

Exercise-1

Marked Questions may have for Revision Questions.

OBJECTIVE QUESTIONS

Section (A) : Expansion of $(x + a)_n$, general term, middle term and coefficient of x_k

A-1. Sol. ${}^{15}C_{3r} = {}^{15}C_{r+3} \Rightarrow 3r = r + 3$ or $3r + r + 3 = 15$
 $\Rightarrow r = 3/2$ or $r = 3$
 But $3r, r + 3 \in W \Rightarrow r = 3$

A-2. Sol. $\frac{{}^{2n}C_3}{{}^nC_2} = \frac{44}{3} \Rightarrow 3 \cdot {}^{2n}C_3 = 44 \cdot {}^nC_2 \Rightarrow 3 \cdot \frac{2n(2n-1)(2n-2)}{3!} = 44 \cdot \frac{n(n-1)}{2!}$
 $\Rightarrow 4n(n-1)(2n-1) - 44n(n-1) = 0 \Rightarrow 4n(n-1)(2n-1-11) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow n = 6$

A-3. Sol. ${}^{15}C_3 + {}^{15}C_{13} = {}^{15}C_3 + {}^{15}C_2 = {}^{16}C_3$

A-4. Sol. $T_7 = T_{6+1} = {}^{17}C_6(3x)^{11}(4y)^6$

A-5. Sol. 6th term from end = $(11 - 6 + 2)^{\text{th}} = 7^{\text{th}}$ term from beginning

$T_7 = {}^{11}C_6(2a)^5 \left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^6 = \frac{1}{2} {}^{11}C_5 a^5 b^6$

A-6. Sol. $T_{r+1} = {}^{13}C_r(3x)^{13-r} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^r = {}^{13}C_r 3^{13-r} x^{-2r}$
 Put $r = 3$
 $\Rightarrow$ coefficient of x^7 is $= {}^{13}C_3(3)^{10}$

A-7. Sol. $T_{r+1} = {}^{12}C_r 2^{12-r}(3x)^r$
 $r = 5$
 $T_6 = {}^{12}C_5 2^7 3^5 \cdot x^5$
 $\therefore$ coefficient of $x^5 = {}^{12}C_5 \cdot 2^7 \cdot 3^5$

A-8. Sol. Let its come in T_{r+1}
 then $T_{r+1} = {}^5C_r (x^2)^{5-r} \cdot x^{-r}$
 $\Rightarrow 10 - 3r = 1$
 $3r = 9$
 $r = 3$
 Hence $T_{3+1} = T_4$

A-9. Sol. $T_{r+1} = {}^{10}C_r \left(\sqrt{\frac{x}{3}}\right)^{10-r} \left(\frac{3}{2x^2}\right)^r$
 $\frac{10-r}{2} - 2r = 0$
 $10 - r - 4r = 0$
 $r = 2$

hence term $= {}^{10}C_2 \times \frac{1}{3^4} \times \frac{3^2}{2^2} = \frac{5}{4}$

A-10. Sol. ${}^{2m+1}C_m \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^{m+1} \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^m = {}^{2m+1}C_m \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)$

Dependent upon the ratio $\frac{x}{y}$ and m .

A-11. Sol. $(x + a)_{100} + (x - a)_{100}$
 $= 2 \left({}^{100}C_0 x^{100} + {}^{100}C_2 x^{98} a^2 + \dots + {}^{100}C_{100} a^{100} \right)$
 Number of terms = 51 terms

A-12. Sol. $T_6 = {}_8C_5 \left(\frac{1}{x^{8/3}} \right)^3 (x_2 \log_{10} x)^5 = 5600 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{x^8} x_{10} (\log_{10} x)^5 = 100 \Rightarrow x = 10$

A-13. Sol. $T_{11} = {}_{15}C_{10} (3)^5 \left(-\sqrt{\frac{17}{4}} + 3\sqrt{2} \right)^{10}$
 $= {}_{15}C_{10} (3)^5 \left(\frac{17}{4} + 3\sqrt{2} \right)^5 = \text{a positive irrational number}$

A-14. Sol. $T_2 = {}_nC_1 (a^{1/13})_{n-1} (a^{3/2}) = 14a^{5/2}$
 $\Rightarrow n = 14$
 $\frac{{}_nC_3}{{}_nC_2} = 4$

A-15. Sol. ${}_{6561}C_r \left(7 \right)^{\frac{6561-r}{3}} (111/9)^r$
 Here r should be multiple of 9
 $r = 0, 9, 18, \dots, 6561$
 Number of terms = 730

A-16. Sol. $(1 - 3x + 3x^2 - x^3)_6 = (1 - x)_{18}$

A-17. Sol. middle term = T_5
 $T_5 = T_{4+1} = {}_8C_4 \cdot k_4 = 1120$
 $\Rightarrow k = 2$

A-18. Sol. Obviously it comes in $T_{2+1} = T_3$
 and ${}_6C_2 = {}_6C_4$
 So also
 comes in $T_{4+1} = T_5$

A-19. Sol. $(1 - 2x_3 + 3x_5) \left(1 + \frac{1}{x} \right)^8$
 Co-efficient of $x = -2 \cdot {}_8C_2 + 3 \cdot {}_8C_4 = 154$

A-20. Sol. $(x^{1/3} - x^{-1/2})_{15}$
 $T_{r+1} = {}_{15}C_r x^{\left(\frac{15-r}{3} \right)} (-x^{-1/2})^r$
 For constant term $\frac{15-r}{3} - \frac{r}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow r = 6$
 Co-efficient of $x_0 = {}_{15}C_6 = 5 \times 1001 \Rightarrow m = 1001$

A-21. Sol. $\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) \left(x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^3 = \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) ({}^3C_0 x^6 - {}^3C_1 x^2 + {}^3C_2 x^{-2} - {}^3C_3 x^{-6})$
 There is no term independent of x

A-22. Sol. $P = {}_{2n}C_n$ and $Q = {}_{2n-1}C_n \Rightarrow \frac{P}{Q} = 2$
 $\left(1 + \frac{P}{Q}\right)^5 = (1 + 2)^5 = 3^5$

A-23. Sol. $(1 + by)_n = 1 + 8y + 24y^2 + \dots$
 $(1 + by)_n = 1 + n \cdot by + \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \cdot b^2 y^2 + \dots$
 by comparison
 $bn = 8 \dots (1)$
 $\frac{n(n-1)}{2} b^2 = 24 \dots (2)$

$4n - 4 = 3n$
 $n = 4$
 and $b = 2$

A-24. Sol. $\frac{(18+7)^3}{(3+2)^6} = \frac{25^3}{5^6} = 1$

A-25. Sol. $S = \sum_{m=0}^{100} {}^{100}C_m (x-3)^{100-m} 2^m$
 $S = {}^{100}C_0 (x-3)^{100} + {}^{100}C_1 (x-3)^{99} \cdot 2 + \dots + {}^{100}C_{100} \cdot 2^{100}$
 $S = (2 + (x-3))^{100} = (x-1)^{100}$
 Co-efficient of $x^{52} = {}^{100}C_{52} = {}^{100}C_{48}$

A-26. Sol. $(1+x)^{21} [1 + (1+x) + \dots + (1+x)^9] = (1+x)^{21} \left[\frac{(1+x)^{10} - 1}{x} \right] = \frac{(1+x)^{31} - (1+x)^{21}}{x}$
 Coefficient of $x^5 = {}^{31}C_6 - {}^{21}C_6$

A-27. Sol. $(1+x)^m \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^n = \frac{(1+x)^{m+n}}{x^n}$
 Independent term of $x = {}_{m+n}C_n$

A-28. Sol. $(1+x)(1+x+x^2)\dots(1+x+\dots+x^{100})$
 Highest exponent of $x = 1 + 2 + \dots + 100$
 $= 5050$

Section (B) : Remainder and Divisibility problems

B-1. Sol. $17^{10} = (18-1)^{10} = 18\lambda + 1$

B-2. Sol. $7^{98} = (50-1)^{49} = {}^{49}C_0(50)^{49} - {}^{49}C_1(50)^{48} + \dots + {}^{49}C_{48} \times 50 - {}^{49}C_{49}$
 Remainder $= 5 - 1 = 4$

B-3. Sol. $2_{2003} = 8.(16)_{500}$
 $= 8 (17-1)_{500}$
 $\therefore \text{Remainder} = 8$

B-4. Sol. $\left\{ \frac{3^{1001}}{82} \right\} = \left\{ \frac{3.(82-1)^{250}}{82} \right\} = \left\{ \frac{3.[{}^{250}C_0(82)^{250} + {}^{250}C_1(82)^{249}(-1) + \dots + {}^{250}C_{250}]}{82} \right\} = \frac{3}{82}$

B-5. Sol. $3_{50} = 9_{25} = (10-1)_{25}$
 $(10-1)_{25} = {}^{25}C_0 10_{25} - {}^{25}C_1 10_{24} + \dots - {}^{25}C_{23} 10_2 + {}^{25}C_{24} 10 - 1 = 1000\lambda + 249$
 $\therefore \text{last three digits} = 249$

