

# Chapter - 4 DETERMINANTS

## STUDY NOTES

- A determinant of order three consisting of 3 rows and 3 columns is written as

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} \text{ is equal to } a_1 \begin{vmatrix} b_2 & c_2 \\ b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} - b_1 \begin{vmatrix} a_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} + c_1 \begin{vmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 \end{vmatrix} = a_1 (b_2c_3 - c_2b_3) - b_1 (a_2c_3 - c_2a_3) + c_1 (a_2b_3 - b_2a_3)$$

- **Minor** : The determinant obtained by deleting the  $i^{\text{th}}$  row and  $j^{\text{th}}$  column is called minor of element at the  $i^{\text{th}}$  row and  $j^{\text{th}}$  column. The cofactors of this element is  $(-1)^{i+j}$  (minor).

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} = a_1A_1 + b_1B_1 + c_1C_1; \text{ where } A_1, B_1, C_1 \text{ are the cofactors of } a_1, b_1, c_1 \text{ respectively.}$$

### • Properties of Determinants :

- The determinants remains same if its rows and columns are interchanged.
- If all the elements of a row (or column) are zero, then the determinant is zero.
- The interchange of any two rows of the determinant changes its sign.
- If all the elements of a row (column) of a determinant are multiplied by a non-zero constant then the determinant gets multiplied by the same number.
- If each element in any row (column) is the sum of a terms, then the determinant can be expressed as the sum of ' $r$ ' determinants.
- If the determinant  $\Delta = f(x)$  and  $f(a) = 0$ , then  $(x - a)$  is factor of the determinants.
- If in a determinant the elements in all the rows are in A.P. with same or different common difference, then the value of determinant is zero.
- The determinant of odd order skew-symmetric determinant is always zero.

### Differentiation of Determinant

- Let  $\Delta(x) = \begin{vmatrix} a_1(x) & b_1(x) \\ a_2(x) & b_2(x) \end{vmatrix}$ , then  $\Delta'(x) = \begin{vmatrix} a_1'(x) & b_1'(x) \\ a_2'(x) & b_2'(x) \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a_1(x) & b_1(x) \\ a_2'(x) & b_2'(x) \end{vmatrix}$

where dash denotes the derivate with respect to  $x$ .

- If we write  $\Delta(x) = |C_1 C_2 C_3|$ , then

$$\Delta'(x) = |C_1' C_2 C_3| + |C_1 C_2'| + |C_1 C_2 C_3'|$$

- Similarly, if  $\Delta(x) = \begin{vmatrix} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ R_3 \end{vmatrix}$ , then  $\Delta'(x) = \begin{vmatrix} R_1' \\ R_2 \\ R_3 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} R_1 \\ R_2' \\ R_3 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ R_3' \end{vmatrix}$

- **CRAMER'S RULE** : If  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$ , then the solution of the system of non-homogeneous simultaneous linear equation.

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1z = d_1$$

$$a_2x + b_2y + c_2z = d_2$$

$$a_3x + b_3y + c_3z = d_3$$

$$x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta}, y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta}, z = \frac{\Delta z}{\Delta}, \text{ where}$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} d_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ d_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ d_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix}, \Delta y = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & d_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & d_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & d_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix}, \Delta z = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & d_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & d_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & d_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

- If  $\Delta x, \Delta y, \Delta z, \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\Delta \neq 0$ , then this have unique system of solution. It is consistence independent.
- If  $\Delta x, \Delta y, \Delta z = 0$  and  $\Delta = 0$ , then system has infinitely many solutions, and it is said to be consistence dependent.
- If  $\Delta x, \Delta y, \Delta z =$  is non zero, then the system of equation will have no solution is said to be consistent.

### Linear Equation

- The system of homogeneous simultaneous linear equation

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1z = 0$$

$$a_2x + b_2y + c_2z = 0$$

$$a_3x + b_3y + c_3z = 0$$

Here,  $\Delta_1 = \Delta_2 = \Delta_3$  has a non-trivial solution. If  $\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

If  $\Delta \neq 0$ , then the only solution is  $x = y = z = 0$ .

- Determinant of unit matrix is 1
- Determinant of null matrix is 0.

- If A is non-singular matrix, then  $\det(A^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \Rightarrow |A^{-1}| = \frac{1}{|A|}$ .

## QUESTION BANK

### MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. The solution of the simultaneous linear equations  $2x + y = 6$  and  $3y = 8 + 4x$  will also be satisfied by which one of the following linear equation ?

- (a)  $x + y = 5$                       (b)  $2x - 3y = 10$                       (c)  $2x + y = 9$                       (d)  $2x + 3y = 6$

2. The roots of the equation  $\begin{vmatrix} x & \alpha & 1 \\ \beta & x & 1 \\ \beta & \gamma & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$  is :

- (a)  $\alpha, \beta$                       (b)  $\beta, \gamma$                       (c)  $\alpha, \gamma$                       (d)  $\alpha, \beta$  and  $\gamma$

3. If  $\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} = 0$ , such that,  $\begin{vmatrix} 1+a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1+b & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1+c \end{vmatrix} = \lambda$  then the value of  $\lambda$  is :

- (a)  $-abc$                       (b) 0                      (c)  $abc$                       (d) 1

4. The value of determinant :  $\begin{vmatrix} a+1 & a+2 & a+4 \\ a+3 & a+5 & a+8 \\ a+7 & a+10 & a+14 \end{vmatrix}$  is :
- (a)  $-2$  (b)  $2$  (c)  $x+2$  (d)  $(x+2)^2$
5. The given equation has 3 roots, if 5 and 7 are two roots of the equation then  $\begin{vmatrix} x & 4 & 5 \\ 7 & x & 7 \\ 5 & 8 & x \end{vmatrix} = 0$  then what is the third root ?
- (a) 13 (b)  $-12$  (c) 9 (d) 14
6. If  $\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ l & m & n \\ p & q & r \end{vmatrix} = 2$ , what is the value of the determinant :  $\begin{vmatrix} 6a & 3b & 15c \\ 2l & m & 5n \\ 2p & q & 5r \end{vmatrix}$  ?
- (a) 30 (b) 20 (c) 60 (d) 0
7. If  $\begin{vmatrix} a+2 & a+2 & a+3 \\ a+2 & a+3 & a+4 \\ a+l & a+m & a+n \end{vmatrix} = 0$ , then  $l$ ,  $m$  and  $n$  are in :
- (a) AP (b) HP (c) GP (d) None of these
8. The value of determinant of  $\begin{vmatrix} x+1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ \omega & x+\omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & x+\omega \end{vmatrix}$ ; where,  $\omega$  is a cube root of unity.
- (a)  $x^3+1$  (b)  $x^3+w$  (c)  $x^3+w^2$  (d)  $x^3$
9. Find the value of  $p$  if  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 16 \\ 0 & 0 & 1+p \end{vmatrix} = 20$
- (a) 0 (b) 2 (c) 1 (d) 5
10. If  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 1$ , then the value of  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & c & -b \\ -c & 1 & a \\ b & -a & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  is :
- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d)  $2 - 2abc$
11. The following system of equations
- $$\begin{aligned} kx + y + z &= k - 1 \\ x + ky + z &= k - 1 \\ x + y + kz &= k - 1 \end{aligned}$$
- What are the values of ' $k$ ' the system is inconsistent ?
- (a) 1,  $-2$  (b) 2, 3 (c) 3 or 4 (d) 2 or  $-2$
12. The determinant :  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & \omega^2 & 1+2\omega^{100} + \omega^{200} \\ \omega & 1+\omega^{100} + 2\omega^{200} & 1 \\ 2+\omega^{100} + 2\omega^{200} & \omega^2 & \omega \end{vmatrix}$
- (a) 1 (b)  $\omega$  (c)  $\omega^2$  (d) none of these

13. Let A be a square matrix of order  $n \times n$ , where  $n \geq 2$ . Let B be a matrix obtained from A with first and second rows interchanged. Then which of the following is correct ?

