

5. CONTINUITY AND DIFFERENTIABILITY

**Single Correct Answer Type**

1. Which of the following functions is non-differentiable?

a)  $f(x) = (e^x - 1)|e^{2x} - 1|$  in  $R$

b)  $f(x) = \frac{x-1}{x^2+1}$  in  $R$

c)  $f(x) = \begin{cases} ||x-3|-1|, & x < 3 \\ \frac{x}{3}[x] - 2, & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$  at  $x = 3$

Where  $[\cdot]$  represents the greatest integer function

d)  $f(x) = 3(x-2)^{1/3} + 3$  in  $R$

2. Given that  $\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \cos \frac{x}{2^n} = \frac{\sin x}{2^n \sin(\frac{x}{2^n})}$  and

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=1}^n \frac{1}{2^n} \tan\left(\frac{x}{2^n}\right), & x \in (0, \pi) - \left\{\frac{\pi}{2}\right\} \\ \frac{2}{\pi}, & x = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$$

Then which one of the following is true?

a)  $f(x)$  has non-removable discontinuity of finite type at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

b)  $f(x)$  has removable discontinuity at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

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

d)  $f(x)$  has non-removable discontinuity of infinite type at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

3. If  $f(x) = \{x^2\} - (\{x\})^2$ , where  $\{x\}$  denotes the fractional part of  $x$ , then

a)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = -2$  but not at  $x = 2$

b)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 2$  but not at  $x = -2$

c)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 2$  and at  $x = -2$

d)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = -2$  and at  $x = 2$

4. The function  $f(x) = |12 \operatorname{sgn} 2x| + 2$  has

a) Jump discontinuity

b) Removal discontinuity

c) Infinite discontinuity

d) No discontinuity at  $x = 0$

5.  $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sin^{2n}(\pi x) + \left[x + \frac{1}{2}\right]$ , where  $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function is

a) Continuous at  $x = 1$  but discontinuous at  $x = 3/2$

b) Continuous at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 3/2$

c) Discontinuous at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 3/2$

d) Discontinuous at  $x = 1$  but continuous at  $x = 3/2$

6. If  $f(x) = a|\sin x| + be^{|x|} + c|x|^3$  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)  $c = 0, a = 0, b \in R$

7. The function  $f(x)$  defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \log_{(4x-3)}(x^2 - 2x + 5), & \frac{3}{4} < x < 1 \text{ and } x > 1 \\ 4, & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

a) Is continuous at  $x = 1$

b) Is discontinuous at  $x = 1$  since  $f(1^+)$  does not exist though  $f(1^-)$  exists

c) Is discontinuous at  $x = 1$  since  $f(1^-)$  does not exist though  $f(1^+)$  exists

d) Is discontinuous at  $x = 1$  since neither  $f(1^+)$  nor  $f(1^-)$  exists

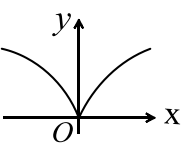
8. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x+2, & x < 0 \\ -x^2-2, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$ , then the number of points of discontinuity of  $|f(x)|$  is