B-6. Sol. $3_{400} = (10-1)_{200}$
 ${}^{200}C_0(10)_{200} + \dots + {}^{200}C_{199}(10)(-1) + {}^{200}C_{200}$
 Last two digits = 01

B-7. Sol. Last two digits in $10!$ are 00 and third digit = 8

B-8. sol. $10_n + 4 = (9+1)_n + 5 = 9\lambda + 1 + 5 = 9\lambda + 6$

Section (C) : Sum of series, Product and division of binomial coefficients, Reverse Expansion

C-1. Sol. $(1+x)_n = C_0 + C_1 x + C_2 x^2 + \dots + C_n \cdot x_n$
 Put $x = 1$ both sides
 $2_n = C_0 + C_1 + C_2 + \dots + C_n$

C-2. Sol. $(1+x)_n = C_0 + C_1 \cdot x + C_2 x^2 + \dots + C_n \cdot x_n$
 Now $C_0 + 3C_1 + 5C_2 + \dots + (2n+1)C_n$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^n (2r+1) C_r$$

$$= 2n \sum_{r=0}^n {}^{n-1}C_{r-1} + \sum_{r=0}^n {}^nC_r$$

$$= 2n \cdot 2_{n-1} + (2n)$$

$$= 2n(n+1)$$

C-3. Sol. $\sum_{r=1}^{10} r \cdot \frac{{}^nC_r}{{}^nC_{r-1}} = \sum_{r=1}^{10} (n-r+1)$

$$= (n+1) \times 10 - \frac{10 \times 11}{2}$$

$$= 10n - 45$$

C-4. Sol. $(1+x)_n = \sum_{r=0}^n a_r x_r = a_0 + a_1 x + \dots + a_n x_n$
 $\frac{a_r}{a_{r-1}} = 1 + \frac{n-r+1}{r} = \frac{n+1}{r}$
 $b_r = 1 + \frac{n-r+1}{r}$
 $\prod_{n=1}^n b_r = b_1 b_2 \dots b_n = \frac{(n+1)^n}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \dots n} = \frac{(101)^{100}}{100!}$
 $\Rightarrow n = 100$

C-5. Sol.
$$\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} \frac{{}^nC_r}{{}^nC_r + {}^nC_{r+1}} = \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} \frac{r+1}{n+1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n+1} [1 + 2 + \dots + n] = \frac{1}{n+1} \times \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{n}{2}$$

C-6. Sol.
$$\frac{{}^{11}C_0}{1} + \frac{{}^{11}C_1}{2} + \frac{{}^{11}C_2}{3} + \dots + \frac{{}^{11}C_{10}}{11}$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} \left[\frac{12}{1} \cdot {}^{11}C_0 + \frac{12}{2} \cdot {}^{11}C_1 + \frac{12}{3} \cdot {}^{11}C_2 + \dots + \frac{12}{11} \cdot {}^{11}C_{10} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} [{}^{12}C_1 + {}^{12}C_2 + {}^{12}C_3 + \dots + {}^{12}C_{11}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} (2^{12} - 2) = \frac{2^{11} - 1}{6}$$

C-7. Sol.
$$\int_0^1 (1-x)^n dx = \int_0^1 (C_0 - C_1x + C_2x^2 - C_3x^3 + \dots + (-1)^n C_n x^n) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n+1} = \left[C_0 - \frac{C_1}{2} + \frac{C_2}{3} - \dots + (-1)^n \frac{C_n}{n+1} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{1}{n+1} \right) = \frac{1}{3} \left[C_0 - \frac{C_1}{2} + \frac{C_2}{3} - \dots + (-1)^n \frac{C_n}{n+1} \right]$$

C-8. Sol. Let $(1 + x + x_2 + x_3)^5 = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x_2 + \dots + \dots (i)$

put $x = 1$ $4^5 = a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots$

put $x = -1, 0 = a_0 - a_1 + a_2 + \dots$

adding $2(a_0 + a_2 + \dots) = 4^5$

$$a_0 + a_2 + \dots = \frac{1024}{2} = 512$$

C-9. Sol. ${}_{47}C_4 + {}_{51}C_3 + {}_{50}C_3 + {}_{49}C_3 + {}_{48}C_3 + {}_{47}C_3 = {}_{52}C_4$

C-10. Sol.
$$\left(\sum_{r=0}^{10} {}^{10}C_r \right) \left(\sum_{k=0}^{10} (-1)^k \frac{{}^{10}C_k}{2^k} \right)$$

$$= ({}^{10}C_0 + \dots + {}^{10}C_{10}) \left({}^{10}C_0 - \frac{{}^{10}C_1}{2} + \frac{{}^{10}C_2}{2^2} - \dots + \frac{{}^{10}C_{10}}{2^{10}} \right)$$

$$= 2^{10} \times \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \right)^{10} = 1$$

C-11. Sol. ${}_{50}C_0 \times {}_{50}C_1 + {}_{50}C_1 \times {}_{50}C_2 + \dots + {}_{50}C_{49} \times {}_{50}C_{50}$

$$= {}_{50}C_0 \times {}_{50}C_{49} + {}_{50}C_1 \times {}_{50}C_{48} + \dots + {}_{50}C_{49} \times {}_{50}C_0$$

$$= \text{co-eff. of } x^{49} \text{ in } (1+x)_{100} = {}_{100}C_{49}$$

C-12. Sol. $(1+x)_n \left(1 + \frac{1}{x} \right)^n$

$$= [C_0 + C_1 \cdot x + C_2 \cdot x^2 + \dots + C_n \cdot x^n] \left[C_0 + C_1 \cdot \frac{1}{x} + C_2 \cdot \frac{1}{x^2} + \dots + C_n \cdot \frac{1}{x^n} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Coeff. of } x_0 &= C_0^2 + C_1^2 + C_2^2 + \dots + C_n^2 = \frac{2n!}{(n!)^2} \dots (1) \\ (1+x)^n (1-x)^n &= (C_0 x^n + C_1 x^{n-1} + \dots + C_n) (C_0 - C_1 x + \dots + (-1)^n C_n x^n) \\ \text{coefficient of } x_n &= C_0^2 - C_1^2 + C_2^2 - C_3^2 + \dots + (-1)^n C_n^2 = \text{coefficient of } x_n \text{ in } (1-x^2)^n \\ C_0^2 - C_1^2 + C_2^2 - C_3^2 + \dots + (-1)^n C_n^2 &= 0, n \text{ is odd} \dots (2) \\ \therefore \text{subtracting (2) from (1)} & \\ 2(C_1^2 + C_3^2 + C_5^2 + \dots) &= \frac{2n!}{(n!)^2} \end{aligned}$$

C-13. Sol. $a_n = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{{}^n C_r}$

$$S = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{n-2r}{{}^n C_r} = \sum_{r=0}^n \left(\frac{n-r}{{}^n C_r} - \frac{r}{{}^n C_r} \right)$$

$$S = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{n-r}{{}^n C_{n-r}} - \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{r}{{}^n C_r} = 0$$

C-14. Sol. $(1+x)^n \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^n$

$$= [C_0 + C_1 x + C_2 x^2 + \dots + C_n x^n] \left[C_0 + C_1 \cdot \frac{1}{x} + C_2 \cdot \frac{1}{x^2} + \dots + C_n \cdot \frac{1}{x^n} \right]$$

$$\text{Coeff. of } x_0 = C_0^2 + C_1^2 + C_2^2 + \dots + C_n^2$$

Section (D) : Binomial Theorem for negative and fractional index

D-1. Sol. $T_{r+1} = {}_{2+r-1}C_r X^r = {}_{r+1}C_r X^r \Rightarrow T_7 = {}_7C_6 X^6 = 7X^6$

D-2. Sol. $\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^{-4/3} = x^{-8/3} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x^3}\right)^{-4/3} \Rightarrow \text{Hence } \left|\frac{1}{x^3}\right| < 1 \Rightarrow |x| > 1$

D-3. Sol. Co-efficient of x_n in $(1-x)^{-2} = {}_{2+n-1}C_1 = n+1$

D-4. Sol. We have : $(1+2x+3x^2+4x^3+\dots)^{1/2}$
 $= [(1-x)^{-2}]^{1/2} = (1-x)^{-1} = 1+x+x^2+\dots+x^n+\dots$
Hence, coefficient of $x_4 = 1$

D-5. Sol. General term in the expansion of $(1-x)^{-3}$ is ${}_{3+r-1}C_r X^r = {}_{r+2}C_r X^r$

D-6. Sol. $\frac{(1+x)^{3/2} - (1+\frac{1}{2}x)^3}{(1-x)^{1/2}} = \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} x^2}{2!}\right) - \left(1 + \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{3}{4}x^2\right) \right\} (1-x)^{-1/2}$

$$= \left(-\frac{3}{8}x^2\right) \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}x + \dots\right) = -\frac{3}{8}x^2$$

Exercise-2

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PART - I : OBJECTIVE QUESTIONS

1. **Sol.** ${}^{18}C_{r-2} + 2 \cdot {}^{18}C_{r-1} + {}^{18}C_r \geq {}^{20}C_{13}$
 or ${}^{19}C_{r-1} + {}^{19}C_r \geq {}^{20}C_{13}$
 or ${}^{20}C_r \geq {}^{20}C_{13}$
 $r = 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13$