- (a)  $\det(A) = \det(B)$       (b)  $\det(A) = -\det(B)$       (c)  $A = B$       (d)  $A = -B$

14. The value of determinant of  $\begin{vmatrix} -a^2 & ab & ac \\ ab & -b^2 & bc \\ ac & bc & -c^2 \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a)  $4abc$       (b)  $4a^2b^2c^2$       (c)  $2a^2b^2c^2$       (d)  $2abc$

15. If  $|A_{n \times n}| = 3$  and  $|\text{adj } A| = 243$ , what is the value of  $n$  ?

- (a) 4      (b) 5      (c) 6      (d) 7

16. For positive numbers  $x, y, z$ , the determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & \log_x y & \log_x z \\ \log_y x & 1 & \log_y z \\ \log_z x & \log_z y & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a) 0      (b)  $\log_e xyz$       (c) 1      (d) none of these

17. If A is a matrix of order  $3 \times 2$  and B is a matrix of order  $2 \times 3$ , then  $|kAB|$  equal to (where  $k$  is any scalar quantity)

- (a)  $k|AB|$       (b)  $k^3|AB|$       (c)  $k^2|AB|$       (d)  $|AB|$

18. What is the value of  $\begin{vmatrix} \sin 10^\circ & \cos 10^\circ \\ \sin 80^\circ & \cos 80^\circ \end{vmatrix}$  ?

- (a) 0      (b) 1      (c) -1      (d)  $-\frac{1}{2}$

19. The value of determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} 10! & 11! & 12! \\ 11! & 12! & 13! \\ 12! & 13! & 14! \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a)  $2(11! 12! 13!)$       (b)  $2(10! 13!)$       (c)  $2(10! 12! 13!)$       (d)  $2(10! 11! 12!)$

20. The value of determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} a-b & b+c & a \\ b-c & c+a & b \\ c-a & a+b & c \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a)  $a^3+b^3+c^3$       (b)  $3bc$       (c)  $a^3+b^3+c^3 - 3abc$       (d) 0

21. Let A be  $n \times n$  matrix. If  $\det(\lambda A) = \lambda^S \det(A)$  what is the value of S ?

- (a) 0      (b) 1      (c) -1      (d)  $n$

22. If  $a, b, c$  are in GP, then what is the value of :  $\begin{vmatrix} a & b & a+b \\ b & c & b+c \\ a+b & b+c & 0 \end{vmatrix}$  ?

- (a) 0      (b) 1      (c) -1      (d) 2

23. If  $\omega$  is the cube root of unity, then what is one root of the equation  $\begin{vmatrix} x^2 & -2x & -2\omega^2 \\ 2 & \omega & -\omega \\ 0 & \omega & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$  ?

- (a) 1      (b) -2      (c) 2      (d)  $\omega$

24. The value of  $x$  and  $y$  are, if  $\begin{vmatrix} x & -3i & 1 \\ y & 1 & i \\ 0 & 2i & -i \end{vmatrix} = 6 + 11i$

- (a) -3, 4      (b) 3, 4      (c) 3, -4      (d) -3, -4

25. The determinant of  $AB$  is, where  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .
- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 10 (d) 20
26. If  $A$  and  $B$  are square matrices of order 3, such that  $|A| = -1$ ,  $|B| = 3$ , then  $|3AB|$  is equal to :
- (a) -9 (b) -81 (c) -27 (d) 81
27. If  $D_r = \begin{vmatrix} 2^{r-1} & 2 \cdot 3^{r-1} & 4 \cdot 5^{r-1} \\ x & y & z \\ 2^n - 1 & 3^n - 1 & 5^n - 1 \end{vmatrix}$ , then the value of  $\sum_{r=1}^n D_r$  is equal to :
- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) -1 (d) 2
28. If two triangles with vertices  $(x_1, y_1)$   $(x_2, y_2)$   $(x_3, y_3)$  and  $(a_1, b_1)$   $(a_2, b_2)$   $(a_3, b_3)$  satisfy the relation.
- $$\begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & 1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & 1 \\ a_3 & b_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
- , then triangle are
- (a) Congruent (b) Unequal area (c) Similar (d) Unequal perimeter
29. If  $\begin{vmatrix} b^2 + c^2 & ab & ac \\ ab & c^2 + a^2 & bc \\ ac & bc & a^2 + b^2 \end{vmatrix} = ka^2b^2c^2$  and  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 0$ , then the value of  $k$  is :
- (a) 1 (b) 0 (c) -1 (d) 4
30. If  $A = \begin{vmatrix} x & b & b \\ a & x & b \\ a & a & x \end{vmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{vmatrix} x & b \\ a & x \end{vmatrix}$  then which of the following is correct?
- (a)  $|A| = 3|B|^2$  (b)  $\frac{d}{dx}|A| = 3|B|$  (c)  $\frac{d}{dx}|A| = 2|B|^2$  (d)  $|A| = 3|B|^{3/2}$
31. If  $\begin{vmatrix} a & -b & 0 \\ 0 & a & b \\ b & 0 & a \end{vmatrix} = 0$ , then which of the following is true ?
- (a)  $a$  is one of the cube roots of unity (b)  $b$  is one of the cube roots of unity  
(c)  $\frac{a}{b}$  is one of the cube roots of unity (d) None of these
32. The determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} 1+i & 1-i & i \\ 1-i & i & 1+i \\ i & 1+i & 1-i \end{vmatrix}$  is :
- (a)  $-4 - 7i$  (b)  $3 + 7i$  (c)  $8 + 11i$  (d)  $7 + 4i$
33. The roots of the equation  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 & 20 \\ 1 & -2 & 5 \\ 1 & 2x & 5x^2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$  ; are
- (a)  $-1, -2$  (b)  $-1, 2$  (c)  $1, -2$  (d)  $1, 2$
34. If  $a, b, c$  are real numbers such that  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 1$ , then  $\begin{vmatrix} ax - by - c & bx + acy & cx + a \\ bx + ay & -ax + by - c & cy + b \\ cx + a & cy + b & -ax - by + c \end{vmatrix} = 0$  represents
- (a) parabola (b) circle (c) hyperbola (d) straight line

35. Express  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} (a-x)^2 & (a-y)^2 & (a-z)^2 \\ (b-x)^2 & (b-y)^2 & (b-z)^2 \\ (c-x)^2 & (c-y)^2 & (c-z)^2 \end{vmatrix}$  as the product of two determinants.

(a)  $\begin{vmatrix} a^2 & -2a & 1 \\ b^2 & -2b & 1 \\ c^2 & -2c & 1 \end{vmatrix} \times \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x^2 \\ 1 & y & y^2 \\ 1 & z & z^2 \end{vmatrix}$

(b)  $\begin{vmatrix} a^2 & a & 1 \\ b^2 & b & 1 \\ c^2 & c & 1 \end{vmatrix} \times \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x^2 \\ 1 & y & y^2 \\ 1 & z & z^2 \end{vmatrix}$

(c)  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 1 & b & b^2 \\ 1 & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix} \times \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2x & x^2 \\ 1 & -2y & y^2 \\ 1 & -2z & z^2 \end{vmatrix}$

(d) none of these

36. Let  $\Delta_n = \begin{vmatrix} a-1 & n & 6 \\ (a-1)^2 & 2n^2 & 4x-2 \\ (a-1)^3 & 3n^3 & 13n^2-3n \end{vmatrix}$  then which of the following is equal to  $\sum_{a=1}^n \Delta_n$ ?