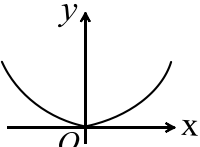


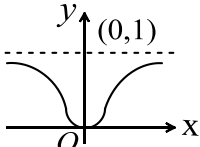


37. A point where function  $f(x)$  is not continuous where  $f(x) = [\sin[x]]$  in  $(0, 2\pi)$ ;  $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer  $\leq x$  is
- a) (3, 0)                                      b) (2, 0)                                      c) (1, 0)                                      d) None of these
38. Let  $[\cdot]$  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)  $f'(0) = 1$
39. A function  $f(x)$  is defined as
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^m \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0, m \in N \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$
- The least value of  $m$  for which  $f'(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  is
- a) 1                                      b) 2                                      c) 3                                      d) None
40. The function  $f(x) = \frac{(3^x - 1)^2}{\sin x \cdot \ln(1+x)}$ ,  $x \neq 0$ , is continuous at  $x = 0$ . Then the value of  $f(0)$  is
- a)  $2 \log_e 3$                                       b)  $(\log_e 3)^2$                                       c)  $\log_e 6$                                       d) None of these
41. The function  $f(x) = (x^2 - 1)|x^2 - 3x + 2| + \cos(|x|)$  is NOT differentiable at
- a) -1                                      b) 0                                      c) 1                                      d) 2
42. A function  $f(x)$  is defined as
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x, & x \text{ is rational} \\ \cos x, & x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$
- is continuous at
- a)  $x = n\pi + \pi/4, n \in I$                                       b)  $x = n\pi + \pi/8, n \in I$                                       c)  $x = n\pi + \pi/6, n \in I$                                       d)  $x = n\pi + \pi/3, n \in I$
43.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{2x^2 + |x|}, & x \neq 0 \\ 1, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  then  $f(x)$  is
- a) Continuous but non-differentiable at  $x = 0$                                       b) Differentiable at  $x = 0$   
c) Discontinuous at  $x = 0$                                       d) None of these
44. If both  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are differentiable functions at  $x = x_0$ , then the function defined as  $h(x) = \text{maximum}\{f(x), g(x)\}$ :
- a) Is always differentiable at  $x = x_0$   
b) Is never differentiable at  $x = x_0$   
c) Is differentiable at  $x = x_0$  provided  $f(x_0) \neq g(x_0)$   
d) Cannot be differentiable at  $x = x_0$  if  $f(x_0) = g(x_0)$
45. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - \sqrt{1 - x^2}, & \text{if } -1 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 1 + \log \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$  is
- a) Continuous and differentiable at  $x = 1$                                       b) Continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 1$   
c) Neither continuous nor differentiable at  $x = 1$                                       d) None of these
46. The function  $f(x) = \sin^{-1}(\cos x)$  is
- a) Not differentiable at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$                                       b) Differentiable at  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$   
c) Differentiable at  $x = 0$                                       d) Differentiable at  $x = 2\pi$
47. Which of the following statement is always true? ( $[\cdot]$  represents the greatest integer function)
- a) If  $f(x)$  is discontinuous, then  $|f(x)|$  is discontinuous  
b) If  $f(x)$  is discontinuous, then  $f(|x|)$  is discontinuous  
c)  $f(x) = [g(x)]$  is discontinuous when  $g(x)$  is an integer  
d) None of these
48. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} ax^2 + 1, & x \leq 1 \\ x^2 + ax + b, & x > 1 \end{cases}$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$ , then
- a)  $a = 1, b = 1$                                       b)  $a = 1, b = 0$                                       c)  $a = 2, b = 0$                                       d)  $a = 2, b = 1$
49. If  $f(x) = x^3 \operatorname{sgn} x$ , then
- a)  $f$  is derivable at  $x = 0$                                       b)  $f$  is continuous but not derivable at  $x = 0$   
c) L.H.D. at  $x = 0$  is 1                                      d) R.H.D. at  $x = 0$  is 1
50. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} g(x) \cos \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ , where  $g(x)$  is an even function differentiable at  $x = 0$ , passing through the origin. The  $f'(0)$

- a) Is equal to 1                      b) Is equal to 0                      c) Is equal to 2                      d) Does not exist
51. The function  $f(x) = \frac{4-x^2}{4x-x^3}$  is  
a) Discontinuous at only one point                      b) Discontinuous exactly at two points  
c) Discontinuous exactly at three points                      d) None of these
52. If  $f(x) = \frac{\tan(\frac{\pi-x}{4})}{\cot 2x}$ , ( $x \neq \pi/4$ ), is continuous at  $x = \pi/4$ , then the value of  $f(\frac{\pi}{4})$  is  
a) 1                      b) 1/2                      c) 1/3                      d) -1
53. The function  $f(x) = [x] \cos(\frac{2x-1}{2})\pi$ , where  $[.]$  denotes the greatest integer function, is discontinuous at  
a) All  $x$                       b) All integer points  
c) No  $x$                       d)  $x$  which is not an integer
54. Let  $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sin x)^{2n}$ , then which of the following is not true?  
a) Discontinuous at infinite number of points                      b) Discontinuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
c) Discontinuous at  $x = -\frac{\pi}{2}$                       d) None of these
55. Let a function  $f(x)$  be defined by  $f(x) = \frac{x-|x-1|}{x}$ , then which of the following is not true  
a) Discontinuous at  $x = 0$                       b) Discontinuous at  $x = 1$   
c) Not differentiable at  $x = 0$                       d) Not differentiable at  $x = 1$
56. The function  $f(x) = \sin(\log_e |x|)$ ,  $x \neq 0$ , and 1 if  $x = 0$   
a) Is continuous at  $x = 0$   
b) Has removable discontinuity at  $x = 0$   
c) Has jump of discontinuity at  $x = 0$   
d) Has oscillating discontinuity at  $x = 0$
57. Number of points where the function  