2. **Sol.** ${}^{39}C_{3r-1} - {}^{39}C_{r^2} = {}^{39}C_{r^2-1} - {}^{39}C_{3r} \Rightarrow {}^{39}C_{3r-1} + {}^{39}C_{3r} = {}^{39}C_{r^2-1} + {}^{39}C_{r^2}$
 ${}^{40}C_{3r} = {}^{40}C_{r^2}$
 $r_2 = 3r$ or $r = 0, 3$

3. **Sol.** $\left(x^3 - \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^n$
 General term = $\frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} (-1)^{n-r} x^{5r-2n}$
 If $5r - 2n = 5$, then $5r = 2n + 5 \Rightarrow r = \frac{2n}{5} + 1$
 If $5r - 2n = 10$, then $5r = 2n + 10 \Rightarrow r = \frac{2n}{5} + 2$
 Let $n = 5k$
 Now $\frac{5k!}{(2k+1)!(3k-1)!} - \frac{5k!}{(2k+2)!(3k-2)!} = 0$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3k-1} - \frac{1}{2k+2} = 0$
 $\Rightarrow k = 3 \Rightarrow n = 15$

4. **Sol.** $\left(4^{1/3} + \frac{1}{6^{1/4}}\right)^{20}$
 $T_{r+1} = {}^{20}C_r (4^{1/3})^{20-r} (6^{-1/4})^r$
 For rational terms
 $20 - r = 3k$ & $r = 4k$, where $k, p \in \mathbb{N}$
 $\Rightarrow r = 20$ & $r = 8$
 no. of rational terms = 2
 no. of irrational terms = 19

5. **Sol.** $\left(\frac{x+1}{x^{\frac{2}{3}} - x^{\frac{1}{3}} + 1} - \frac{x-1}{x - x^{\frac{1}{2}}}\right)^{10} = \left(x^{1/3} + 1 - 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}\right)^{10}$
 $T_{r+1} = {}^{10}C_r (x^{1/3})^{10-r} \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}\right)^r$
 $\frac{10-r}{3} - \frac{r}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow r = 4$
 For independent term

Coefficient of the term independent of $x = {}^{10}C_4$

6. **Sol.** $(2x - 5)^6$

Greatest binomical Co-efficient is of middle term $= \frac{T_{\frac{6}{2}+1}}{2} = T_4$

7. **Sol.** $7_9 + 9_7 = (8 - 1)_9 + (8 + 1)_7$
 $= {}^9C_0(8)_9 - {}^9C_1(8)_8 + {}^9C_2(8)_7 - \dots + {}^9C_8(8) - {}^9C_9 + {}^7C_0(8)_7 + \dots + {}^7C_6(8) + {}^7C_7$
 This is divisible by 64

8. **Sol.** $(27)_{27} = 3_{81} = 3.(9)_{40}$
 $= 3(10 - 1)_{40} = 3(10_{40} - {}^{40}C_1.10_{39} + \dots + {}^{40}C_{38}.10_2 - {}^{40}C_{39}.10_1 + 1)$
 $= 3(1000\lambda - 400 + 1)$
 Last 3 digits of this number = 803.

9. **Sol.** $f(n) = 10_n + 3.4_{n+2} + 5$
 put $n = 1$
 $f(1) = 10 + 192 + 5 = 207$ this is divisible by 3 and 9

10. **Sol.** $\frac{1}{1!(n-1)!} + \frac{1}{2!(n-2)!} + \frac{1}{1!(n-1)!} \dots = \frac{1}{n!} [{}_nC_1 + {}_nC_2 + \dots + {}_nC_{n-1}]$ (multiply and divide by $n!$)
 $= \frac{1}{n!} [2^n - 2] = \frac{2}{n!} (2^{n-1} - 1)$

11. **Sol.** ${}^{10}C_3 + {}^{11}C_3 + {}^{12}C_3 + \dots + {}^{20}C_3$
 $= {}^{10}C_4 + {}^{10}C_3 + {}^{11}C_3 + {}^{12}C_3 + \dots + {}^{20}C_3 - {}^{10}C_4$
 $= {}^{11}C_4 + {}^{11}C_3 + {}^{12}C_3 + \dots + {}^{20}C_3 - {}^{10}C_4$
 $= {}^{21}C_4 - {}^{10}C_4 = {}^{21}C_{17} - {}^{10}C_6.$

12. **Sol.** $= a \sum_{r=1}^n (-1)^{r-1} \cdot {}^nC_r - \sum_{r=1}^n r \cdot {}^nC_r (-1)^{r-1}$
 $= a[{}_nC_1 - {}_nC_2 + {}_nC_3 - \dots + (-1)^{n-1} {}_nC_n] - a[{}^nC_0 - {}^nC_1 + {}^nC_2 - \dots + (-1)^n {}^nC_n - {}^nC_0] = a$

13. **Sol.** $3 \cdot {}_nC_0 - 8 \cdot {}_nC_1 + 13 \cdot {}_nC_2 - 18 \cdot {}_nC_3 + \dots$ up to $(n + 1)$ terms
 $(1 + x_5)_n = C_0 + C_1x_5 + C_2x_{10} + \dots + C_nx_{5n}$
 Multiplying by x_3 and differentiating w.r.t. x
 $x_3 \cdot n(1 + x_5)^{n-1} \cdot 5x_4 + 3x_2 (1 + x_5)_n = 3C_0 x_2 + 8C_1 x_7 + 13C_2 x_{12} + \dots + (5n + 3) C_n x_{5n+2}$
 Now put $x = -1$
 $3C_0 - 8C_1 + 13C_2 + \dots + (n + 1) \text{ terms} = 0$

14. **Sol.** $(1 + x + x_2)_n = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_{2n}$
 put $x = 1$
 $3^n = a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_{2n} \dots (i)$
 $x = -1$
 $1 = a_0 - a_1 + a_2 - \dots + a_{2n} \dots (ii)$
 adding (i) & (ii)
 $\frac{3^n + 1}{2} = a_0 + a_2 + \dots + a_{2n}.$

15. **Sol.** $(1 + 2\sqrt{x})^{40} = {}_{40}C_0 + {}_{40}C_1 2\sqrt{x} + \dots + {}_{40}C_{40} (2\sqrt{x})^{40}$
 $(1 - 2\sqrt{x})^{40} = {}_{40}C_0 - {}_{40}C_1 2\sqrt{x} + \dots + {}_{40}C_{40} (2\sqrt{x})^{40}$
 $(1 + 2\sqrt{x})^{40} + (1 - 2\sqrt{x})^{40}$
 $= 2 [{}_{40}C_0 + {}_{40}C_2 (2\sqrt{x})^2 + \dots + {}_{40}C_{40}] (2\sqrt{x})^{40}$
 Putting $x = 1$
 ${}_{40}C_0 + {}_{40}C_2 (2)^2 + \dots + {}_{40}C_{40} (2)^{40} = \frac{3^{40} + 1}{2}$

16. **Sol.** $(9x^2 + x - 8)^6 = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{12}x^{12}$
 $x = 1 \quad 2^6 = a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_{12}$
 $x = -1 \quad 0 = a_0 - a_1 + a_2 - \dots + a_{12}$
 $2^6 = 2(a_1 + a_3 + a_5 + \dots + a_{11})$
 subtracting (1) from (2)
 $\therefore a_1 + a_3 + \dots + a_{11} = 2^5 = 32$

17. **Sol.** $\sum_{r=0}^n (r+1) C_{r2}$
 $(1+x)^n = C_0 + C_1x + \dots + C_nx^n$
 Multiply by x & then differentiate
 $(1+x)^n + x \cdot n(1+x)^{n-1} = C_0 + 2C_1x + \dots + (n+1)C_nx^n \dots \dots \dots (i)$
 $(x+1)^n = C_0x^n + C_1x^{n-1} + \dots + C_n \dots \dots \dots (ii)$
 Multiply (i) & (ii) & equate the coefficient of x_n on both side

$$C_{02} + 2C_{12} + \dots + (n+1) C_{n2} = {}_{2n}C_n + n \cdot {}_{2n-1}C_{n-1} = 2 \cdot {}_{2n-1}C_{n-1} + n \cdot {}_{2n-1}C_{n-1} = \frac{(n+2)(2n-1)!}{n! (n-1)!}$$

18. **Sol.** $\left(\left(x + \frac{1}{x} \right)^2 - 1 \right)^n = {}_nC_0 \left(x + \frac{1}{x} \right)^{2n} - {}_nC_1 \left(x + \frac{1}{x} \right)^{2n-2} + \dots + {}_nC_n (-1)^n$
 Total number of terms = $2n + 1$

19. **Sol.** Coeff. of x_{10} in $(1 - x^4)^5 (1 - x)^{-5}$
 $(1 - {}^5C_1 x^4 + {}^5C_2 x^8 + \dots) (1 - x)^{-5}$
 Coeff. of x_{10} in $(1 - x)^{-5} - 5 \cdot \text{coeff. of } x_6 \text{ in } (1 - x)^{-5} + 10 \text{ coeff. of } x_2 \text{ in } (1 - x)^{-5}$
 ${}^{14}C_4 - 5 \times {}^{10}C_4 + 10 \cdot {}^6C_4 = 101$

20. **Sol.** $(x+3)^n + (x+3)^{n-1} (x+2) + \dots + (x+2)^n = (x+3)^n \left(1 - \frac{\left(\frac{x+2}{x+3} \right)^{n+1}}{1 - \frac{x+2}{x+3}} \right) = [(x+3)^{n+1} - (x+2)^{n+1}]$
 Coefficient of $x_{n-1} = {}_{n+1}C_{n-1} (3)^2 - {}_{n+1}C_{n-1} \times 4$

21. **Sol.** $(1+x)^2 (1-x)^{-2}$
 $= (1+x^2+2x) (1-x)^{-2}$
 Co-efficient of $x_4 = {}^5C_4 + {}^3C_2 + 2 \cdot {}^4C_3 = 16$

PART - II : MISCELLANEOUS QUESTIONS

Section (A) : ASSERTION/REASONING

DIRECTIONS :

Each question has 4 choices (1), (2), (3) and (4) out of which ONLY ONE is correct.