(a) 0

(b) 1

(c) -1

(d) 2

37. If  $f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} \sec x & \cos x & \sec^2 x + \cot x \operatorname{cosec} x \\ \cos^2 x & \cos^2 x & \operatorname{cosec}^2 x \\ 1 & \cos^2 x & \cos^2 x \end{vmatrix}$  then the value of  $\int_0^{\pi/2} f(x) dx$  is :

(a)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

(b)  $\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{8}{15}\right)$

(c)  $-\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{8}{15}\right)$

(d)  $\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{8}{15}$

38. For what value of  $p$  and  $q$ , the system of equation  $2x + py + 6z = 8$ ,  $x + 2y + qz = 5$ ,  $x + y + 3z = 4$  has a unique solution

(a)  $p=2, q=3$

(b)  $p \neq 2, q \neq 3$

(c)  $p=0, q=2$

(d)  $p=2, q=3$

39. If  $\alpha, \beta$  and  $\gamma$  are the roots of the equation  $x^2 (px + q) = r(x + 1)$ . Then the value of determinant

$\begin{vmatrix} 1+\alpha & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1+\beta & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1+\gamma \end{vmatrix}$  is :

(a)  $\alpha, \beta, \pi$

(b)  $1 + \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma}$

(c) 0

(d) none of these

40. One factor of the equation  $\begin{vmatrix} a^2 + \lambda & ab & ac \\ ab & b^2 + \lambda & cb \\ ca & cb & c^2 + \lambda \end{vmatrix}$  is :

(a)  $\lambda^2$

(b)  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$

(c)  $(a^2 + \lambda)(b^2 + \lambda)(c^2 + \lambda)$

(d) None of these

41. If  $\begin{vmatrix} x^2 & 1 & x+1 \\ 2x^2-1 & 1 & x+2 \\ 3x^2-2 & 1 & x+3 \end{vmatrix} = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3 + \dots$  then  $a$ , is equal to :

(a) 1

(b) 3

(c) 2

(d) 0

42. The system of equation  $6x + 5y + \lambda z = 0$ ,  $3x - y + 4z = 0$ ,  $x + 2y - 3z = 0$ , has non-trivial solution for,  
 (a)  $\lambda = 0$  (b)  $\lambda = -5$  (c)  $\lambda = 1$  (d) none of these
43. Consider an identity matrix  $(n \times n)$  In;  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^+$  then  $|\text{adj}(\lambda \text{In})|$  is :  
 (a)  $\lambda^{n-1}$  (b)  $\lambda^n$  (c)  $\lambda^{n(n-1)}$  (d)  $\lambda^{2(n-1)}$
44. If  $\Delta(x) = \begin{vmatrix} e^x & \sin x & \tan x \\ \ln(1+x) & \cos x & \sin x \\ \cos x^2 & e^x - 1 & \sin x^2 \end{vmatrix} = A + Bx + Cx^2 + \dots$ . Then the value of B is :  
 (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) none of these
45. If the maximum and minimum values of the determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 + \sin^2 x & \cos^2 x & \sin 2x \\ \sin^2 x & 1 + \cos^2 x & \sin 2x \\ \sin^2 x & \cos^2 x & 1 + \sin 2x \end{vmatrix}$  are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  then which of the following is incorrect.  
 (a)  $\alpha + \beta^{99} = 4$  (b)  $\alpha^3 - \beta^{17} = 26$   
 (c)  $(\alpha^{2n} - \beta^{2n})$  is always an even integer  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  (d) A triangle can be constructed of sides  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\alpha - \beta$ .
46. If  $a_i$ ;  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 9$  are perfect odd squares, then  $\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \\ a_7 & a_8 & a_9 \end{vmatrix}$  is always a multiple of  
 (a) 4 (b) 7 (c) 6 (d) 5
47. If  $g(x) = \begin{vmatrix} a & -1 & 0 \\ ax & a & -1 \\ ax^2 & ax & a \end{vmatrix}$ , then  $g(2x) - g(x)$  is not divisible by :  
 (a)  $x$  (b)  $2a + 3x$  (c)  $a$  (d)  $x^2$
48. Consider the determinant  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} p & q & r \\ x & y & z \\ l & m & n \end{vmatrix}$  when  $M_{ij}$  denotes minor and  $C_{ij}$  denotes cofactors of an element, then the value of  $pC_{21} + qC_{22} + rC_{23}$  is:  
 (a) 0 (b)  $-\Delta$  (c)  $\Delta$  (d)  $\Delta^2$
49. For the matrix  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} p & q & r \\ x & y & z \\ l & m & n \end{vmatrix}$ , where  $M_{ij}$  denotes Minor and  $C_{ij}$  denotes cofactor. Find : Then,  $qM_{12} - yM_{22} + mM_{32}$  is :  
 (a) 0 (b)  $\Delta$  (c)  $-\Delta$  (d)  $\Delta^2$
50. The number of possible dimensions of a matrix containing 32 elements is :  
 (a) 3 (b) 6 (c) 10 (d) 14
51. If  $\begin{vmatrix} x & 2 & x \\ x^2 + 1 & x & 5 \\ 2x - 1 & 1 & x \end{vmatrix} = Ax^5 + Bx^4 + Cx^3 + Dx^2 + Ex + F$ , then the value of  $5A + 4B + 3C + 2D + E$  is  $k$ , then  $\frac{k}{5}$  is equal to :  
 (a) 0 (b) 1 (c)  $-12$  (d) 13

52. The set of all values of  $\lambda$  for which the system of linear equations :

$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3 &= \lambda x_1 \\ 2x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3 &= \lambda x_2 \\ -x_1 + 2x_2 &= \lambda x_3 \end{aligned}$$

has a non-trivial solution,

- (a) is a singleton (b) Contains two elements  
(c) Contains more than two element (d) is an empty set

53. If  $\alpha, \beta \neq 0$  and  $f(n) = \alpha^n + \beta^n$  and  $\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1+f(1) & 1+f(2) \\ 1+f(1) & 1+f(2) & 1+f(3) \\ 1+f(2) & 1+f(3) & 1+f(4) \end{vmatrix} = k(1-\alpha)^2(1-\beta)^2(\alpha-\beta)^2$ , then  $k$  is equal to

- (a)  $\alpha, \beta$  (b)  $\frac{1}{\alpha\beta}$  (c) 1 (d) -1

54. The value of  $k$ , for which the system of equations  $(k+1)x + 8y = 4k$  ;  $kx + (k+3)y = 3k - 1$  has no solution, is :

- (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) infinite

55. Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be  $3 \times 3$  matrices with  $P \neq Q$ . If  $P^3 = Q^3$  and  $P^2Q = Q^2P$ , then determinant of  $(P^2 + Q^2)$  is equal to :

- (a) 0 (b) -1 (c) -2 (d) 1

56. If the trivial solution is the only solution of the equation

$$\begin{aligned} x - ky + z &= 0 \\ ky + 3y - kz &= 0 \\ 3x + y - z &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

- (a)  $\mathbb{R} - \{-3\}$  (b)  $\{2, -3\}$  (c)  $\mathbb{R} - \{2, -3\}$  (d)  $\mathbb{R} - \{2\}$

57. System of linear equations :

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 &= 3 \\ 2x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 &= 3 \\ 3x_1 + 5x_2 + 2x_3 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

The system has :

- (a) exactly 3 solutions (b) no solution  
(c) a unique solution (d) infinite number of solutions

58. Let  $a, b, c$  be such that  $b(a+c) \neq 0$ .

If  $\begin{vmatrix} a & a+1 & a-1 \\ -b & b+1 & b-1 \\ c & c-1 & c+1 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a+1 & b+1 & c-1 \\ a-1 & b-1 & c+1 \\ (-1)^{n+2}a & (-1)^{n+1}b & (-1)^n c \end{vmatrix} = 0$  ; then the values of 'n' is

- (a) zero (b) any odd integer (c) any even integer (d) any integer

59. If  $D = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1+x & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1+y \end{vmatrix}$  for  $x \neq 0, y \neq 0$ , then  $D$  is :

- (a) divisible by neither  $x$  nor  $y$  (b) divisible by both  $x$  and  $y$   
(c) divisible by  $x$  but not  $y$  (d) divisible by 'y' but not  $x$

60.  $l, m, n$  are  $p$ th,  $q$ th and  $r$ th terms of a G.P. all positive, then  $\begin{vmatrix} \log l & p & 1 \\ \log m & q & 1 \\ \log n & r & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  equals :