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + [\cos \frac{\pi x}{2}], & 1 < x \leq 2 \\ 1 - \{x\}, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ |\sin \pi x|, & -1 \leq x < 0 \end{cases}$$
and  $f(1) = 0$  is continuous but non-differentiable is/are (where  $[.]$  and  $\{.\}$  represent greatest integer and fractional part function, respectively)  
a) 0                      b) 1                      c) 2                      d) None of these
58. If  $f(x) = |1 - x|$ , then the points where  $\sin^{-1}(f|x|)$  is non-differentiable are  
a)  $\{0, 1\}$                       b)  $\{0, -1\}$                       c)  $\{0, 1, -1\}$                       d) None of these
59.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \left( \frac{e^{1/x} - e^{-1/x}}{e^{1/x} + e^{-1/x}} \right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ . Then  
a)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$   
b)  $f(x)$  is continuous but non-differentiable at  $x = 0$   
c)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$   
d)  $f'(0) = 2$
60.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x e^{-\left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{|x|}\right)}, & x \neq 0 \\ a, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ . The value of  $a$ , such that  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ , is equal to  
a) 1                      b) -1                      c) 0                      d) None of these
61. Let  $y = f(x) = \begin{cases} e^{-\frac{1}{x^2}} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$ . Then which of the following can best represent the graph of  $y = f(x)$ ?
- a) 

b) 

c) 

d) 
62. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |1 - 4x^2|, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ [x^2 - 2x], & 1 \leq x < 2 \end{cases}$ , where  $[.]$  denotes the greatest integer function, then  $f(x)$  is  
Discuss the continuity and differentiability of  $f(x)$  in  $[0, 2)$



- c)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at infinite number of points  
d)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at finite number of points
76. Which of the following function is not differentiable at  $x = 1$ ?  
a)  $f(x) = (x^2 - 1)|(x - 1)(x - 2)|$                       b)  $f(x) = \sin(|x - 1|) - |x - 1|$   
c)  $f(x) = \tan(|x - 1|) + |x - 1|$                       d) None of these
77. If  $x + 4|y| = 6y$ , then  $y$  as a function of  $x$  is  
a) Continuous at  $x = 0$     b) Derivable at  $x = 0$     c)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}$  for all  $x$                       d) None of these
78. Which of the following functions have finite number of points of discontinuity in  $R$  ( $[\cdot]$  represents greatest integer function)?  
a)  $\tan x$                       b)  $x[x]$                       c)  $\frac{|x|}{x}$                       d)  $\sin[\pi x]$
79. The function  $f(x) = \{x\} \sin(\pi[x])$ , where  $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function and  $\{\cdot\}$  is the fractional part function, is discontinuous at  
a) All  $x$                       b) All integer points  
c) No  $x$                       d)  $x$  which is not an integer
80. The value of  $f(0)$ , so that the function  $f(x) = \frac{2x - \sin^{-1}x}{2x + \tan^{-1}x}$  is continuous at each point in its domain, is equal to  
a) 2                      b)  $1/3$                       c)  $2/3$                       d)  $-1/3$
81. Which of the following functions is differentiable at  $x = 0$ ?  
a)  $\cos(|x|) + |x|$                       b)  $\cos(|x|) - |x|$                       c)  $\sin(|x|) + |x|$                       d)  $\sin(|x|) - |x|$
82. The number of points  $f(x) = \begin{cases} [\cos \pi x], & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ |2x - 3|[x - 2], & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$  is discontinuous at ( $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function)  
a) Two points                      b) Three points                      c) Four points                      d) No points
83. If  $f(x) = \sqrt{1 - \sqrt{1 - x^2}}$ , then  $f(x)$  is  
a) Continuous on  $[-1, 1]$  and differentiable on  $(-1, 1)$                       b) Continuous  $[-1, 1]$  and differentiable on  $(-1, 0) \cup (0, 1)$   
c) Continuous and differentiable on  $[-1, 1]$                       d) None of these
84. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1-|x|}{1+x}; & x \neq -1 \\ 1; & x = -1 \end{cases}$ , then  $f([2x])$  where  $[\cdot]$  represents the greatest integer function is  
a) Discontinuous at  $x = -1$                       b) Continuous at  $x = 0$   
c) Continuous at  $x = 1/2$                       d) Continuous at  $x = 1$
85. Let  $f(x)$  be defined in the interval  $[0, 4]$  such that  