- (1) Both the statements are true.
 (2) Statement-I is true, but Statement-II is false.
 (3) Statement-I is false, but Statement-II is true.
 (4) Both the statements are false.

A-1. Ans. (1)

Sol. Statement-1 : $\left(x + \frac{1}{x} + 2\right)^m = \frac{(x+1)^{2m}}{x^m}$

$$\therefore \text{co-efficient of } x_0 = {}_{2m}C_m = \frac{(2m)!}{(m!)^2}$$

True

Statement-2 : Obviously true and correct explanation of statement-1

A-2. Ans. (3)

Sol. Statement-1 : $({}_{2n}C_1 + {}_{2n}C_3 + {}_{2n}C_5 + \dots + {}_{2n}C_{n-1}) + ({}_{2n}C_{n+1} + \dots + {}_{2n}C_{2n-1}) = 2^{2n-1}$

$$\Rightarrow 2({}_{2n}C_1 + {}_{2n}C_3 + {}_{2n}C_5 + \dots + {}_{2n}C_{n-1}) = 2^{2n-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow {}_{2n}C_1 + {}_{2n}C_3 + {}_{2n}C_5 + \dots + {}_{2n}C_{n-1} = 2^{2n-2}$$

Statement-1 : false

Statement-2 : ${}_{2n}C_1 + {}_{2n}C_3 + \dots + {}_{2n}C_{2n-1} = (2)^{2n-1}$, True

Section (B) : MATCH THE COLUMN

B-1. Sol. (A) ${}_nC_0 + {}_nC_1 + {}_nC_2 = 46 \Rightarrow 1 + n + \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = 46$

$$\Rightarrow n^2 + n - 90 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (n+10)(n-9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 9$$

(B) The general term $t_{r+1} = {}_{1024}C_r 5^{\frac{1024-r}{2}} 7^{\frac{r}{8}}$ where $0 \leq r \leq 1024$

$$t_{r+1} \text{ is an integer} \Rightarrow r = 8\lambda$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 0, 8, 16, \dots, 1024 \Rightarrow 129 \text{ terms}$$

(C) $(1+x+x_2+x_3+x_4)_{199} (x-1)_{201} = \frac{(1-x^5)^{199}}{(1-x)^{199}} \cdot (1-x)^{201} = -(1-x^5)_{199} (1-x)_2$
 $= -(1-2x+x_2) \sum {}^{199}C_r (-x^5)^r$

Hence coeff of $x_{103} = 0$

(D) $2_1 = 2, 2_2 = 4, 2_3 = 8, 2_4 = 16, 2_5 = 32, 2_6 = 64, 2_7 = 128, 2_8 = 256, \dots$

Last digit is repeated with period 4

$$\Rightarrow \text{last digit of the number } 2_{999} \text{ is } 8$$

B-2. Sol. (A) $\sum_{r=0}^n (r+1)C_r = \sum_{r=0}^n rC_r + \sum_{r=0}^n C_r = n \cdot 2^{n-1} + 2^n$

(B) $C_0 + C_1 + C_2 + \dots + C_n = 2^n$

$$\Rightarrow 2(C_0 + C_1 + \dots + C_{n/2}) = 2^n + C_{n/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow C_0 + C_1 + \dots + C_{n/2} = \frac{1}{2}(2^n + C_{n/2})$$

$$(C) \quad \therefore xC_0 + \frac{x^2}{2}C_1 + \frac{x^3}{3}C_2 + \dots + \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}C_n = \frac{(1+x)^{n+1}}{n+1}$$

put $x = 2$

(D) ${}^nC_n + {}^nC_2 + {}^nC_{n-1} + {}^nC_3 + \dots + {}^nC_{2n}C_n = \text{Selection of } (n+2) \text{ persons out of } n \text{ boy and } n \text{ girls}$

Section (C) : ONE OR MORE THAN ONE OPTIONS CORRECT

$$C-1. \quad \text{Sol.} \quad a_n = \frac{(1000)(1000)\dots\dots(1000)}{1.2\dots\dots n}$$

$$a_{999} = a_{1000}$$

a_n is maximum for $n = 999$ and $n = 1000$

C-2. Sol. Total term = $(2n + 1)$

$$\frac{(2n+1) + 1}{2}$$

Middle term = $\frac{(2n+1) + 1}{2} = (n+1)\text{th}$

$$T_{n+1} = {}^{2n}C_n X^n$$

Coefficient of $X^n = {}^{2n}C_n$

$$X^n = {}^{2n}C_n$$

$$= \frac{{}^{2n}!}{n!n!} = \frac{{}^{2n}! \{1.3.5\dots(2n-1)\}}{n!n!} = \left\{ \frac{1.3.5\dots(2n-1)}{n!} \right\} 2_n$$

C-3. Sol. $(101)_{50} - (99)_{50} = (100+1)_{50} - (100-1)_{50}$

$$= 2({}^{50}C_1 100_{49} + {}^{50}C_3 100_{47} + {}^{50}C_5 100_{45} + \dots + {}^{50}C_{49} 100)$$

$$= 2.50 \cdot 100_{49} + 2[{}^{50}C_3 100_{49} + {}^{50}C_3 100_{47} + {}^{50}C_5 100_{45} + \dots + {}^{50}C_{49} 100]$$

$$= 100_{50} + 2[{}^{50}C_3 100_{49} + {}^{50}C_3 100_{47} + {}^{50}C_5 100_{45} + \dots + {}^{50}C_{49} 100]$$

$$\Rightarrow (101)_{50} - (99)_{50} > (100)_{50}$$

$$\text{or ;k } (101)_{50} - (99)_{50} > (100)_{50}$$

$$\text{or ;k } (101)_{50} - (100)_{50} > (99)_{50}$$

$$\text{Again} = \left(\frac{1001}{1000}\right)^{999} = \left(1 + \frac{1}{1000}\right)^{999} = 1 + {}^{999}C_1 \left(\frac{1}{1000}\right) + {}^{999}C_2 \left(\frac{1}{1000}\right)^2 + {}^{999}C_3 \left(\frac{1}{1000}\right)^3 + \dots$$

+.....1000 terms

$$\left(\frac{1001}{1000}\right)^{999} < 1000 \Rightarrow (1001)^{999} < (1000)^{1000}$$

$$C-4. \quad \text{Sol.} \quad T_{r+1} = {}^{20}C_r 4^{\frac{20-r}{3}} 6^{\frac{r}{4}}$$

T_{r+1} is rational if $r = 8, 20$

Here only 2 terms are rational and 19 terms are irrational

also middle term is t_{11} which is irrational

C-5. Sol. $(101)_{100-1} = (1+100)_{100-1}$

$$= 1 + {}^{100}C_1(100) + {}^{100}C_2(100)^2 + \dots + {}^{100}C_{100}(100)_{100-1}$$

$$= 10_4^\lambda \quad \forall \lambda \in \mathbb{N}$$

Exercise-3

* Marked Questions may have more than one correct option.

PART - I : JEE (MAIN) / AIEEE PROBLEMS (PREVIOUS YEARS)

1. **Sol.** $\therefore (1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \dots)^{-3/2} = [(1 - x)^{-2}]^{-3/2} = (1 - x)^3$

So, coefficient of x_5 in $(1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \dots)^{-3/2}$
 = coefficient of x_5 in $(1 - x)^3 = 0$.

2. **Sol.** $(r + 1)^{\text{th}}$ term of

$$\text{i.e., } T_{r+1} = {}^{256}C_r (3)^{(256-r)/2} (5)^{r/8}$$

The terms are integral, if $\frac{256-r}{2}$ and $\frac{r}{8}$ are both positive integer.
 $\Rightarrow r = 0, 8, 16, 24, 32, \dots, 256$
 Hence total terms are 33.