- (a) -1 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 0



61. Determinant of a skew symmetric matrix of order 3 is :

- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) -1 (d) 2

62. If  $a > 0$  and discriminant of  $ax^2 + 2bx + c$  is negative then  $\begin{vmatrix} a & b & ax+b \\ b & c & bx+c \\ ax+b & bx+c & 0 \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a) positive (b) negative  
(c)  $(ac - b^2)(ax^2 + 2bx + c)$  (d) 0

63. If  $1, \omega, \omega^2$  are cube root of unity, then  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \omega^n & \omega^{2n} \\ \omega^n & \omega^{2n} & 1 \\ \omega^{2n} & 1 & \omega^n \end{vmatrix}$  is equal to :

- (a) 0 (b)  $\omega$  (c) 1 (d)  $\omega^2$

64. If the system of linear equations  $x + 2ay + az = 0$  ;  $x + 3by + bz = 0$  ;  $x + 4cy + cz = 0$  has a non zero solution, then  $a, b, c$

- (a) are in AP (b) are in GP (c) are in HP (d) satisfy  $a + 2b + 3c = 0$

65. If  $\begin{vmatrix} a & a^2 & 1+a^3 \\ b & b^2 & 1+b^3 \\ c & c^2 & 1+c^3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$  and vectors  $(1, a, a^2)$   $(1, b, b^2)$  and  $(1, c, c^2)$  are non-coplanar, then the product  $abc$  equals :

- (a) 2 (b) 1 (c) -1 (d) 0

66. If  $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n$  are in GP, then determinant  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} \log a_n & \log a_{n+1} & \log a_{n+2} \\ \log a_{n+3} & \log a_{n+4} & \log a_{n+5} \\ \log a_{n+6} & \log a_{n+7} & \log a_{n+8} \end{vmatrix}$  is equal to

- (a) 1 (b) 0 (c) 4 (d) 2

67. If  $\begin{vmatrix} 6i & -3i & 1 \\ 4 & 3i & -1 \\ 20 & 3 & i \end{vmatrix} = x + iy$ , then

- (a)  $x=3, y=1$  (b)  $x=1, y=3$  (c)  $x=0, y=3$  (d)  $x=0, y=0$

68. Let  $\omega = \frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}$ , then the value of the determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1-\omega^2 & \omega^2 \\ 1 & \omega^2 & \omega^4 \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a)  $3\omega$  (b)  $3\omega(\omega-1)$  (c)  $3\omega^2$  (d)  $3\omega(1-\omega)$

69. Which of the following values of  $\alpha$  satisfy the equation  $\begin{vmatrix} (1+\alpha)^2 & (1+2\alpha)^2 & (1+3\alpha)^2 \\ (2+\alpha)^2 & (2+2\alpha)^2 & (2+3\alpha)^2 \\ (3+\alpha)^2 & (3+2\alpha)^2 & (3+3\alpha)^2 \end{vmatrix} = -648\alpha$  ?

- (a) -4 (b) -8 (c) -9 (d) 4

70. Let  $f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} x^3 & \sin x & \cos x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix}$ ,  $p$  is a constant. Then  $\frac{d^3}{dx^3} f(x)$  at  $x = 0$  is :

- (a)  $p$  (b)  $p + p^3$  (c)  $p + p^2$  (d) independent of  $p$

71. The number of values of 'k' for which the system of equation  $(k + 1)x + 8y = 4k$  and  $kx + (k + 3)y = 3k - 1$  has infinitely many solution.

- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) infinite

72. If  $a \neq p, b \neq q$  and  $c \neq r$  and  $\begin{vmatrix} p & b & c \\ a & q & c \\ a & b & r \end{vmatrix} = 0$ . Then the value of  $\frac{p}{p-a} + \frac{q}{q-b} + \frac{r}{r-c}$  is :

- (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4

73. The determinant :  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & \log_x y & \log_x z \\ \log_y x & 1 & \log_y z \\ \log_z x & \log_z y & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  equal to :

- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) -1 (d) 2

74. If  $x, y, z$  are three different numbers and  $\begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & 1+x^3 \\ y & y^2 & 1+y^3 \\ z & z^2 & 1+z^3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$  then which of the following is incorrect ?

- (a)  $xyz = -1$  (b)  $x = y = z$  (c)  $1 + xyz = 0$  (d) all are incorrect

75. Which of the following is a root of the  $\begin{vmatrix} 3-x & -6 & 3 \\ -6 & 3-x & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & -6-x \end{vmatrix} = 0$ ?

- (a) 6 (b) 0 (c) 3 (d) none of these

76. If  $f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x+1 \\ 2x & x(x-1) & x(x+1) \\ 3x(x-1) & x(x-1)(x-2) & x(x-1)(x+1) \end{vmatrix}$ . Then  $f(2010)$  is:

- (a) 1 (b) 2010 (c) 2009 (d) 0

77. The system of equation  $x - ky - z = 0, kx - y - z = 0, x + y - z = 0$  has a non-zero solution. Then possible values of 'k' are :

- (a) -1, 2 (b) 1, 2 (c) 0, 1 (d) -1, 1

78. Let  $f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} x & 3 & 7 \\ 2 & x & 2 \\ 7 & 6 & x \end{vmatrix}$ , if  $x = -9$  is a root of  $f(x) = 0$ , then the other roots are

- (a) 2, 7 (b) 3, 5 (c) 7, 5 (d) 6, 2

79. If  $A = \begin{vmatrix} \sin(\theta + \alpha) & \cos(\theta + \alpha) & 1 \\ \sin(\theta + \beta) & \cos(\theta + \beta) & 1 \\ \sin(\theta + \gamma) & \cos(\theta + \gamma) & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ , then

- (a)  $A = 0$  for all  $\theta$  (b)  $A = 0$  for all  $\theta = \alpha + \beta + \gamma$   
(c)  $A$  is an odd function (d)  $A$  is independent of  $\theta$ .

80. The number of distinct real roots of  $\begin{vmatrix} \sin x & \cos x & \cos x \\ \cos x & \sin x & \cos x \\ \cos x & \cos x & \sin x \end{vmatrix} = 0$  in the interval  $-\frac{\pi}{4} \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

- (a) 0 (b) 2 (c) 1 (d) 3

81. If 3, -2 are the eigen values of non-singular matrix A and  $|A| = 4$ , then eigen values of  $\text{adj}(A)$  are :

- (a)  $\frac{3}{4}, -\frac{1}{2}$                       (b)  $\frac{4}{3}, -2$                       (c) 12, -8                      (d) -12, 8

82. How many values of  $x$  in the closed interval  $[-4, -1]$  is the matrix  $\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1+x & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & x+2 \\ x-3 & -1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$  singular ?

- (a) 2                      (b) 3                      (c) 0                      (d) 1

83. The determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & -3 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$ , the ratio of cofactor to its minor of element -3 is :

- (a) -1                      (b) 0                      (c) 1                      (d) 2

84. If the value of the determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & b & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & c \end{vmatrix}$  is positive, then

- (a)  $abc > 1$                       (b)  $abc > -8$                       (c)  $abc < -8$                       (d)  $abc > -2$

85. The value of determinant :  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -4 & 3 & 6 \\ 2 & -7 & 9 \end{vmatrix}$  ?

- (a) 213                      (b) -231                      (c) 231                      (d) 39

86. Which of the following is equal to  $\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ x & y & z \\ p & q & r \end{vmatrix}$  ?