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - x, & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ x + 2, & 1 < x < 2 \\ 4 - x, & 2 \leq x \leq 4 \end{cases}$$
  
Then number of points where  $f(f(x))$  is discontinuous is  
a) 1                      b) 2                      c) 3                      d) None of these
86. If  $f(x) = \frac{a \cos x - \cos bx}{x^2}$ ,  $x \neq 0$  and  $f(0) = 4$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then the ordered pair  $(a, b)$  is  
a)  $(\pm 1, 3)$                       b)  $(1, \pm 3)$                       c)  $(-1, -3)$                       d)  $(1, 3)$
87. Let  $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log(2+x) - x^{2n} \sin x}{1+x^{2n}}$ . Then  
a)  $f$  is continuous at  $x = 1$                       b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \log 3$   
c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = -\sin 1$                       d)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x)$  does not exist
88. The set of points where  $x^2|x|$  is thrice differentiable is  
a)  $R$                       b)  $R - \{0, \pm 1\}$                       c)  $R - \{0\}$                       d) None of these

89. 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)  $a = 1, b = -1$
90. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^3, & x^2 < 1 \\ x, & x^2 \geq 1 \end{cases}$ , then  $f(x)$  is differentiable at
- a)  $(-\infty, \infty) - \{1\}$   
b)  $(-\infty, \infty) \sim \{1 - 1\}$   
c)  $(-\infty, \infty) \sim \{1 - 1, 0\}$   
d)  $(-\infty, \infty) \sim \{-1\}$
91. If  $f(x) = [\log_e x] + \sqrt{\{\log_e x\}}, x > 1$ , where  $[.]$  and  $\{\}$  denote the greatest integer function and the fractional part function, respectively, then
- a)  $f(x)$  is continuous but non-differentiable at  $x = e$   
b)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = e$   
c)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = e$   
d) None of these

### Multiple Correct Answers Type

92. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (\sin^{-1} x)^2 \cos(1/x), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  then
- a)  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere in  $x \in (-1, 1)$   
b)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous in  $x \in [-1, 1]$   
c)  $f(x)$  is differentiable everywhere in  $x \in (-1, 1)$   
d)  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable nowhere in  $x \in [-1, 1]$
93. Which of the following function is thrice differentiable at  $x = 0$ ?
- a)  $f(x) = |x^3|$                       b)  $f(x) = x^3|x|$                       c)  $f(x) = |x| \sin^3 x$                       d)  $f(x) = x|\tan^3 x|$
94. A function  $f(x)$  satisfies the relation  $f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y) + xy(x + y) \forall x, y \in R$ . If  $f'(0) = -1$ , then
- a)  $f(x)$  is a polynomial function  
b)  $f(x)$  is an exponential function  
c)  $f(x)$  is twice differentiable for all  $x \in R$   
d)  $f'(3) = 8$
95. Let  $f(x) = [x]$  and  $g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \in Z \\ x^2, & x \in R - Z \end{cases}$  ( $[.]$  represents greatest integer function). Then
- a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} g(x)$  exists but  $g(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$     b)  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$   
c)  $g \circ f$  is continuous for all  $x$                       d)  $f \circ g$  is continuous for all  $x$
96. Let  $h(x) = \min\{x, x^2\}$ , for every real number of  $x$ , then
- a)  $h$  is continuous for all  $x$   
b)  $h$  is differentiable for all  $x$   
c)  $h'(x) = 1$ , for all  $x > 1$   
d)  $h$  is not differentiable at two values of  $x$
97. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R$  be any function and  $g(x) = \frac{1}{f(x)}$ . Then which of following is/are not true
- a)  $g$  is onto if  $f$  is onto                      b)  $g$  is one-one if  $f$  is one-to-one  
c)  $g$  is continuous if  $f$  is continuous                      d)  $g$  is differentiable if  $f$  is differentiable
98. The function  $f(x) = \max\{(1 - x), (1 + x), 2\}, x \in (-\infty, \infty)$  is
- a) Continuous at all points  
b) Differentiable at all points  
c) Differentiable at all points except at  $x = 1$  and  $x = -1$   
d) Continuous at all points except at  $x = 1$  and  $x = -1$ , where it is discontinuous