3. **Sol.** $\therefore (r + 1)^{\text{th}}$ term in the expansion of $(1 + x)^{27/5}$

$$\frac{27}{5} \left(\frac{27}{5} - 1 \right) \dots \left(\frac{27}{5} - r + 1 \right) \frac{x^r}{r!}$$

Now this term will be negative, if the last factor in numerator is the only negative factor.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{27}{5} - r + 1 < 0 \Rightarrow \frac{32}{5} < r$$

$\Rightarrow 6.4 < r \Rightarrow$ least value of r is 7.

Thus first negative term will be 8th.

4. **Sol.** Coefficient of middle term in $(1 + \alpha x)^4 = {}_4C_2 \alpha^2$

coefficient of middle term in $(1 - \alpha x)^6 = {}_6C_3 (-\alpha)^3$

$${}_4C_2 \alpha^2 = -{}_6C_3 \alpha^3$$

$$-\frac{6}{20} = \alpha$$

$$\alpha = \frac{-3}{10}$$

5. **Sol.** $(1 - x)(1 - x)^n = (1 - x)^n + x(1 - x)^n$

Coefficient of $x_n = (-1)^n + (-1)^{n-1} \cdot n$
 $= (-1)^n (1 - n)$

6. **Sol.** $S_n = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{{}_n C_r}$

$$t_n = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{r}{{}_n C_r}$$

$$t_n = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{n-r}{{}_n C_r}$$

$$\therefore 2t_n = n \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{{}_n C_r} = nS_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{t_n}{s_n} = \frac{n}{2}$$

7. **Sol.** $(1 + y)^m$

$$T_r = {}^m C_{r-1} \cdot y_{r-1}$$

$$T_{r+1} = {}^m C_r \cdot y_r$$

$$T_{r+2} = {}^m C_{r+1} \cdot y_{r+1}$$

$$\therefore {}^m C_{r-1} + {}^m C_{r+1} = 2 {}^m C_r \Rightarrow = 2 \Rightarrow \frac{{}^m C_{r-1}}{{}^m C_r} + \frac{{}^m C_{r+1}}{{}^m C_r} \quad m_2 - m(4r + 1) + 4r_2 - 2 = 0$$

8. **Sol.** ${}^{50}C_4 + {}^{55}C_3 + {}^{54}C_3 + \dots + {}^{50}C_3$
 $= {}^{56}C_4$

$$\frac{(1+x)^{3/2} - \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}x\right)^3}{(1-x)^{1/2}} \Rightarrow \frac{\left(1 + \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{x^2}{2!}\right) - \left(1 + \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{3 \cdot 2}{2} \cdot \frac{x^2}{4}\right)}{(1-x)^{1/2}}$$

9. **Sol.**

$$= \left(-\frac{3}{8}x^2\right) (1-x)^{-1/2} = -\frac{3}{8}x^2$$

10. **Sol.** $(1 - ax)^{-1} (1 - bx)^{-1}$
 $= (1 + ax + (ax)^2 + \dots) (1 + bx + (bx)^2 + \dots)$

$$\text{so, } a_n = a_n + a_{n-1}b + a_{n-2}b^2 + \dots + b_n$$

$$\frac{\left(1 - \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{n+1}\right)}{1 - \frac{b}{a}} = \frac{a^{n+1} - b^{n+1}}{b - a}$$

$$= a_n$$

11. **Sol.** $(1 - y)^m (1 + y)^n = 1 + a_1 y + a_2 y^2 + \dots$
 $(1 - my + {}^m C_2 y^2 \dots) (1 + ny + {}^n C_2 y^2 \dots) = 1 + a_1 y + a_2 y^2 + \dots$

$$a_1 = n - m = 10 \quad \dots (1)$$

$$a_2 = {}^m C_2 + {}^n C_2 - mn = 10 \quad \dots (2)$$

solving (1) & (2), we get $(m, n) \equiv (35, 45)$

12. **Sol.** $S = {}^{20}C_0 - {}^{20}C_1 + {}^{20}C_2 - \dots + {}^{20}C_{10}$

$$\text{We know, } {}^{20}C_0 - {}^{20}C_1 + \dots + {}^{20}C_{20} = 0$$

$$2({}^{20}C_0 - {}^{20}C_1 + \dots - {}^{20}C_9) + {}^{20}C_{10} = 0$$

$$\therefore {}^{20}C_0 - {}^{20}C_1 + \dots - {}^{20}C_9 = \frac{1}{2} {}^{20}C_{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow {}^{20}C_0 - {}^{20}C_1 + \dots - {}^{20}C_9 + {}^{20}C_{10} = \frac{1}{2} {}^{20}C_{10}$$

$$\text{so, } S = \frac{1}{2} {}^{20}C_{10}$$

13. **Sol.** $T_5 + T_6 = 0$

$${}^n C_4 a^{n-4} \cdot b^4 - {}^n C_5 a^{n-5} \cdot b^5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^{n-4} b^4}{a^{n-5} b^5} = \frac{{}^n C_5}{{}^n C_4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} = \frac{n!}{5!(n-5)!} \times \frac{4!(n-4)!}{n!} = \frac{n-4}{5}$$

14. **Sol. Statement -1** : $\sum_{r=0}^n (r+1) {}^nC_r = \sum_{r=0}^n r \cdot {}^nC_r + \sum_{r=0}^n {}^nC_r$
 $= n \cdot 2^{n-1} + 2^n = (n+2) 2^{n-1}$

Statement-2 : $\sum_{r=0}^n (r+1) {}^nC_r x^r = \sum_{r=0}^n r \cdot {}^nC_r x^r + \sum_{r=0}^n {}^nC_r x^r$
 $= xn(1+x)^{n-1} + (1+x)^n$

15. **Sol.** $S_1 = \sum_{j=1}^{10} j(j-1) \cdot \frac{10(10-1)}{j(j-1)} {}^8C_{j-2}$

$\Rightarrow S_1 = 9 \times 10 \sum_{j=2}^{10} {}^8C_{j-2}$
 $\Rightarrow S_1 = 90 \cdot 2^8$

$S_2 = \sum_{j=1}^{10} j \cdot \frac{10}{j} {}^9C_{j-1} = 10 \cdot 2^9$

$S_3 = \sum_{j=1}^{10} (j(j-1) + j) {}^{10}C_j = \sum_{j=1}^{10} j(j-1) {}^{10}C_j + \sum_{j=1}^{10} j {}^{10}C_j$
 $= 90 \sum_{j=2}^{10} {}^8C_{j-2} + 10 \sum_{j=1}^{10} {}^9C_{j-1}$
 $= 90 \times 2^8 + 10 \times 2^9 = (45 + 10) \cdot 2^9 = (45 + 10) \cdot 2^9 = 55 \cdot 2^9$

so statement-1 is true and statement 2 is false.

Hence correct option is (2)

16. **Sol. (3)**

$(1 - x - x^2 + x^3)_6$

$(1 - x)_6 (1 - x^2)_6$

$({}^6C_0 - {}^6C_1 x_1 + {}^6C_2 x_2 - {}^6C_3 x_3 + {}^6C_4 x_4 - {}^6C_5 x_5 + {}^6C_6 x_6) ({}^6C_0 - {}^6C_1 x_2 + {}^6C_2 x_4 - {}^6C_3 x_6 + {}^6C_4 x_8 + \dots + {}^6C_6 x_{12})$

Now coefficient of $x_7 = {}^6C_{16} {}^6C_3 - {}^6C_{36} {}^6C_2 + {}^6C_{56} {}^6C_1$
 $= 6 \times 20 - 20 \times 15 + 36$
 $= 120 - 300 + 36$
 $= 156 - 300$
 $= -144$

Ans.

17. **Sol. Ans. (1)**

$(\sqrt{3} + 1)^{2n} - (\sqrt{3} - 1)^{2n}$

$= 2[{}^{2n}C_1 (\sqrt{3})^{2n-1} + {}^{2n}C_3 (\sqrt{3})^{2n-3} + {}^{2n}C_5 (\sqrt{3})^{2n-5} + \dots]$

= which is an irrational number

18. **Sol. (3)**

$\left((x^{1/3} + 1) - \left(\frac{\sqrt{x} + 1}{\sqrt{x}} \right) \right)^{10}$

$(x^{1/3} - x^{-1/2})^{10}$

$T_{r+1} = {}^{10}C_r (x^{1/3})^{10-r} (-x^{-1/2})^r$

$\frac{10-r}{3} - \frac{r}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow 20 - 2r - 3r = 0$

$\Rightarrow r = 4$

$T_5 = {}^{10}C_4 = \frac{10 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7}{4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1} = 210$

19. **Ans. (1)**

Sol. $(1 - 2\sqrt{x})^{50} = C_0 - C_1 2\sqrt{x} + C_2 (2\sqrt{x})^2 + \dots + C_{50} (2\sqrt{x})^{50}$

$(1 + 2\sqrt{x})^{50} = C_0 + C_1 (2\sqrt{x}) + C_2 (2\sqrt{x})^2 + \dots + C_{50} (2\sqrt{x})^{50}$

