

**5.CONTINUITY AND DIFFERENTIABILITY**

**Single Correct Answer Type**

1. Let  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$  and  $f(x) = [\tan^2 x]$ . Then,
  - a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$  does not exist
  - b)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$
  - c)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - d)  $f'(0) = 1$
  
2. The value of  $f(0)$  so that  $\frac{(-e^x + 2^x)}{x}$  may be continuous at  $x = 0$  is
  - a)  $\log\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$
  - b) 0
  - c) 4
  - d)  $-1 + \log 2$
  
3. Let  $f(x)$  be an even function. Then  $f'(x)$ 
  - a) Is an even function
  - b) Is an odd function
  - c) May be even or odd
  - d) None of these
  
4. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} [\cos \pi x], & x < 1 \\ |x - 2|, & 2 > x \geq 1 \end{cases}$  then  $f(x)$  is
  - a) Discontinuous and non-differentiable at  $x = -1$  and  $x = 1$
  - b) Continuous and differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - c) Discontinuous at  $x = 1/2$
  - d) Continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 2$
  
5. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x+2|}{\tan^{-1}(x+2)}, & x \neq -2 \\ 2, & x = -2 \end{cases}$ , then  $f(x)$  is
  - a) Continuous at  $x = -2$
  - b) Not continuous  $x = -2$
  - c) Differentiable at  $x = -2$
  - d) Continuous but not derivable at  $x = -2$
  
6. If  $f(x) = |\log |x||$ , then
  - a)  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable for all  $x$  in its domain
  - b)  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$  in its domain but not differentiable at  $x = \pm 1$
  - c)  $f(x)$  is neither continuous nor differentiable at  $x = \pm 1$
  - d) None of the above
  
7. If  $f'(a) = 2$  and  $f(a) = 4$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{xf(a) - af(x)}{x-a}$  equals
  - a)  $2a - 4$
  - b)  $4 - 2a$
  - c)  $2a + 4$
  - d) None of these
  
8. If  $f(x) = x(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+1})$ , then
  - a)  $f(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - b)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - c)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - d) None of the above
  
9. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} ax^2 + b, & b \neq 0, x \leq 1 \\ x^2b + ax + c, & x > 1 \end{cases}$  then,  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable at  $x = 1$ , if
  - a)  $c = 0, a = 2b$
  - b)  $a = b, c \in R$
  - c)  $a = b, c = 0$
  - d)  $a = b, c \neq 0$
  
10. For the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x - 3|, & x \geq 1 \\ \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4}, & x < 1 \end{cases}$  which one of the following is incorrect?
  - a) Continuous at  $x = 1$
  - b) Derivable at  $x = 1$
  - c) Continuous at  $x = 3$
  - d) Derivable at  $x = 3$
  
11. If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is defined by
 
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2 \sin x - \sin 2x}{2x \cos x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0, \\ a, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$
 Then the value of  $a$  so that  $f$  is continuous at 0 is
  - a) 2
  - b) 1
  - c) -1
  - d) 0
  
12.  $f(x) = x + |x|$  is continuous for

- a)  $x \in (-\infty, \infty)$       b)  $x \in (-\infty, \infty) - \{0\}$       c) Only  $x > 0$       d) No value of  $x$
13. If the function
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} \{1 + |\sin x|\}^{\frac{a}{|\sin x|}}, & -\frac{\pi}{6} < x < 0 \\ b, & x = 0 \\ \frac{\tan 2x}{e^{\tan 3x}}, & 0 < x < \frac{\pi}{6} \end{cases}$$
- Is continuous at  $x = 0$
- a)  $a = \log_e b, b = \frac{2}{3}$       b)  $b = \log_e a, a = \frac{2}{3}$       c)  $a = \log_e b, b = 2$       d) None of these
14. If  $f(x) = x^2 + \frac{x^2}{1+x^2} + \frac{x^2}{(1+x^2)^2} + \dots + \frac{x^2}{(1+x^2)^n} + \dots$ , then at  $x = 0, f(x)$
- a) Has no limit  
b) Is discontinuous  
c) Is continuous but not differentiable  
d) Is differentiable
15. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \forall x < 0 \\ 1 + \sin x, & \forall 0 \leq x \leq \pi/2 \end{cases}$  then what is the value of  $f'(x)$  at  $x = 0$ ?
- a) 1      b) -1      c)  $\infty$       d) Does not exist
16. The function  $f(x) = x - |x - x^2|$  is
- a) Continuous at  $x = 1$       b) Discontinuous at  $x = 1$   
c) Not defined at  $x = 1$       d) None of the above
17. If  $f(x + y + z) = f(x) \cdot f(y) \cdot f(z)$  for all  $x, y, z$  and  $f(2) = 4, f'(0) = 3$ , then  $f'(2)$  equals
- a) 12      b) 9      c) 16      d) 6
18. If  $f(x) = |\log_e |x||$ , then  $f'(x)$  equals
- a)  $\frac{1}{|x|}, x \neq 0$   
b)  $\frac{1}{x}$  for  $|x| > 1$  and  $-\frac{1}{x}$  for  $|x| < 1$   
c)  $-\frac{1}{x}$  for  $|x| > 1$  and  $\frac{1}{x}$  for  $|x| < 1$   
d)  $\frac{1}{x}$  for  $|x| > 0$  and  $-\frac{1}{x}$  for  $x < 0$
19. If the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2}, & \text{for } x \neq 0 \\ k, & \text{for } x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then the value of  $k$  is
- a) 1      b) 0      c)  $\frac{1}{2}$       d) -1
20. Function  $f(x) = |x - 1| + |x - 2|, x \in R$  is
- a) Differentiable everywhere in  $R$   
b) Except  $x = 1$  and  $x = 2$  differentiable everywhere in  $R$   
c) Not continuous at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 2$   
d) Increasing in  $R$
21. The set of points where the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{1 - e^{-x^2}}$  is differentiable is
- a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$       b)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$       c)  $(-1, \infty)$       d) None of these
22. If  $f(x) = x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), x \neq 0$ , then the value of function at  $x = 0$ , so that the function is continuous at  $x = 0$  is
- a) 1      b) -1      c) 0      d) Indeterminate
23. The value of  $f(0)$  so that the function  $f(x) = \frac{2 - (256 - 7x)^{1/8}}{(5x + 32)^{1/5 - 2}} (x \neq 0)$  is continuous everywhere, is given by
- a) -1      b) 1      c) 26      d) None of these
24. The derivative of  $f(x) = |x|^3$  at  $x = 0$  is
- a) -1      b) 0      c) Does not exist      d) None of these

25. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{(4^x - 1)^3}{9(\log 4)^3}, & x \neq 0 \\ \sin\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) \log\left(1 + \frac{x^2}{3}\right), & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous function at  $x = 0$ , then the value of  $a$  is equal to  
 a) 3    b) 1    c) 2    d) 0
26.  $f(x) = |[x] + x|$  in  $-1 < x \leq 2$  is  
 a) Continuous at  $x = 0$   
 b) Discontinuous at  $x = 1$   
 c) Not differentiable at  $x = 2, 0$   
 d) All the above
27. Let  $f(x) = [x^3 - x]$ , where  $[x]$  the greatest integer function is. Then the number of points in the interval  $(1, 2)$ , where function is discontinuous is  
 a) 4    b) 5    c) 6    d) 7
28. If  $y = \cos^{-1} \cos(|x| - f(x))$ , where  
 $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x > 0 \\ -1, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$ . Then,  $(dy/dx) x = \frac{5\pi}{4}$  is equal to  
 a) -1    b) 1  
 c) 0    d) Cannot be determined
29. Let  $f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y)$  and  $f(x) = x^2 g(x)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ , where  $g(x)$  is continuous function. Then,  $f'(x)$  is equal to  
 a)  $g'(x)$     b)  $g(0)$     c)  $g(0) + g'(x)$     d) 0
30. Let a function  $f(x)$  be defined by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & x \in Q \\ 0, & x \in R - Q \end{cases}$  Then,  $f(x)$  is  
 a) Everywhere continuous  
 b) Nowhere continuous  
 c) Continuous only at some points  
 d) Discontinuous only at some points
31. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - 2x + 3x^2 - 4x^3 + \dots \text{ to } \infty, & x \neq -1 \\ 1, & x = -1 \end{cases}$  is  
 a) Continuous and derivable at  $x = -1$   
 b) Neither continuous nor derivable at  $x = -1$   
 c) Continuous but not derivable at  $x = -1$   
 d) None of these
32.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2a - x & \text{in } -a < x < a \\ 3x - 2a & \text{in } a \leq x \end{cases}$ . Then, which of the following is true?  
 a)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = a$     b)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = a$   
 c)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x \geq a$     d)  $f(x)$  is continuous at all  $x < a$
33. Let  $f(x + y) = f(x)f(y)$  and  $f(x) = 1 + (\sin 2x)g(x)$  where  $g(x)$  is continuous. Then,  $f'(x)$  equals  
 a)  $f(x)g(0)$     b)  $2f(x)g(0)$     c)  $2g(0)$     d) None of these
34. If  $f(x) = [x \sin \pi x]$ , then which of the following is incorrect?  
 a)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$   
 b)  $f(x)$  is continuous in  $(-1, 0)$   
 c)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$   
 d)  $f(x)$  is differentiable in  $(-1, 1)$
35. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x < 0 \\ 1 + \sin x, & 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$  then derivative of  $f(x)$  at  $x = 0$   
 a) Is equal to 1    b) Is equal to 0    c) Is equal to -1    d) Does not exist
36. If the derivative of the function  $f(x)$  is everywhere continuous and is given by  
 $f'(x) = \begin{cases} bx^2 + ax + 4; & x \geq -1 \\ ax^2 + b; & x < -1 \end{cases}$ , then  
 a)  $a = 2, b = -3$     b)  $a = 3, b = 2$     c)  $a = -2, b = -3$     d)  $a = -3, b = -2$

37. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x \log \cos x}{\log(1+x^2)}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ , then
- $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$
  - $f(x)$  is not continuous and differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$  but not differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - None of these
38. If the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} Ax - B, & x \leq 1 \\ 3x, & 1 < x < 2 \\ Bx^2 - A, & x \geq 2 \end{cases}$  be continuous at  $x = 1$  and discontinuous at  $x = 2$ , then
- $A = 3 + B, B \neq 3$
  - $A = 3 + B, B = 3$
  - $A = 3 + B$
  - None of these
39. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x - 4|, & \text{for } x \geq 1 \\ (x^3/2) - x^2 + 3x + (1/2), & \text{for } x < 1 \end{cases}$ , then
- $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 4$
  - $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 4$
  - $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable at  $x = 1$
  - $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$
40. The function  $f(x) = a[x + 1] + b[x - 1]$ , where  $[x]$  is the greatest integer function, is continuous at  $x = 1$ , is
- $a + b = 0$
  - $a = b$
  - $2a - b = 0$
  - None of these
41. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 5^{1/x}, & x < 0 \\ \lambda[x], & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$  and  $\lambda \in R$ , then at  $x = 0$
- $f$  is discontinuous
  - $f$  is continuous only, if  $\lambda = 0$
  - $f$  is continuous only, whatever  $\lambda$  may be
  - None of the above
42. If for a continuous function  $f, f(0) = f(1) = 0, f'(1) = 2$  and  $y(x) = f(e^x)e^{f(x)}$ , then  $y'(0)$  is equal to
- 1
  - 2
  - 0
  - None of these
43. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} ax^2 - b, & |x| < 1 \\ \frac{1}{|x|}, & |x| \geq 1 \end{cases}$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$ , then
- $a = \frac{1}{2}, b = -\frac{1}{2}$
  - $a = -\frac{1}{2}, b = -\frac{3}{2}$
  - $a = b = \frac{1}{2}$
  - $a = b = -\frac{1}{2}$
44. Let  $f(x) = \frac{\sin^4 \pi [x]}{1 + [x]^2}$ , where  $[x]$  is the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ , then
- $f(x)$  is not differentiable at some points
  - $f'(x)$  exists but is different from zero
  - $f'(x) = 0$  for all  $x$
  - $f'(x) = 0$  but  $f$  is not a constant function
45. The value of  $k$  which makes  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin(1/k), & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  continuous at  $x = 0$  is
- 8
  - 1
  - 1
  - None of these
46. The function  $f(x) = \max[(1 - x), (1 + x), 2], x \in (-\infty, \infty)$  is
- Continuous at all points
  - Differentiable at all points
  - Differentiable at all points except at  $x = 1$  and  $x = -1$
  - None of the above
47. Let  $f(x)$  be defined for all  $x > 0$  and be continuous. Let  $f(x)$  satisfy  $f\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = f(x) - f(y)$  for all  $x, y$  and  $f(e) = 1$ . Then,
- $f(x)$  is bounded
  - $f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \rightarrow 0$  as  $x \rightarrow 0$
  - $xf(x) \rightarrow 1$  as  $x \rightarrow 0$
  - $f(x) = \ln x$
48. Suppose a function  $f(x)$  satisfies the following conditions for all  $x$  and  $y$ : (i)  $f(x + y) = f(x)f(y)$  (ii)  $f(x) = 1 + x g(x) \log a$ , where  $a > 1$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) = 1$ . Then,  $f'(x)$  is equal to
- $\log a$
  - $\log a^{f(x)}$
  - $\log(f(x))^a$
  - None of these
49. Let  $g(x)$  be the inverse of the function  $f(x)$  and  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^3}$ . Then,  $g'(x)$  is equal to

- a)  $\frac{1}{1 + (g(x))^3}$       b)  $\frac{1}{1 + (f(x))^3}$       c)  $1 + (g(x))^3$       d)  $1 + (f(x))^3$
50. If  $f(x) = |x^2 - 4x + 3|$ , then  
a)  $f'(1) = -1$  and  $f'(3) = 1$   
b)  $f'(1) = -1$  and  $f'(3)$  does not exist  
c)  $f'(1) = -1$  does not exist and  $f'(3) = 1$   
d) Both  $f'(1)$  and  $f'(3)$  do not exist
51. The points of discontinuity of  $\tan x$  are  
a)  $n\pi, n \in I$       b)  $2n\pi, n \in I$       c)  $(2n + 1)\frac{\pi}{2}, n \in I$       d) None of these
52. Let  $f(x) = ||x| - 1|$ , then points where  $f(x)$  is not differentiable, is/(are)  
a)  $0, \pm 1$       b)  $\pm 1$       c)  $0$       d)  $1$
53.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & x < 0 \\ 2x + 1, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$ . Then  
a)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$       b)  $f(|x|)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$       c)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$       d) None of the above
54. Let  $f(x) = [x] + \sqrt{x - [x]}$ , where  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer function. Then,  
a)  $f(x)$  is continuous on  $R^+$   
b)  $f(x)$  is continuous on  $R$   
c)  $f(x)$  is continuous on  $R - Z$   
d) None of these
55. The function  $f(x) = \frac{1 - \sin x + \cos x}{1 + \sin x + \cos x}$  is not defined at  $x = \pi$ . The value of  $f(\pi)$ , so that  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \pi$ , is  
a)  $-1/2$       b)  $1/2$       c)  $-1$       d)  $1$
56. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (x - 1) \sin \frac{1}{x-1}, & \text{if } x \neq 1 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$ . Then, which one of the following is true?  
a)  $f$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$  but not at  $x = 0$   
b)  $f$  is neither differentiable at  $x = 0$  nor at  $x = 1$   
c)  $f$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and at  $x = 1$   
d)  $f$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  but not at  $x = 1$
57. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} mx + 1, & x \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \sin x + n, & x > \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , then  
a)  $m = 1, n = 0$       b)  $m = \frac{n\pi}{2} + 1$       c)  $n = \frac{m\pi}{2}$       d)  $m = n = \frac{\pi}{2}$
58. Let  $f$  be differentiable for all  $x$ . If  $f(1) = -2$  and  $f'(x) \geq 2$  for  $x \in [1, 6]$ , then  
a)  $f(6) = 5$       b)  $f(6) < 5$       c)  $f(6) < 8$       d)  $f(6) \geq 8$
59. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = l = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} g(x)$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = m \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} g(x)$ , then the function  $f(x) g(x)$   
a) Is not continuous at  $x = a$   
b) Has a limit when  $x \rightarrow a$  and it is equal to  $lm$   
c) Is continuous at  $x = a$   
d) Has a limit when  $x \rightarrow a$  but it is not equal to  $lm$
60. Let  $f(x)$  be a function satisfying  $f(x + y) = f(x)f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in R$  and  $f(x) = 1 + x g(x)$  where  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) = 1$ . Then,  $f'(x)$  is equal to  
a)  $g'(x)$       b)  $g(x)$       c)  $f(x)$       d) None of these
61. The set of points where the function  $f(x) = x|x|$  is differentiable is  
a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$       b)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$       c)  $(0, \infty)$       d)  $[0, \infty)$
62. If  $f(x + y) = f(x)f(y)$  for all real  $x$  and  $y$ ,  $f(6) = 3$  and  $f'(0) = 10$ , then  $f'(6)$  is  
a)  $30$       b)  $13$       c)  $10$       d)  $0$
63. If  $f(x) = |x - a|\phi(x)$ , where  $\phi(x)$  is continuous function, then  
a)  $f'(a^+) = \phi(a)$       b)  $f'(a^-) = \phi(a)$       c)  $f'(a^+) = f'(a^-)$       d) None of these

64. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} xe^{-\left(\frac{1}{|x|} + \frac{1}{x}\right)}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ , then  $f(x)$  is
- Continuous as well as differentiable for all  $x$
  - Continuous for all  $x$  but not differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - Neither differentiable nor continuous at  $x = 0$
  - Discontinuous everywhere
65. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 3, & x < 0 \\ 2x + 1, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$ , then
- Both  $f(x)$  and  $f(|x|)$  are differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - $f(x)$  is differentiable but  $f(|x|)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - $f(|x|)$  is differentiable but  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$
  - Both  $f(x)$  and  $f(|x|)$  are not differentiable at  $x = 0$
66. If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c}$  exists finitely, then
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = f(c)$
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f'(x) = f'(c)$
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$  does not exist
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$  may or may not exist
67. The number of points at which the function  $f(x) = |x - 0.5| + |x - 1| + \tan x$  does not have a derivative in the interval  $(0, 2)$ , is
- 1
  - 2
  - 3
  - 4
68. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \log_{(1-3x)}(1 + 3x), & \text{for } x \neq 0 \\ k, & \text{for } x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then  $k$  is equal to
- 2
  - 2
  - 1
  - 1
69. Let  $f(x)$  be a function differentiable at  $x = c$ . Then,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$  equals
- $f'(c)$
  - $f''(c)$
  - $\frac{1}{f(c)}$
  - None of these
70. If  $f(x) = ae^{|x|} + b|x|^2$ ;  $a, b \in R$  and  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ . Then  $a$  and  $b$  are
- $a = 0, b \in R$
  - $a = 1, b = 2$
  - $b = 0, a \in R$
  - $a = 4, b = 5$
71. Let  $f(x) = (x + |x|)|x|$ . The, for all  $x$
- $f$  and  $f'$  are continuous
  - $f$  is differentiable for some  $x$
  - $f'$  is not continuous
  - $f''$  is continuous
72. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-1}{2x^2-7x+5}, & \text{for } x \neq 1 \\ -\frac{1}{3}, & \text{for } x = 1 \end{cases}$ , then  $f'(1)$  is equal to
- $-\frac{1}{9}$
  - $-\frac{2}{9}$
  - $-\frac{1}{3}$
  - $\frac{1}{3}$
73. Suppose  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$  and  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} f(1 + h) = 5$ , then  $f'(1)$  equals
- 6
  - 5
  - 4
  - 3
74. If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is defined by
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x+2}{x^2+3x+2}, & \text{if } x \in R - \{-1, -2\} \\ -1, & \text{if } x = -2 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = -1 \end{cases}$$
- , then  $f$  is continuous on the set
- $R$
  - $R - \{-2\}$
  - $R - \{-1\}$
  - $R - (-1, -2)$
75. Let  $f(x) = \frac{(e^x - 1)^2}{\sin\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) \log\left(1 + \frac{x}{4}\right)}$  for  $x \neq 0$  and  $f(0) = 12$ . If  $f$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then the value of  $a$  is equal to
- 1
  - 1
  - 2
  - 3
76. If a function  $f(x)$  is given by  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+x} + \frac{x}{(x+1)(2x+1)} + \frac{x}{(2x+1)(3x+1)} + \dots \infty$  then at  $x = 0$ ,  $f(x)$

- a) Has no limit  
 b) Is not continuous  
 c) Is continuous but not differentiable  
 d) Is differentiable
77. If  $f(x)$  is continuous function and  $g(x)$  be discontinuous, then  
 a)  $f(x) + g(x)$  must be continuous  
 b)  $f(x) + g(x)$  must be discontinuous  
 c)  $f(x) + g(x)$  for all  $x$   
 d) None of these
78. A function  $f: R \rightarrow R$  satisfies the equation  $f(x + y) = f(x)f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in R$  and  $f(x) \neq 0$  for all  $x \in R$ . If  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and  $f'(0) = 2$ , then  $f'(x)$  equals  
 a)  $f(x)$                       b)  $-f(x)$                       c)  $2f(x)$                       d) None of these
79. Consider  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2}{|x|}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$   
 a)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous everywhere  
 b)  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere  
 c)  $f'(x)$  exists in  $(-1, 1)$   
 d)  $f'(x)$  exists in  $(-2, 2)$
80. If  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  and  $f(0) = 2$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\int_0^x f(u) du}{x}$  is  
 a) 0                              b) 2                              c)  $f(2)$                       d) None of these
81. Let  $f(x + y) = f(x)f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ . Suppose that  $f(3) = 3$  and  $f'(0) = 11$  then,  $f'(3)$  is equal to  
 a) 22                              b) 44                              c) 28                              d) None of these
82. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x - 5, & \text{for } x \leq 1 \\ 4x^2 - 9, & \text{for } 1 < x < 2, \\ 3x + 4, & \text{for } x \geq 2 \end{cases}$  then  $f'(2^+)$  is equal to  
 a) 0                              b) 2                              c) 3                              d) 4
83.  $f(x) = \sin |x|$ . Then  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  
 a)  $x = 0$  only                      b) All  $x$                       c) Multiples of  $\pi$                       d) Multiples of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
84. If  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!} (\log_e a)^n, a > 0, a \neq 0$ , then at  $x = 0, f(x)$  is  
 a) Everywhere continuous but not differentiable  
 b) Everywhere differentiable  
 c) Nowhere continuous  
 d) None of these
85. The function  $f(x) = [x] \cos \left[ \frac{2x-1}{2} \right] \pi$  where  $[.]$  denotes the greatest integer function, is discontinuous at  
 a) All  $x$                               b) No  $x$   
 c) All integer points                      d)  $x$  which is not an integer
86. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & |x| \geq 1 \\ \frac{1}{n^2}, \frac{1}{n} < |x| < \frac{1}{n-1}, & n = 2, 3, \dots \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$   
 a) Is discontinuous at finitely many points  
 b) Is continuous everywhere  
 c) Is discontinuous only at  $x = \pm \frac{1}{n}, n \in Z - \{0\}$  and  $x = 0$   
 d) None of these
87. Let  $f$  is a real-valued differentiable function satisfying  $|f(x) - f(y)| \leq (x - y)^2, x, y \in R$  and  $f(0) = 0$ , then  $f(1)$  equals  
 a) 1                              b) 2                              c) 0                              d) -1
88. Let  $f(x) = [2x^3 - 5], [.]$  denotes the greatest integer function. Then number of points  $(1, 2)$  where the

function is discontinuous, is

- a) 0                                      b) 13                                      c) 10                                      d) 3

89. In  $[1, 3]$  the function  $[x^2 + 1]$ ,  $[x]$  denoting the greatest integer function, is continuous

- a) For all  $x$   
 b) For all  $x$  except at four points  
 c) For all except at seven points  
 d) For all except at eight-points

90. If  $f(x) = |\log_{10} x|$ , then at  $x = 1$

- a)  $f(x)$  is continuous and  $f'(1^+) = \log_{10} e, f'(1^-) = -\log_{10} e$   
 b)  $f(x)$  is continuous and  $f'(1^+) = \log_{10} e, f'(1^-) = \log_{10} e$   
 c)  $f(x)$  is continuous and  $f'(1^-) = \log_{10} e, f'(1^+) = -\log_{10} e$   
 d) None of these

91. The function  $f(x) = |\cos x|$  is

- a) Everywhere continuous and differentiable  
 b) Everywhere continuous and but not differentiable at  $(2n + 1)\pi/2, n \in Z$   
 c) Neither continuous nor differentiable at  $(2n + 1)\pi/2, n \in Z$   
 d) None of these

92. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-4}{|x-4|} + a, & x < 4 \\ a + b, & x = 4 \\ \frac{x-4}{|x-4|} + b, & x > 4 \end{cases}$

Then,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 4$  when

- a)  $a = 0, b = 0$                       b)  $a = 1, b = 1$                       c)  $a = -1, b = 1$                       d)  $a = 1, b = -1$

93. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2^x-1}{\sqrt{1+x}-1}, & -1 \leq x < \infty, x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous everywhere, then  $k$  is equal to

- a)  $\frac{1}{2} \log_e 2$                       b)  $\log_e 4$                       c)  $\log_e 8$                       d)  $\log_e 2$

94. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^n \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous and differentiable at  $x = 0$ , if

- a)  $n \in (0, 1]$                       b)  $n \in [1, \infty)$                       c)  $n \in (1, \infty)$                       d)  $n \in (-\infty, 0)$

95. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{e^{1/x}-1}{e^{1/x}+1}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$

- a) Is continuous at  $x = 0$   
 b) Is not continuous at  $x = 0$   
 c) Is not continuous at  $x = 0$ , but can be made continuous  $x = 0$   
 d) None of these

96. A function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + x, & x \leq 2 \\ 5 - x, & x > 2 \end{cases}$  is

- a) Not continuous at  $x = 2$                       b) Differentiable at  $x = 2$   
 c) Continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 2$                       d) None of the above

97. Let  $f(x + y) = f(x)f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ . If  $f'(1) = 2$  and  $f(4) = 4$ , then  $f'(4)$  equal to

- a) 4                                      b) 1                                      c) 1/2                                      d) 8

98. Let  $f(x) = [x]$  and  $g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \in Z \\ x^2, & x \in R - Z \end{cases}$  Then, which one of the following is incorrect?

- a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} g(x)$  exists, but  $g(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$   
 b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$  does not exist and  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$   
 c)  $g \circ f$  is continuous for all  $x$   
 d)  $f \circ g$  is continuous for all  $x$

99. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & \text{for } 0 < x < 1 \\ 2 - x, & \text{for } 1 \leq x < 2. \\ x - (1/2)x^2, & \text{for } x = 2 \end{cases}$  Then,  $f'(1)$  is equal to



- a) -1                                      b) 1                                      c) 0                                      d) None of these
100. The function  $f(x) = |x| + \frac{|x|}{x}$  is
- a) Discontinuous at origin because  $|x|$  is discontinuous there  
b) Continuous at origin  
c) Discontinuous at origin because both  $|x|$  and  $\frac{|x|}{x}$  are discontinuous there  
d) Discontinuous at the origin because  $\frac{|x|}{x}$  is discontinuous there
101.  $f(x) = |x - 3|$  is ... at  $x = 3$
- a) Continuous and not differentiable                                      b) Continuous and differentiable  
c) Discontinuous and not differentiable                                      d) Discontinuous and differentiable
102. At  $x = \frac{3}{2}$  the function  $f(x) = \frac{|2x-3|}{2x-3}$  is
- a) Continuous                                      b) Discontinuous                                      c) Differentiable                                      d) Non-zero
103. The following functions are differentiable on  $(-1, 2)$
- a)  $\int_x^{2x} (\log t)^2 dt$                                       b)  $\int_x^{2x} \frac{\sin t}{t} dt$                                       c)  $\int_x^{2x} \frac{1-t+t^2}{1+t+t^2} dt$                                       d) None of these
104. Let  $f(x) = \frac{1-\tan x}{4x-\pi}$ ,  $x \neq \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $x \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$ . If  $f(x)$  is continuous in  $[0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$ , then  $f(\frac{\pi}{4})$  is
- a) 1                                      b) 1/2                                      c) -1/2                                      d) -1
105. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1-\cos x}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then the value of  $k$  is
- a) 0                                      b)  $\frac{1}{2}$                                       c)  $\frac{1}{4}$                                       d)  $-\frac{1}{2}$
106. Let  $f(x) = |x| + |x - 1|$ , then
- a)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , as well as at  $x = 1$   
b)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , but not at  $x = 1$   
c)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$ , but not at  $x = 0$   
d) None of these
107. The function  $f(x)$  is defined as  $f(x) = \frac{2x-\sin^{-1}x}{2x+\tan^{-1}x}$ , if  $x \neq 0$ . The value of  $f$  to be assigned at  $x = 0$  so that the function is continuous there, is
- a)  $-\frac{1}{3}$                                       b) 1                                      c)  $\frac{2}{3}$                                       d)  $\frac{1}{3}$
108. Let  $f(x)$  be an odd function. Then  $f'(x)$
- a) Is an even function                                      b) Is an odd function                                      c) May be even or odd                                      d) None of these
109. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-1}{2x^2-7x+5}, & \text{for } x \neq 1 \\ -\frac{1}{3}, & \text{for } x = 1 \end{cases}$ , then  $f'(1)$  is equal to
- a)  $-\frac{1}{9}$                                       b)  $-\frac{2}{9}$                                       c) -13                                      d) 1/3
110. If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  given by
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2 \cos x, & \text{if } x \leq -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ a + \sin x + b, & \text{if } -\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ is a continuous} \\ 1 + \cos^2 x, & \text{if } x \geq \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$$
- Function on  $R$ , then  $(a, b)$  is equal to
- a)  $(1/2, 1/2)$                                       b)  $(0, -1)$                                       c)  $(0, 2)$                                       d)  $(1, 0)$
111. If  $f(x+y) = f(x)f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ ,  $f(5) = 2$ ,  $f'(0) = 3$ . Then  $f'(5)$  equals
- a) 6                                      b) 3                                      c) 5                                      d) None of these
112. Let  $f(x)$  be a function satisfying  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$  and  $f(x) = x g(x)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ , where  $g(x)$  is continuous. Then,

- a)  $f'(x) = g'(x)$       b)  $f'(x) = g(x)$       c)  $f'(x) = g(0)$       d) None of these
113. If  $f(x) = \sqrt{x + 2\sqrt{2x - 4}} + \sqrt{x - 2\sqrt{2x - 4}}$ , then  $f(x)$  is differentiable on
- a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$       b)  $[2, \infty) - \{4\}$       c)  $[2, \infty)$       d) None of these
114. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ , then
- a)  $f$  and  $f'$  are continuous at  $x = 0$   
 b)  $f$  is derivable at  $x = 0$  and  $f'$  is continuous at  $x = 0$   
 c)  $f$  is derivable at  $x = 0$  and  $f'$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$   
 d)  $f'$  is derivable at  $x = 0$
115. If a function  $f(x)$  is defined as  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2}}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  then
- a)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  but not differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 b)  $f(x)$  is continuous as well as differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 c)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$   
 d) None of these
116. If  $f(x) = [\sqrt{2} \sin x]$ , where  $[x]$  represents the greatest integer function, then
- a)  $f(x)$  is periodic  
 b) Maximum value of  $f(x)$  is 1 in the interval  $[-2\pi, 2\pi]$   
 c)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in Z$   
 d)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = n\pi, n \in Z$
117.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [(1 + 3x)^{1/x}] = k$ , then for continuity at  $x = 0, k$  is
- a) 3      b) -3      c)  $e^3$       d)  $e^{-3}$
118. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \int_0^x \{5 + |1 - t|\} dt, & \text{if } x > 2 \\ 5x + 1, & \text{if } x \leq 2 \end{cases}$
- a)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 2$   
 b)  $f(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 2$   
 c)  $f(x)$  is everywhere differentiable  
 d) The right derivative of  $f(x)$  at  $x = 2$  does not exist
119. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{|x|} & \text{for } |x| \geq 1 \\ ax^2 + b & \text{for } |x| < 1 \end{cases}$
- If  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable at any point, then
- a)  $a = \frac{1}{2}, b = -\frac{3}{2}$       b)  $a = -\frac{1}{2}, b = \frac{3}{2}$       c)  $a = 1, b = -1$       d) None of these
120. If function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 1 - x, & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$  then the number of points at which  $f(x)$  is continuous, is
- a)  $\infty$       b) 1      c) 0      d) None of these
121. The function  $f(x) = e^{-|x|}$  is
- a) Continuous everywhere but not differentiable at  $x = 0$       b) Continuous and differentiable everywhere  
 c) Not continuous at  $x = 0$       d) None of the above
122. The value of  $f(0)$ , so that the function
- $$f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{a^2 - ax + x^2} - \sqrt{a^2 + ax + x^2}}{\sqrt{a + x} - \sqrt{a - x}}$$
- Becomes continuous for all  $x$ , is given by
- a)  $a^{3/2}$       b)  $a^{1/2}$       c)  $-a^{1/2}$       d)  $-a^{3/2}$
123. The value of  $k$  for which the function
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \cos 4x}{8x^2}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$
- is continuous at  $a = 0$ , is
- a)  $k = 0$       b)  $k = 1$       c)  $k = -1$       d) None of these

124. The number of points at which the function  $f(x) = (|x - 1| + |x - 2| + \cos x)$  where  $x \in [0, 4]$  is not continuous, is  
 a) 1                                      b) 2                                      c) 3                                      d) 0
125. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then the value of  $k$  is  
 a) 1                                      b) -1                                      c) 0                                      d) 2
126. Let  $f(x)$  be twice differentiable function such that  $f''(x) = -f(x)$  and  $f'(x) = g(x)$ ,  $h(x) = \{f(x)\}^2 + \{g(x)\}^2$ . If  $h(5) = 11$ , then  $h(10)$  is equal to  
 a) 22                                      b) 11                                      c) 0                                      d) None of these
127. if  $f(x) = |x|^3$ , then  $f'(0)$  equals  
 a) 0                                      b)  $1/2$                                       c) -1                                      d)  $-1/2$
128. Let function  $f(x) = \sin^{-1}(\cos x)$ , is  
 a) Discontinuous at  $x = 0$   
 b) Continuous at  $x = 0$   
 c) Differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 d) None of these
129. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^4 - 5x^2 + 4}{|(x-1)(x-2)|}, & x \neq 1, 2 \\ 6, & x = 10 \\ 12, & x = 2 \end{cases}$  Then,  $f(x)$  is continuous on the set  
 a)  $R$                                       b)  $R - \{1\}$                                       c)  $R - \{2\}$                                       d)  $R - \{1, 2\}$
130. The set of points, where  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+|x|}$  is differentiable, is  
 a)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, \infty)$       b)  $(-\infty, \infty)$                                       c)  $(0, \infty)$                                       d)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$
131. Given  $f(0) = 0$  and  $f(x) = \frac{1}{(1-e^{-1/x})}$  for  $x \neq 0$ . Then only one of the following statements on  $f(x)$  is true.  
 That is  $f(x)$ , is  
 a) Continuous at  $x = 0$   
 b) Not continuous at  $x = 0$   
 c) Both continuous and differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 d) Not defined at  $x = 0$
132. Let  $f$  and  $g$  be differentiable functions satisfying  $g'(a) = 2$ ,  $g(a) = b$  and  $f \circ g = I$  (identity function). Then,  $f'(b)$  is equal to  
 a)  $1/2$                                       b) 2                                      c)  $2/3$                                       d) None of these
133. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin \pi x}{5x}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ , if  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then  $k$  is equal to  
 a)  $\frac{\pi}{5}$                                       b)  $\frac{5}{\pi}$                                       c) 1                                      d) 0
134. The number of discontinuities of the greatest integer function  $f(x) = [x]$ ,  $x \in \left(-\frac{7}{2}, 100\right)$  is equal to  
 a) 104                                      b) 100                                      c) 102                                      d) 103
135. For the function  $f(x) = \frac{e^{1/x} - 1}{e^{1/x} + 1}$ ,  $x = 0$ , which of the following is correct?  
 a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$  does not exist  
 b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = 1$   
 c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$  exists but  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$   
 d)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$
136. If  $f(x) = x^4 + \frac{x^4}{1+x^4} + \frac{x^4}{(1+x^4)^2} + \dots$  to  $\infty$  then at  $x = 0$ ,  $f(x)$  is  
 a) Continuous but not differentiable  
 b) Differentiable  
 c) Continuous  
 d) None of these

137. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1+x, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 3-x, & 2 < x \leq 3 \end{cases}$  then the set of points of discontinuity of  $g(x) = f \circ f(x)$ , is  
a)  $\{1, 2\}$                               b)  $\{0, 1, 2\}$                               c)  $\{0, 1\}$                               d) None of these
138. Let  $g(x)$  be the inverse of an invertible function  $f(x)$  which is differentiable at  $x = c$ , then  $g'(f(c))$  equals  
a)  $f'(c)$                               b)  $\frac{1}{f'(c)}$                               c)  $f(c)$                               d) None of these
139. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^p \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ , then  
a)  $p < 0$                               b)  $0 < p < 1$                               c)  $p = 1$                               d)  $p > 1$
140. At  $x = 0$ , the function  $f(x) = |x|$  is  
a) Continuous but not differentiable                              b) Discontinuous and differentiable  
c) Discontinuous and not differentiable                              d) Continuous and differentiable
141. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (x-2)^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x-2}\right) - |x-1|, & x \neq 2 \\ -1, & x = 2 \end{cases}$  then the set of points where  $f(x)$  is differentiable, is  
a)  $R$                               b)  $R - \{1, 2\}$                               c)  $R - \{1\}$                               d)  $R - \{2\}$
142. The value of  $f$  at  $x = 0$  so that function  $f(x) = \frac{2^x - 2^{-x}}{x}, x \neq 0$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , is  
a) 0                              b)  $\log 2$                               c) 4                              d)  $\log 4$
143. If  $f(x) = |\log_e x|$ , then  
a)  $f'(1^+) = 1, f'(1^-) = -1$   
b)  $f'(1^-) = -1, f'(1^+) = 0$   
c)  $f'(1) = 1, f'(1^-) = 0$   
d)  $f'(1) = -1, f'(1^+) = -1$
144. Let  $f(x)$  be a function such that  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$  and  $f(x) = \sin x g(x)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ . If  $g(x)$  is a continuous function such that  $g(0) = k$ , then  $f'(x)$  is equal to  
a)  $k$                               b)  $kx$                               c)  $kg(x)$                               d) None of these
145. The function  $f(x) = |x| + |x-1|$ , is  
a) Continuous at  $x = 1$ , but not differentiable  
b) Both continuous and differentiable at  $x = 1$   
c) Not continuous at  $x = 1$   
d) None of these
146. The set of points of differentiability of the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sqrt{x+1}-1}{x}, & \text{for } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{for } x = 0 \end{cases}$  is  
a)  $R$                               b)  $[0, \infty]$                               c)  $(-\infty, 0)$                               d)  $R - \{0\}$
147. Given that  $f(x)$  is a differentiable function of  $x$  and that  $f(x) \cdot f(y) = f(x) + f(y) + f(xy) - 2$  and that  $f(2) = 5$ . Then,  $f(3)$  is equal to  
a) 10                              b) 24                              c) 15                              d) None of these
148. If  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 1$ , then on the interval  $[0, \pi]$ ,  
a)  $\tan[f(x)]$  and  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  are both continuous  
b)  $\tan[f(x)]$  and  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  are both discontinuous  
c)  $\tan[f(x)]$  and  $f^{-1}(x)$  are both continuous  
d)  $\tan[f(x)]$  is continuous but  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  is not
149. If  $f(x) = (x+1)^{\cot x}$  be continuous at  $x = 0$ , then  $f(0)$  is equal to  
a) 0                              b)  $-e$                               c)  $e$                               d) None of these
150. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\tan x - \cot x}{x - \frac{\pi}{4}}, & x \neq \frac{\pi}{4} \\ a, & x = \frac{\pi}{4} \end{cases}$  the value of  $a$  so that  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$  is  
a) 2                              b) 4                              c) 3                              d) 1

151. If  $f(x) = \int_{-1}^x |t| dt, x \geq -1$ , then
- $f$  and  $f'$  are continuous for  $x + 1 > 0$
  - $f$  is continuous but  $f'$  is not so for  $x + 1 > 0$
  - $f$  and  $f'$  are continuous at  $x = 0$
  - $f$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  but  $f'$  is not so
152. The set of points of discontinuity of the function  $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{-n} - x^n}{x^{-n} + x^n}, n \in Z$  is
- {1}
  - {-1}
  - {-1, 1}
  - None of these
153. The number of points of discontinuity of the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\log|x|}$ , is
- 4
  - 3
  - 2
  - 1
154.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin 3x}{\sin x}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous, if  $k$  is
- 3
  - 0
  - 3
  - 1
155. For the function  $f(x) = \frac{\log_e(1+x) + \log_e(1-x)}{x}$  to be continuous at  $x = 0$ , the value of  $f(0)$  is
- 1
  - 0
  - 2
  - 2
156. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-4}{|x-4|} + a, & x < 4 \\ a + b, & x = 4 \\ \frac{x-4}{|x-4|} + b, & x > 4 \end{cases}$
- Then,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 4$ , when
- $a = 0, b = 0$
  - $a = 1, b = 1$
  - $a = -1, b = 1$
  - $a = 1, b = -1$
157. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x|-1}{x-1}, & x \neq 1 \\ 0, & x = 1 \end{cases}$  then at  $x = 1, f(x)$  is
- Continuous and differentiable
  - Differentiable but not continuous
  - Continuous but not differentiable
  - Neither continuous nor differentiable
158. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1-\sqrt{2}\sin x}{\pi-4x}, & \text{if } x \neq \frac{\pi}{4} \\ a, & \text{if } x = \frac{\pi}{4} \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ , then  $a$  is equal to
- 4
  - 2
  - 1
  - 1/4
159. If the function  $f: R \rightarrow R$  given by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x + a, & \text{if } x \leq 1 \\ 3 - x^2, & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 1$ , then  $a$  is equal to
- 4
  - 3
  - 2
  - 1
160. If  $f: R \rightarrow R$  is defined by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\cos 3x - \cos x}{x^2}, & \text{for } x \neq 0 \\ \lambda, & \text{for } x = 0 \end{cases}$  and if  $f$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then  $\lambda$  is equal to
- 2
  - 4
  - 6
  - 8
161. For the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 - a^3}{x - a}, & x \neq a \\ b, & x = a \end{cases}$ , if  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = a$ , then  $b$  is equal to
- $a^2$
  - $2a^2$
  - $3a^2$
  - $4a^2$
162. If  $y = f(x) = \frac{1}{u^2 + u - 1}$  where  $u = \frac{1}{x-1}$ , then the function is discontinuous at  $x =$
- 1
  - 1/2
  - 2
  - 2
163. If  $f(x) = \text{Min}\{\tan x, \cot x\}$ , then
- $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0, \pi/4, 5\pi/4$
  - $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0, \pi/2, 3\pi/2$

c)  $\int_0^{\pi/2} f(x)dx = \ln \sqrt{2}$

d)  $f(x)$  is periodic with period  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

164. If  $f(x) = \{|x| - |x - 1|\}^2$ , then  $f'(x)$  equals

a) 0 for all  $x$

b)  $2\{|x| - |x - 1|\}$

c)  $\begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } x < 0 \text{ and for } x > 1 \\ 4(2x - 1) & \text{for } 0 < x < 1 \end{cases}$

d)  $\begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } x < 0 \\ 4(2x - 1) & \text{for } x > 0 \end{cases}$

165. If  $f(x) = (x - x_0)\phi(x)$  and  $\phi(x)$  is continuous at  $x = x_0$ , then  $f'(x_0)$  is equal to

a)  $\phi'(x_0)$

b)  $\phi(x_0)$

c)  $x_0\phi(x_0)$

d) None of these

166. The function defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \left(x^2 + e^{\frac{1}{2-x}}\right)^{-1} & x \neq 2 \\ k, & x = 2 \end{cases}$$

is continuous from right at the point  $x = 2$ , then  $k$  is equal to

a) 0

b)  $\frac{1}{4}$

c)  $-\frac{1}{2}$

d) None of these

167. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1-\sin x}{(\pi-2x)^2} \cdot \frac{\log \sin x}{(\log 1+\pi^2-4\pi x+x^2)}, & x \neq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ k, & x = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = \pi/2$ , then  $k =$

a)  $-\frac{1}{16}$

b)  $-\frac{1}{32}$

c)  $-\frac{1}{64}$

d)  $-\frac{1}{28}$

168. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin 5x}{x^2+2x}, & x \neq 0 \\ k + \frac{1}{2}, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then the value of  $k$  is

a) 1

b) -2

c) 2

d)  $\frac{1}{2}$

169. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^n \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ . Then,  $f(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$ , if

a)  $n \in (0, 1]$

b)  $n \in [1, \infty)$

c)  $n \in (-\infty, 0)$

d)  $n = 0$

170. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x - 3|, & \text{if } x \geq 1 \\ x^2 - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4}, & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases}$  is

a) Continuous and differentiable at  $x = 3$

b) Continuous at  $x = 3$ , but not differentiable at  $x = 3$

c) continuous and differentiable everywhere

d) continuous at  $x = 1$ , but not differentiable at  $x = 1$

171. Let  $f(x) = |x|$  and  $g(x) = |x^3|$ , then

a)  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  Both are continuous at  $x = 0$

b)  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  Both are differentiable at  $x = 0$

c)  $f(x)$  is differentiable but  $g(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

d)  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  Both are not differentiable at  $x = 0$

172. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(a+1)x + \sin x}{x}, & x < 0 \\ c, & x = 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{x+bx^2} - \sqrt{x}}{bx\sqrt{x}}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then

a)  $a = -\frac{3}{2}, b = 0, c = \frac{1}{2}$

b)  $a = -\frac{3}{2}, b = 1, c = -\frac{1}{2}$

- c)  $a = -\frac{3}{2}, b \in R - \{0\}, c = \frac{1}{2}$   
d) None of these
173. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{36^x - 9^x - 4^x + 1}{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{1 + \cos x}}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then  $k$  equals  
a)  $16\sqrt{2} \log 2 \log 3$       b)  $16\sqrt{2} \ln 6$       c)  $16\sqrt{2} \ln 2 \ln 3$       d) None of these
174. Let  $[ ]$  denotes the greatest integer function and  $f(x) = [\tan^2 x]$ . Then,  
a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$  does not exist      b)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$   
c)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$       d)  $f(x) = 1$
175. Let a function  $f: R \rightarrow R$ , where  $R$  is the set of real numbers satisfying the equation  $f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y), \forall x, y$  if  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then  
a)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous,  $\forall x \in R$       b)  $f(x)$  is continuous,  $\forall x \in R$   
c)  $f(x)$  is continuous for  $x \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$       d) None of the above
176. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x, & \text{for } x \geq 0 \\ 1 - \cos x, & \text{for } x \leq 0 \end{cases}$  and  $g(x) = e^x$ . Then,  $(g \circ f)'(0)$  is  
a) 1      b) -1      c) 0      d) None of these
177. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (x + 1)^{2 - (\frac{1}{|x|} + \frac{1}{x})}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is  
a) Continuous everywhere  
b) Discontinuous at only one point  
c) Discontinuous at exactly two points  
d) None of these
178. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\log(1+ax) - \log(1-bx)}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  and  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then the value of  $k$  is  
a)  $a - b$       b)  $a + b$       c)  $\log a + \log b$       d) None of these
179. The value of  $f(0)$ , so that the function  $f(x) = \frac{(27-2x)^{1/3} - 3}{9-3(243+5x)^{1/5}}$  ( $x \neq 0$ ) is continuous is given by  
a)  $\frac{2}{3}$       b) 6      c) 2      d) 4
180. The function  $f: R/\{0\} \rightarrow R$  given by  

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{2}{e^{2x} - 1}$$
Can be made continuous at  $x = 0$  by defining  $f(0)$  as function  
a) 2      b) -1      c) 0      d) 1
181. Which one of the following is not true always?  
a) If  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = a$ , then it is not differentiable at  $x = a$   
b) If  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = a$ , then it is differentiable at  $x = a$   
c) If  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are differentiable at  $x = a$ , then  $f(x) + g(x)$  is also differentiable at  $x = a$   
d) If a function  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = a$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$  exists
182. The value of the derivative of  $|x - 1| + |x - 3|$  at  $x = 2$  is  
a) 2      b) 1      c) 0      d) -2
183. On the interval  $I = [-2, 2]$ , the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (x + 1) e^{-(\frac{1}{|x|} + \frac{1}{x})}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$   
a) Is continuous for all  $x \in I - \{0\}$   
b) Assumes all intermediate values from  $f(-2)$  to  $f(2)$   
c) Has a maximum value equal to  $3/e$   
d) All the above
184. Function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x - 1, & x < 2 \\ 2x - 3, & x \geq 2 \end{cases}$  is a continuous function  
a) For  $x = 2$  only      b) For all real values of  $x$  such that  $x \neq 2$   
c) For all real values of  $x$       d) For all integer values of  $x$  only

185. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\tan x}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 1, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ , is
- a) Continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$                       b) Discontinuous at  $x = 0$   
c) Continuous and differentiable at  $x = 0$                       d) Not defined at  $x = 0$
186. At the point  $x = 1$ , the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^3 - 1, & 1 < x < \infty \\ x - 1, & -\infty < x \leq 1 \end{cases}$
- a) Continuous and differentiable  
b) Continuous and not differentiable  
c) Discontinuous and differentiable  
d) Discontinuous and not differentiable
187. If  $f(x)$  defined by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x^2-x|}{x^2-x}, & x \neq 0, 1 \\ 1, & x = 0 \\ -1, & x = 1 \end{cases}$  then  $f(x)$  is continuous for all
- a)  $x$   
b)  $x$  except at  $x = 0$   
c)  $x$  except at  $x = 1$   
d)  $x$  except at  $x = 0$  and  $x = 1$
188. The value of derivative of  $|x - 1| + |x - 3|$  at  $x = 2$ , is
- a)  $-2$                       b)  $0$                       c)  $2$                       d) Not defined
189. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } x < 0 \\ 1 + \sin x & \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq \pi/2 \end{cases}$ , then at  $x = 0$ , the derivative  $f'(x)$  is
- a)  $1$                       b)  $0$                       c) Infinite                      d) Does not exist
190. Let  $g(x) = \frac{(x-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(x-1)}$ ;  $0 < x < 2$ ,  $m$  and  $n$  are integers,  $m \neq 0, n > 0$ , and let  $p$  be the left hand derivative of  $|x - 1|$  at  $x = 1$ . If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = p$ , then
- a)  $n = 1, m = 1$                       b)  $n = 1, m = -1$                       c)  $n = 2, m = 2$                       d)  $n > 2, m = n$
191. The function  $f(x) = \frac{2x^2+7}{x^3+3x^2-x-3}$  is discontinuous for
- a)  $x = 1$  only                      b)  $x = 1$  and  $x = -1$  only  
c)  $x = 1, x = -1, x = -3$  only                      d)  $x = 1, x = -1, x = -3$  and other values of  $x$
192. If for a function  $f(x)$ ,  $f(2) = 3, f'(2) = 4$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} [f(x)]$ , where  $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function, is
- a)  $2$                       b)  $3$                       c)  $4$                       d) Non-existent
193. A function  $f(x)$  is defined as follows for real  $x$ ,
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - x^2, & \text{for } x < 1 \\ 0, & \text{for } x = 1 \\ 1 + x^2, & \text{for } x > 1 \end{cases}$$
- Then,
- a)  $f(x)$ , is not continuous at  $x = 1$   
b)  $f(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 1$   
c)  $f(x)$  is both continuous and differentiable at  $x = 1$   
d) None of the above
194. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be a function defined by  $f(x) = \min\{x + 1, |x| + 1\}$ . Then, which of the following is true?
- a)  $f(x) \geq 1$  for all  $x \in R$                       b)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$   
c)  $f(x)$  is differentiable everywhere                      d)  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$
195. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} mx + 1, & x \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \sin x + n, & x > \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , then
- a)  $m = 1, n = 0$                       b)  $m = \frac{n\pi}{2} + 1$                       c)  $n = m \frac{\pi}{2}$                       d)  $m = n = \frac{\pi}{2}$
196. If  $f(x) = \frac{\log_e(1+x^2 \tan x)}{\sin x^3}$ ,  $x \neq 0$ , is to be continuous at  $x = 0$ , then  $f(0)$  must be defined as
- a)  $1$                       b)  $0$                       c)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       d)  $-1$



197. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^p \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  then  $f(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$ , if
- a)  $0 < p \leq 1$                       b)  $1 \leq p < \infty$                       c)  $-\infty < p < 0$                       d)  $p = 0$
198. The function  $f$  defined by
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin x^2}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$
- is
- a) Continuous and derivable at  $x = 0$   
b) Neither continuous nor derivable at  $x = 0$   
c) Continuous but not derivable at  $x = 0$   
d) None of these
199. A function  $f$  on  $R$  into itself is continuous at a point  $a$  in  $R$ , iff for each  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists,  $\delta > 0$  such that
- a)  $|f(x) - f(a)| < \epsilon \Rightarrow |x - a| < \delta$                       b)  $|f(x) - f(a)| > \epsilon \Rightarrow |x - a| > \delta$   
c)  $|x - a| > \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - f(a)| > \epsilon$                       d)  $|x - a| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - f(a)| < \epsilon$
200. The function  $f(x) = x - |x - x^2|$ ,  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$  is continuous on the interval
- a)  $[-1, 1]$                       b)  $(-1, 1)$                       c)  $[-1, 0) \cup (0, 1]$                       d)  $(-1, 0) \cup (0, 1)$
201. if  $f(x) = a|\sin x| + b e^{|x|} + c|x|^3$  and if  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ , then
- a)  $a = b = c = 0$                       b)  $a = 0, b = 0; c \in R$                       c)  $b = c = 0, a \in R$                       d)  $c = 0, a = 0, b \in R$
202. Let  $f(x)$  be defined on  $R$  such that  $f(1) = 2, f(2) = 8$  and  $f(u + v) = f(u) + kuv - 2v^2$  for all  $u, v \in R$  ( $k$  is a fixed constant). Then,
- a)  $f'(x) = 8x$                       b)  $f(x) = 8x$                       c)  $f'(x) = x$                       d) None of these
203. If  $f(x) = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right)$ , then  $f(x)$  is differentiable on
- a)  $[-1, 1]$                       b)  $R - \{-1, 1\}$                       c)  $R - (-1, 1)$                       d) None of these
204. Define  $f$  on  $R$  into itself by
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x}, & \text{when } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{when } x = 0 \end{cases}$$
- , then
- a)  $f$  is continuous at 0 but not differentiable at 0                      b)  $f$  is both continuous and differentiable at 0  
c)  $f$  is differentiable but not continuous at 0                      d) None of the above
205. The set of points where the function  $f(x) = |x - 1|e^x$  is differentiable, is
- a)  $R$                       b)  $R - \{1\}$                       c)  $R - \{-1\}$                       d)  $R - \{0\}$
206. Let  $f(x + y) = f(x)f(y)$  and  $f(x) = 1 + xg(x)G(x)$ , where  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) = a$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} G(x) = b$ . Then  $f'(x)$  is equal to
- a)  $1 + ab$                       b)  $ab$                       c)  $a/b$                       d) None of these