- c) Has isolated point discontinuity  
d) Irremovable discontinuity
110. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x - 3|, x \geq 1 \\ \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4}, x < 1 \end{cases}$  is
- a) Continuous at  $x = 1$   
b) Differentiable at  $x = 1$   
c) Continuous at  $x = 3$   
d) Differentiable at  $x = 3$
111. If  $x + |y| = 2y$ , then  $y$  as a function of  $x$  is
- a) Defined for all real  $x$   
b) Continuous at  $x = 0$   
c) Differentiable for all  $x$   
d) Such that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3}$  for  $x < 0$
112. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x| - 3, x < 1 \\ |x - 2| + a, x \geq 1 \end{cases}$  and  $g(x) = \begin{cases} 2 - |x|, x < 2 \\ \text{sgn}(x) - b, x \geq 2 \end{cases}$  and  $h(x) = f(x) + g(x)$  is discontinuous at exactly one point then which of the following values of  $a$  and  $b$  are possible
- a)  $a = -3, b = 0$       b)  $a = 2, b = 1$       c)  $a = 2, b = 0$       d)  $a = -3, b = 1$
113. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2(\text{sgn}[x]) + \{x\}, 0 \leq x < 2 \\ \sin x + |x - 3|, 2 \leq x < 4 \end{cases}$ , where  $[ ]$  and  $\{ \}$  represents the greatest integer and the fractional part function, respectively
- a)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$   
b)  $f(x)$  is continuous but non-differentiable at  $x = 1$   
c)  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 2$   
d)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 2$
114. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{e^{x-1+ax}}{x^2}, x > 0 \\ b, x = 0 \\ \sin \frac{x}{x}, x < 0 \end{cases}$ , then
- a)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  if  $a = -1, b = \frac{1}{2}$   
b)  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$  if  $b \neq \frac{1}{2}$   
c)  $f(x)$  has irremovable discontinuity at  $x = 0$  if  $a \neq -1$   
d)  $f(x)$  has removable discontinuity at  $x = 0$  if  $a = -1, b \neq \frac{1}{2}$
115. If  $f(x) = \text{sgn}(x^2 - ax + 1)$  has maximum number of points of discontinuity, then
- a)  $a \in (2, \infty)$       b)  $a \in (-\infty, -2)$       c)  $a \in (-2, 2)$       d) None of these
116. If  $f(x) = [|x|]$ , where  $[.]$  denotes the greatest integer function, then which of the following is not true?
- a)  $f(x)$  is continuous  $\forall x \in R$   
b)  $f(x)$  is continuous from right and discontinuous from left  $\forall x \in N$   
c)  $f(x)$  is continuous from left and discontinuous from right  $\forall x \in I$   
d)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$
117. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 5x - 4 & \text{for } 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 4x^2 - 3x & \text{for } 1 < x < 2 \\ 3x + 4 & \text{for } x \geq 2 \end{cases}$  is
- a) Continuous at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 2$   
b) Continuous at  $x = 1$  but not derivable at  $x = 2$   
c) Continuous at  $x = 2$  but not derivable at  $x = 1$   
d) Continuous at  $x = 1$  and  $2$  but not derivable at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 2$
118. Which of the following function(s) has/have removable discontinuity at  $x = 1$ ?
- a)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\ln |x|}$       b)  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^3 - 1}$       c)  $f(x) = 2^{-2^{1-x}}$       d)  $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{2x}}{x^2 - x}$

119.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{(\cot 3x)/(\cot 2x)} & ; 0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ b + 3; & x = \frac{\pi}{2} \\ (1 + |\cot x|)^{(a|\tan x|)/b}; & \frac{\pi}{2} < x < \pi \end{cases}$  is continuous at  $x = \pi/2$ , then

a)  $a = 0$     b)  $a = 2$     c)  $b = -2$     d)  $b = 2$

120. Let  $g(x) = x f(x)$ , where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

At  $x = 0$

- a)  $g$  is differentiable but  $g'$  is not continuous  
 b)  $g$  is differentiable while  $f$  is not differentiable  
 c) Both  $f$  and  $g$  are differentiable  
 d)  $g$  is differentiable but  $g'$  is continuous

121. The function  $f(x) = 1 + |\sin x|$  is

- a) Continuous nowhere  
 b) Continuous everywhere  
 c) Not differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 d) Not differentiable at infinite number of points