- (a)  $\begin{vmatrix} y & b & q \\ x & a & p \\ z & c & r \end{vmatrix}$                       (b)  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & c \\ x & y & z \\ p & q & r \end{vmatrix}$                       (c)  $\begin{vmatrix} a-p & b-q & c \\ x & y & z \\ p & q & r \end{vmatrix}$                       (d)  $\begin{vmatrix} x & a & p \\ y & b & q \\ z & c & r \end{vmatrix}$

87. The value of determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} a^2 & ab & ac \\ ab & b^2 & bc \\ ac & bc & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a) 1                      (b) 0                      (c) -1                      (d) 2

88. If is equal to  $D = \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ r & \delta \end{vmatrix}$  then  $\begin{vmatrix} 2\alpha & 2\beta \\ 2r & 2\delta \end{vmatrix}$  is equal to

- (a) D                      (b) 2D                      (c) 4D                      (d) 16D

89. The value of  $k$ ,  $\begin{vmatrix} 3^2+k & 4^2 & 3^2+3+k \\ 4^2+k & 5^2 & 4^2+4+k \\ 5^2+k & 6^2 & 5^2+5+k \end{vmatrix} = 0$  is :

- (a) 0                      (b) 1                      (c) -1                      (d) 2

90. The value of  $\begin{vmatrix} 13 & 16 & 19 \\ 14 & 17 & 20 \\ 15 & 18 & 21 \end{vmatrix}$

- (a) 96                      (b) -39                      (c) 57                      (d) 0

91. If  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 10 & x & 5 \end{vmatrix}$ , then  $\begin{vmatrix} x & 10 & 5 \\ 5 & 3 & 6 \\ 8 & 7 & 7 \end{vmatrix}$  is equal to :

- (a)  $-\Delta$  (b)  $\Delta x$  (c)  $\Delta$  (d) 0

92. If  $p + q + r = 0 = a + b + c$ , then the value of determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} pa & qb & rc \\ qc & ra & pb \\ rb & pc & qa \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c)  $pa + qb + rc$  (d) none of these

93. If  $x \neq y \neq z$  and  $\begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & x^3 \\ y & y^2 & y^3 \\ z & z^2 & z^3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$ , then which of the following is equal to  $xyz$  ?

- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c)  $-1$  (d)  $x + y + z$

94. If each element of third order determinant of value  $\Delta$  is multiplied by 4, then the value of new determinant will be :

- (a)  $\Delta$  (b)  $128\Delta$  (c)  $21\Delta$  (d)  $64\Delta$

95. The determinant :  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 & \pi \\ \log_e e & 5 & \sqrt{5} \\ \log_{10} 10 & 5 & e \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a)  $\sqrt{\pi}$  (b)  $e$  (c) 1 (d) 0

96. The roots of the equation :  $\begin{vmatrix} 1+x & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1+x & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1+x \end{vmatrix}$  are :

- (a) 0, -3 (b) 0, 3 (c) 0, 0, 3 (d) 0, 0, -3

97. The value of :  $\begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{a} & a^2 & bc \\ \frac{1}{b} & b^2 & ca \\ \frac{1}{c} & c^2 & ab \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a)  $abc$  (b)  $ab + bc + ca$  (c)  $2abc$  (d) 0

98. The value of the determinant :  $\begin{vmatrix} 31 & 37 & 92 \\ 31 & 58 & 71 \\ 31 & 105 & 24 \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a) -2 (b) 0 (c) 81 (d) 27

99. The determinant value of  $\begin{vmatrix} \sin^2 x & \cos^2 x & 1 \\ \cos^2 x & \sin^2 x & 1 \\ -10 & 12 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$  is :

- (a) 0 (b)  $12 \cos^2 x - 10 \sin^2 x$   
 (c)  $12 \sin^2 x - 10 \cos^2 x - 2$  (d)  $10 \sin 2x$

**INPUT TEXT BASED MCQ's**

100. A factory produces three types of bulb  $B_1, B_2, B_3$  every day. Their production in certain day is 45. On this day the product of  $B_3$  is exceeds by  $B_1$  by 8, while the total production of  $B_1$  and  $B_3$  is twice the production of  $B_2$

Answer the following questions :

(i) If the present equation the express in equation them which of the following is incorrect?

- (a)  $B_1 + B_2 + B_3 = 45$  (b)  $B_1 - 2B_2 + B_3 = 0$   
 (c)  $B_1 - 2B_2 + B_3 = 0$  (d)  $B_1 - 2B_2 + 3B_3 = 0$

(ii) If  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ , then the inverse of  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is :

- (a)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{-1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{6} & \frac{-1}{3} & \frac{1}{6} \end{pmatrix}$  (b)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{-1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{6} & \frac{-1}{3} & \frac{1}{6} \end{pmatrix}$  (c)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{1}{3} & 0 & \frac{-1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{-1}{2} & \frac{1}{6} \end{pmatrix}$  (d) none of these

(iii)  $B_1 : B_2 : B_3$  is equal to :

- (a) 12 : 13 : 20 (b) 11 : 15 : 19 (c) 15 : 19 : 11 (d) 13 : 12 : 20

(iv) Which of the following is not true?

- (a)  $|A| = |A'|$  (b)  $(A^1)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^1$   
 (c) matrix of odd order,  $|A| = 0$  (d)  $|AB| = |A| + |B|$

(v) Which of the given statement is incorrect for given matrix  $A = [a_{ij}]_{3 \times 3}$ ?

- (a) Order of minor is less than order of the  $\det(A)$   
 (b) Minor of an element can never be equal to cofactor of the same element.  
 (c) Value of a determinant is obtained by multiplying elements of a row or column by corresponding cofactors.  
 (d) Order of minors and cofactors of same element of  $A$  is same.

101. Consider the determinant,  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} p & q & r \\ x & y & z \\ l & m & n \end{vmatrix}$

$M_{ij}$  denotes the minor of an element in  $i^{th}$  row and  $j^{th}$  column.

$C_{ij}$  denotes the cofactor of an element in  $i^{th}$  row and  $j^{th}$  column.

Answer the following questions :

(i) The value of  $p \cdot C_{21} + qC_{22} + rC_{23}$  is equal to :

- (a) 0 (b)  $-\Delta$  (c)  $\Delta$  (d)  $\Delta^2$

(ii) The value of  $xC_{21} + yC_{22} + zC_{23}$  is equal to :

- (a) 0 (b)  $-\Delta$  (c)  $\Delta$  (d)  $\Delta^2$

(iii) The value of  $qM_{12} - y \cdot M_{22} + mM_{32}$  is equal to :

- (a) 0 (b)  $-\Delta$  (c)  $\Delta$  (d)  $\Delta^2$

(iv) What would be the determinant of  $\begin{vmatrix} 3p & eq & 3r \\ 3x & 3y & 3z \\ 3l & 3m & 3n \end{vmatrix}$  d

(a)  $3\Delta$

(b)  $\Delta^3$

(c)  $9\Delta$

(d)  $27\Delta$

(v) Which of the following is equal to  $\begin{vmatrix} p & x & l \\ q & y & m \\ r & z & n \end{vmatrix}$ ?

(a)  $-\Delta$

(b)  $\Delta$

(c)  $\Delta^2$

(d)  $2\Delta$

## ANSWERS

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|--------------|----------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1. (a)       | 2. (b)   | 3. (c)    | 4. (a)   | 5. (b)  | 6. (c)  | 7. (a)  | 8. (d)  | 9. (c)  | 10. (c) |
| 11. (a)      | 12. (d)  | 13. (b)   | 14. (b)  | 15. (c) | 16. (a) | 17. (b) | 18. (b) | 19. (d) | 20. (c) |
| 21. (d)      | 22. (a)  | 23. (c)   | 24. (a)  | 25. (a) | 26. (b) | 27. (a) | 28. (a) | 29. (d) | 30. (b) |
| 31. (c)      | 32. (c)  | 33. (b)   | 34. (d)  | 35. (a) | 36. (a) | 37. (c) | 38. (b) | 39. (c) | 40. (a) |
| 41. (d)      | 42. (b)  | 43. (c)   | 44. (a)  | 45. (c) | 46. (a) | 47. (c) | 48. (a) | 49. (c) | 50. (b) |
| 51. (d)      | 52. (c)  | 53. (c)   | 54. (c)  | 55. (c) | 56. (c) | 57. (b) | 58. (b) | 59. (b) | 60. (d) |
| 61. (a)      | 62. (b)  | 63. (a)   | 64. (c)  | 65. (c) | 66. (b) | 67. (d) | 68. (b) | 69. (c) | 70. (d) |
| 71. (b)      | 72. (b)  | 73. (a)   | 74. (b)  | 75. (a) | 76. (d) | 77. (d) | 78. (a) | 79. (d) | 80. (c) |
| 81. (b)      | 82. (d)  | 83. (a)   | 84. (b)  | 85. (c) | 86. (a) | 87. (b) | 88. (c) | 89. (b) | 90. (d) |
| 91. (a)      | 92. (a)  | 93. (a)   | 94. (d)  | 95. (d) | 96. (d) | 97. (d) | 98. (b) | 99. (a) |         |
| 100. (i) (d) | (ii) (c) | (iii) (b) | (iv) (d) | (v) (b) |         |         |         |         |         |
| 101. (i) (a) | (ii) (c) | (iii) (b) | (iv) (d) | (v) (b) |         |         |         |         |         |

## Hints to Some Selected Questions

1. (a) By solving the given equation we get,  $x = 1, y = 4$

This solution is clearly satisfy by the equation  $x + y = 5$ .