**: ANSWER KEY :**

1)	b	2)	d	3)	b	4)	c	189)	d	190)	c	191)	c	192)	c
5)	b	6)	b	7)	b	8)	c	193)	a	194)	c	195)	c	196)	a
9)	a	10)	d	11)	d	12)	a	197)	a	198)	a	199)	a	200)	a
13)	a	14)	b	15)	d	16)	a	201)	b	202)	a	203)	b	204)	a
17)	a	18)	b	19)	c	20)	b	205)	b	206)	d				
21)	b	22)	c	23)	d	24)	b								
25)	a	26)	d	27)	c	28)	b								
29)	d	30)	b	31)	b	32)	b								
33)	b	34)	c	35)	d	36)	c								
37)	b	38)	a	39)	a	40)	a								
41)	c	42)	b	43)	b	44)	c								
45)	d	46)	c	47)	d	48)	b								
49)	c	50)	d	51)	c	52)	a								
53)	c	54)	b	55)	c	56)	d								
57)	c	58)	d	59)	b	60)	c								
61)	a	62)	a	63)	a	64)	b								
65)	d	66)	a	67)	c	68)	d								
69)	d	70)	a	71)	a	72)	b								
73)	b	74)	c	75)	d	76)	b								
77)	b	78)	c	79)	b	80)	b								
81)	d	82)	c	83)	a	84)	b								
85)	c	86)	c	87)	c	88)	b								
89)	c	90)	a	91)	b	92)	d								
93)	b	94)	c	95)	b	96)	c								
97)	d	98)	d	99)	d	100)	d								
101)	a	102)	b	103)	c	104)	c								
105)	a	106)	a	107)	d	108)	a								
109)	b	110)	a	111)	a	112)	c								
113)	b	114)	c	115)	c	116)	c								
117)	c	118)	b	119)	b	120)	c								
121)	a	122)	c	123)	b	124)	d								
125)	c	126)	b	127)	a	128)	b								
129)	d	130)	b	131)	b	132)	a								
133)	a	134)	d	135)	a	136)	d								
137)	a	138)	b	139)	d	140)	a								
141)	c	142)	d	143)	a	144)	a								
145)	a	146)	d	147)	a	148)	b								
149)	c	150)	b	151)	a	152)	c								
153)	b	154)	a	155)	b	156)	d								
157)	d	158)	d	159)	d	160)	b								
161)	c	162)	a	163)	a	164)	c								
165)	b	166)	b	167)	c	168)	c								
169)	a	170)	b	171)	a	172)	c								
173)	c	174)	b	175)	b	176)	c								
177)	b	178)	b	179)	c	180)	d								
181)	b	182)	c	183)	d	184)	c								
185)	c	186)	b	187)	d	188)	b								

**: HINTS AND SOLUTIONS :**1 **(b)**

We have,

$$-\pi/4 < x < \pi/4$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 < \tan x < 1 \Rightarrow 0 \leq \tan^2 x < 1 \Rightarrow [\tan^2 x] = 0$$

$$\therefore f(x) = [\tan^2 x] = 0 \text{ for all } x \in (-\pi/4, \pi/4)$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is a constant function on  $\in (-\pi/4, \pi/4)$

So, it is continuous on  $\in (-\pi/4, \pi/4)$  and

$$f'(x) = 0 \text{ for all } x \in (-\pi/4, \pi/4)$$

2 **(d)**

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-e^x + 2^x}{x} = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-e^x + 2^x \log 2}{1} = f(0) \quad [\text{by L'Hospital's rule}]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = -1 + \log 2$$

3 **(b)**

Since  $f(x)$  is an even function

$$\therefore f(-x) = f(x) \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow -f'(-x) = f'(x) \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(-x) = -f'(x) \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) \text{ is an odd function}$$

4 **(c)**

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} [\cos \pi x], & x < 1 \\ |x - 2|, & 1 \leq x < 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} 2 - x, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ -1, & 1/2 < x < 1 \\ 0, & 0 < x \leq 1/2 \\ 1, & x = 0 \\ 0, & -1/2 \leq x < 0 \\ -1, & -3/2 < x < -1/2 \end{cases}$$

It is evident from the definition that  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1/2$

5 **(b)**

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(2 - h)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|-2 - h + 2|}{\tan^{-1}(-2 - h + 2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{\tan^{-1}(-h)} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{\tan^{-1} h} = -1$$

and,

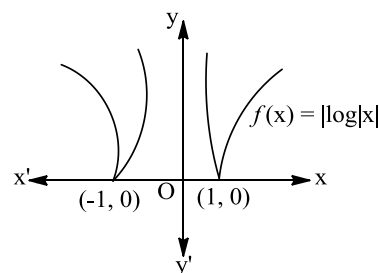
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(-2 + h)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|-2 + h + 2|}{\tan^{-1}(-2 + h + 2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{\tan^{-1} h} = 1$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is neither continuous nor differentiable at  $x = -2$

6 **(b)**

From the graph of  $f(x) = |\log|x||$  it is clear that  $f(x)$  is everywhere continuous but not differentiable at  $x = \pm 1$ , due to sharp edge

7 **(b)**

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{xf(a) - af(x)}{x - a}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{xf(a) - af(a) - a(f(x) - f(a))}{x - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{xf(a) - af(x)}{x - a}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(a)(x - a)}{x - a}$$

$$- a \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{xf(a) - af(x)}{x - a} = f(a) - af'(a) = 4 - 2a$$

8 **(c)**

Given,  $f(x) = x(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+1})$ . At  $x = 0$  LHL of  $\sqrt{x}$  is not defined, therefore it is not continuous at  $x = 0$

Hence, it is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

9 **(a)**

$$\text{Here, } f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2ax, & b \neq 0, x \leq 1 \\ 2bx + a, & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$

$$\therefore \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = b + a + c \Rightarrow c = 0$$

Also,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$

$$\therefore (\text{LHD at } x = 1) = (\text{RHD at } x = 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = 2b(1) + a \Rightarrow a = 2b$$

10 **(d)**

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \left\{ \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{4} + \frac{13}{4} \right\} = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{13}{4} = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} |x - 3| = 2$$

$$\text{and, } f(1) = |1 - 3| = 2$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = f(1) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} |x - 3| = 0, \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} |x - 3| = 0$$

$$\text{and, } f(3) = 0$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f(x) = f(3)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 3$

Now,

(LHD at  $x = 1$ )

$$= \left\{ \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4} \right) \right\}_{x=1} = \left\{ \frac{x}{2} - \frac{3}{2} \right\}_{x=1} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} = -1$$

$$\text{(RHD at } x = 1) = \left\{ \frac{d}{dx} (-(x - 3)) \right\}_{x=1} = -1$$

$$\therefore \text{(LHD at } x = 1) = \text{(RHD at } x = 1)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$

11 (d)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2 \sin x - \sin 2x}{2x \cos x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0, \\ a, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin x - \sin 2x}{2x \cos x} \quad \left( \frac{0}{0} \text{ form} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \cos x - 2 \cos 2x}{2(\cos x - x \sin x)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 - 2}{2(1 - 0)} = 0$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

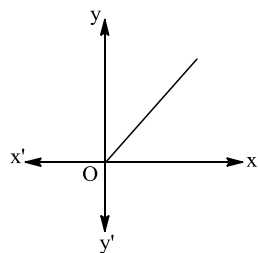
$$\therefore f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 0$$

12 (a)

Given,  $f(x) = x + |x|$

$$\therefore f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$



It is clear from the graph of  $f(x)$  is continuous for every value of  $x$

Alternate

Since,  $x$  and  $|x|$  is continuous for every value of  $x$ ,

so their sum is also continuous for every value of  $x$

13 (a)

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \{1 + |\sin x|\}^{\frac{a}{|\sin x|}} = b = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} e^{\frac{\tan 2x}{\tan 3x}}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^a = b = e^{2/3} \Rightarrow a = \frac{2}{3} \text{ and } a = \log_e b$$

14 (b)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + \frac{(x^2/1 + x^2)}{1 - (1/1 + x^2)} = x^2 + 1, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1 \neq f(0)$

So,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

15 (d)

$$\text{LHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0-h) - f(0)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - 1}{-h} = 0$$

$$\text{RHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + \sin(0+h) - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{LHD} \neq \text{RHD}$$

16 (a)

Given,  $f(x) = x - |x - x^2|$

At  $x = 1$ ,  $f(1) = 1 - |1 - 1| = 1$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [(1-h) - |(1-h) - (1-h)^2|]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [(1-h) - |h - h^2|] = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [(1+h) - |(1+h) - (1+h)^2|]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1+h - |-h^2 - h|] = 1$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = f(1)$$

17 (a)

We have,

$$f(x+y+z) = f(x)f(y)f(z) \text{ for all } x, y, z \dots (i)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = f(0)f(0)f(0) \text{ [Putting } x = y = z = 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0)\{1 - f(0)^2\} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = 1 \text{ [}\because f(0) = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = 0 \text{ for all } x]$$

Putting  $z = 0$  and  $y = 2$  in (i), we get

$$f(x+2) = f(x)f(2)f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x+2) = 4f(x) \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(2) = 4f'(0) \text{ [Putting } x = 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(2) = 4 \times 3 = 12$$

18 (b)

For  $x > 1$ , we have

$$f(x) = |\log|x|| = \log x \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{x}$$

For  $x < -1$ , we have

$$f(x) = |\log|x|| = \log(-x) \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{x}$$

For  $0 < x < 1$ , we have

$$f(x) = |\log|x|| = -\log x \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{-1}{x}$$

For  $-1 < x < 0$ , we have

$$f(x) = -\log(-x) \Rightarrow f'(x) = -\frac{1}{x}$$

$$\text{Hence, } f'(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x}, & |x| > 1 \\ -\frac{1}{x}, & |x| < 1 \end{cases}$$

19 (c)

Since,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0)$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(-\sin x)}{2x} = k \quad [\text{using L'Hospital's rule}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = k \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{2}$$

20 (b)

Given,  $f(x) = |x - 1| + |x - 2|$

$$= \begin{cases} x - 1 + x - 2, & x \geq 2 \\ x - 1 + 2 - x, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 1 - x + 2 - x, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} 2x - 3, & x \geq 2 \\ 1, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 3 - 2x, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2, & x > 2 \\ 0, & 1 < x < 2 \\ -1, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

Hence, except  $x = 1$  and  $x = 2$ ,  $f(x)$  is differentiable everywhere in  $R$

21 (b)

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is differentiable for all non-zero values of  $x$ . For  $x \neq 0$ , we have

$$f'(x) = \frac{x e^{-x^2}}{\sqrt{1 - e^{-x^2}}}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{LHD at } x = 0) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0 - h) - f(0)}{x - 0} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{LHD at } x = 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - e^{-h^2}}}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -\frac{\sqrt{1 - e^{-h^2}}}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{LHD at } x = 0) = -\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{\frac{e^{h^2} - 1}{h^2}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{e^{h^2}}} = -1$$

$$\text{and, (RHD at } x = 0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} =$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - e^{-h^2}} - 0}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{RHD at } x = 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{\frac{e^{h^2} - 1}{h^2}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{e^{h^2}}} = 1$$

So,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

Hence, the set of points of differentiability of  $f(x)$  is  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$

22 (c)

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0$$

23 (d)

For  $f(x)$  to be continuous everywhere, we must have,

$$f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 - (256 - 7x)^{1/8}}{(5x + 32)^{1/5} - 2} \quad \left[ \text{Form } \frac{0}{0} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{7}{8}(256 - 7x)^{-7/8}}{(5x + 32)^{-4/5}} = \frac{7}{8} \times \frac{2^{-7}}{2^{-4}} = \frac{7}{64}$$

24 (b)

We have,

$$f(x) = |x|^3 = \begin{cases} x^3, & x \geq 0 \\ -x^3, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (\text{LHD at } x = 0) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} -\frac{x^3}{x} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

and,

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (\text{RHD at } x = 0) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x^3}{x} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Clearly,  $(\text{LHD at } x = 0) = (\text{RHD at } x = 0)$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and its derivative at  $x = 0$  is 0

25 (a)

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{4^x - 1}{x} \right)^3 \times \frac{\left( \frac{x}{a} \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{x}{a} \right)} \cdot \frac{ax^2}{\log \left( 1 + \frac{1}{3}x^2 \right)} \\ &= (\log 4)^3 \cdot 1 \cdot a \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{x^2}{\frac{1}{3}x^2 - \frac{1}{18}x^4 + \dots} \right) \\ &= 3a (\log 4)^3 \\ \therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) &= f(0) \\ \Rightarrow 3a (\log 4)^3 &= 9(\log 4)^3 \\ \Rightarrow a &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

26 (d)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= |[x]x| \text{ for } -1 < x \leq 2 \\ \Rightarrow f(x) &= \begin{cases} -x, & -1 < x < 0 \\ 0, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 2x, & x = 2 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

It is evident from the graph of this function that it is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$ . Also, it is discontinuous at  $x = 1$  and non-differentiable at  $x = 2$

27 (c)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = [x^3 - 3]$$

Let  $g(x) = x^3 - x$  it is in increasing function

$$\therefore g(1) = 1 - 3 = -2$$

$$\text{and } g(2) = 8 - 3 = 5$$

Here,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at six points

28 (b)

$$\text{Given, } y = \cos^{-1} \cos(x - 1), \quad x > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = x - 1, \quad 0 \leq x - 1 \leq \pi$$

$$\therefore y = x - 1, \quad 1 \leq x \leq \pi + 1$$

$$\text{At } x = \frac{5\pi}{4} \in [1, \pi + 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 \Rightarrow \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{x=\frac{5\pi}{4}} = 1$$

29 (d)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \\ \Rightarrow f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) + f(h) - f(x)}{h} \quad [\because f(x+y)] \\ &= f(x) + f(y) \\ \Rightarrow f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 g(h)}{h} \\ \Rightarrow f'(x) &= 0 \times g(0) = 0 \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} \because g \text{ is continuous} \\ \therefore \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(h) = g(0) \end{array} \right] \end{aligned}$$

30 (b)

Using Heine's definition of continuity, it can be

shown that  $f(x)$  is everywhere discontinuous

31 (b)

For  $x \neq -1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= 1 - 2x + 3x^2 - 4x^3 + \dots \infty \\ \Rightarrow f(x) &= (1+x)^{-2} = \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we have

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{(1+x)^2}, & x \neq -1 \\ 1, & x = -1 \end{cases}$$

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) \rightarrow \infty \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) \rightarrow \infty$$

So,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = -1$

Consequently, it is not differentiable there at

32 (b)

At  $x = a$ ,

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} 2a - x = a$$

$$\text{And RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} 3x - 2a = a$$

$$\text{And } f(a) = 3(a) - 2a = a$$

$$\therefore \text{LHL} = \text{RHL} = f(a)$$

Hence, it is continuous at  $x = a$

Again, at  $x = a$

$$\text{LHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a-h) - f(a)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2a - (a-h) - a}{-h} = -1$$

$$\text{and RHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3(a+h) - 2a - a}{h} = 3$$

$$\therefore \text{LHD} \neq \text{RHD}$$

Hence, it is not differentiable at  $x = a$

33 (b)

We have,

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)f(h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + (\sin 2h)g(h) - 1}{h}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f'(x) &= f(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 2h}{h} \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(h) \\ &= 2f(x)g(0) \end{aligned}$$

34 (c)

If  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ , then  $0 \leq x \sin \pi x \leq 1/2$

$\therefore f(x) = [x \sin \pi x] = 0$ , for  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$

If  $1 < x < 1 + h$ , where  $h$  is a small positive real number, then

$$\pi < \pi x < \pi + \pi h \Rightarrow -1 < \sin \pi x < 0 \Rightarrow -1 < x \sin \pi x < 0$$

$\therefore f(x) = [x \sin \pi x] = -1$  in the right

neighbourhood of  $x = 1$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is constant and equal to zero in  $[-1, 1]$

and so  $f(x)$  is differentiable and hence

continuous on  $(-1, 1)$

At  $x = 1$ ,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous because

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 0 \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = -1$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

35 (d)

We have,

$$\text{(LHD at } x = 0) = \left\{ \frac{d}{dx}(1) \right\}_{x=0} = 0$$

$$\text{(RHD at } x = 0) = \left\{ \frac{d}{dx}(1 + \sin x) \right\}_{x=0} = \cos 0 = 1$$

Hence,  $f'(x)$  at  $x = 0$  does not exist

36 (c)

$$\text{Here, } f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2bx + a, & x \geq -1 \\ 2a, & x < -1 \end{cases}$$

Given,  $f'(x)$  is continuous everywhere

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f'(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f'(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow -2b + a = -2a$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a = 2b$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2, \quad b = 3$$

$$\text{or } a = -2, \quad b = -3$$

37 (b)