122. Let  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ . If  $f(x) = [x \sin \pi x]$ , then  $f(x)$  is

- a) Continuous at  $x = 0$     b) Continuous in  $(-1, 0)$   
 c) Differentiable at  $x = 1$     d) Differentiable in  $(-1, 1)$

123. The set of all points, where the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+|x|}$  is differentiable is

- a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$     b)  $[0, \infty)$     c)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$     d)  $(0, \infty)$

124. If  $f(x) = \frac{x-2}{2}$ , then in  $[0, \pi]$

- a) Both  $\tan(f(x))$  and  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  are continuous  
 b)  $\tan(f(x))$  is continuous but  $f^{-1}(x)$  is not continuous  
 c)  $\tan(f^{-1}(x))$  and  $f^{-1}(x)$  are discontinuous  
 d) None of these

125. The following functions are continuous on  $(0, \pi)$

a)  $\tan x$

b)  $\int_0^x t \sin \frac{1}{t} dt$

c)  $\begin{cases} 1, & 0 < x \leq \frac{3\pi}{4} \\ 2 \sin \frac{2}{9}x, & \frac{3\pi}{4} < x < \pi \end{cases}$

d)  $\begin{cases} x \sin x, & 0 < x \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \frac{\pi}{2} \sin(\pi + x), & \frac{\pi}{2} < x < \pi \end{cases}$

126. If  $f(x) = x + |x| + \cos([\pi^2]x)$  and  $g(x) = \sin x$ , where  $[.]$  denotes the greatest integer function, then

- a)  $f(x) + g(x)$  is continuous everywhere  
 b)  $f(x) + g(x)$  is differentiable everywhere  
 c)  $f(x) \times g(x)$  is differentiable everywhere  
 d)  $f(x) \times g(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 0$

127. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x \log \cos x}{\log(1+x^2)}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  then

- a)  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 0$   
 b)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$   
 c)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  but not differentiable at  $x = 0$   
 d)  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

128. The function defined as

$$f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \begin{cases} \cos^{2n} x & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \sqrt[n]{\sqrt{1+x^n}} & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 1, \\ \frac{1}{1+x^n} & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$$

Which of the following does not hold good?

- a) Continuous at  $x = 0$  but discontinuous at  $x = 1$   
 b) Continuous at  $x = 1$  but discontinuous at  $x = 0$   
 c) Continuous both at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 0$   
 d) Discontinuous both at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 0$
129. If  $f(x) = \sin \ln \left( \frac{\sqrt{9-x^2}}{2-x} \right)$ , then  
 a) Domain of  $f(x)$  is  $x \in (-3, 2)$   
 b) Range of  $f(x)$  is  $y \in (-1, 1)$   
 c)  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$   
 d) The right hand limit of  $y = (x - 3)f(x)$  at  $x = -3$  is zero
130. A function  $f$  is defined on an interval  $[a, b]$ . Which of the following statement(s) is/are incorrect?  
 a) If  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$  have opposite signs, then there must be a point  $c \in (a, b)$  such that  $f(c) = 0$   
 b) If  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ ,  $f(a) < 0$  and  $f(b) > 0$ , then there must be a point  $c \in (a, b)$  such that  $f(c) = 0$   
 c) If  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ , then there is a point  $c$  in  $(a, b)$  such that  $f(c) = 0$ , then  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$  have opposite signs  
 d) If  $f$  has no zeros on  $[a, b]$ , then  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$  have the same sign
131. If  $f(x) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|a + \sin \pi x|^t - 1}{|a + \sin \pi x|^t + 1}$ ,  $x \in (0, 6)$ , then  
 a) If  $a = 1$ , then  $f(x)$  has 5 points of discontinuity  
 b) If  $a = 3$ , then  $f(x)$  has no point of discontinuity  
 c) If  $a = 0.5$ , then  $f(x)$  has 6 points of discontinuity  
 d) If  $a = 0$ , then  $f(x)$  has 6 points of discontinuity

### Assertion - Reasoning Type

This section contain(s) 0 questions numbered 132 to 131. Each question contains STATEMENT 1(Assertion) and STATEMENT 2(Reason). Each question has the 4 choices (a), (b), (c) and (d) out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.

