+ (1 - 1 - 2)^6 = 64 = 1 - a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_{12}$$

$$64 = 2[1 + a_2 + a_4 + \dots + a_{12}]$$

$$\Rightarrow a_2 + a_4 + \dots + a_{12} = 32 - 1 = 31$$

10.
$$\int_0^2 (1+x)^{10} = \int_0^2 {}^{10}C_0 + {}^{10}C_1 \cdot x + \dots + {}^{10}C_{10} x^{10}$$

$$\left| \frac{(1+x)^{11}}{11} \right|_0^2 = {}^{10}C_0 \cdot (2) + {}^{10}C_1 \cdot \frac{(2)^2}{2} + {}^{10}C_2$$

$$\frac{(2)^3}{3} + \dots + {}^{10}C_{10} \frac{(2)^{11}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(1+2)^{11} - 1}{11} = \frac{3^{11} - 1}{11}$$

11.
$$T_{r+1} = {}^{11}C_r \cdot (2x)^{11-r} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{3x^2}\right)^r$$

$$(x)^{11-r-2r} = (x)^{-7}$$

$$11 - 3r = -7$$

$$3r = 18$$

$$r = 6$$

$$\text{Coeffi.} = {}^{11}C_6 \cdot (2)^5 \cdot \left(\frac{-1}{3}\right)^6 = {}^{11}C_6 \cdot \frac{(2)^5}{(3)^6}$$

12.
$$(1 + 4)^{10} - {}^{10}C_0 = 5^{10} - 1$$

13.
$$T_{(p-1)+1} = T_p = {}^6C_{p-1} (2x)^{6-(p-1)} 3^{(p-1)}$$

$$T_p = {}^6C_{p-1} \cdot 2^{7-p} 3^{p-1} x^{7-p}$$

$$\text{Coeff. of } T_p \text{ is } {}^6C_{p-1} \cdot 2^{7-p} \cdot 3^{p-1} \text{ equal to 4860}$$

$$\therefore p = 5$$

14.
$$(1 + t^{12} + t^{24} + t^{36}) \cdot ({}^{12}C_0 + {}^{12}C_1(t^2)^1 + \dots$$

$$s + {}^{12}C_6 (t^2)^6 + \dots + {}^{12}C_{12} t^{24})$$

$$= {}^{12}C_6 + 1 + 1$$

15.
$$T_{r+1} = {}^{6561}C_r (7^{1/3})^{6561-r} \cdot (11^{1/9})^r$$

$$= {}^{6561}C_r 7^{2187-r/3} \cdot 11^{r/9}, 0 \leq r \leq 6561$$
Now T_{r+1} will be rational when $r/3$ and $r/9$ both are integers. This is possible only when r is a multiple of 9. But multiple of 9 from 0 to 6561 are
0, 9, 18, 27,, 6561
These are in AP, so their number n is given by
$$6561 = 0 + (n - 1) 9 \Rightarrow n = 730$$