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- (A) Chennai
- (B) London
- (C) Dhaka
- (D) Dhubri

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 The point where the total volume of the body is assumed to be concentrated is

(A) centre of area

4. A mild steel bar consisting of parts *AB* and *BC* is loaded as shown in the figure ($P_1 = P_2 = 10$ kN). The ratio of the stresses, σ_1 in part *AB* to σ_2 in part *BC*, is



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6. A bar of uniform rectangular section of area A is subjected to an axial tensile load P. If E is the Young's modulus and $\frac{1}{m}$ is the Poisson's ratio, then the volumetric strain (e_v) is given by

(A)
$$\frac{P}{AE}\left(1-\frac{2}{m}\right)$$

(B)
$$\frac{P}{AE}\left(1+\frac{2}{m}\right)$$

(C)
$$\frac{P}{AE}\left(1-\frac{1}{m}\right)$$

(D)
$$\frac{P}{AE}\left(1+\frac{1}{m}\right)$$

- 7. The shear force on a simply supported beam is proportional to
 - (A) displacement of the neutral axis
 - (B) sum of the forces
 - (C) algebraic sum of the transverse forces of the section
 - (D) sum of the transverse forces
- 8. A three-hinged arch is said to be
 - (A) statically determinate
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 - (B) statically indeterminate structure
 - (C) a bent beam
 - (D) None of the above

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9. Principal planes are the planes on which the resultant stress is the

- (A) shear stress
- (B) normal stress
- (C) tangential stress
- (D) compressive stress
- 10. Hooke's law is applicable within
 - (A) elastic limit
 - (B) plastic limit
 - (C) fracture point
 - (D) ultimate strength
- 11. For a column whose one end is fixed and the other end is hinged, the crippling load for actual length *l* will be calculated by the formula

(A)
$$\frac{\pi^2 EI}{2l^2}$$

(B) $\frac{\pi^2 EI}{4l^2}$

(C)
$$\frac{4\pi^2 EI}{l^2}$$

(D) $\frac{2\pi^2 EI}{l^2}$

12. A fixed beam of 2 m length is subjected to a uniformly distributed load of 2 t/m over the entire length. The maximum hogging BM is equal to

- (A) 1.0 t-m
- (B) 2.0 t-m
- (C) 0·33 t-m
- (D) 0.67 t-m

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17. The ratio of average shear stress to the maximum shear stress for a solid circular section is



- 18. If a body is projected vertically upward with a velocity of 49 m/s, then the time taken to reach its original position is
 - (A) 0.5 second
 - (B) 5 seconds
 - (C) 9.8 seconds
 - (D) 10 seconds
- **19.** The number of independent equations to be satisfied for static equilibrium of a plane structure is
 - (A) 1
 - (B) 2
 - (C) 3
 - (D) 6
- **20.** The three-moment equation is applicable only when
 - (A) the beam is prismatic
 - (B) there is no settlement of supports
 - (C) there is no discontinuity such as hinges within the span

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(D) the spans are equal

- 13. A 100 mm diameter shaft is subjected to a torque of 3.14 kN-m. The maximum shear stress induced in the shaft is
 - (A) 64 N/mm^2
 - (B) 32 N/mm^2
 - (C) 31.4 N/mm^2
 - (D) 16 N/mm^2
- 14. The relationship among Young's modulus (E), bulk modulus (K) and Poisson's ratio (μ) is given by
- (A) $E = 2K(1-2\mu)$
- (B) $E = 3K(1-2\mu)$
 - (C) $E = 2K(1-4\mu)$
 - (D) $E = 2K(1 3\mu)$
 - **15.** The ability of the material to deform without breaking is called
 - (A) elasticity
 - (B) plasticity
 - (C) creep
 - (D) None of the above
- **16.** When mild steel is subjected to a tensile load, its fracture will conform to
 - (A) star shape
 - (B) granular shape
 - (C) cup and cone shape
 - (D) fibrous shape

