For all questions, answer choice "E) NOTA" means none of the above answers is correct.

1. Find the equation of the line perpendicular to 3x - 2y = 5 containing the point (-2,3).

A) 
$$3x-2y=-12$$
 B)  $2x-3y=-19$  C)  $2x+3y=5$  D)  $3x+2y=0$  E) NOTA

- 2. Find the area of  $\triangle ABC$  with vertices A(-1,4), B(2,5), and C(4,-3).
- A) 31 B) 21 C) 18 D) 13 E) NOTA

3. For  $f(x) = ax^2 - bx + c$ , if f(2) = 3 and x = -3 is a zero of the function, find a + b.

A)  $-\frac{3}{5}$  B)  $\frac{3}{2}$  C)  $-\frac{2}{3}$  D)  $\frac{5}{3}$  E) NOTA

4. Find the *x*-value of the ordered pair of the intersection of y = |x-1| - 3 and y = 2x - 1.

A)  $-\frac{2}{3}$  B)  $-\frac{1}{3}$  C)  $\frac{1}{3}$  D)  $\frac{2}{3}$  E) NOTA

5. Given  $f(x) = x^2 - x - 1$  and g(x) = 2f(x) - 3f(x-1), find g(3) - f(1).

- A) 31 B) 27 C) 28 D) 6 E) NOTA
- 6. Let A = the sum of the solutions to the equation  $9(3^{x^2-2x}) = 3^{4-x}$ , and let B = the sum of the solutions to the equation  $2^{3y-1} = 4^{y^2}$ . Find the value of the product *AB*.
- A) -1 B)  $-\frac{2}{3}$  C)  $\frac{3}{2}$  D) 2 E) NOTA
- 7. If  $\sqrt{3 + \sqrt{3 + \sqrt{3 + \dots}}} \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2 + \dots}}}$  can be written in the form  $\frac{a + \sqrt{b}}{c}$ , where *a*, *b*, and *c* are relatively prime integers and *b* is not divisible by the square of any integer, find the value of a + b c.
- A) 1 B) 5 C) 8 D) 16 E) NOTA

8. If three fair dimes are tossed, what are the odds that 2 heads and 1 tail are shown?

A) 5:3	B) 3:5	C) 3:8	D) 5:8	E) NOTA
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9. Which of the following is the inverse of  $f(x) = \frac{x-1}{x+2}$ ?

A) 
$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+2}{x-1}$$
 B)  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x-2}{x+1}$  C)  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2x+1}{1-x}$  D)  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2x-1}{x-1}$  E) NOTA

10. What is the minimum value of the function  $f(x) = 2x^2 - 5x - 8$ ?

A) –8 B) –10.375 C) –11.125 D) –12 E) NOTA

11. Solve the equation  $\log_a 3 - \log_a b = c$  for b.

A)  $b = \frac{c}{3a}$  B)  $b = \frac{3}{a^{c}}$  C)  $b = \frac{a}{3c}$  D)  $b = a^{3c}$  E) NOTA

12. The following table gives some values of f(x) and  $f^{-1}(x)$ . What is the value of a+b?

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	?
f(x)	5	3	?	а	?	4	8
$f^{-1}(x)$	2	4	3	b	?	?	8
A) 3	B) 4		C) 5	D) 6		E) NOTA	

13. How many distinct permutations of the letters A, B, C, and D exist?

A) 6 B) 12 C) 20 D) 24 E) NOTA

14. Find the value of the following:  $\sum_{c=2}^{7} \frac{1}{c+1} - \sum_{c=2}^{7} \frac{1}{c-1}$ 

A) 
$$-\frac{23}{27}$$
 B)  $-\frac{69}{56}$  C)  $\frac{15}{56}$  D)  $-\frac{61}{56}$  E) NOTA

- 15. The area of a rectangle remains unchanged when side *A* is made 2.5 units longer and side *B* is made  $\frac{2}{3}$  units narrower OR when side *A* is made 2.5 units shorter and side *B* is made  $\frac{4}{3}$  units wider. Find the area of the rectangle.
- A) 10 B) 20 C) 40 D) 50 E) NOTA