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log \cos x}{\log(1 + x^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1 - 1 + \cos x)}{\log(1 + x^2)}$$

$$\cdot \frac{1 - \cos x}{1 - \cos x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log\{1 - (1 - \cos x)\}}{1 - \cos x}$$

$$\cdot \frac{1 - \cos x}{\log(1 + x^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0}$$

$$= - \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \log \frac{[1 - (1 - \cos x)]}{-(1 - \cos x)}$$

$$\times \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{4 \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2} \times \frac{x^2}{\log(1 + x^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable and hence continuous at  $x = 0$

38 (a)

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$ . Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) \Rightarrow A - B = 3 \Rightarrow A = 3 + B \quad \dots(i)$$

If  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 2$ , then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) \Rightarrow 6 = 4B - A$$

...(ii)

Solving (i) and (ii) we get  $B = 3$

As  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 2$ . Therefore,

$$B \neq 3$$

$$\text{Hence, } A = 3 + B \text{ and } B \neq 3$$

39 (a)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x - 4, & x \geq 4 \\ -(x - 4), & 1 \leq x < 4 \\ (x^3/2) - x^2 + 3x + (1/2), & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$  but it is not differentiable at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 4$

40 (a)

It is given that  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = f(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} a[x + 1] + b[x - 1]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} a[x + 1] + b[x - 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b = 2a + 0 \times b$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = 0$$

41 (c)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \lambda[x] = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} 5^{1/x} = 0$$

$$\text{And } f(0) = \lambda[0] = 0$$

$\therefore f$  is continuous only whatever  $\lambda$  may be

42 (b)

We have,

$$y(x) = f(e^x) e^{f(x)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y'(x) = f'(e^x) \cdot e^x \cdot e^{f(x)} + f(e^x) e^{f(x)} f'(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow y'(0) = f'(1)e^{f(0)} + f(1)e^{f(0)}f'(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow y'(0) = 2 \quad [\because f(0) = f(1) = 0, f'(1) = 2]$$

43 (b)

Since  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1 - h) - f(1)}{-h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1 + h) - f(1)}{h} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a(1 - h)^2 - b - 1}{-h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{|1+h|} - 1}{h} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a - b - 1) - 2ah + ah^2}{-h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{h(1 + h)} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(a - b - 1) - 2ah - ah^2}{h} &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow -(a - b - 1) = 0 \text{ and so } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2ah - ah^2}{h} &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow a - b - 1 = 0 \text{ and } 2a = -1 \Rightarrow a = -\frac{1}{2}, b = -\frac{3}{2} \end{aligned}$$

44 (c)

We have,

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin 4\pi[x]}{1+[x]^2} = 0 \text{ for all } x$$

$x$  [ $\because 4\pi[x]$  is a multiple of  $\pi$ ]

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0 \text{ for all } x$$

45 (d)

We have,

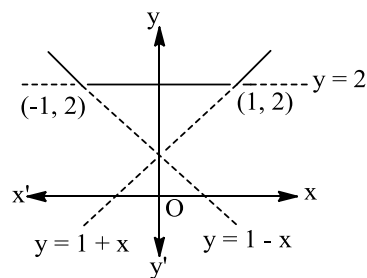
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin \frac{1}{x}$$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) =$  An oscillating number which oscillates between  $-1$  and  $1$

Hence,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$  does not exist

Consequently,  $f(x)$  cannot be continuous at  $x = 0$  for any value of  $k$

46 (c)



It is clear from the graph that  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere and also differentiable everywhere except  $\{-1, 1\}$  due to sharp edge

47 (d)

We have,

$$\log\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log x - \log y \text{ and } \log(e) = 1$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \log x$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is unbounded because  $f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$  as  $x \rightarrow 0$  and  $f(x) \rightarrow +\infty$  as  $x \rightarrow \infty$

We have,

$$f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \log\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = -\log x$$

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow 0, f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \rightarrow \infty$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} xf(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \log x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log x}{1/x} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} xf(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1/x}{-1/x^2} = -\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x = 0 \end{aligned}$$

49 (c)

Since  $g(x)$  is the inverse of  $f(x)$ . Therefore,  $f \circ g(x) = x$ , for all  $x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \{f \circ g(x)\} = 1, \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(g(x)) g'(x) = 1, \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1+\{g(x)\}^3} \times g'(x) = 1 \text{ for all } x \quad \left[ \because f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^3} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(x) = 1 + \{g(x)\}^3, \text{ for all } x$$

50 (d)

We have,

$$f(x) = |x^2 - 4x + 3|$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 4x + 3, & \text{if } x^2 - 4x + 3 \geq 0 \\ -(x^2 - 4x + 3), & \text{if } x^2 - 4x + 3 < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 4x + 3, & \text{if } x \leq 1 \text{ or } x \geq 3 \\ -x^2 + 4x - 3, & \text{if } 1 < x < 3 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is everywhere continuous

Now,

$$(\text{LHD at } x = 1) = \left( \frac{d}{dx} (x^2 - 4x + 3) \right)_{\text{at } x=1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{LHD at } x = 1) = (2x - 4)_{\text{at } x=1} = -2$$

and,

$$(\text{RHD at } x = 1) = \left( \frac{d}{dx} (-x^2 + 4x - 3) \right)_{\text{at } x=1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{RHD at } x = 1) = (-2x + 4)_{\text{at } x=1} = 2$$

Clearly,  $(\text{LHD at } x = 1) \neq (\text{RHD at } x = 1)$

So,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

Similarly, it can be checked that  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 3$  also

ALITER We have,

$$f(x) = |x^2 - 4x + 3| = |x - 1| |x - 3|$$

Since,  $|x - 1|$  and  $|x - 3|$  are not differentiable at  $1$  and  $3$  respectively

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 3$

51 (c)

The point of discontinuity of  $f(x)$  are those points where  $\tan x$  is infinite.

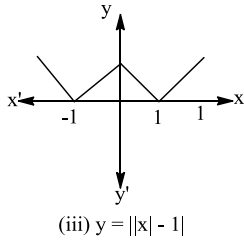
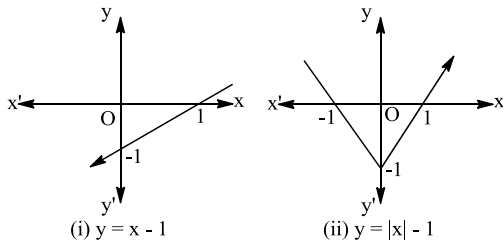
$$\text{ie, } \tan x = \tan \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (2n + 1) \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad n \in I$$

52 (a)

Using graphical transformation





As, we know the function is not differentiable at sharp edges and in figure (iii)  $y = ||x| - 1|$  we have 3 sharp edges at  $x = -1, 0, 1$

$\therefore f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $\{0, \pm 1\}$

53 (c)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2(0 - h) = 0$$

$$\text{And } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2(0 + h) + 1 = 1$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

54 (b)

Draw a rough sketch of  $y = f(x)$  and observe its properties

55 (c)

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} \frac{(1 + \cos x) - \sin x}{(1 + \cos x) + \sin x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} \frac{2 \cos^2 x/2 - 2(\sin x/2) \cos x/2}{2 \cos^2 x/2 + 2(\sin x/2) \cos x/2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -1 \end{aligned}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \pi$

$$\therefore f(\pi) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} f(x) = -1$$

56 (d)

$$\begin{aligned} f'(1^-) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{-h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1-h-1) \cdot \sin\left(\frac{1}{1-h-1}\right) - 0}{-h} \\ &= -\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sin \frac{1}{h} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{And } f'(1^+) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+h-1) \sin\left(\frac{1}{1+h-1}\right) - 0}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sin \frac{1}{h} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore f'(1^-) \neq f'(1^+)$$

$f$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

Again, now

$$\begin{aligned} f'(0^+) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(0+h-1) \sin\left(\frac{1}{0+h-1}\right) - \sin 1}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[-\{(h-1) \cos\left(\frac{1}{h-1}\right) \times \left(\frac{1}{(h-1)^2}\right)\} + \sin\left(\frac{1}{h-1}\right)]}{1} \end{aligned}$$

[using L'Hospital's rule]

$$= \cos 1 - \sin 1$$

$$\text{And } f'(0^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(0-h-1) \sin\left(\frac{1}{0-h-1}\right) - \sin 1}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-h-1) \cos\left(\frac{1}{-h-1}\right) \left(\frac{1}{(-h-1)^2}\right) - \sin\left(\frac{1}{-h-1}\right)}{-1}$$

[using L'Hospital's rule]

$$= \cos 1 - \sin 1$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(0^-) = f'(0^+)$$

$\therefore f$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

57 (c)

As  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^+} f(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow m \frac{\pi}{2} + 1 &= \sin \frac{\pi}{2} + n \Rightarrow m \frac{\pi}{2} + 1 = 1 + n \Rightarrow n \\ &= \frac{m \pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

58 (d)

$$\text{Since, } \frac{f(6) - f(1)}{6-1} \geq 2 \quad \left[ \because f'(x) = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(6) - f(1) \geq 10$$

$$\Rightarrow f(6) + 2 \geq 10$$

$$\Rightarrow f(6) \geq 8$$

59 (b)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) g(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) \cdot \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} g(x) = m \times l \\ &= ml \end{aligned}$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} g(x) = lm$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) g(x) = lm$$

Hence,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) g(x)$  exists and is equal to  $lm$

60 (c)

We have,

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)f(h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f'(x) &= f(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h} \quad [ \because f(x+y) \\ &= f(x)f(y) ] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f'(x) &= f(x) \left\{ \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1+h g(h) - 1}{h} \right\} \quad [ \because f(x) \\ &= 1+x g(x) ] \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(h) = f(x) \cdot 1 = f(x)$$

61 (a)

We have,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2, & x \geq 0 \\ -x^2, & x < 0 \end{cases}$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x > 0$  and for all  $x < 0$ . So, we check the differentiable at  $x = 0$

Now, (RHD at  $x = 0$ )

$$\left(\frac{d}{dx}(x^2)\right)_{x=0} = (2x)_{x=0} = 0$$

And (LHD at  $x = 0$ )

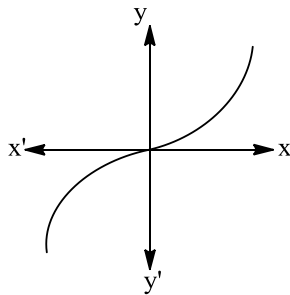
$$\left(\frac{d}{dx}(-x^2)\right)_{x=0} = (-2x)_{x=0} = 0$$

$\therefore$  (LHD at  $x = 0$ ) = (RHD at  $x = 0$ )

So,  $f(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x$  ie, the set of all points where  $f(x)$  is differentiable is  $(-\infty, \infty)$

### Alternate

It is clear from the graph  $f(x)$  is differentiable everywhere.



62 (a)

Since,  $f'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = 10$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) \left( \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)-1}{h} \right) = 10 \dots(i)$$

[ $\because f(0+h) = f(0)f(h)$ , given]

Now,  $f(0) = f(0)f(0)$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = 1$$

$\therefore$  From Eq. (i)

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)-1}{h} = 10 \dots(ii)$$

Now,  $f'(6) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(6+h) - f(6)}{h}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{f(h)-1}{h} \right) f(6) \text{ [from Eq. (ii)]}$$

$$= 10 \times 3 = 30$$

63 (a)

We have,

$$f'(a^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(a^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} \frac{|x - a|\phi(x)}{x - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(a^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(x - a)}{(x - a)} \phi(x) \text{ [}\because x > a \therefore |x - a| = x - a\text{]}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(a^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \phi(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(a^+) = \phi(a) \text{ [}\because \phi(x) \text{ is continuous at } x =$$

a]

and,

$$f'(a^-) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(a^-) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} \frac{|x - a|\phi(x)}{x - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(a^-) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(x - a)\phi(x)}{(x - a)} \text{ [}\because x < a \therefore |x - a| = -(x - a)\text{]}$$

$$= -\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \phi(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(a^-) = -\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \phi(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(a^-) = -\phi(a)$$

[ $\because \phi(x)$  is continuous at  $x = a$ ]

64 (b)

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (0 - h)e^{-\left(\frac{1}{|-h|} + \frac{1}{(-h)}\right)} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (-h) = 0$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (0 + h)e^{-\left(\frac{1}{|h|} + \frac{1}{h}\right)} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{e^{2/h}} = 0$$

$$\text{LHL} = \text{RHL} = f(0)$$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$

Differentiability at  $x = 0$

$$Lf'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-h)e^{-\left(\frac{1}{h} - \frac{1}{h}\right)}}{(-h) - 0} = 1$$

$$Rf'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{he^{-\left(\frac{1}{h} + \frac{1}{h}\right)}}{h - 0}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{e^{2/h}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow Rf'(0) \neq Lf'(0)$$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

65 (d)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 3, & x < 0 \\ 2x + 1, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$

Now,

$$f(|x|) = 2|x| + 1 \text{ for all } x$$

Clearly,  $f(|x|)$  is everywhere continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$

67 (c)

We have,

$$f(x) = |x - 0.5| + |x - 1| + \tan x, 0 < x < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} -2x + 1.5 + \tan x, & 0 < x < 0.5 \\ 0.5 + \tan x, & 0.5 \leq x < 1 \\ 2x - 1.5 + \tan x, & 1 \leq x < 2 \end{cases}$$

It is evident from the above definition that

$$Lf'(0.5) \neq Rf'(0.5) \text{ and } Lf'(1) \neq Rf'(1)$$

Also, the function is not continuous at  $x = \pi/2$ . So, it cannot be differentiable thereat

68 (d)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \log_{(1-3x)}(1 + 3x), & \text{for } x \neq 0 \\ k, & \text{for } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+3x)}{\log(1-3x)} \\ &= -\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+3x)}{3x} \cdot \frac{(-3x)}{\log(1-3x)} \\ &= -1\end{aligned}$$

And  $f(0) = k$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore k = -1$$

69 (d)

Since  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = c$ . Therefore, it is continuous at  $x = c$

Hence,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = f(c)$

70 (a)

Given,  $f(x) = ae^{|x|} + b|x|^2$

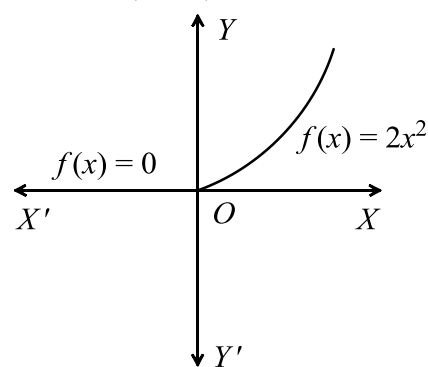
We know  $e^{|x|}$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$  and  $|x|^2$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

$\therefore f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ , if  $a = 0$  and  $b \in R$

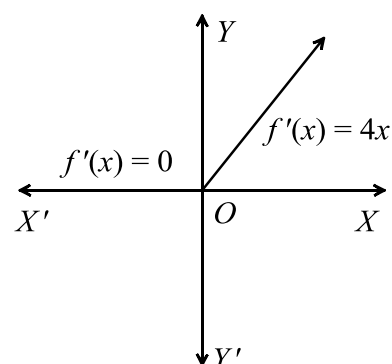
71 (a)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (x-x)(-x) = 0, & x < 0 \\ (x+x)x = 2x^2, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$



(i)



(ii)

As is evident from the graph of  $f(x)$  that it is continuous and differentiable for all  $x$

Also, we have

$$f''(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0 \\ 4x, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f''(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$  but it is not

differentiable at  $x = 0$

72 (b)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-1}{2x^2-7x+5}, & x \neq 1 \\ -\frac{1}{3}, & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2x-5}, & x \neq 1 \\ -\frac{1}{3}, & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$f'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2(1+h)-5} - \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2h-3} + \frac{1}{3}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3+2h-3}{3h(2h-3)} = -\frac{2}{9}$$

$$Lf'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2(1-h)-5} - \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -\frac{2}{3(2h+3)} = -\frac{2}{9}$$

$$\therefore f'(1) = -\frac{2}{9}$$

73 (b)

$$f'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h)}{h} - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1)}{h}$$

$$\text{Given, } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h)}{h} = 5$$

So,  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1)}{h}$  must be finite as  $f'(1)$  exist and

$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1)}{h}$  can be finite only, if  $f(1) = 0$  and

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1)}{h} = 0$$

$$\text{So, } f'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h)}{h} = 5$$

74 (c)

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous for every value of  $R$  except  $\{-1, -2\}$ . Now, we have to check that points

At  $x = -2$

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-2-h)+2}{(-2-h)^2+3(-2-h)+2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{h^2+h} = -1$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-2+h)+2}{(-2+h)^2+3(-2+h)+2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{h^2-h} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{LHL} = \text{RHL} = f(-2)$$

$\therefore$  It is continuous at  $x = -2$

Now, check for  $x = -1$

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-1-h)+2}{(-1-h)^2+3(-1-h)+2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1-h}{h^2-h} = \infty$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-1+h)+2}{(-1+h)^2+3(-1+h)+2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1+h}{h^2+h} = \infty$$

$\Rightarrow \text{LHL} = \text{RHL} \neq f(-1)$

$\therefore$  It is not continuous at  $x = -1$

The required function is continuous in  $R - \{-1\}$

75 (d)

$$f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(e^x - 1)^2}{\sin\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) \log\left(1 + \frac{x}{4}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{e^x - 1}{x}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{x}{a} \cdot a \cdot \frac{\frac{x}{4} \cdot 4}{\log\left(1 + \frac{x}{4}\right)} = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 1^2 \cdot a \cdot 4 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3$$

76 (b)

We have,

$$f(x) = \frac{x}{1+x} + \frac{x}{(x+1)(2x+1)} + \frac{x}{(2x+1)(3x+1)} + \dots \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{x}{((r-1)x+1)(rx+1)}, \text{ for } x \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n \left\{ \frac{1}{(r-1)x+1} - \frac{1}{rx+1} \right\}, \text{ for } x \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ 1 - \frac{2}{nx+1} \right\} = 1, \text{ for } x \neq 0$$

For  $x = 0$ , we have  $f(x) = 0$

$$\text{Thus, we have } f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) \neq f(0)$

So,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$

77 (b)

If possible, let  $f(x) + g(x)$  be continuous. Then,  $\{f(x) + g(x)\} - f(x)$  must be continuous

$\Rightarrow g(x)$  must be continuous

This is a contradiction to the given fact that  $g(x)$  is discontinuous

Hence,  $f(x) + g(x)$  must be discontinuous

78 (c)