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- **21.** The minimum size of fillet weld should be
 - (A) not less than 3 mm
 - (B) less than 3 mm
 - (C) less than 2 mm
 - (D) greater than the thickness of the thinner part joined
 - 22. When one plate overlaps the other and the two plates are riveted together with two rows of rivets, the joint is known as
 - (A) single riveted lap joint
 - (B) double riveted lap joint
 - (C) double riveted single cover butt joint
 - (D) double riveted double cover butt joint
 - 23. Which of the following sections should preferably be used at places where torsion occurs?
 - (A) Angle section
 - (B) Channel section
 - (C) Box type section
 - (D) Any of the above
 - 24. Polar modulus of a shaft can be defined as the ratio of
 - (A) torsional moment of resistance to polar moment of inertia
 - (B) polar moment of inertia to radius of the shaft
 - (C) polar moment of inertia to moment of inertia
 - (D) polar moment of inertia to torsional moment of resistance of the section of the shaft

- **25.** The motion of the wheels of a bicycle is known as
 - (A) rotary
 - (B) curvilinear
 - (C) translatory
 - (D) rotary and translatory
 - **26.** Which of the following is **not** the displacement method?
 - (A) Equilibrium method
 - (B) Column analogy method
 - (C) Moment distribution method
 - (D) Kani's method
 - **27.** For a particular material, if the modulus of rigidity is equal to bulk modulus, then the Poisson's ratio will be
 - (A) $\frac{1}{2}$ (B) $\frac{1}{4}$ (C) $\frac{1}{8}$ (D) 1
 - 28. If the major and minor principal stresses acting on a rectangular block are 140 N/mm² (tensile) and 10 N/mm² (tensile) respectively, then the maximum shear stress will be
 - (A) 130 N/mm^2
 - (B) 75 N/mm^2
 - (C) 65 N/mm^2
 - (D) 37.5 N/mm^2

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- **29.** As per IS : 1498, silt particles are smaller than
 - (A) 425 micron
 - (B) 150 micron
 - (C) 75 micron
 - (D) 4.25 micron
 - **30.** In the plasticity chart of IS soil classification, the plasticity index of CL-MI soil varies between
 - Moment distribution
 - (A) 0–10
 - (B) 4–7
 - (C) 4-15 bitri to autobom
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 - (D) 7–18
 - **31.** The angle of internal friction is least for
 - (A) angular-grained loose sand
 - (B) angular-grained dense sand
 - (C) round-grained loose sand

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- (D) clays
- **32.** For testing a saturated clay for shear strength, the test recommended is
 - (A) direct shear test
 - (B) triaxial compression test
 - (C) unconfined compression test
 - (D) None of the above

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- 33. The coefficient of permeability of soil
 - (A) does not depend upon temperature
 - (B) increases with increase in temperature
 - (C) increases with decrease in temperature
 - (D) None of the above
 - **34.** The quantity of seepage of water through soils is proportional to
- (A) coefficient of permeability of the soil
 - (B) total head loss through the soil
 - (C) Neither (A) nor (B)
 - (D) Both (A) and (B)
 - **35.** The pressure distribution diagram for the earth pressure at rest is
 - (A) circular
 - (B) triangular
 - (C) rectangular
 - (D) square and as bendel
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 - **36.** The China clay is which one of the following types of clay mineral?

- (A) Kaolinite
- (B) Gibbsite
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- (C) Montmorillonite
- (D) Illite

- 37. Piping in soil occurs
 - (A) because of sudden change in permeability due to different soil layers
 - (B) when the soil is highly porous
 - (C) when the soil is highly stratified
 - (D) when the upward seepage pressure is equal to the pressure due to submerged weight of the soil
 -) remains unchanged
- **38.** The negative skin friction acting on pile is one of the show of the show
- (A) the skin friction acting in upward direction due to compressible fill
 - (B) the skin friction acting in upward direction due to stiff soil

(C) the skin friction acting in downward direction due to compressible fill

- (D) None of the above
- **39.** If q_s , q_{ns} and q_{nf} are the safe bearing capacity, net bearing capacity and net ultimate bearing capacity of a soil of average density γ at a depth D respectively and F = factor of safety, then

(A)
$$q_s = \frac{q_{ns}}{F} + \gamma D$$

- (B) $q_s = \frac{q_{nf}}{F} + \gamma D$
- (C) $q_{nf} = q_{ns} \cdot F \gamma D$