2. (b) On applying,  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1; R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$ , we get

$$\begin{vmatrix} x & \alpha & 1 \\ \beta - x & x - \alpha & 1 \\ \beta - x & \gamma - \alpha & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow (\beta - x)(\gamma - \alpha) - (x - \alpha)(\beta - x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\beta - x)[\gamma - \alpha - x + \alpha] = 0 \Rightarrow (\beta - x)(\gamma - x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = \beta, \gamma$$

3. (c)  $(1 + a)[(1 + b)(1 + c) - 1] - 1[1 + c - 1] + 1[1 - 1 - b] = \lambda$ .

$$\Rightarrow (1 + a)\{b + c + bc\} - c - b = \lambda \Rightarrow bc + ab + ac + abc = \lambda$$

$$abc \left[ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} \right] + abc = \lambda \Rightarrow abc = \lambda$$

5. (b)  $x(x^2 - 56) - 4(7x - 35) + 5(56 - 5x) = 0 \Rightarrow x^3 - 56x - 28x + 140 + 280 - 25x = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 - 109x - 420 = 0 \Rightarrow (x - 5)(x - 7)(x - 12) = 0 \Rightarrow x = -12$$

$$6. (c) 2 \times 5 \begin{vmatrix} 3a & 3b & 3c \\ l & m & 5n \\ p & q & r \end{vmatrix} = 3 \times 10 \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ l & m & n \\ p & q & r \end{vmatrix} = 30 \times 2 = 60$$

$$8. (d) 2 \times 5 \begin{vmatrix} x+1+\omega+\omega^2 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ x+\omega+1+\omega^2 & x+\omega^2 & 1 \\ 1+\omega^2+x+\omega & 1 & x+\omega \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow x \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ x+\omega^2 & 1 & \\ 1 & 1 & x+\omega \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x [(x + \omega^2)(x + \omega) + \omega(1 - x - \omega) + \omega^2(1 - x - \omega^2)]$$

$$= x [x^2 + x\omega + x\omega^2 + \omega^3 + \omega - \omega x - \omega^2 + \omega^2 + x\omega^2 - \omega^4] = x^3$$

$$9. (c) 2[5 + 5p - 0] - 4[0] + 0 = 20 \Rightarrow 10 + 10p = 20 \Rightarrow p = \frac{10}{10} = 1$$

$$10. (c) 1[1 - a^2] - c[-c - ab] + b[ac - b] = 1 + a^2 + c^2 + abc - abc + b^2 = 1 + 1 = 2$$

$$11. (a) A = \begin{vmatrix} k & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & k & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & k \end{vmatrix} B = \begin{vmatrix} k-1 & & \\ & k-1 & \\ & & k-1 \end{vmatrix} X = \begin{vmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow |A| = k^3 - 3k + 2$$

$$\text{Inconsistent, } k^3 - 3k + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow (k - 1)^2(k + 2) = 0 \Rightarrow k = 1 \text{ or } -2$$

$$13. (b) \text{ Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} c & d \\ a & b \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow |B| = bc - ad \Rightarrow |B| = -(ab - bc) \Rightarrow |B| = -|A|$$

$$14. (b) abc \begin{vmatrix} -a & a & a \\ b & -b & b \\ c & c & -c \end{vmatrix} = a^2 b^2 c^2 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = a^2 b^2 c^2 \{-1(1-1) - 1(-1-1) + 1(1+1)\} = 4a^2 b^2 c^2$$

$$15. (c) |A_{n \times n}| = 3, |adj A| = 243$$

$$|adj(A)| = |A_{n \times n}|^{n-1} \Rightarrow 243 = 3^{n-1} \Rightarrow 3^5 = 3^{n-1} \Rightarrow n-1 = 5 \Rightarrow n = 6$$

$$17. (b) |kAB| = k^3 |AB|. \text{ Therefore, order of } AB \text{ is } 3 \times 3.$$

$$18. (b) \sin 10^\circ \cos 80^\circ + \sin 80^\circ \cos 10^\circ \Rightarrow \sin(10^\circ + 80^\circ) = \sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$19. (d) 10! 11! 12! \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 11 & 11 \times 12 \\ 1 & 12 & 12 \times 13 \\ 1 & 13 & 13 \times 14 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow 10! 11! 12! (50 - 48) = 2(10! 11! 12!).$$

$$20. (c) \text{ Use } C_3 \rightarrow C_3 + C_2$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a-b & b+c & a+b+c \\ b-c & c+a & a+b+c \\ c-a & a+b & a+b+c \end{vmatrix} = (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} a-b & b+c & 1 \\ b-c & c+a & 1 \\ c-a & a+b & 1 \end{vmatrix} = a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc.$$

$$21. (d) \text{ If } A \text{ is on } n \times n \text{ matrix, then } \det(\lambda A) = \lambda^n \det(A)$$

$$\Rightarrow \det(\lambda A) = \lambda^S \det(A). \text{ Thus, on comparing } S = n$$

$$22. (a) a[-(b+c)^2] - b[(a+b)(b+c)] + (a+b)[b^2 + bc - ac - bc]$$

$$= -ab^2 - ac^2 - 2abc + ab^2 + 2abc + b^2c = -ac^2 + b^2c = 0$$

$$23. (c) C_2 \rightarrow C_2 + C_3$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} x^2 & -2x - 2\omega^2 & -2\omega^2 \\ 2 & 0 & -\omega \\ 0 & 1 + \omega & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} x^2 & -2x - 2\omega^2 & -2\omega^2 \\ 2 & 0 & -\omega \\ 0 & -\omega^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \text{ (Expand to } R_3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega^2(-\omega x^2 + 4\omega^2) + (4x + 4\omega^2) = 0 \Rightarrow -x^2 + 4\omega + 4x + 4\omega^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -x^2 + 4x - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow (x - 2)^2 = 0, x = 2$$

$$24. (a) x(-i - 2i^2) + 3i(-iy - 0) + 1(2yi - 0) = 6 + 11i$$

$$x(-i + 2) + 3y + 2yi = 6 + 11i \Rightarrow (2x + 3y) + i(-x + 2y) = 6 + 11i$$

$$\text{On comparing, } 2x + 3y = 6 \text{ and } -x + 2y = 11. \text{ Thus, we get } x = -3, y = 4.$$

$$25. (a) AB = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow |AB| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$

26. (b)  $|AB| = |A| |B| = -1 \times 3 = -3$

$|3AB| = (3)^3 \cdot (-3) = -81$

30. (b)  $\frac{d}{dx}|A| = 3(x^2 - ab), |B| = x^2 - ab \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}|A| = 3|B|$

31. (c)  $a[a^2] + b[-b^2] + 0 = 0 \Rightarrow a^3 - b^3 = 0$

$\Rightarrow (a - b)(a^2 + b^2 + ab) = 0 \Rightarrow a - b \frac{a^2}{b^2} + 1 + \frac{ab}{b^2} = 0$

$\frac{a}{b} = 1$  and  $\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{a}{b}\right) + 1 = 0$  Thus,  $\frac{a}{b}$  is one cube roots of unity

32. (c)  $C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2, C_2 \rightarrow C_2 + C_3$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & i \\ 1 & 1+2i & 1+i \\ 1+2i & 1 & 1-i \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow 2(3+i) - 1(-4i+2) + i(5-4i) = 8 + 11i$$