We have,

$$f(x+y) = f(x)f(y) \text{ for all } x, y \in R$$

$$\therefore f(0) = f(0)f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0)\{f(0) - 1\} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = 1 \quad [\because f(0) \neq 1]$$

Now,

$$f'(0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)-1}{h} = 2 \quad [\because f(0) = 1] \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)f(h) - f(x)}{h} \quad [\because f(x+y) = f(x)f(y)]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f(x) \left\{ \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)-1}{h} \right\} = 2f(x) \quad [\text{Using (i)}]$$

79 (b)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2}{2} = x, & x > 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ \frac{x^2}{-x} = -x, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} -x = 0, \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x = 0 \text{ and } f(0) = 0$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ . Also,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all other values of  $x$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is everywhere continuous

Clearly,  $Lf'(0) = -1$  and  $Rf'(0) = 1$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

80 (b)

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0) \Rightarrow f(0) = 2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Now, using L' Hospital's rule, we have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\int_0^x f(u) du}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{1} = f(0) \quad [\because f(x) \text{ is continuous at } x = 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\int_0^x f(u) du}{x} = 2 \quad [\text{Using (i)}]$$

82 (c)

$$f'(2^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \left( \frac{f(x) - f(2)}{x - 2} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{3x + 4 - (6 + 4)}{x - 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{3x - 6}{x - 2} = 3$$

83 (a)

$$\text{Here, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x, & x > 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ -\sin x, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{RHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin|0+h| - \sin(0)}{h}$$

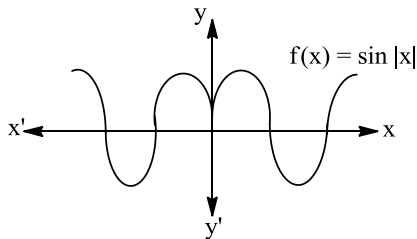
$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHD} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin|(0-h)| - \sin(0)}{-h} \\ &= \frac{-\sin h}{h} = -1 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  LHD  $\neq$  RHD at  $x = 0$

$\therefore f(x)$  is not derivable at  $x = 0$

**Alternate**



It is clear from the graph that  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

84 **(b)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!} (\log_e a)^n \\ \Rightarrow f(x) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x \log_e a)^n}{n!} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\log_e a^x)^n}{n!} \\ \Rightarrow f(x) &= e^{\log_e a^x} = a^x, \text{ which is everywhere} \\ &\text{continuous and differentiable} \end{aligned}$$

85 **(c)**

$$f(x) = [x] \cos \left[ \frac{2x-1}{2} \right] \pi$$

Since,  $[x]$  is always discontinuous at all integer value, hence  $f(x)$  is discontinuous for all integer value

86 **(c)**

The function  $f$  is clearly continuous for  $|x| > 1$   
We observe that

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) &= 1, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = \frac{1}{4} \\ \text{Also, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{n}^+} f(x) &= \frac{1}{n^2} \text{ and, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{n}^-} f(x) = \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $f$  is discontinuous for  $x = \pm \frac{1}{n}, n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

87 **(c)**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Since, } |f(x) - f(y)| &\leq (x-y)^2 \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow y} \frac{|f(x) - f(y)|}{|x-y|} &\leq \lim_{x \rightarrow y} |x-y| \\ \Rightarrow |f'(y)| &\leq 0 \\ \Rightarrow f'(y) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow f(y) &= \text{constant} \\ \Rightarrow f(y) = 0 &\Rightarrow f(1) = 0 \quad [\because f(0) = 0, \text{ given}] \end{aligned}$$

88 **(b)**

Since  $\phi(x) = 2x^3 - 5$  is an increasing function on  $(1, 2)$  such that  $\phi(1) = -3$  and  $\phi(2) = 11$   
Clearly, between  $-3$  and  $11$  there are thirteen points where  $f(x) = [2x^3 - 5]$  is discontinuous

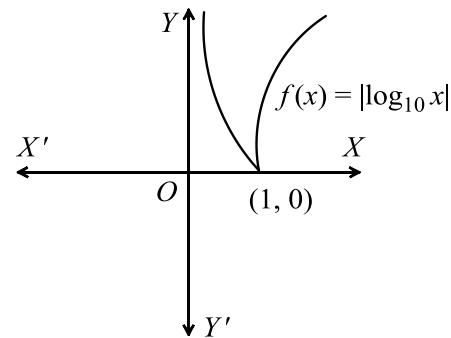
89 **(c)**

Clearly,  $[x^2 + 1]$  is discontinuous at  $x = \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{4}, \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{6}, \sqrt{7}, \sqrt{8}$

Note that it is right continuous at  $x = 1$  but not left continuous at  $x = 3$

90 **(a)**

As is evident from the graph of  $f(x)$  that it is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 1$



Now,

$$\begin{aligned} f''(1^+) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} \\ \Rightarrow f''(1^+) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \\ \Rightarrow f''(1^+) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_{10}(1+h) - 0}{h} \\ \Rightarrow f''(1^+) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+h)}{h \cdot \log_e 10} = \frac{1}{\log_e 10} = \log_{10} e \\ f''(1^-) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} \\ \Rightarrow f''(1^-) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{h} \\ \Rightarrow f''(1^-) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_{10}(1-h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_e(1-h)}{h \log_e 10} \\ &= -\log_{10} e \end{aligned}$$

91 **(b)**

It can be easily seen from the graph of  $f(x) = |\cos x|$  that it is everywhere continuous but not differentiable at odd multiples of  $\pi/2$

92 **(d)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(4-h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4-h-4}{|4-h-4|} + a \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -\frac{h}{h} + a = a - 1 \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(4+h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4+h-4}{|4+h-4|} + b \\ &= b + 1 \end{aligned}$$

and,  $f(4) = a + b$

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 4$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) &= f(4) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x) \\ \Rightarrow a - 1 &= a + b = b + 1 \Rightarrow b = -1 \text{ and } a = 1 \end{aligned}$$

93 **(b)**

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2^x - 1}{\sqrt{1+x} - 1}, & -1 \leq x < \infty, \quad x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = f(0) \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^{(0-h)} - 1}{\sqrt{1+(0-h)} - 1}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^{-h} - 1}{\sqrt{1-h} - 1}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2^{-h} \log_e 2}{\frac{-1}{2\sqrt{1-h}}} \quad [\text{by L' Hospital's rule}]$$

$$= 2 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2^{-h} \log_e 2 \sqrt{1-h}$$

$$= 2 \log_e 2$$

From Eq. (i),

$$f(0) = 2 \log_e 2 = \log_e 4$$

95 **(b)**

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(-h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-1/h} - 1}{e^{-1/h} + 1} = -1$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(h) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{1/h} - 1}{e^{1/h} + 1} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-1/h}}{e^{-1/h} + 1} = 1$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$

96 **(c)**

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 1 + (2 - h) = 3$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 5 - (2 + h) = 3, \quad f(2) = 3$$

Hence,  $f$  is continuous at  $x = 2$

$$\text{Now, } Rf''(2) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2+h) - f(2)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5 - (2 + h) - 3}{h} = -1$$

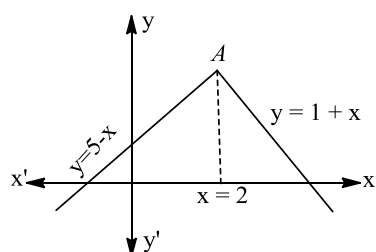
$$Lf''(2) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2-h) - f(2)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + (2 - h) - 3}{-h} = 1$$

$$\therefore Rf''(2) \neq Lf''(2)$$

$\therefore f$  is not differentiable at  $x = 2$

**Alternate**



It is clear from the graph that  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere also it is differentiable everywhere

except at  $x = 2$

97 **(d)**

We have,

$$f(x + y) = f(x)f(y) \text{ for all } x, y \in R$$

Putting  $x = 1, y = 0$ , we get

$$f(0) = f(1)f(0) \Rightarrow f(0)(1 - f(1)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1) = 1 \quad [\because f(0) \neq 0]$$

Now,

$$f'(1) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1)f(h) - f(1)}{h} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h} = 2 \quad [\text{Using } f(1) = 1] \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\therefore f'(4) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(4+h) - f(4)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(4) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(4)f(h) - f(4)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(4) = \left\{ \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h} \right\} f(4)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(4) = 2 f(4) \quad [\text{From (i)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(4) = 2 \times 4 = 8$$

98 **(d)**

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = 1 \text{ and } g(1) = 0$$

So,  $g(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$  but

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} g(x)$  exists

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(1-h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1-h] = 0$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(1+h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1+h] = 1$$

So,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$  does not exist and so  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$

We have,  $g \circ f(x) = g(f(x)) = g([x]) = 0$ , for all  $x \in R$

So,  $g \circ f$  is continuous for all  $x$

We have,

$$f \circ g(x) = f(g(x))$$

$$\Rightarrow f \circ g(x) = \begin{cases} f(0), & x \in Z \\ f(x^2), & x \in R - Z \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f \circ g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \in Z \\ [x^2], & x \in R - Z \end{cases}$$

Which is clearly not continuous

99 **(d)**

At  $x = 1$ ,

$$\text{RHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 - (1+h) - (2-1)}{h} = -1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHD} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{-h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{(1-h) - (2-1)}{-h} = 1 \\ \therefore \text{LHD} &\neq \text{RHD} \end{aligned}$$

100 (d)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = |x| + \frac{|x|}{x}$$

$$\text{Let } f_1(x) = |x|, f_2(x) = \frac{|x|}{x}$$

$$1. \quad \text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f_1(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} |x| = 0$$

$$\text{And RHL } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f_1(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} |x| = 0$$

Here,  $\text{LHL} = \text{RHL} = f(0)$ ,  $f_1(x)$  is continuous

$$2. \quad \text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{|x|}{x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|0-h|}{0-h} = -1$$

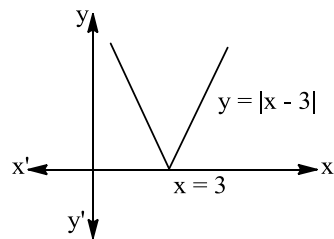
$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{|x|}{x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|0+h|}{h} = 1$$

$\therefore \text{LHL} \neq \text{RHL}$ ,  $f_2(x)$  is discontinuous

Hence,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

101 (a)

From the graph it is clear that  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere but not differentiable at  $x = 3$



102 (b)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2x-3}{2x-3}, & \text{if } x > \frac{3}{2} \\ \frac{-(2x-3)}{2x-3}, & \text{if } x < \frac{3}{2} \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x > \frac{3}{2} \\ -1, & \text{if } x < \frac{3}{2} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Now, RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}^+} 1 = 1$$

$$\text{And LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}^-} (-1) = -1$$

$\therefore \text{RHL} \neq \text{LHL}$

$\therefore f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = \frac{3}{2}$

103 (c)

Since the functions  $(\log t)^2$  and  $\frac{\sin t}{t}$  are not defined on  $(-1, 2)$ . Therefore, the functions in options (a) and (b) are not defined on  $(-1, 2)$

The function  $g(t) = \frac{1-t+t^2}{1+t+t^2}$  is continuous on

$(-1, 2)$  and

$f(x) = \int_0^x \frac{1-t+t^2}{1+t+t^2} dt$  is the integral function of  $g(t)$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is differentiable on  $(-1, 2)$  such that  $f'(x) = g(x)$

104 (c)

$$\text{Since, } f(x) = \frac{1-\tan x}{4x-\pi}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \left( \frac{1-\tan x}{4x-\pi} \right) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \left( \frac{-\sec^2 x}{4} \right) = -\frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at

$$x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} f(x) = f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

105 (a)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{4 \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2} \cdot x = 0$$

Also,  $f(0) = k$

$$\text{For, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0) \Rightarrow k = 0$$

106 (a)

We have,

$$f(x) = |x| + |x-1|$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} -2x+1, & x < 0 \\ x-x+1, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x+x-1, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} -2x+1, & x < 0 \\ 1, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 2x-1, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = 1 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$  and

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0, 1$

107 (d)

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x - \sin^{-1} x}{2x + \tan^{-1} x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 - \frac{\sin^{-1} x}{x}}{2 + \frac{\tan^{-1} x}{x}} \\ &= \frac{2-1}{2+1} = \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

109 (b)

$$f'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1+h-1}{2(1+h)^2 - 7(1+h) + 5} - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2h-3} + \frac{1}{3}\right)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{2h}{3h(2h-3)}\right) = -\frac{2}{9}$$

110 (a)

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(-\frac{\pi}{2} - h\right) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2 \cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{2} - h\right) = 0$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(-\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2a \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) + b$$

$$= -a + b$$

Since, function is continuous.

$$\therefore \text{RHL} = \text{LHL} \Rightarrow a = b$$

From the given options only (a) i.e.,  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  satisfies this condition

111 (a)

We have,

$$f'(0) = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} = 3 \quad [\text{Using: (RHD at } x = 0) = 3]$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0)f(h) - f(0)}{h} = 3 \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} \because f(x+y) = f(x)f(y) \\ \therefore f(0+h) = f(0)f(h) \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) \left( \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)-1}{h} \right) = 3 \quad \dots(i)$$

Now,  $f(x+y) = f(x)f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = f(0)f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0)\{1 - f(0)\} = 0 \Rightarrow f(0) = 1$$

Putting  $f(0) = 1$  in (i), we get

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)-1}{h} = 3 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Now,

$$f'(5) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(5+h) - f(5)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(5) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(5)f(h) - f(5)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(5) = \left\{ \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)-1}{h} \right\} f(5) = 3 \times 2 = 6$$

[Using (ii)]

112 (c)

We have,

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) + f(h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h g(h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(h) = g(0) \quad [$$

$$\because g \text{ is conti. at } x = 0]$$

113 (b)

The domain of  $f(x)$  is  $[2, \infty)$

We have,

$$f(x) = \sqrt{\frac{(\sqrt{2x-4})^2}{2} + 2 + 2\sqrt{2x-4}}$$

$$+ \sqrt{\frac{(\sqrt{2x-4})^2}{2} + 2 - 2\sqrt{2x-4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{(\sqrt{2x-4})^2 + 4\sqrt{2x-4} + 4}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{(\sqrt{2x-4})^2 - 4\sqrt{2x-4} + 4}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\sqrt{2x-4} + 2| + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\sqrt{2x-4} - 2|$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times 4, & \text{if } \sqrt{2x-4} < 2 \\ \sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{2x-4}, & \text{if } \sqrt{2x-4} \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} 2\sqrt{2}, & \text{if } x \in [2, 4) \\ 2\sqrt{x-2}, & \text{if } x \in [4, \infty) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Hence, } f'(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \in [2, 4) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-2}} & \text{if } x \in [4, \infty) \end{cases}$$

114 (c)

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin \frac{1}{x} = 0$$

So,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  such that

$$f'(0) = 0$$

For  $x \neq 0$ , we have

$$f'(x) = 2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + x^2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 2x \sin \frac{1}{x} - \cos \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f'(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 2x \sin \frac{1}{x} - \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$= 0 - \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

Since  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$  does not exist

$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f'(x)$  does not exist

Hence,  $f'(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$

115 (c)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2}}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{|x|}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 1, & x > 0 \\ -1, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$

117 (c)

$$\text{Given, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ (1 + 3x)^{\frac{1}{x}} \right] = k$$

$$\therefore e^3 = k$$

118 (b)

For  $x > 2$ , we have



$$f(x) = \int_0^x \{5 + |1 - t|\} dt$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \int_0^1 (5 + (1 - t)) dt + \int_1^x (5 - (1 - t)) dt$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \int_0^1 (6 - t) dt + \int_1^x (4 + t) dt$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \left[ 6t - \frac{t^2}{2} \right]_0^1 + \left[ 4t + \frac{t^2}{2} \right]_1^x$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 1 + 4x + \frac{x^2}{2}$$

Thus, we have

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 5x + 1, & \text{if } x \leq 2 \\ \frac{x^2}{2} + 4x + 1, & \text{if } x > 2 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is everywhere continuous and differentiable except possibly at  $x = 2$

Now,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} 5x + 1 = 11$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \left( \frac{x^2}{2} + 4x + 1 \right) = 11$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 2$

$$\text{Also, we have (LHD at } x = 2) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f'(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} 5 = 5$$

119 (b)

The given function is clearly continuous at all points except possibly at  $x = \pm 1$

For  $f(x)$  to be continuous at  $x = 1$ , we must have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = f(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} ax^2 + b = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{|x|}$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is differentiable for all  $x$ , except possibly at  $x = \pm 1$ . As  $f(x)$  is an even function, so we need to check its differentiability at  $x = 1$  only. For  $f(x)$  to be differentiable at  $x = 1$ , we must have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{ax^2 + b - 1}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\frac{1}{|x|} - 1}{x - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{ax^2 - a}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\frac{1}{x} - 1}{x - 1} \quad [\because a + b = 1]$$

$$\therefore b - 1 = -a]$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} a(x + 1) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{-1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = -1 \Rightarrow a = -1/2$$

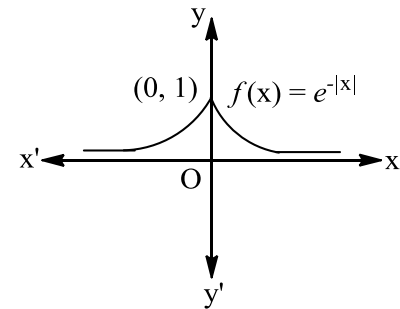
Putting  $a = -1/2$  in (i), we get  $b = 3/2$

120 (c)

At no point, function is continuous

121 (a)

It is clear from the figure that  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere and not differentiable at  $x = 0$  due to sharp edge



122 (c)

$$f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{a^2 - ax + x^2} - \sqrt{a^2 + ax + x^2}}{\sqrt{a+x} - \sqrt{a-x}}$$

$$\times \frac{\sqrt{a^2 - ax + x^2} + \sqrt{a^2 + ax + x^2}}{\sqrt{a^2 - ax + x^2} + \sqrt{a^2 + ax + x^2}}$$

$$\times \frac{\sqrt{a+x} + \sqrt{a-x}}{\sqrt{a+x} + \sqrt{a-x}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2ax(\sqrt{a+x} + \sqrt{a-x})}{2x(\sqrt{a^2 - ax + x^2} + \sqrt{a^2 + ax + x^2})}$$

$$= \frac{-a(2\sqrt{a})}{(a+a)} = -\sqrt{a}$$

123 (b)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \cos 4x}{8x^2}, & x \neq 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos 4(0 - h)}{8(0 - h)^2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \sin 4h}{8h^2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4 \sin 4h}{16h} = 1 \quad [\text{by L'Hospital's rule}]$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore f(0) = \text{LHL} \Rightarrow k = 1$$