Put $x = 1$

$$\therefore \frac{1+3^{50}}{2} = C_0 + C_2(2)^2 + \dots$$

20. Ans. (3) or Bonus

Sol. Theoretically the number of terms are $2N + 1$ (i.e. odd) But As the number of terms being odd hence considering that number clubbing of terms is done hence the solutions follow :

$$\text{Number of terms} = {}_{n+2}C_2 = 28 \quad \therefore n = 6$$

$$\text{sum of coefficient} = 3_n = 3_6 = 729$$

put $x = 1$

21. Ans. (4)

$$\text{Sol. } ({}^{21}C_1 + {}^{21}C_2 + {}^{21}C_3 + \dots + {}^{21}C_{10}) - ({}^{10}C_1 + {}^{10}C_2 + {}^{10}C_3 + \dots + {}^{10}C_{10}) = S_1 - S_2$$

$$S_1 = {}^{21}C_1 + {}^{21}C_2 + {}^{21}C_3 + \dots + {}^{21}C_{10}$$

$$S_1 = \frac{1}{2} ({}^{21}C_1 + {}^{21}C_2 + \dots + {}^{21}C_{20}) = \frac{1}{2} ({}^{21}C_0 + {}^{21}C_1 + {}^{21}C_2 + \dots + {}^{21}C_{20} + {}^{21}C_{21} - 2)$$

$$S_1 = 2^{20} - 1$$

$$S_2 = ({}^{10}C_1 + {}^{10}C_2 + {}^{10}C_3 + \dots + {}^{10}C_{10}) = 2^{10} - 1$$

$$\text{Therefore, } S_1 - S_2 = 2^{20} - 2^{10}$$

22. Sol. (2)

$$\left(x + \sqrt{x^3 - 1} \right)^5 + \left(x - \sqrt{x^3 - 1} \right)^5$$

$$= (T_1 + T_2 + T_3 + T_4 + T_5 + T_6) + (T_1 - T_2 + T_3 - T_4 + T_5 - T_6)$$

$$= 2(T_1 + T_3 + T_5)$$

$$= 2({}^5C_0(x)^5 + {}^5C_2(x)^3 (\sqrt{x^3 - 1})^2 + {}^5C_4(x)^1 (\sqrt{x^3 - 1})^4)$$

$$= 2(x^5 + 10x^3(x^3 - 1) + 5x(x^6 + 1 - 2x^3))$$

$$= 2(x^5 + 10x^6 - 10x^3 + 5x^7 + 5x - 10x^4)$$

$$= 2(5x^7 + 10x^6 + x^5 - 10x^4 - 10x^3 + 5x)$$

$$\text{sum of odd degree terms} = 10 + 2 - 20 + 10 = 2$$

PART - II : JEE (ADVANCED) / IIT-JEE PROBLEMS (PREVIOUS YEARS)

$$1. \text{ Sol. } S = \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{10}{i} \binom{20}{m-i}$$

$$= {}^{10}C_0 \cdot {}^{20}C_m + {}^{10}C_1 \cdot {}^{20}C_{m-1} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \text{coefficient of } x^m \text{ in } (1+x)^{10} (1+x)^{20} = {}^{30}C_m$$

$$S \text{ is maximum when } m = 15$$

$$2. \text{ Sol. } (1 + t_2)^{12} (1 + t_{12} + t_{24} + t_{36}) = (1 + t_{12} + t_{24}) (1 + t_2)^{12}$$

$$\text{coefficient of } t_{24} = {}^{12}C_{12} + {}^{12}C_6 + {}^{12}C_0 = {}^{12}C_6 + 2$$

$$3. \text{ Sol. } (n-1)C_r = (k_2 - 3) {}^nC_{r+1}$$

$$\text{or } (n-1)C_{n-(r+1)} = (k_2 - 3) {}^nC_{n-(r+1)}$$

$$1 \geq k^2 - 3 > 0 \Rightarrow k \in [-2, -\sqrt{3}) \cup (\sqrt{3}, 2]$$

$$4. \text{ Sol. } S = {}^{30}C_0 {}^{30}C_{20} - {}^{30}C_1 {}^{30}C_{19} + {}^{30}C_2 {}^{30}C_{18} - \dots$$

$$S = \text{Co-efficient of } x_{20} \text{ in } (1-x)^{30} (1+x)^{30}$$

$$S = \text{Co-efficient of } x_{20} \text{ in } (1-x^2)^{30} = {}^{30}C_{10}$$

$$5. \text{ Sol. } B_{10} = \sum_{r=1}^{10} A_r B_r - C_{10} \sum_{r=1}^{10} (A_r)^2$$

$$= {}^{20}C_{10} ({}^{30}C_{20} - 1) - {}^{30}C_{10} ({}^{20}C_{10} - 1) = {}^{30}C_{10} - {}^{20}C_{10} = C_{10} - B_{10}$$

Additional Problems For Self Practice (APSP)

PART - I : PRACTICE TEST PAPER

1. **Sol.** $T_{r+1} = {}^{10}C_r (2x^2)^{10-r} \left(\frac{1}{3x^2}\right)^r$
 $\therefore T_{5+1} = T_6 = {}^{10}C_5 (2x^2)^5 \left(\frac{1}{3x^2}\right)^5$
 $= \frac{896}{27} = \frac{a}{b} \therefore a + b = 923$

2. **Sol.** $T_{25} = T_{26} \Rightarrow {}^{44}C_{24} (-x)^{24} = {}^{44}C_{25} (-x)^{25}$
 $\frac{{}^{44}C_{24}}{{}^{44}C_{25}} = -\frac{25}{44-25+1} \Rightarrow \frac{25}{20} = -\frac{5}{4}$
 $\Rightarrow x = -$

3. **Sol.** Given ${}_mC_0 + {}_mC_1 + {}_mC_2 = 46$
 $\frac{m(m-1)}{2} = 46$
 $\Rightarrow m_2 + m - 90 = 0 \Rightarrow m = 9$
 $\therefore T_{r+1} {}^9C_r (x^2)^{9-r} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^r = {}^9C_r x^{18-3r}$
 For constant term, $18-3r = 0 \Rightarrow 6$
 $\therefore \text{constant term} = {}^9C_6 = \frac{9 \cdot 8 \cdot 7}{3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1} = 84$

4. **Sol.** $T_{r+1} = {}_nC_r \left(\sqrt[3]{2}\right)^{n-r} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3}}\right)^r$
 $\therefore T_{6+1} = {}_nC_6 \left(\sqrt[3]{2}\right)^{n-6} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3}}\right)^6 = T_7$ from beginning, 7th term from the end is $T_{7'} = {}_nC_6 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3}}\right)^{n-6} \left(\sqrt[3]{2}\right)^6$
 $\frac{T_7}{T_{7'}} = \frac{1}{6}$
 given $\frac{T_7}{T_{7'}} = \frac{1}{6} \Rightarrow 6T_7 = T_{7'}$
 $\Rightarrow 6 \cdot {}_nC_6 \cdot \left(\sqrt[3]{2}\right)^{n-6} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3}}\right)^6 = {}_nC_6 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3}}\right)^{n-6} \left(\sqrt[3]{2}\right)^6$
 $\Rightarrow 6 \cdot 2^{\frac{n-6}{3}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{6}{3}} = 3^{-\frac{n-6}{3}} \cdot 2^{\frac{6}{3}}$
 $\Rightarrow 2 \times 3 \cdot 2^{\frac{n-6}{3}} \cdot 3^{-2} = 3^{-\frac{n-6}{3}} \cdot 2^2$
 $\Rightarrow 2^{\frac{n-6}{3}+1} = 3^{-\frac{n-6}{3}+1}$
 $\Rightarrow 2^{\frac{n-9}{3}} = 3^{\frac{9-n}{3}} \Rightarrow 9$

5. **Sol.** Here $T_{r+1} = {}^{15}C_r x^r$
 $\therefore T_{2r-1} = T_{(2r-2)+1} = {}^{15}C_{2r-2} x^{2r-2}$
 & $T_{r-1} = T_{(r-2)+1} = {}^{15}C_{r-2} x^{r-2}$
 given ${}^{15}C_{2r-2} = {}^{15}C_{r+2}$

$$\Rightarrow 2r+2 = r-2 \text{ or } 2r+2+r-2 = 15$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 4 \text{ or } 3r = 15 \Rightarrow r = 4 \text{ or } 5$$

6. **Sol.** $(ab + bc + ca)^6 = a_6 b_6 c_6 (a^{-1} + b^{-1} + c^{-1})^6$

$$\frac{6! (a^{-1})^{k_1} \cdot (b^{-1})^{k_2} \cdot (c^{-1})^{k_3}}{k_1! k_2! k_3!}$$

General term = $a_6 b_6 c_6$

$$\therefore k_1 = 3, k_2 = 2, k_3 = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{Coefficient of } a_3 b_4 c_5 \text{ is } \frac{6!}{3! 2! 1!} = 60$$

$$\therefore a_3 b_4 c_5 \frac{6!}{3! 2! 1!} = 60$$

7. **Sol.** Let $S = \frac{1}{1!(n-1)!} + \frac{1}{3!(n-3)!} + \frac{1}{5!(n-5)!} + \dots$

$$= \frac{1}{n!} \left(\frac{n!}{1! (n-1)!} + \frac{n!}{3! (n-3)!} + \frac{1}{5!(n-5)!} + \dots \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n!} ({}_nC_1 + {}_nC_3 + {}_nC_5 + \dots)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n!} \cdot \frac{2^n - 2^{n-1}}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{n!}$$