(D)
$$q_{nf} = q_{ns} \cdot F + \gamma D$$

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- **40.** Swelling nature of black cotton soil is primarily due to the presence of
 - (A) kaolinite
 - (B) illite
 - (C) vermiculite
 - (D) montmorillonite
- **41.** Grain size analysis of a soil indicates that

 $D_{10} = 0.0005 \text{ mm}$

 $D_{30} = 0.003 \text{ mm}$

 $D_{60} = 0.06 \text{ mm}$

The uniformity coefficient of this soil is a said to not interview (C)

- (A) 0.5(B) 2.0
- (C) 6·0 . divisio (A)
- **42.** With increase in compaction energy in compaction tests
- (A) MDD and OMC remain constant
 - (B) MDD decreases and OMC increases
 - (C) MDD increases and OMC decreases
 - (D) MDD and OMC both increase

- **43.** The ratio of settlement at any time to the final settlement is known as
 - (A) coefficient of consolidation
 - (B) degree of consolidation
 - (C) compression index
 - (D) None of the above
 - **44.** The factor that is responsible for inclination of resultant pressure to the retaining wall is
 - (A) frictional force
 - (B) surcharge
 - (C) the earth pressure
 - (D) weight of the wall
- **45.** The difference between undisturbed shear strength and remoulded shear strength is known as
 - (A) activity
 - (B) sensitivity
 - (C) thixotropy
 - (D) dilatancy
- **46.** During consolidation process of a saturated soil, what happens to the degree of saturation of the soil?
 - (A) It increases
 - (B) It decreases
 - (C) It remains constant
 - (D) It behaves randomly

- 47. Compaction of soil is done to
 - (A) remove water
 - (B) remove air
 - (C) remove soil particles
 - (D) All of the above

48. During compaction, soil permeability

- (A) increases
- (B) decreases
- (C) remains unchanged
- (D) None of the above
- **49.** The maximum and minimum void ratios of a silty sand sample are 0.9 and 0.3 respectively. If at a certain state, the natural void ratio is 0.5, the relative density of the sample is
 - (A) 50%
 - (B) 66.67%
 - (C) 83·33%
 - (D) 75%

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- 50. If e = void ratio of a permeable soil, then the coefficient of permeability is proportional to
 - (A) $\frac{e^3}{1+e}$ (B) $\frac{e}{1+e^3}$ (C) $\frac{1}{e}$ (D) $\frac{e}{1+e}$

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- **51.** According to Terzaghi, a foundation is shallow if
 - (A) the depth is equal to or less than its width
 - (B) the depth is twice the width
 - (C) the width is thrice the depth
 - (D) the width is one-fourth of the depth
- **52.** In standard penetration test, what is the dropping height as per IS : 2131-1981?
 - (A) 450 mm
 - (B) 750 mm
 - (C) 650 mm
 - (D) 250 mm
- **53.** The plasticity index of loose sand is about
 - (A) 10-20
 - (B) 20–30
 - (C) 30-40
 - (D) None of the above
- **54.** The decrease in void ratio per increase in effective stress is termed as
 - (A) compression index
 - (B) swelling index
 - (C) coefficient of compressibility
 - (D) coefficient of consolidation

55. Bentonite is a clay formed by

- (A) organic soil
- (B) fine inorganic silt
- (C) calcareous clay
- (D) decomposition of volcanic ash
- **56.** The process by which a mass of saturated soil is caused by external forces to suddenly lose its shear strength and to behave as a fluid is called
 - (A) piping
 - (B) sliding
 - (C) quick condition
 - (D) liquefaction
- 57. The tension in a string will be
 - (A) maximum at support ends
 - (B) maximum at midway of the string
 - (C) maximum at quarter span
 - (D) uniform at each point along the string
- **58.** In case of S_2 profile, the depth of flow (y) is
 - (A) $y_n > y > y_c$
 - (B) $y_n < y < y_c$
 - (C) $y_n < y > y_c$ (C)
 - (D) $y_n > y < y_c$