124 (d)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = |x - 1| + |x - 2| + \cos x$$

Since,  $|x - 1|$ ,  $|x - 2|$  and  $\cos x$  are continuous in  $[0, 4]$

$\therefore f(x)$  being sum of continuous functions is also continuous

125 (c)

If function  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then

$$f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(0) &= k = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin \frac{1}{x} \\ \Rightarrow k &= 0 \quad \left[ \because -1 \leq \sin \frac{1}{x} \leq 1 \right] \end{aligned}$$

126 (b)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} h(x) &= \{f(x)\}^2 + \{g(x)\}^2 \\ \Rightarrow h'(x) &= 2f(x)2f'(x) + 2g(x)g'(x) \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= g(x) \text{ and } f''(x) = -f(x) \\ \Rightarrow f''(x) &= g'(x) \text{ and } f'''(x) = -f'(x) \\ \Rightarrow -f'(x) &= g'(x) \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we have

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= g(x) \text{ and } g'(x) = -f(x) \\ \therefore h'(x) &= -2g(x)g'(x) + 2g(x)g'(x) = 0, \text{ for all } x \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow h(x) = \text{Constant for all } x$$

But,  $h(5) = 11$ . Hence,  $h(x) = 11$  for all  $x$

127 (a)

$$f(x) = |x|^3 = \begin{cases} 0, & x = 0 \\ x^3, & x > 0 \\ -x^3, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Now, } Rf'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^3 - 0}{h} = 0$$

$$\text{And } Lf'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h^3 - 0}{-h} = 0$$

$$\therefore Rf'(0) = Lf'(0) = 0$$

$$\therefore f'(0) = 0$$

128 (b)

We have,

$$(\text{LHL at } x = 0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 - h)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (\text{LHL at } x = 0) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \sin^{-1}(\cos(-h)) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sin^{-1}(\cosh h) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{LHL at } x = 0) = \sin^{-1} 1 = \pi/2$$

$$(\text{RHL at } x = 0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (\text{RHL at } x = 0) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 + h) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sin^{-1}(\cos h) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{RHL at } x = 0) = \sin^{-1}(1) = \pi/2$$

$$\text{and, } f(0) = \sin^{-1}(\cos 0) = \sin^{-1}(1) = \pi/2$$

$$\therefore (\text{LHL at } x = 0) = (\text{RHL at } x = 0) = f(0)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{-\sin x}{\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 x}} = \frac{\sin x}{|\sin x|} \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{-\sin x}{-\sin x} = 1, & x < 0 \\ \frac{-\sin x}{\sin x} = -1, & x > 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore (\text{LHD at } x = 0) = 1 \text{ and } (\text{RHD at } x = 0) = -1$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

129 (d)

For any  $x \neq 1, 2$ , we find that  $f(x)$  is the quotient of two polynomials and a polynomial is everywhere continuous. Therefore,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \neq 1, 2$

Continuity at  $x = 1$ :

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(1 - h)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 - h - 2)(1 - h + 2)(1 - h + 1)(1 - h - 1)}{|(1 - h - 1)(1 - h - 2)|}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(3 - h)(2 - h)(-1 - h)(-h)}{|(-h)(-1 - h)|}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(3 - h)(2 - h)h(h + 1)}{h(h + 1)} = 6$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(1 + h)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 + h - 2)(1 + h + 2)(1 + h + 1)(1 + h - 1)}{|(1 + h - 1)(1 + h - 2)|}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(h - 1)(3 + h)(2 + h)(h)}{|h(h - 1)|}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = -\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(h - 1)(3 + h)(2 + h)h}{h(1 - h)} = -6$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$

Similarly,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 2$

130 (b)

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \frac{g(x)}{h(x)} = \frac{x}{1 + |x|}$$

It is clear that  $g(x) = x$  and  $h(x) = 1 + |x|$  are differentiable on  $(-\infty, \infty)$  and  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$  respectively

Thus,  $f(x)$  is differentiable on  $(-\infty, 0) \cup$

$(0, \infty)$ . Now, we have to check the differentiability at  $x = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x}{1 + |x|} - 0}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1 + |x|} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable on  $(-\infty, \infty)$

131 (b)

At  $x = 0$ ,

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1 - e^{-1/(0-h)}} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1 - e^{1/h}} = 0$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1 - e^{-1/(0+h)}} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1 - e^{-1/h}} = 1$$

$\therefore$  Function is not continuous at  $x = 0$

132 (a)

We have,

$$f \circ g = I$$

$$\Rightarrow f \circ g(x) = x \text{ for all } x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f'(g(x))g'(x) &= 1 \text{ for all } x \\ \Rightarrow f'(g(a)) &= \frac{1}{g'(a)} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow f'(b) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \quad [\because f(a) = b] \end{aligned}$$

133 (a)

Since,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0)$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \pi x}{5x} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow (1) \frac{\pi}{5} = k \Rightarrow k = \frac{\pi}{5} \quad \left[ \because \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1 \right]$$

134 (d)

Given,  $f(x) = [x], x \in (-3.5, 100)$

As we know greatest integer is discontinuous on integer values.

In given interval, the integer values are  $(-3, -2, -1, 0, \dots, 99)$

$\therefore$  Total numbers of integers are 103.

135 (a)

LHL =  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 - h)$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-1/h} - 1}{e^{-1/h} + 1} = -1 \quad \left[ \because \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{e^{1/h}} = 0 \right]$$

RHL =  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 + h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{1/h} - 1}{e^{1/h} + 1}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \frac{1}{e^{1/h}}}{1 + \frac{1}{e^{1/h}}} = 1$$

$\therefore$  LHL  $\neq$  RHL

So, limit does not exist at  $x = 0$

136 (d)

We have,

$$f(x) = x^4 + \frac{x^4}{1+x^4} + \frac{x^4}{(1+x^4)^2} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{x^4}{1 - \frac{1}{1+x^4}} = 1 + x^4, \text{ if } x \neq 0$$

Clearly,  $f(x) = 0$  at  $x = 0$

Thus, we have

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + x^4, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1 \neq f(0)$

So,  $f(x)$  is neither continuous nor differentiable at  $x = 0$

137 (a)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + x, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 3 - x, & 2 < x \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore g(x) = f \circ f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = f(f(x))$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \begin{cases} f(1+x), & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ f(3-x), & 2 < x \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + (1+x), & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 3 - (1+x), & 1 < x \leq 2 \\ 1 + (3-x), & 2 < x \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \begin{cases} 2 + x, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 2 - x, & 1 < x \leq 2 \\ 4 - x, & 2 < x \leq 3 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $g(x)$  is continuous in  $(0, 1) \cup (1, 2) \cup (2, 3)$  except possibly at  $x = 0, 1, 2$  and  $3$

We observe that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (2 + x) = 2 = g(0)$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} (4 - x) = 1 = g(3)$$

Therefore,  $g(x)$  is right continuous at  $x = 0$  and left continuous at  $x = 3$

At  $x = 1$ , we have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} (2 + x) = 3$$

$$\text{and, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (2 - x) = 1$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} g(x)$$

So,  $g(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$

At  $x = 2$ , we have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} (2 - x) = 0$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} (4 - x) = 0$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} g(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} g(x)$$

So,  $g(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 2$

Hence, the set of points of discontinuity of  $g(x)$  is  $\{1, 2\}$

138 (b)

Since  $g(x)$  is the inverse of function  $f(x)$

$$\therefore g \circ f(x) = I(x), \text{ for all } x$$

Now,  $g \circ f(x) = I(x)$ , for all  $x$

$$\Rightarrow g \circ f(x) = x, \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow (g \circ f)'(x) = 1, \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(f(x))f'(x) = 1, \text{ for all } x \quad [\text{Using Chain Rule}]$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(f(x)) = \frac{1}{f'(x)}, \text{ for all } x$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(f(c)) = \frac{1}{f'(c)} \quad [\text{Putting } x = c]$$

139 (d)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = \begin{cases} x^p \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ , therefore it is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^p \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow p > 0$$

As  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

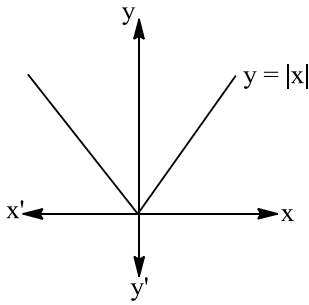
$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \text{ exists finitely}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^p \cos\frac{1}{x} - 0}{x} \text{ exists finitely}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{p-1} \cos \frac{1}{x} - 0 \text{ exists finitely}$$

$$\Rightarrow p - 1 > 0 \Rightarrow p > 1$$

140 (a)



It is clear from the graph that  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere and also differentiable everywhere except at  $x = 0$

141 (c)

We know that the function

$$\phi(x) = (x - a)^2 \sin \left( \frac{1}{x - a} \right)$$

Is continuous and differentiable at  $x = a$  whereas the function  $\Psi(x) = |x - a|$  is everywhere continuous but not differentiable at  $x = a$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

142 (d)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^x - 2^{-x}}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 2^x \log 2 + 2^{-x} \log 2$$

[by L' Hospital's rule]

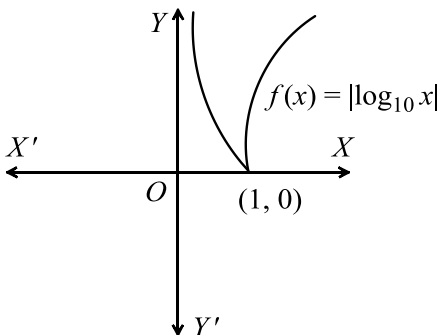
$$= \log 4$$

Since, the function is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) \Rightarrow f(0) = \log 4$$

143 (a)

As is evident from the graph of  $f(x)$  that it is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 1$



Now,

$$f''(1^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(1^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(1^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_{10}(1+h) - 0}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(1^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+h)}{h \cdot \log_e 10} = \frac{1}{\log_e 10} = \log_{10} e$$

$$f''(1^-) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(1^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(1^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_{10}(1-h) - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_e(1-h)}{h \log_e 10} = -\log_{10} e$$

144 (a)

We have,

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) + f(h) - f(x)}{h} \quad [\because f(x) + y) = f(x) + f(y)]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h \cdot g(h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(h) = g(0) = k$$

145 (a)

We have,

$$f(x) = |x| + |x - 1| = \begin{cases} -2x + 1, & x < 0 \\ 1, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 2x - 1, & 1 \leq x \end{cases}$$

Clearly,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} 1 = 1, \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (2x - 1) = 1$$

$$\text{and, } f(1) = 2 \times 1 - 1 = 1$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = f(1)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{-h} =$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - 1}{-h} = 0$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(1+h) - 1 - 1}{h} = 2$$

$$\therefore (\text{LHD at } x = 1) \neq (\text{RHD at } x = 1)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

146 (d)

The given function is differentiable at all points except possibly at  $x = 0$

Now,

$$(\text{RHD at } x = 0)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{h+1} - 1}{h^{3/2}}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{h^{3/2}(\sqrt{h+1} + 1)} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{h}(\sqrt{h+1} + 1)} \rightarrow \infty$$

So, the function is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

Hence, the required set is  $R - \{0\}$

147 (a)

We have,

$$f(x)f(y) = f(x) + f(y) + f(xy) - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \cdot f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = f(x) + f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + f(1) - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \cdot f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$= f(x)$$

$$+ f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \quad \left[ \because f(1) = 2 \text{ (Putting } x = y = 1 \text{ in the given relation)} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = x^n + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow f(2) = 2^n + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 = 2^n + 1 \quad [\because f(2) = 5 \text{ (given)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 2$$

$$\therefore f(x) = x^2 + 1 \Rightarrow f(3) = 10$$

148 (b)

We have,

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 1, \text{ for } 0 \leq x \leq \pi$$

$$\therefore \{f(x)\} = \begin{cases} -1, & \text{for } 0 \leq x < 2 \\ 0, & \text{for } 2 \leq x \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan[f(x)] = \begin{cases} \tan(-1) = -\tan(1), & 0 \leq x < 2 \\ \tan 0 = 0, & 2 \leq x \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

It is evident from the definition of  $\tan[f(x)]$  that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \tan[f(x)] = -\tan 1 \text{ and,}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \tan[f(x)] = 0$$

So,  $\tan[f(x)]$  is not continuous at  $x = 2$

Now,

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 1 \Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{x-2}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{f(x)} = \frac{2}{x-2}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 2$

So,  $\tan[f(x)]$  and  $\tan\left[\frac{1}{f(x)}\right]$  both are discontinuous at  $x = 2$

149 (c)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1+x)^{\cot x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left\{ (1+x)^{\frac{1}{x}} \right\}^{x \cot x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} e^{x \cot x} = e$$

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = e$$

150 (b)

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - h\right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - h\right) - \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - h\right)}{\frac{\pi}{4} - h - \frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sec^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - h\right) - \operatorname{cosec}^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - h\right)}{-1} = 4$$

[by L'Hospital's rule]

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , then

$$\text{LHL} = f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\therefore a = 4$$

151 (a)

If  $-1 \leq x < 0$ , then

$$f(x) = \int_{-1}^x |t| dt = \int_{-1}^x -t dt = -\frac{1}{2}(x^2 - 1)$$

If  $x \geq 0$ , then

$$f(x) = \int_{-1}^0 -t dt + \int_{-1}^x -t dt = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + 1)$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{2}(x^2 - 2), & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + 1), & 0 \leq x \end{cases}$$

It can be easily seen that  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

So, it is continuous for all  $x > -1$

Also,  $Rf'(0) = 0 = Lf'(0)$

So,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \begin{cases} -x, & -1 < x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ x, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f'(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

Consequently, it is continuous for all  $x > -1$  i.e. for  $x + 1 > 0$

Hence,  $f$  and  $f'$  are continuous for  $x + 1 > 0$

152 (c)

We have,

$$f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{-n} - x^n}{x^{-n} + x^n}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - x^{2n}}{1 + x^{2n}}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1-0}{1+0} = 1, & \text{if } -1 < x < 1 \\ \frac{1-1}{1+1} = 0, & \text{if } x = \pm 1 \\ \frac{0-1}{0+1} = -1, & \text{if } |x| > 1 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = \pm 1$

153 (b)

Clearly,  $\log|x|$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\log|x|} \text{ is not defined at } x = \pm 1$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0, 1, -1$

154 (a)

For continuity,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = k$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 3x}{\sin x} = k \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 3x}{3x} \cdot \frac{3x}{\sin 3x} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 = k$$

155 (b)

Since, the function  $f(x)$  is continuous

$$\therefore f(0) = \text{RHL } f(x) = \text{LHL } f(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, RHL } f(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+0+h) + \log(1-0-h)}{0+h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+h) + \log(1-h)}{h} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{1+h} - \frac{1}{1-h}}{1} = 0$$

[by L 'Hospital's rule]

$$\therefore f(0) = \text{RHL } f(x) = 0$$

156 (d)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-4}{|x-4|} + a, & x < 4 \\ a + b, & x = 4 \\ \frac{x-4}{|x-4|} + b, & x > 4 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} -1 + a, & x < 4 \\ a + b, & x = 4 \\ 1 + b, & x > 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) = a - 1$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x) = 1 + b$$

Since,  $\text{LHL} = \text{RHL} = f(4)$

$$\Rightarrow a - 1 = a + b = b + 1$$

$$a = 1 \text{ and } b = -1$$

157 (d)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{-1}{x-1}, & 0 < x < 1 \\ \frac{1-1}{x-1} = 0, & 1 < x < 2 \\ 0, & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 0$

So,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$  and hence it is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

158 (d)

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{1 - \sqrt{2} \sin x}{\pi - 4x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{-\sqrt{2} \cos x}{4} = \frac{1}{4} \quad [\text{by L 'Hospital's rule}] \end{aligned}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} f(x) = f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} = a$$

163 (a)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \tan x, & 0 \leq x \leq \pi/4 \\ \cot x, & -\pi/4 \leq x \leq \pi/2 \\ \tan x, & \pi/2 < x \leq 3\pi/4 \\ \cot x, & 3\pi/4 \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$$

Since  $\tan x$  and  $\cot x$  are periodic functions with period  $\pi$ . So,  $f(x)$  is also periodic with period  $\pi$

It is evident from the graph that  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = \pi/2$ . Since  $f(x)$  is periodic with period  $\pi$ . So, it is not continuous at  $x = 0, \pm\pi/2, \pm\pi, \neq 3\pi/2$

Also,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = \pi/4, 3\pi/4, 5\pi/4$  etc

159 (d)

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 1 - h + a = 1 + a$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 3 - (1 + h)^2 = 2$$

For  $f(x)$  to be continuous,  $\text{LHL} = \text{RHL}$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + a = 2 \Rightarrow a = 1$$

160 (b)

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos 3(0-h) - \cos(0-h)}{(0-h)^2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos 3h - \cos h}{h^2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-3 \sin 3h + \sin h}{2h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-9 \cos 3h + \cos h}{2} = \frac{-9 + 1}{2} = -4$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = f(0) \Rightarrow \lambda = -4$$