8. **Sol.** sum of coefficient is zero

$$\therefore a_3 - 2a_2 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_3 - a_2 - a_2 + a - a + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_2(a-1) - a(a-1) - 1(a-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a-1)(a_2 - a - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1, a = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+4}}{2}$$

9. **Sol.** n is even here

$${}^nC_{n/2} (x^2)^{\frac{n}{2}} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} = 924x^6$$

$$\therefore \text{middle term} =$$

$$\Rightarrow {}^nC_{n/2} \cdot x_{n/2} = 924x_6$$

$$\frac{n}{2} = 6$$

$$\therefore 2 \Rightarrow n = 12$$

10. **Sol.** Here $(1-2+3)_n = 128$

$$\Rightarrow 2_n = 2_7 \Rightarrow n = 7$$

$$\therefore \text{greatest coefficient of } (1+x)^{14} \text{ is } {}^{14}C_7$$

11. **Sol.** Let ${}_nC_r = 165$, ${}_nC_{r+1} = 330$ and ${}_nC_{r+2} = 462$

$$\frac{{}_nC_{r+1}}{{}_nC_r} = \frac{330}{165} = 2 = \frac{1}{3} (n-2)$$

$$\frac{{}_nC_{r+2}}{{}_nC_{r+1}} = \frac{n-r-1}{r+2} = \frac{231}{165}$$

and $\Rightarrow 165n - 627 = 396r$

$$\therefore 165n - 627 = 132(n-2) \Rightarrow n = 11$$

12. **Sol.** $17_{256} = (17_2)_{128} = (290-1)_{128}$

$$= 1000m + {}^{128}C_2(290)^2 - {}^{128}C_1(290) + 1$$

$$= 1000(m+683527) + 681$$

$$\therefore \text{last two digits} = 81$$

13. **Sol.** Here $3_{2003} = 9 \times 3_{2001} = 9(28-1)^{667}$

$$= 9[{}^{667}C_0 28^{667} - {}^{667}C_1 28^{666} + \dots - {}^{667}C_{667}]$$

$$= 9 \times 28^k - 9 + 28 - 28$$

$$= (9 \times 28^k - 28) + 19$$

$$\therefore \left\{ \frac{3^{2003}}{28} \right\} = \frac{19}{28}$$

14. **Sol.** given $= \frac{2}{2^7 \sqrt{4x+1}} \left\{ {}^7C_1 \sqrt{4x+1} + {}^7C_3 (\sqrt{4x+1})^3 + {}^7C_5 (\sqrt{4x+1})^5 + {}^7C_7 (\sqrt{4x+1})^7 \right\}$

$$= \frac{1}{2^6} [{}^7C_1 + {}^7C_3(4x+1) + {}^7C_5(4x+1)^2 + {}^7C_7(4x+1)^3]$$

$$\therefore \text{degree} = 3$$

15. **Sol.** $p(n) = 49n + 16n - 1$
 $p(1) = 49 + 16 - 1 = 64$ which is divisible by 16, 32, 64

16. **Sol.** $(x+a)^n = {}^nC_0 x^n + {}^nC_1 x^{n-1} a + \dots + {}^nC_n a^n$
 $= T_0 + T_1 + T_2 + \dots + T_n$
 Replace a by ai
 $(x+ai)^n = ({}^nC_0 x^n - {}^nC_2 x^{n-2} a^2 + \dots) + i({}^nC_1 x^{n-1} a - {}^nC_3 x^{n-3} a^3 + \dots)$
 $= (T_0 - T_2 + T_4 - T_6 + \dots) + i(T_1 - T_3 + T_5 - T_7 + \dots)$
 taking mod both sides
 $(T_0 - T_2 + T_4 - T_6 + \dots)_{2+} (T_1 - T_3 + T_5 - T_7 + \dots)_{2-} = (x^2 + a^2)_n$

$$\frac{n+1}{1 + \left| \frac{x}{y} \right|} = \frac{15+1}{1 + \left| \frac{3}{1} \right|} = 4 = r$$

17. **Sol.** Here
 $\therefore T_4$ & T_5 are numerically greatest terms
 $\therefore |T_4| = |T_5| = {}^{15}C_4 \cdot 3_{11} = 455 \times 3_{12}$

$$\therefore \frac{{}^nC_2}{2} = \frac{12.11}{2.2} = 3$$

$\therefore n = 12$

18. **Sol.**

$$\sum_{r=0}^n r {}^nC_r x^r y^{n-r} = \sum_{r=1}^n n {}^{n-1}C_{r-1} x^{r-1} \cdot xy^{n-r}$$

$$= nx \sum_{r=1}^n {}^{n-1}C_{r-1} x^{r-1} \cdot y^{n-1-(r-1)}$$

$$= nx \cdot (x+y)^{n-1}$$

$$= nx$$

19. **Sol.** $(1 - 2x^3 + 3x^5) \left(1 + \frac{1}{x} \right)^8$ Co-efficient of $x^{1/4} x^{1/2} = -2 \cdot {}^8C_2 + 3 \cdot {}^8C_4 = 154$

20. **Sol.** Given $= {}^nC_0 + {}^{n+1}C_1 + {}^{n+2}C_2 + \dots + {}^{2n}C_n$
 $= {}^nC_n + {}^{n+1}C_n + {}^{n+2}C_n + \dots + {}^{2n}C_n$
 $= {}^{2n+1}C_{n+1}$ (by pascal rule ${}^nC_r + {}^nC_{r-1} = {}^{n+1}C_r$)

21. **Sol.** Let $1 - \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1.3}{8.16} - \frac{1.3.5}{8.16.24} + \dots = (1+x)^n = 1 + nx + \frac{n(n-1)}{2} x^2 + \dots$

$$\therefore nx = -\frac{1}{8}, \frac{n(n-1)}{2}x^2 = \frac{3}{8.16}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{4}, n = -\frac{1}{2} \therefore \text{sum} = \left(1 + \frac{1}{4}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

22. Sol. $(1 - 9x + 20x^2)^{-1} = ((1 - 5x)(1 - 4x))^{-1}$

$$= \frac{1}{(1-5x)(1-4x)} = \frac{1}{1-5x} - \frac{4}{1-4x}$$

$$= 5(1-5x)^{-1} - 4(1-4x)^{-1}$$

$$\therefore \text{coefficient of } x_n \text{ is } 5_{n+1} - 4_{n+1}$$

$$\therefore x_n = 5_{n+1} - 4_{n+1}$$

$$T_{r+1} = {}^{100}C_r \left(5^{\frac{1}{6}}\right)^r \cdot \left(2^{\frac{1}{8}}\right)^{100-r}$$

23. Sol. Here

$$= {}^{100}C_r 5^{\frac{r}{6}} 2^{\frac{100-r}{8}}$$

For rational terms r must be multiple of 24

$\therefore$ For rational terms possible values of $r = 0, 24, 48, 72, 96$

$\therefore$ Number of irrational terms $= 101 - 5 = 96$

24. Sol. Here $(1+x)_{101} (1-x+x^2)_{100} = (1+x) (1+x)_{100} (1-x+x^2)_{100}$

$$= (1+x) (1+x^3)_{100}$$

$$= (1+x^3)_{100} + x (1+x^3)_{100}$$

$$\therefore \text{coefficient of } x_{50} = 0 + 0 = 0$$

$$\therefore x_{50} = 0 + 0 = 0$$

25. Sol. Last term $= {}^nC_n \cdot \left(2^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^0 \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^n = \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n/2}} = \left(\frac{1}{3^{5/3}}\right)^{\log_2 8} = 3^{\frac{5}{3} \cdot 3} = 2^{-5}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n}{2} = -5 \Rightarrow n = 10$$

$$t_5 = {}^{10}C_4 \left(2^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^{10-4} \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^4 = 210$$

26. Sol. ${}^{20}C_0 - {}^{20}C_1 + {}^{20}C_2 - {}^{20}C_3 + \dots + {}^{20}C_{20} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2({}^{20}C_0 - {}^{20}C_1 + {}^{20}C_2 - {}^{20}C_3 + \dots - {}^{20}C_9) + {}^{20}C_{10} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow {}^{20}C_0 - {}^{20}C_1 + {}^{20}C_2 - {}^{20}C_3 + \dots - {}^{20}C_9 + {}^{20}C_{10} = -\frac{1}{2} {}^{20}C_{10} + {}^{20}C_{10} = \frac{1}{2} {}^{20}C_{10}$$

27. Sol. Here given ${}^{69}C_{3r-1} + {}^{69}C_{3r} = {}^{69}C_{r^2-1} + {}^{69}C_{r^2}$

$$\Rightarrow {}^{70}C_{3r} = {}^{70}C_{r^2} \Rightarrow r^2 = 3r \text{ or } r^2 + 3r = 70$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 0, 3 \text{ or } r^2 + 3r = 70 = 0 \Rightarrow r = 0, 3, 7, -10$$

