

## Topic :-Application of Derivatives

1. A population $p(t)$ of 1000 bacteria introduced into nutrient medium grows according to the relation $p(t)=1000+\frac{1000 t}{100+t^{2}}$. The maximum size of this bacterial population is
a) 1100
b) 1250
c) 1050
d) 5250
2. If $f^{\prime}(x)=(x-a)^{2 n}(x-b)^{2 m+1}$ where $m, n \in N$, then
a) $x=b$ is a point of minimum
b) $x=b$ is a point of maximum
c) $x=b$ is a point of inflexion
d) None of these
3. A point is moving on $y=4-2 x^{2}$. The $x$ - coordinate of the point is decreasing at the rate of 5 unit per second. Then, the rate at which $y$-coordinate of the point is changing when the point is at $(1,2)$ is
a) 5 units
b) 10 units
c) 15 units
d) 20 units
4. The point of the curve $y^{2}=2(x-3)$ at which the normal is parallel to line $y-2 x+1=0$
a) $(5,2)$
b) $\left(-\frac{1}{2},-2\right)$
c) $(5,-2)$
d) $\left(\frac{3}{2}, 2\right)$
5. The function $f(x)=\frac{x}{1+|x|}$ is
a) Strictly increasing
b) Strictly decreasing
c) Neither increasing nor decreasing
d) Not differential at $x=0$
6. The function $f(x)=2 x^{3}-3 x^{2}+90 x+174$ is increasing in the interval
a) $\frac{1}{2}<x<1$
b) $\frac{1}{2}<x<2$
c) $3<x<\frac{59}{4}$
d) $-\infty<x<\infty$
7. Let $f(x)=\left\{\begin{array}{c}|x|, \text { for } 0<|x| \leq 2 \\ 1, \text { for } x=0\end{array}\right.$, then at $x=0, f$ has
a) A local maximum
b) A local minimum
c) No local extremum
d) No local maximum
8. The set of values of $a$ for which the function $f(x)=x^{2}+a x+1$ is an increasing function on $[1,2]$ is
a) $(-2, \infty)$
b) $[-4, \infty)$
c) $[-\infty,-2)$
d) $(-\infty, 2]$
9. A particle moves along the curve $y=x^{2}+2 x$. Then, The point on the curve such that x and y coordinates of the particle change with the same rate is
a) $(1,3)$
b) $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}\right)$
c) $\left(-\frac{1}{2},-\frac{3}{4}\right)$
d) $(-1,-1)$
10. Given $P(x)=x^{4}+a x^{3}+b x^{2}+c x+d$ such that $x=0$ is the only real root of $P^{\prime}(x)=0 . I f P(-1)$ $<P(1)$,then in the interval[ $-1,1]$
a) $P(-1)$ is the minimum and $P(1)$ is the maximum of $P$.
b) $P(-1)$ is not minimum but $P(1)$ is the maximum of $P$.
c) $P(-1)$ is the minimum and $P(1)$ is not the maximum of $P$.
d) Neither $P(-1)$ is the minimum nor $P(1)$ is not the maximum of $P$.
11. If the equation $a_{n} x^{n}+a_{n-1} x^{n-1}+\ldots+a_{1} x=0$ has a positive root $\alpha$, then the equation $n a_{n} x^{n-1}+(n-1) a_{n-1} x^{n-2}+\ldots+a_{1}=0$ has
a) A positive root less than $\alpha$
b) A positive root larger than $\alpha$
c) A negative root
d) No positive root
12. If the error committed in measuring the radius of the circle is $0.05 \%$, then the corresponding error in calculating the area is
a) $0.05 \%$
b) $0.0025 \%$
c) $0.25 \%$
d) $0.1 \%$
13. The edge of a cube is equal to the radius of the sphere. If the rate at which the volume of the cube is increasing is equal to $\lambda$, then the rate of increase of volume of the sphere is
a) $\frac{4 \pi \lambda}{3}$
b) $4 \pi \lambda$
c) $\frac{\lambda}{3}$
d) None of these
14. Tangent is drawn to ellipse $\frac{x^{2}}{27}+y^{2}=1$ at $(3 \sqrt{3} \cos \theta, \sin \theta)$ (where $\theta \in(0, \pi / 2)$ ). Then the value of $\theta$ such that sum of intercepts on axes made by this tangent is minimum, is
a) $\pi / 3$
b) $\pi / 6$
c) $\pi / 8$
d) $\pi / 4$
15. Roll's theorem is not applicable to the function $f(x)=|x|$ for $-2 \leq x \leq 2$ because
a) $f$ is continuous for $-2 \leq x \leq 2$
b) $f$ is not derivable for $x=0$
c) $f(-2)=f(2)$
d) $f$ is not a constant function
16. The abscissa of the point on the curve
$y=a\left(e^{x / a}+e^{-x / a}\right)$
Where the tangent is parallel to the x -axis, is
a) 0
b) $a$
c) $2 a$
d) $-2 a$
17. The value of $a$ in order that $f(x)=\sin x-\cos x-a x+b$ decreases for all real values of $x$ is given by
a) $a \geq \sqrt{2}$
b) $a<\sqrt{2}$
c) $a \geq 1$
d) $a<1$
18. Let $f(x)=1+2 x^{2}+2^{2} x^{4}+\ldots \ldots . .+2^{10} x^{20}$.Then, $f(x)$ has
a) More than one minimum
b) Exactly one minimum
c) At least one maximum
d) None of the above
19. If the subnormal at any point on $y=a^{1-n} x^{n}$ is of constant length, then the value of $n$, is
a) 1
b) $1 / 2$
c) 2
d) -2
20. The normal to the curve $x=a(1+\cos \theta), y=a \sin \theta$ at $\theta$ always passes through the fixed point
a) $(a, 0)$
b) $(0, a)$
c) $(0,0)$
d) $(a, a)$