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- **59.** For most economical rectangular channel, the hydraulic mean depth is equal to
 - (A) the depth of flow
 - (B) half of the depth of flow
 - (C) one-third of the depth of flow
- (D) None of the above
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- **60.** Normal depth in open channel flow is the depth of flow corresponding to
 - (A) steady flow
 - (B) unsteady flow
 - (C) laminar flow
 - (D) uniform flow
- 61. Practical fluids
 - (A) are viscous
 - (B) possess surface tension
 - (C) are compressible
 - (D) possess all of the above properties

62. The density of water is maximum at

- (A) 0 °C
- (B) 4 °C
- (C) 100 °C
- (D) 20 °C

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- **63.** Bernoulli equation deals with the law of conservation of
 - (A) mass
 - (B) momentum
 - depth is twice the
 - (C) energy
 - (D) work
 - **64.** The property of a fluid, which offers resistance to the movement of one layer of fluid over another adjacent layer of fluid, is called
 - (A) surface tension
 - (B) compressibility and (8)
 - (C) capillarity
 - (D) viscosity and 072 (C)
 - **65.** When the flow parameters at any given instant remain same at every point, the flow is said to be
 - (A) quasistatic
 - (B) steady state
 - (C) laminar
 - (D) uniform
 - 66. Orifice meter is used to measure
 - (A) pressure at a point
 - (B) discharge (d)
 - (C) average speed
 - (D) velocity mentioned to
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67. The shear stress (τ) distribution across a section of a circular pipe of radius *r* having viscous flow is

(A) $\tau = \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} \cdot r^2$ (B) $\tau = \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{r}{2}$ (C) $\tau = \left(-\frac{\partial P}{\partial x}\right) \cdot \frac{r}{2}$ (D) $\tau = \left(-\frac{\partial P}{\partial x}\right) \cdot 2r$

- **68.** Pitot tube is a device used in which fluid measuring?
 - (A) Discharge
 - (B) Pressure
 - (C) Velocity
 - (D) Kinetic energy + Pressure energy
- **69.** If the critical depth in triangular channel is 0.60 m, the specific energy at critical depth is

 - (B) 0.80 m
 - (C) 0.75 m
 - (D) 0.60 m

70. Which of the following groups of GVF profiles does *not* exist?

- (A) H_1 , A_1 , C_2
- (B) H₁, A₂, C₂
- (C) H_2 , A_1 , C_2
- (D) H_1, A_1, C_1

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71. At most economical section, a rectangular channel section has an area as 50 m^2 . What is the bed width of the channel?

- (A) 4 m
- (B) 6 m bu vbasia (B)
- (C) 8 m (C) (C)
- (D) 10 m
- incompressible and
- **72.** A channel is said to be of most economical cross-section, if
 - (A) it gives maximum discharge for a given cross-sectional area and bed slope
 - (B) it has minimum wetted perimeter
 - (C) it involves lesser excavation for the designed amount of discharge
 - (D) All of the above
- **73.** In an open channel, the specific energy is the
- (A) total energy per unit discharge
 - (B) total energy measured with respect to the datum passing through the bottom of the channel
 - (C) total energy measured above the horizontal datum
 - (D) kinetic energy plotted above the free surface of water

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- **74.** If the velocity potential of a fluid satisfies the Laplace equation, then the flow is
 - (A) steady and uniform
 - (B) steady and rotational
 - (C) uniform, incompressible and irrotational
 - (D) steady, incompressible and irrotational
- **75.** Kinematic similarity between model and prototype means
 - (A) the similarity of forces
- (B) the similarity of motion
 - (C) the similarity of shape
 - (D) the similarity of discharge
 - **76.** Boundary layer on a flat plate is known as laminar boundary layer, if
 - (A) Reynolds number < 2000
 - lenited.
 - (B) Reynolds number < 4000
 - (C) Reynolds number < 5000
 - (D) Reynolds number $< 5 \times 10^5$