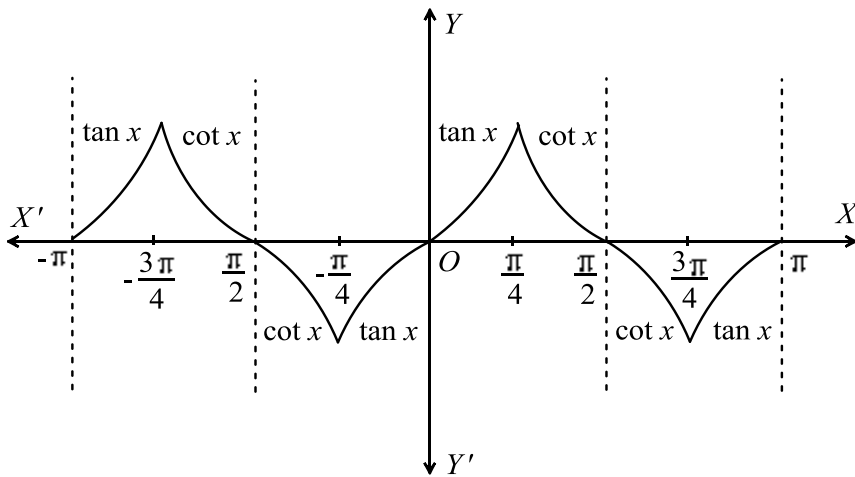
161 (c)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHL} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} \frac{x^3 - a^3}{x - a} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a-h)^3 - a^3}{a-h-a} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a-h-a)\{(a-h)^2 + a^3 + a(a-h)\}}{-h} \\ &= 3a^2 \end{aligned}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = a$

$$\therefore \text{LHL} = f(a)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a^2 = b$$



164 (c)

We have,

$$f(x) = \{|x| - |x - 1|\}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} (-x + x - 1)^2, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ (x + x - 1)^2, & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 1 \\ (x - x + 1)^2, & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ (2x - 1)^2, & \text{if } 0 < x < 1 \\ 1, & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x < 0 \text{ or if } x > 1 \\ 4(2x - 1), & \text{if } 0 < x < 1 \end{cases}$$

165 (b)

We have,

$$f'(x_0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{f(x) - f(x_0)}{x - x_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x_0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{(x - x_0)\phi(x) - 0}{(x - x_0)}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x_0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \phi(x) = \phi(x_0) \quad [$$

$\because \phi(x)$  is continuous at  $x = x_0]$

166 (b)

Since,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = f(2) = k$

$$\Rightarrow k = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(2 + h)$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ (2 + h)^2 + e^{\frac{1}{2 - (2+h)}} \right]^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ 4 + h^2 + 4h + e^{-1/h} \right]^{-1} = \frac{1}{4}$$

167 (c)

For  $f(x)$  to be continuous at  $x = \pi/2$ , we must have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2} f(x) = f(\pi/2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2} \frac{1 - \sin x}{(\pi - 2x)^2} \cdot \frac{\log \sin x}{\log(1 + \pi^2 - 4\pi x + 4x^2)} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos h}{4h^2} \times \frac{\log \cos h}{\log(1 + 4h^2)} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos h}{4h^2} \times \frac{\log\{1 + \cos h - 1\}}{\cos h - 1} \times \frac{4h^2}{\log(1 + 4h^2)} \times \frac{\cos h - 1}{4h^2} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1 - \cos h}{4h^2} \right)^2 \frac{\log(1 + (\cos h - 1))}{\cos h - 1} \times \frac{4h^2}{\log(1 + 4h^2)} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin^2 h/2}{2h^2} \right)^2 \frac{\log(1 + (\cos h - 1))}{\cos h - 1} \times \frac{4h^2}{\log(1 + 4h^2)} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow - \frac{1}{64} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin h/2}{h/2} \right)^4 \frac{\log(1 + (\cos h - 1))}{\cos h - 1} \times \frac{4h^2}{\log(1 + 4h^2)} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow - \frac{1}{64} = k$$

168 (c)

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 - h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 5(0-h)}{(0-h)^2 + 2(0-h)}$$

$$= - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{\sin 5h}{5h}}{\frac{1}{5}(h-2)} = \frac{5}{2}$$

Since, it is continuous at  $x = 0$ , therefore

$$\text{LHL} = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{2} = k + \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow k = 2$$

169 (a)

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^n \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow n > 0$$

$f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ , if

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \text{ exists finitely}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^n \sin \frac{1}{x} - 0}{x} \text{ exists finitely}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{n-1} \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \text{ exists finitely}$$

$$\Rightarrow n - 1 > 0 \Rightarrow n > 1$$

If  $n \leq 1$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{n-1} \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$  does not exist and hence  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

Hence  $f(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$  for  $0 < n \leq 1$  i.e.  $n \in (0, 1]$

170 (b)

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 3$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{h \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(3 - h)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} |3 - h - 3|$$

$$= 0$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 3^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(3 + h)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} |3 + h - 3| = 0$$

$$\text{and } f(3) = |3 - 3| = 0$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 3$

171 (a)

It can easily be seen from the graphs of  $f(x)$  and that both are continuous at  $x = 0$

Also,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$  whereas  $g(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

172 (c)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 - h) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin(a + 1)h - \sin h}{-h} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 - h)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \frac{\sin(a + 1)h}{h} + \frac{\sin h}{h} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 - h) = (a + 1) + 1 = a + 2$$

$$\text{and, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 + h)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{h + bh^2} - \sqrt{h}}{bh^{3/2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h + bh^2 - h}{bh^{3/2}(\sqrt{h + bh^2} - \sqrt{h})}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + bh} + 1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ . Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow a + 2 = \frac{1}{2} = c \Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{2}, a = -\frac{3}{2} \text{ and } b \in R - \{0\}$$

173 (c)

For  $f(x)$  to be continuous at  $x = 0$ , we must have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(9^x - 1)(4^x - 1)}{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2} \cos^2 x/2} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(9^x - 1)(4^x - 1)}{\sqrt{2} \cdot 2 \sin^2 x/4} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{16 \times \left(\frac{9^x - 1}{x}\right) \left(\frac{4^x - 1}{x}\right)}{2\sqrt{2} \left(\frac{\sin x/2}{x/4}\right)^2} = k$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{16}{2\sqrt{2}} \log 9 \cdot \log 4 = k &= 4\sqrt{2} \log 9 \cdot \log 4 \\ &= 16\sqrt{2} \log 3 \log 2 \end{aligned}$$

174 (b)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = [\tan^2 x]$$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [\tan^2 x] = 0$$

$$\text{And } f(0) = [\tan^2 0] = 0$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

175 (b)

$$\text{Let, } f(x) = x$$

Which is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\text{Also, } f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0 + 0) = f(0) + f(0)$$

$$= 0 + 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = 0$$

$$f(1 + 0) = f(1) + f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1) = 1 + 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1) = 1$$

As, it satisfies it.

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous for every values of  $x$

176 (c)

$$\text{Here, } g \circ f = \begin{cases} e^{\sin x}, & x \geq 0 \\ e^{1 - \cos x}, & x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g \circ f(0 - h) - g \circ f(h)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{1 - \cos h} - e^{1 - \cos h}}{-h} = 0$$

$$\text{RHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g \circ f(0 + h) - g \circ f(h)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\sin h} - e^{\sin h}}{h} = 0$$

Since, RHD = LHD = 0

$$\therefore (g \circ f)'(0) = 0$$

177 (b)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (x + 1)^{2 - \left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}\right)} = (x + 1)^2, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ (x + 1)^{2 - \left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}\right)} = (x + 1)^{2 - \frac{2}{x}}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is everywhere continuous except possibly at  $x = 0$

At  $x = 0$ , we have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} (x + 1)^2 = 1$$

$$\text{and, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (x + 1)^{2 - \frac{2}{x}} =$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (x + 1)^{-2/x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} -\frac{2}{x} \log(1+x)} = e^{-2}$$

Clearly,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$



So,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$

178 (b)

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ . Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+ax) - \log(1-bx)}{x} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow a \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+ax)}{ax} - (-b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1-bx)}{-bx} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = k$$

179 (c)

Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(27-2x)^{1/3} - 3}{9 - 3(243+5x)^{1/5}} \quad \left[ \text{Form } \frac{0}{0} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{3}(27-2x)^{-2/3}(-2)}{-\frac{3}{5}(243+5x)^{-4/5}(5)}$$

$$= \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) \frac{3^4}{3^2} = 2$$

180 (d)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{2x} - 1 - 2x}{x(e^{2x} - 1)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2e^{2x} - 2}{(e^{2x} - 1) + 2xe^{2x}} \quad [\text{using L'Hospital rule}]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4e^{2x}}{4e^{2x} + 4xe^{2x}} = 1 \quad [\text{using L'Hospital's rule}]$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0) \Rightarrow 1 = f(0)$$

181 (b)

If a function  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = a$ , then it may or may not be differentiable at  $x = a$

$\therefore$  Option (b) is correct

182 (c)

Let  $f(x) = |x-1| + |x-3|$

$$= \begin{cases} x-1 + x-3, & x \geq 3 \\ x-1 + 3-x, & 1 \leq x < 3 \\ 1-x + 3-x, & x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} 2x-4, & x \geq 3 \\ 2, & 1 \leq x < 3 \\ 4-2x, & x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

At  $x = 2$ , function is

$$f(x) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0$$

183 (d)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (x+1)e^{-\left(\frac{1}{x}+\frac{1}{x}\right)} = (x+1), & x < 0 \\ (x+1)e^{-\left(\frac{1}{x}+\frac{1}{x}\right)} = (x+1)e^{-2/x}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \neq 0$

So, we will check its continuity at  $x = 0$

We have,

$$(\text{LHL at } x = 0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x+1) = 1$$

$$(\text{RHL at } x = 0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x+1)e^{-2/x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x+1}{e^{2/x}} = 0$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$

Also,  $f(x)$  assumes all values from  $f(-2)$  to  $f(2)$  and  $f(2) = 3/e$  is the maximum value of  $f(x)$

184 (c)

Since, it is a polynomial function, so it is continuous for every value of  $x$  except at  $x = 2$

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} x - 1$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2 - h - 1 = 1$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} 2x - 3 = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2(2+h) - 3 = 1$$

$$\text{And } f(2) = 2(2) - 3 = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{LHL} + \text{RHL} = f(2)$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all real values of  $x$

185 (c)

**Continuity at  $x = 0$**

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\tan x}{x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\tan h}{-h} = 1$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\tan x}{x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan h}{h} = 1$$

$\therefore \text{LHL} = \text{RHL} = f(0) = 1$ , it is continuous

**Differentiability at  $x = 0$**

$$\text{LHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0-h) - f(0)}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{\tan(-h) - 1}{-h} - 1}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{h^2}{3} + \frac{2h^4}{15} + \dots}{-h} = 0$$

$$\text{RHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{\tan h - 1}{h} - 1}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{h^2}{3} + \frac{2h^4}{15} + \dots}{-h} = 0$$

$\therefore \text{LHD} = \text{RHD}$

Hence, it is differentiable.

186 (b)

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (x-1) = 0$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (x^3 - 1) = 0. \text{ Also,}$$

$$f(1) = 1 - 1 = 0$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$

Clearly,  $(f'(1)) = 3$  and  $Rf'(1) = 1$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

187 (d)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - x}{x^2 - x} = 1, & \text{if } x < 0 \text{ or } x > 1 \\ -\frac{(x^2 - x)}{x^2 - x} = -1, & \text{if } 0 < x < 1 \\ 1, & \text{if } x = 0 \\ -1, & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x \leq 0 \text{ or } x > 1 \\ -1, & \text{if } 0 < x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

Now,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} 1 = 1 \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} -1 = -1$$

Clearly,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$

So,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$ . It can be easily seen that it is not continuous at  $x = 1$

188 (b)

We have,

$$f(x) = |x - 1| + |x - 3|$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} -(x - 1) - (x - 3), & x < 1 \\ (x - 1) - (x - 3), & 1 \leq x < 3 \\ (x - 1) + (x - 3), & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} -2x + 4, & x < 1 \\ 2, & 1 \leq x < 3 \\ 2x - 4, & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

Since,  $f(x) = 2$  for  $1 \leq x < 3$ . Therefore

$f'(x) = 0$  for all  $x \in (1, 3)$

Hence,  $f'(x) = 0$  at  $x = 2$

189 (d)

We have,

$$Lf'(0) = 0 \text{ and } Rf'(0) = 0 + \cos 0^\circ = 1$$

$\therefore Lf'(0) \neq Rf'(0)$

Hence,  $f'(x)$  does not exist at  $x = 0$

190 (c)

$$\text{Given, } g(x) = \frac{(x-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(x-1)}; \quad 0 < x < 2, \quad m \neq$$

$$0, \quad n \text{ are integers and } |x - 1| = \begin{cases} x - 1; & x \geq 1 \\ 1 - x; & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

The left hand derivative of  $|x - 1|$  at  $x = 1$  is

$$p = -1$$

$$\text{Also, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = p = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 + h - 1)^n}{\log \cos^m(1 + h - 1)} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^n}{m \log \cos h} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{n \cdot h^{n-1}}{m \frac{1}{\cos h} (-\sin h)} = -1$$

[using L'Hospital's rule]

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{n}{m}\right) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^{n-2}}{\left(\frac{\tan h}{h}\right)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 2 \text{ and } \frac{n}{m} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = n = 2$$

191 (c)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = \frac{2x^2 + 7}{(x^2 - 1)(x + 3)}$$

Since, at  $x = 1, -1, -3, f(x) = \infty$

Hence, function is discontinuous

193 (a)

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1 - (1 - h)^2] = 0$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1 + (1 + h)^2] = 2$$

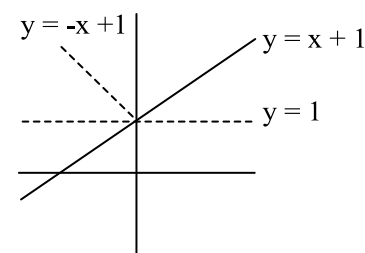
Also,  $f(1) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \text{RHL} \neq \text{LHL} = f(1)$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$

194 (c)

It is clear from the graph that minimum  $f(x)$  is



$$f(x) = x + 1, \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

Hence, it is a straight line, so it is differentiable everywhere

195 (c)

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi-1}{2}} (mx + 1) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi^+}{2}} (\sin x + n)$$

$$\Rightarrow m \frac{\pi}{2} + 1 = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} + n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m\pi}{2} = n$$

196 (a)

This function is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_e(1 + x^2 \tan x)}{\sin x^3} = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_e \left\{ 1 + x^2 \left( x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \dots \right) \right\}}{x^3 - \frac{x^9}{3!} + \frac{x^{15}}{5!} - \dots} = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log_e(1 + x^3)}{x^3 - \frac{x^9}{3!} + \frac{x^{15}}{5!} - \dots} = f(0)$$

[neglecting higher power of  $x$  in  $x^2 \tan x$ ]

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 - \frac{x^6}{2} + \frac{x^9}{3} - \dots}{x^3 + \frac{x^9}{3!} + \frac{x^{15}}{5!} - \dots} = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = f(0)$$

197 (a)

Given,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

$\therefore$  Limit must exist

ie,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^p \sin \frac{1}{x} = (0)^p \sin \infty = 0$ , when,

$0 < p < \infty \dots$  (i)

$$\text{Now, RHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^p \sin \frac{1}{h} - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h^{p-1} \sin \frac{1}{h}$$

$$\text{LHD} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-h)^p \sin\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) - 0}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (-1)^p h^{p-1} \sin \frac{1}{h}$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

$$\therefore p \leq 1 \dots(\text{ii})$$

From Eqs.(i) and (iii),  $0 < p \leq 1$

198 (a)

We have,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x^2}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin x^2}{x^2} \right) x = 1 \times 0$$

$$= 0 = f(0)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .  $f(x)$  is also

derivable at  $x = 0$ , because

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x^2}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x^2}{x^2} = 1$$

exists finitely

199 (a)

A function  $f$  on  $R$  into itself is continuous at a point  $a$  in  $R$ , iff for each  $\epsilon > 0$  there exist  $\delta > 0$ , such that

$$|f(x) - f(a)| < \epsilon \Rightarrow |x - a| < \delta$$

200 (a)

We have,

$$f(x) = x - |x - x^2|, \quad -1 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} x + x - x^2, & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ x - (x - x^2), & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x - x^2, & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ x^2, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

Also,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} 2x - x^2 = -2 - 1 = -3$$

$$= f(-1)$$

and,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} x^2 = 1 = f(1)$$

So,  $f(x)$  is right continuous at  $x = -1$  and left continuous at  $x = 1$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous on  $[-1, 1]$

201 (b)

Since  $|\sin x|$  and  $|e^{|x|}|$  are not differentiable at  $x = 0$ . Therefore, for  $f(x)$  to be differentiable at  $x = 0$ , we must have  $a = 0$ ,  $b = 0$  and  $c$  can be any real number

202 (a)

We have,

$$f(u + v) = f(u) + kuv - 2v^2 \text{ for all } u, v \in R$$

...(i)

Putting  $u = v = 1$ , we get

$$f(2) = f(1) + k - 2 \Rightarrow 8 = 2 + k - 2 \Rightarrow k = 8$$

Putting  $u = x, v = h$  in (i), we get

$$\frac{f(x + h) - f(x)}{h} = kx - 2h$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x + h) - f(x)}{h} = kx \Rightarrow f'(x)$$

$$= 8x \quad [\because k = 8]$$

203 (b)

$$\text{Given, } f(x) = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \left( \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right)^2}} \times \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1+x^2}{\sqrt{(1+x^2)^2}} \times \frac{2(1-x^2)}{(1+x^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{1+x^2} \times \frac{1-x^2}{|1-x^2|} = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{1+x^2}, & \text{if } |x| < 1 \\ -\frac{2}{1+x^2}, & \text{if } |x| > 1 \end{cases}$$

$\therefore f'(x)$  does not exist for  $|x| = 1$ , i.e.,  $x = \pm 1$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable on  $R - \{-1, 1\}$

204 (a)

$$\text{LHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -h \sin \left( \frac{1}{-h} \right) = 0$$

$$\text{RHL} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \sin \left( \frac{1}{h} \right) = 0$$

$\therefore \text{LHL} = \text{RHL} = f(0)$ , it is continuous

$$\text{LHD} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{f(0-h) - f(0)}{-h} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{-h \sin \frac{1}{-h} - 0}{-h} \right] = \text{does not exist}$$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  but not differentiable at  $x = 0$

205 (b)

Since,  $|x - 1|$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

So,  $f(x) = |x - 1|e^x$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

Hence, the required set is  $R - \{1\}$

206 (d)

We have,

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)f(h) - f(x)}{h} \quad [\because f(x+y)]$$

$$= f(x)f(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - 1}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f(x) \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + hg(h)G(h) - 1}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f(x) \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(h) G(h)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} G(h) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(h) = ab f(x)$$