- 16. Joe is trying to solve a quadratic equation, but parts of the equation are missing. He knows that the sum of the roots is the same as that of the equation  $2x^2 3x 5 = 0$  and the product of the roots is the same as that of the equation  $3x^2 + x 3 = 0$ . Which of the following is one solution to Joe's equation?
- A) 0.5 B) -2 C) -0.25 D) 2 E) NOTA
- 17. Find the value of  $\sqrt[3]{27 54b + 36b^2 8b^3}$  if b = 4.
- A) -3 B) -2 C) 4 D) 5 E) NOTA
- 18. Suppose f is a quadratic function for which f(0) = 4, f(1) = 5, and f(-1) = f(0) + f(1). Find the value of f(5).
- A) 69 B) 89 C) 93 D) 98 E) NOTA
- 19. Let A = the radius of the circle with equation  $9x^2 + 9y^2 54x + 36y = -101$ , and let B = the length of the major axis of the ellipse with equation  $25x^2 + 9y^2 + 100x 90y = -100$ , find the value of 3A 2B.
- A) -8 B) -16 C) -5 D) 1 E) NOTA
- 20. Find the number of lattice points in the region defined by y > 0, x > 0, 2x y < 8, and 4x + 5y < 30.
- A) 17 B) 16 C) 15 D) 14 E) NOTA
- 21. If z = x + yi, then  $z\overline{z} + (-3 + 4i)\overline{z} + (-3 4i)z = 0$  is the equation of a circle, where  $\overline{z}$  is the complex conjugate of z. Find the coordinates of the center of the circle.
- A) (4,-3) B) (-3,4) C) (3,-4) D) (4,3) E) NOTA
- 22. Which of the following is the domain of the inverse of the function  $f(x) = 3x^2 4x 3$ ,  $x \ge 3$ ?
- A)  $[12,\infty)$  B)  $(-\infty,\infty)$  C)  $(-\infty,3]$  D)  $\left[-\frac{13}{3},\infty\right)$  E) NOTA

23. Given that  $\frac{3i}{i+3} - \frac{i}{i-3} = a - bi$ , where *a* and *b* are real numbers, find the value of a + b.

A) 
$$-1$$
 B)  $\frac{7}{5}$  C)  $\frac{7}{10}$  D) 1 E) NOTA

24. The solution to the equation  $\log_8(x+1) - \log_8(x-1) = \frac{2}{3}$  can be written in the form  $\frac{a}{b}$ , where *a* and *b* are relatively prime positive integers. Find the value of  $a^b$ .

A) 8 B) 243 C) 125 D) 256 E) NOTA

25. Find the product 
$$AB^{-1}$$
 if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

A) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 & 1 \\ 2 & 20 \\ 8 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$
 B)  $\begin{bmatrix} 8.5 & 7 \\ 10.5 & 8 \\ -10 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$  C)  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0.5 \\ -9 & 10 \\ 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$  D)  $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5.5 \\ 1 & 0 \\ -4 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$  E) NOTA

26. Find the solutions set of the inequality  $\frac{x-2}{x-3} \le 2$ .

- A)  $(-\infty,3] \cup [4,\infty)$  B) (3,4] C)  $(-\infty,3) \cup (4,\infty)$  D)  $[4,\infty)$  E) NOTA
- 27. Circles *O* and *P* intersect at points *G* and H. The radii of *O* and *P* have lengths of 5 and 6, respectively, and  $|\overline{OP}| = 7$ . Find the length of  $\overline{GH}$ .
- A)  $\frac{12\sqrt{6}}{7}$  B)  $\frac{8\sqrt{3}}{7}$  C)  $\frac{12\sqrt{42}}{7}$  D)  $\frac{24\sqrt{6}}{7}$  E) NOTA 28. Find the largest value of x for which  $\begin{vmatrix} -2 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & x & 3 \\ -1 & 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 7x^2 - 74$
- A) 2 B)  $-\frac{4}{7}$  C)  $\frac{4}{7}$  D) -2 E) NOTA

- 29. The degree measure of the smaller acute angle of a right triangle is equal to the sum of the squares of the roots of  $x^2 7x + 5 = 0$ . Find the degree measure of the larger acute angle.
- A) 69° B) 64° C) 57° D) 51° E) NOTA
- 30. Find the value of *k* such that the parabolas  $y=3x^2+16x+k$  and  $y=-2x^2-4x+6$  intersect in exactly one point.
- A) 26 B) 24 C) 6 D) -12 E) NOTA