- **77.** The hydraulic mean depth or the hydraulic radius is the ratio of
 - (A) area of flow and wetted perimeter
 - (B) wetted perimeter and diameter of pipe
 - (C) velocity of flow and area of flow
 - (D) None of the above
 - **78.** The flow of water through the hole in the bottom of a wash basin is an example of
 - (A) steady flow
 - (B) uniform flow
 - (C) free vortex
 - (D) forced vortex
 - **79.** A flow in which the viscosity of fluid is dominating over the inertia force is called
 - (A) steady flow
 - (B) unsteady flow
 - (C) laminar flow
 - (D) turbulent flow
 - **80.** The ratio of inertia force to viscous force is called

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- (A) Reynolds number
- (B) Froude number
- (C) Weber number
- (D) Euler number

- **81.** The principle of surveying followed to prevent accumulation of errors is
 - (A) to work from whole to part
 - (B) to work from part to whole
 - (C) Both (A) and (B)
 - (D) None of the above
- **82.** A triangle is said to be wellconditioned if none of its angles is
 - (A) less than 20° and greater than 90°
 - (B) less than 45° and greater than 90°
 - (C) less than 30° and greater than 120°
 - (D) less than 60° and greater than 60°
- 83. If the length of an arc or chord in a curve is 20 m, then the relation between radius of the curve and degree of the curve will be
 - (A) $R = \frac{573}{D}$ (B) $R = \frac{1146}{D}$
 - (C) $R = 573 \times D^2$

(D)
$$R = \frac{1718 \cdot 9}{D}$$

- **84.** An imaginary line joining the points of equal elevation on the surface of the earth represents
 - (A) contour surface
 - (B) contour gradient
 - (C) contour line
 - (D) level line
- **85.** Closed contours of decreasing values toward their centre represent
 - (A) a hill
 - (B) a depression
 - (C) a saddle or pass
 - (D) a river bed

86. The curvature of the earth is taken into consideration, if the limit of survey is

- (A) 50 km^2 to 100 km^2
- (B) 100 km^2 to 200 km^2
- (C) 200 km^2 to 250 km^2
- (D) more than 250 km^2

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87. The angle between back tangent and forward tangent of a curve is known

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- (A) deflection angle
- (B) central angle
- (C) angle of intersection
- (D) None of the above
- 88. Sag correction is
 - (A) always positive
- (B) sometime positive, sometime negative
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 - (C) always negative
 - (D) zero
- **89.** A series of closely spaced contour lines represents a
 - (A) steep slope
 - (B) gentle slope
 - (C) uniform slope
 - (D) plane surface
- 90. If the magnetic bearing of a line is 61°30′ and the magnetic declination is 2°50′ West, then the true bearing of the line will be
 - (A) 64°20'
 - (B) 58°40'
 - (C) 65°20'
 - (D) None of the above

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91. A transition curve is introduced to gradually change the

- (A) direction
 - (B) superelevation
 - (C) gradient
 - (D) camber
- **92.** The tacheometric method is more suitable method for preparing the contour map of a
 - (A) valley
 - (B) hill
 - (C) ridge
 - (D) plane surface
- **93.** The ratio in between centrifugal force and weight is designated as
 - (A) equilibrium ratio
 - (B) centripetal ratio
 - (C) cant ratio
 - (D) centrifugal ratio
- **94.** The vertical distance between any two consecutive contours is known as
 - (A) contour line
 - (B) contour gradient
 - (C) contour interval
 - (D) horizontal equivalent

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95. In a traverse, the deflection angle is 98. In a prismatic compass, the zero of the difference between

(A) the included angle and 90°

(B) the included angle and 180°

(C) the included angle and 270°

(D) the included angle and 360°

96. Different grades are joined together by a

(A) compound curve

(B) transition curve

(C) reverse curve

(D) vertical curve

97. A surface, which is normal to the direction of gravity at all points, as indicated by a plumb line, is known as

(A) datum surface

(B) level surface

(C) horizontal surface

(D) vertical surface

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(A) North end

(B) South end

(C) East end

(D) West end

99. Whole circle bearing varies from

(A) 90° to 180°

(B) 180° to 270°

(C) 0° to 90°

(D) 0° to 360°

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100. What is the least count of a levelling staff?

	(A)	0.5 mm	
	(B)	0·15 cm	
	(C)	5 mm	
	(D)	5 cm	
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