- a) Statement 1 is True, Statement 2 is True; Statement 2 **is** correct explanation for Statement 1  
 b) Statement 1 is True, Statement 2 is True; Statement 2 **is not** correct explanation for Statement 1  
 c) Statement 1 is True, Statement 2 is False  
 d) Statement 1 is False, Statement 2 is True

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**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = (2x - 5)^{3/5}$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 5/2$

**Statement 2:** If the graph of  $y = f(x)$  has sharp turn at  $x = a$ , then it is non-differentiable

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**Statement 1:** The function  $f(x) = a_1 e^{|x|} + a_2 |x|^5$ , where  $a_1, a_2$  are constants, is differentiable at  $x = 0$  if  $a_1 = 0$

**Statement 2:**  $e^{|x|}$  is a many-one function

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**Statement 1:** Let  $f(x) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \cos^{2m}(n! \pi x)\}$ , and  $g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 1, & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$ . Then  $h(x) = f(x) + g(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$

**Statement 2:**  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are discontinuous for all  $x \in R$

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**Statement 1:** If  $f(x)$  is a continuous function such that  $f(0) = 1$  and  $f(x) \neq x, \forall x \in R$ , then  $f(f(x)) > x$

**Statement 2:** If  $f: R \rightarrow R, f(x)$  is a onto function, then  $f(x) = 0$  has at least one solution

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**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = |x| \sin x$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

**Statement 2:** If  $f(x)$  is not differentiable and  $g(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = a$ , then  $f(x)g(x)$  can still be differentiable at  $x = a$

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**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = \pm 1$

**Statement 2:** Principal value of  $\tan^{-1} x$  are  $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

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**Statement 1:** If  $|f(x)| \leq |x|$  for all  $x \in R$ , then  $|f(x)|$  is continuous at 0

**Statement 2:** If  $f(x)$  is continuous, then  $|f(x)|$  is also continuous

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**Statement 1:** If  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are two differentiable functions  $\forall x \in R$ , then  $y = \max\{f(x), g(x)\}$  is always continuous but not differentiable at the point of intersection of graphs of  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$

**Statement 2:**  $y = \max\{f(x), g(x)\}$  is always differentiable in between the two consecutive roots of  $f(x) - g(x) = 0$  if both the functions  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are differentiable  $\forall x \in R$

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**Statement 1:**  $y = \sin x$  and  $y = \sin^{-1} x$ , both are differentiable functions

**Statement 2:** Differentiable of  $f(x) \Rightarrow$  differentiability of  $y = f^{-1}(x)$

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**Statement 1:** Both the functions  $|\ln x|$  and  $\ln x$  are both continuous for all  $x$

**Statement 2:** Continuity of  $|f(x)| \Rightarrow$  continuity of  $f(x)$

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**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = (\sin \pi x)(x - 1)^{1/5}$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$

**Statement 2:** Product of two differentiable function is always differentiable

143

**Statement 1:** The function  $f(x) = [\sqrt{x}]$  is discontinuous for all integral values of  $x$  in its domain (where  $[x]$  is the greatest integer  $\leq x$ )

**Statement 2:**  $[g(x)]$  will be discontinuous for all  $x$  given by  $g(x) = k$ , where  $k$  is any integer

144

**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = \operatorname{sgn}(x^2 - 2x + 3)$  is continuous for all  $x$

**Statement 2:**  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  has no real roots if  $b^2 - 4ac < 0$

145

**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = ||x^2| - 3|x| + 2|$  is not differentiable at 5 points

**Statement 2:** If the graph of  $f(x)$  crosses the  $x$ -axis at  $m$  distinct points, then  $g(x) = |f(x)|$  is always non-differentiable at least at  $m$  distinct points

146

**Statement 1:** The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{e^{1/x} - 1}{e^{1/x} + 1}, & x \neq 0 \\ \cos x & x = 0 \end{cases}$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

**Statement 2:**  $f(0) = 1$

147 Consider the functions  $f(x) = x^2 - 2x$  and  $g(x) = -|x|$

**Statement 1:** The composite function  $F(x) = f(g(x))$  is not derivable at  $x = 0$

**Statement 2:**  $F'(0^+) = 2$  and  $F'(0^-) = -2$

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**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = \operatorname{sgn} x$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = |\operatorname{sgn} x|$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

**Statement 2:** Discontinuity of  $f(x) \Rightarrow$  discontinuity of  $|f(x)|$

149 Consider  $[\cdot]$  and  $\{\cdot\}$  denote the greatest integer function and the fractional part function, respectively