28. Sol. Given $= (7-1)_{83} + (7+1)_{83} = (7+1)_{83} - (1-7)_{83}$

$$= 2.7.83 + 49I, I \text{ is integer}$$

$$= 49I + 23 \times 49 + 35 \therefore R=35 \therefore \frac{R}{5} = 7$$

29. Sol. Given $\sum_{k=0}^4 \frac{3^{4-k}}{(4-k)!} \cdot \frac{x^k}{k!} \cdot \frac{4!}{4!} = \sum_{k=1}^4 \frac{{}^4C_k 3^{4-k} \cdot x^k}{4!} = \frac{(3+x)^4}{4!} = \frac{32}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

30. **Sol.** $R = (5\sqrt{5} + 11)_{2n+1} = I + f, 0 < f < 1$
 Let $f' = (5\sqrt{5} - 11)_{2n+1}, 0 < f' < 1$
 $\therefore (5\sqrt{5})_{2n+1} + {}_{2n+1}C_1(5\sqrt{5})_{2n} \cdot 11 + \dots = I + f$ $\therefore -1 < f - f' < 1$
 $\therefore (5\sqrt{5})_{2n+1} - {}_{2n+1}C_1(5\sqrt{5})_{2n} \cdot 11 + \dots = f'$
 $\therefore 2({}_{2n+1}C_1(\sqrt{5} \cdot 5)_{2n} \cdot 11 + \dots) = I + f - f'$
 $\qquad\qquad\qquad = I$
 $\therefore Rf = Rf' = (5\sqrt{5} + 11)_{2n+1} \cdot (5\sqrt{5} - 11)_{2n+1}$
 $\qquad\qquad\qquad = (125 - 121)_{2n+1} = 4_{2n+1}$

Practice Test (JEE-Main Pattern)

OBJECTIVE RESPONSE SHEET (ORS)

Que.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ans.										
Que.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Ans.										
Que.	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Ans.										

PART - II : PRACTICE QUESTIONS

- Sol.** $3^n = 6561$ (put $x = 1$)
 $\Rightarrow n = 8$
 $\frac{T_{r+1}}{T_r} = \frac{8-r+1}{r} \geq 1$
 $\Rightarrow 8-r+1 \geq r \Rightarrow r \leq \frac{9}{2} \Rightarrow r = 4$ (5th term is greatest)
- Sol.** $(\sqrt{2x^2+1} + \sqrt{2x^2-1})^6 + \left(\frac{2(\sqrt{2x^2+1} - \sqrt{2x^2-1})}{(2x^2+1) - (2x^2-1)} \right)^6$
 $= (\sqrt{2x^2+1} + \sqrt{2x^2-1})^6 + (\sqrt{2x^2+1} - \sqrt{2x^2-1})^6$
 $= 2({}^6C_0(2x^2+1)^3 + {}^6C_2(2x^2+1)^2(2x^2-1) + {}^6C_4(2x^2+1)(2x^2-1)^2 + {}^6C_6(2x^2-1)^3)$
 clearly '6'
- Sol.** Co-efficient of x_5 in $(1+x_2)^5(1+x_4)^4 = {}^4C_1 \cdot {}^5C_2 + {}^4C_3 \cdot {}^5C_1 = 40 + 20 = 60$
- Sol.** Co-efficient of x_{15} in $(1+x+x_3+x_4)^n$
 $=$ Co-efficient of x_{15} in $(1+x_3)^n(1+x)^n = {}^nC_0 {}^nC_{15} + {}^nC_1 {}^nC_{12} + {}^nC_2 {}^nC_9 + {}^nC_3 {}^nC_6 + {}^nC_4 {}^nC_3 + {}^nC_5 {}^nC_0$
- Sol.** general term $= (1+x+2x_2) {}^4C_r (3x_2)^{4-r} \left(\frac{-1}{3x^2} \right)^r = (1+x+2x_2) {}^4C_r 3^{4-r} \left(\frac{-1}{3} \right)^r x^{8-4r}$
 $= {}^4C_r 3^{4-r} \left(\frac{-1}{3} \right)^r x^{8-4r} + {}^4C_r 3^{4-r} \left(\frac{-1}{3} \right)^r x^{9-4r} + {}^4C_r 3^{4-r} 2 \left(\frac{-1}{3} \right)^r x^{10-4r}$
 For independent term of x
 $8-4r = 0$
 $\Rightarrow r = 2$
 and $9-4r = 0$
 $r = \frac{9}{4}$ Not possible
 and $10-4r = 0$
 $r = \frac{5}{2}$ Not possible
 term $= {}^4C_2 \cdot 3^2 \times \frac{1}{3^2} = 6$
- Sol.** $y = (1-x)^{-1} (1+x)^n$
 $y = (1+x+x_2+\dots \infty) (1+x)^n$

$$y = (1+x)_n + x(1+x)_n + x^2(1+x)_n + \dots$$

Co-efficient of $x_r =$

$${}_nC_r + {}_nC_{r-1} + \dots + {}_nC_0 = 2^n$$

$$r \geq n \quad (\text{As } {}_nC_{n+1} = 0)$$

7. **Sol.** $9 = (0, 9), (1, 8), (2, 7), (3, 6), (4, 5)$ # 5 cases

$9 = (1, 2, 6), (1, 3, 5), (2, 3, 4)$ # 3 cases

total = 8

8. **Sol.** $(2 + 3c + c^2)_{12} = 0$

$$c^2 + 3c + 2 = 0$$

$$c = -2, -1$$

9. **Sol.** Co-efficient of $x_n = {}_{2n+1}C_0 + {}_{2n+1}C_1 + \dots + {}_{2n+1}C_n = 2^{2n}$

10. **Sol.** The expression

$$(2+x)^2 (3+x)^3 (4+x)^4 = (x+2)(x+2)(x+3)(x+3)(x+3)(x+4)(x+4)(x+4)(x+4)(x+4)$$

$$= x^9 + (2+2+3+3+3+4+4+4+4) x^8 + \dots$$

Co-efficient of $x_8 = 29$

11. **Sol.** Co-efficient of x_{19} in expression $= -(1_2 + 2_2 + 3_2 + \dots + 20_2) = -2870$

12. **Sol.** ${}_{50}C_0 \times {}_{50}C_1 + {}_{50}C_1 \times {}_{50}C_2 + \dots + {}_{50}C_{49} \times {}_{50}C_{50}$

$$= {}_{50}C_0 \times {}_{50}C_{49} + {}_{50}C_1 \times {}_{50}C_{48} + \dots + {}_{50}C_{49} \times {}_{50}C_0$$

$$= \text{co-eff. of } x_{49} \text{ in } (1+x)_{100} = {}_{100}C_{49}$$

13. **Sol.** $(1+x)_n = {}_nC_0 + {}_nC_1 x + {}_nC_2 x^2 + \dots + {}_nC_n x^n$

Multiply it by x

$$x(1+x)_n = {}_nC_0 x + {}_nC_1 x^2 + {}_nC_2 x^3 + \dots + {}_nC_n x^{n+1}$$

Differentiate w.r. to x and put $x = -3$

$$n x (1+x)^{n-1} + (1+x)_n = {}_nC_0 + 2{}_nC_1 x + 3{}_nC_2 x^2 + \dots + (n+1) {}_nC_n x^n$$

So answer, $-3n(-2)^{n-1} + (-2)^n$

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

14. **Sol.** ${}_nC_m + {}_{n-1}C_m + {}_{n-2}C_m + \dots + {}_mC_m$

= Co-efficient of x_m in $(1+x)_n + (1+x)_{n-1} + \dots + (1+x)_m$

$$= \text{Co-efficient of } x_m \text{ in } (1+x)_m \left[\frac{(1+x)^{n-m+1} - 1}{x} \right]$$

$$= {}_{n+1}C_{m+1}$$

$$S = {}_nC_m + 2. {}_{n-1}C_m + 3. {}_{n-2}C_m + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \text{Co-efficient of } x_m \text{ in } (1+x)_n + 2.(1+x)_{n-1} + 3(1+x)_{n-2} + \dots$$

$$\text{Let } S' = (1+x)_n + 2.(1+x)_{n-1} + 3(1+x)_{n-2} + \dots + (n-m+1)(1+x)_m \quad \dots (i)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{S'}{(1+x)} = (1+x)_{n-1} + 2.(1+x)_{n-2} + \dots + (n-m+1)(1+x)_{m-1} \quad \dots (ii)$$

from (i) - (ii)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{xS'}{1+x} = (1+x)_n + (1+x)_{n-1} + \dots + (1+x)_m - (n-m+1)(1+x)_{m-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{xS'}{1+x} = (1+x)_m \left[\frac{(1+x)^{n-m+1} - 1}{x} \right] - (n-m+1)(1+x)_{m-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow S' = \frac{(1+x)^{n+2} - (1+x)^{m+1}}{x^2} - \frac{(n-m+1)(1+x)^m}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \text{Co-efficient of } x_m \text{ in } S' = {}_{n+2}C_{m+2}$$