33. (b)  $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2, R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_3$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 6 & 15 \\ 0 & -2-2x & 5(1-x)^2 \\ 1 & 2x & 5x \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & -(1+x) & 1-x^2 \\ 1 & x & x^2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+x) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1-x \\ 1 & x & x^2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow (1+x)(2-x) = 0 ; x = -1, 2.$$

35. (a) 
$$\begin{vmatrix} (a^2 - 2ax + x^2) & (a^2 + y^2 - 2ay) & (a^2 + z^2 - 2az) \\ (b^2 - 2bx + x^2) & (b^2 + y^2 - 2by) & (b^2 + z^2 - 2bz) \\ (c^2 - 2cx + x^2) & (c^2 + y^2 - 2cy) & (c^2 + z^2 - 2cz) \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a^2 & -2a & 1 \\ b^2 & -2b & 1 \\ c^2 & -2c & 1 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x^2 \\ 1 & y & y^2 \\ 1 & z & z^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

36. (a) 
$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{(n-1)n}{2} & n & 6 \\ \frac{n(n-1)(2n-1)}{6} & 2n^2 & 4n-2 \\ \frac{(n-1)^2 n^2}{4} & 3n^3 & 3n^2 - 3n \end{vmatrix}$$

$\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$  common from  $C_1$  and 6 from  $C_3$ , we get

$$= 3n(n-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & n & 6 \\ \frac{2n-1}{3} & 2n^2 & \frac{2n-1}{3} \\ \frac{n(n-1)}{2} & 3n^3 & \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \end{vmatrix}$$
. Thus,  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are identical so  $\Delta = 0$ .

38. (b)  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & p & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & q \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 2(6-q) - p(3-q) + 6(1-2) = (p-2)(q-3)$

when  $\Delta \neq 0$ , i.e.,  $p \neq 2$  and  $q \neq 3$ .



39. (c)  $px^3 + qx^2 - rx - r = 0$ , roots are  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{-q}{p}; \alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = \frac{-r}{p}, \alpha\beta\gamma = \frac{r}{p}$$

$$D = \alpha\beta\gamma \left( 1 + \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma} \right) = \alpha\beta\gamma \left( \frac{\alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha}{\alpha\beta\gamma} \right) = 0$$

41. (d)  $a_1 = f'(0)$ ,  $f'(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 2x & 1 & x+1 \\ 4x & 1 & x+2 \\ 6x & 1 & x+3 \end{vmatrix} + 0 + 0 = 0$ . Thus,  $f'(0) = 0$ . Therefore,  $a_1 = 0$

42. (b) For non-trivial solution  $\Delta = 0$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 6 & 5 & \lambda \\ 3 & -1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow -30 + 65 + 7\lambda = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = -5$$

43. (c)  $\lambda (\text{In}) \text{Adj} (\lambda \text{In}) = |\lambda \text{In}| \text{I}$

$$\text{Adj} (\lambda \text{In}) = \lambda^{n-1} \text{In} \Rightarrow |\text{Adj} (\lambda \text{In})| = \lambda^{n(n-1)}$$

$$44. (a) \Delta'(x) = \begin{vmatrix} e^x & 2\cos 2x & 2x\sec^2 x^2 \\ \ln(1+x) & \cos x & \sin x \\ \cos x^2 & e^x - 1 & \sin x^2 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} e^x & \sin 2x & \tan x^2 \\ \frac{1}{1+x} & -\sin 2x & \cos x \\ \cos x^2 & e^x - 1 & \sin x^2 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} e^x & \sin 2x & \tan x^2 \\ \ln(1+x) & \cos x & \sin x \\ -2x\sin x^2 & e^x - 1 & 2x\cos x^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad [\text{Put } x = 0]$$

45. (c) Applying  $C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2$ , we get

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & \cos^2 x & \sin 2x \\ 2 & 1 + \cos^2 x & \sin 2x \\ 1 & \cos^2 x & 1 + \sin 2x \end{vmatrix}$$

$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1, R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & \cos^2 x & \sin 2x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 + \sin^2 x. \text{ Maximum value is 3 Minimum value is 1.}$$

47. (c)  $g(x) = a(a+x)^2$

$$\therefore g(2x) - g(x) = a(a+2x)^2 - a(a+x)^2 = ax(2a+3x)$$

48. (a)  $p, q, r$  are the entries of first row and  $C_{21}, C_{22}, C_{23}$  are the co factors of second row

$$pC_{21} + qC_{22} + rC_{23} = 0$$

49. (c)  $qM_{12} - yM_{22} + mM_{32} = -qC_{12} - yC_{22} + mC_{32} = -(-qC_{12} - yC_{22} + mC_{32}) = -\Delta$ .

50. (b) Possible matrix  $x$  are :  $1 \times 32, 2 \times 16, 4 \times 8, 32 \times 1, 16 \times 2, 8 \times 4$ . i.e., 6

$$52. (c) \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & -3-\lambda & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2-\lambda)(3-\lambda+\lambda^2-4) + 2(-2\lambda+2) + 1(4-3-\lambda) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2-\lambda)(\lambda+4)(\lambda-1) + 5(1-\lambda) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 1, 1, -3$$

$$53. (c) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1+\alpha+\beta & 1+\alpha^2+\beta^2 \\ 1+\alpha+\beta & 1+\alpha^2+\beta^2 & 1+\alpha^3+\beta^3 \\ 1+\alpha^2+\beta^2 & 1+\alpha^3+\beta^3 & 1+\alpha^4+\beta^4 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \beta \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \beta^2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 \\ 1 & \beta & \beta^2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & \alpha-1 & \beta-1 \\ 1 & \alpha^2-1 & \beta^2-1 \end{vmatrix}^2$$

$$= (\alpha-1)(\beta^2-1) - (\beta-1)(\alpha^2-1)^2 = (\alpha-1)^2(\beta-1)^2 - (\alpha-\beta)^2 \Rightarrow k=1$$

54. (c) For no solution

$$\frac{k+1}{k} = \frac{8}{k+3} \neq \frac{4k}{3k-1} \Rightarrow (k+1)(k+3)8k = 0 \Rightarrow k^2 = 4k+3 = 0 \Rightarrow k=1, 3 \quad \dots(i)$$

But for  $k=1$ , eq is not satisfied eq. (i). Thus,  $k=3$ .

$$56. (c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -k & 1 \\ k & 3 & -k \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow 1(-3+k) + k(-k+3k) + 1(k-9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k-3+2k^2+k-9=0 \Rightarrow 2k^2+2k-12=0 \Rightarrow k=2, -3$$

Thus,  $R = \{2, -3\}$

$$57. (b) D = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0, D_1 = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$$

Given statement, does not have any solution therefore, no solution.

59. (b)  $C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1$  and  $C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & x & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & y \end{vmatrix} = xy. \text{ Hence } [D] \text{ is divisible by both } x \text{ and } y.$$

62. (b)  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - (xR_1 + R_2)$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b & ax+b \\ b & c & bx+c \\ 0 & 0 & -(ax^2+2bx+x) \end{vmatrix} = (ax^2+abx+c)(b^2-ac) = \text{negative.}$$

$$63. (a) \Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1+\omega^n+\omega^{2n} & \omega^n & \omega^{2n} \\ 1+\omega^n+\omega^{2n} & \omega^{2n} & 1 \\ 1+\omega^n+\omega^{2n} & 1 & \omega^n \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$1+\omega^n+\omega^{2n}=0$ , ' $n$ ' is not a multiple of 3. Thus, roots are identical.

$$64. (c) \text{Coefficient of determinant} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2a & a \\ 1 & 3b & b \\ 1 & 4c & c \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow b = \frac{2ac}{a+c}$$

$$65. (c) \begin{vmatrix} a & a^2 & 1 \\ b & b^2 & 1 \\ c & c^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 1 & b & b^2 \\ 1 & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow (1+abc) \begin{vmatrix} a & a^2 & 1 \\ b & b^2 & 1 \\ c & c^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \text{ Thus, } abc = -1$$

66. (b)  $C_1 - C_2, C_2 - C_3$ . Thus, two rows become identical. So  $\Delta = 0$

$$67. (d) 6i(3i^2+3) + 3i(4i+20) + 1(12-60i) = -12+60i+12-60i = 0$$

68. (b)  $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_3$

$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_3$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1-\omega^2 & -1-\omega^2 & \omega^2 \\ 1-\omega^4 & \omega^2 & \omega^4 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1-\omega^2 & -1-2\omega^2 & \omega^2 \\ 1-\omega^4 & \omega^2-\omega^4 & \omega^4 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1-\omega^2 & \omega-\omega^2 & \omega^2 \\ 1-\omega & \omega^2-\omega & \omega^4 \end{vmatrix} \quad [\text{Expanding} = 3\omega(\omega-1)]$$

70. (d)  $\frac{d}{dx} f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 3x^2 & \cos x & -\sin x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix}$ ,  $\frac{d^2}{dx^2} f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 6x & -\sin x & \cos x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix}$

$$\frac{d^3}{dx^3} f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & \cos x & \sin x \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix} \Big|_{\text{at } x=0} = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & -1 & 0 \\ 6 & -1 & 0 \\ p & p^2 & p^3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

71. (b)  $\frac{k+1}{k} = \frac{8}{k+3} = \frac{4k}{3k-1} \Rightarrow \frac{8}{k+3} = \frac{4k}{3k-1} \Rightarrow 5k = 5 \Rightarrow k = 1$ .

73. (a)  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & \frac{\log y}{\log x} & \frac{\log z}{\log x} \\ \frac{\log x}{\log y} & 1 & \frac{\log z}{\log y} \\ \frac{\log x}{\log z} & \frac{\log y}{\log z} & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  On dividing and multiplying  $R_1, R_2, R_3$  by  $\log x, \log y$  and  $\log z$ .

$$= \frac{1}{\log x \log y \log z} \begin{vmatrix} \log x & \log y & \log z \\ \log x & \log y & \log z \\ \log x & \log y & \log z \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

75. (a) Apply  $C_2 \rightarrow C_2 + C_1 + C_3$ , we get  $-x \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -6 & 3-x & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & -6-x \end{vmatrix}$

Apply  $C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1, C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1$  we get  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -6 & 9-x & 9 \\ 3 & 0 & -9-x \end{vmatrix}$  expand it.

76. (d)  $C_3 \rightarrow (C_1 + C_2)$

$$f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & 0 \\ 2x & x(x-1) & 0 \\ 3x(x-1) & x(x-1)(x-2) & 0 \end{vmatrix} \text{. Thus } f(x) = 0 \text{ for all real } x \text{.}$$

77. (d)  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -k & -1 \\ k & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 1(1+1) + k(-k+1) - 1(k+1) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow -k^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow k = \pm 1$ .

78. (a)  $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3$

$$f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} x-9 & x+9 & x+9 \\ 2 & x & 2 \\ 7 & 6 & x \end{vmatrix} = (x+9) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & x & 2 \\ 7 & 6 & x \end{vmatrix} = (x+9) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & x-2 & 0 \\ 7 & -1 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = (x+9)(x-2)(x-7)$$

79. (d)  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$ ,  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$

$\therefore A = \{\cos(\theta + \gamma) - \cos(\theta + \alpha)\} \{\sin(\theta + \beta)\} - \sin(\theta + \alpha)$

$- \{\cos(\theta + \beta) - \cos(\theta + \alpha)\} \{\sin(\theta + \gamma) - \sin(\theta + \alpha)\} = \sin(\beta + \gamma) - \sin(\beta - \alpha) - \sin(\alpha - \gamma)$

$\therefore$  This is independent of  $\theta$ .

80. (c)  $(2\cos x + \sin x) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \cos x & \cos x \\ 1 & \sin x & 0 \\ 1 & \cos x & \sin x - \cos x \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow (2\cos x + \sin x)(\sin x - \cos x)^2 = 0$

$\therefore \tan x = -2, 1$ . We take  $\tan x = 1$ , so  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

81. (b)  $A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj } A}{|A|}$ , -2 if  $\lambda$  is eigen value of  $A$  then  $\lambda^{-1}$  is eigen value of  $A^{-1}$

$\text{adj}(A) X = (A^{-1} X) |A| = |A| \lambda^{-1} I$

Thus eigen value corresponding to  $\lambda = 3$  is  $\frac{4}{3}$  and  $\lambda = -2$  is  $-2$ .

82. (d)  $\therefore$  matrix is singular.

$(R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1)$   $(R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1)$

$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1+x & 2 \\ 0 & -x & x \\ x & -x & -0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$   $[C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2 + C_3] \Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} x+4 & -1+x & 2 \\ 0 & -x & x \\ 0 & -x & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow (x+4)(x^2) = 0$ . Thus  $x \rightarrow -4, 0$

83. (a) Ratio of cofactor to its minor of the element which is in the 3rd row and 2nd column  $(-1)^{3+2} = -1$ .

85. (c)  $1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ -7 & 9 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} -4 & 6 \\ 2 & 9 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} -4 & 3 \\ 2 & -7 \end{vmatrix} = 135 - (18 - 114) = 231$

87. (b)  $D = abc \begin{vmatrix} a & a & a \\ b & b & b \\ c & c & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$

89. (b)  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 3^2+k & 4^2 & 3 \\ 4^2+k & 5^2 & 4 \\ 5^2+k & 6^2 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 0$   $[C_1 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1]$

$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 9+k & 16 & 3 \\ 16+k & 25 & 4 \\ 25+k & 36 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 9+k & 16 & 3 \\ 7 & 9 & 1 \\ 9 & 11 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow k - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow k = 1$

90. (d) Apply  $C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_2$ ,  $C_3 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1 \Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 13 & 3 & 3 \\ 14 & 3 & 3 \\ 15 & 3 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

92. (a)  $pqr(a^3 + b^3 + c^3) - abc(p^3 + q^3 + r^3) = pqr(3abc) - abc(3pqr) = 0$ .

93. (a)  $xyz \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x^2 \\ 1 & y & y^2 \\ 1 & z & z^2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$  Then,  $xyz = 0$

$$97. (d) \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^3 & abc \\ 1 & b^3 & abc \\ 1 & c^3 & abc \end{vmatrix} = \frac{abc}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^3 & 1 \\ 1 & b^3 & 1 \\ 1 & c^3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$98. (b) R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2, R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 31 & 129 & 92 \\ 0 & 0 & -21 \\ 0 & 0 & 47 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad (C_2 \rightarrow C_2 + C_3)$$

$$99. (a) C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2 \quad \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \cos^2 x & 1 \\ 1 & \sin^2 x & 1 \\ 2 & 12 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$100. (i) (d) B_1 - 2B_2 + 3B_3 = 0 \text{ is correct relation}$$

$$(ii) (c) A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ then } A^{-1} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A^1)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^1 = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{1}{3} & 0 & \frac{-1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{-1}{2} & \frac{1}{6} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(iii) (b) A'X = B$$

$$A' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} x = \begin{pmatrix} B_1 \\ B_2 \\ B_3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{pmatrix} 45 \\ -8 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X = (A')^{-1} B = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 45 \\ -8 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ 15 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix} = 11 : 15 : 19.$$

$$101. (i) (a) p, q, r \text{ are the entries of first row and } C_{21}, C_{22}, C_{23} \text{ are the cofactor of second row.}$$

$$\therefore pC_{21} + qC_{22} + rC_{23} = 0.$$

$$(ii) (c) x, y, z \text{ are the entries of second row. } xC_{21} + yC_{22} + zC_{23} = \Delta$$

$$(iii) (b) qM_{12} - cM_{22} + mM_{32} = -qC_{12} - yC_{22} - mC_{32} = -(-qC_{12} - yC_{22} - mC_{32}) = -\Delta$$

$$(iv) (d) \text{ Take 3 common from each column or row.}$$

$$(v) (b) \text{ On interchanging the rows and columns the value of determining remain same.}$$