Let  $f(x) = \{x\} + \sqrt{\{x\}}$

**Statement 1:**  $f$  is not differentiable at integral values of  $x$

**Statement 2:**  $f$  is not continuous at integral points

150

**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = [\sin x] - [\cos x]$  is discontinuous at  $x = \pi/2$ , where  $[\cdot]$  represent the greatest integer function

**Statement 2:** If  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are discontinuous at  $x = a$ , then  $f(x) + g(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = a$

151 Let  $f(x) = x|x|$  and  $g(x) = \sin x$

**Statement 1:**  $g \circ f$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and its derivative is continuous at that point

**Statement 2:**  $g \circ f$  is twice differentiable at  $x = 0$

152 Consider the function  $f(x) = \operatorname{sgn}(x - 1)$  and  $g(x) = \cot^{-1}[x - 1]$ , where  $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function

**Statement 1:** The function  $F(x) = f(x), g(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1$

**Statement 2:** If  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = a$  and  $g(x)$  is also discontinuous at  $x = a$ , then the product function  $f(x)g(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = a$

153

**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{2n-1}}{x^{2n+1}}$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1$

**Statement 2:** If limit of function exists at  $x = a$  but not equal to  $f(a)$ , then  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = a$

154

**Statement 1:** If  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = e$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = e$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(g(x))$  cannot be equal to  $f\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)\right)$

**Statement 2:** If  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = e$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = e$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(g(x)) = f\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)\right)$

155 Consider the function

$$f(x) = \cot^{-1}\left(\operatorname{sgn}\left(\frac{[x]}{2x-[x]}\right)\right), \text{ where } [\cdot] \text{ denotes the greatest integer function}$$

**Statement 1:**  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1$

**Statement 2:**  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 1$

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**Statement 1:** If  $f'(x)$  exists then  $f'(x)$  is continuous

**Statement 2:** Every differentiable function is continuous

157

**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = \sin x + [x]$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$ , where  $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function

**Statement 2:** If  $g(x)$  is continuous and  $h(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = a$ , then  $g(x) + h(x)$  will necessary be discontinuous at  $x = a$

158

**Statement 1:**  $f(x) = \min\{\sin x, \cos x\}$  is non-differentiable at  $x = \pi/2$

**Statement 2:** Non-differentiability of  $\max\{g(x), h(x)\} \Rightarrow$  non-differentiability of  $\min\{g(x), h(x)\}$

### Matrix-Match Type

This section contain(s) 0 question(s). Each question contains Statements given in 2 columns which have to be matched. Statements (A, B, C, D) in **columns I** have to be matched with Statements (p, q, r, s) in **columns II**.

159. Consider the function  $f(x) = x^2 + bx + c$ , where  $D = b^2 - 4c > 0$

**Column-I**

**Column- II**

(A)  $b < 0, c > 0$

(p) 1

(B)  $c = 0, b < 0$

(q) 2

(C)  $c = 0, b > 0$

(r) 3

(D)  $b = 0, c < 0$

(s) 5

CODES :

|    | A | B | C | D |
|----|---|---|---|---|
| a) | p | q | s | r |
| b) | q | p | r | s |
| c) | r | s | q | p |
| d) | s | r | p | q |

160. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{5e^{1/x}+2}{3-e^{1/x}}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$

Column-I

Column-II

(A)  $y = f(x)$  is

(p) Continuous at  $x = 0$

(B)  $y = xf(x)$  is

(q) Discontinuous at  $x = 0$

(C)  $y = x^2f(x)$  is

(r) Differentiable at  $x = 0$

(D)  $y = x^{-1}f(x)$  is

(s) Non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

CODES :

|    | A   | B   | C   | D   |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| a) | P,s | q,s | p,q | p,r |
| b) | p,r | q,s | p,s | q   |
| c) | q,s | p,s | p,r | q,s |
| d) | p,s | p,q | q,s | p,r |

161.

Column-I

Column-II

(A)  $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \cos^{2n}(2\pi x) + \left\{x + \frac{1}{2}\right\}$ , where  $\{.\}$  denotes the fractional part function at  $x = \frac{1}{2}$

(p) Continuous

(B)  $f(x) = (\log_e x)(x - 1)^{1/5}$  at  $x = 1$

(q) Discontinuous

(C)  $f(x) = [\cos 2\pi x] + \sqrt{\left\{\sin \pi \frac{x}{2}\right\}}$ , where  $[.]$  and  $\{.\}$  denote the greatest integer and the fractional part function, respectively at  $x = 1$

(r) Differentiable

(D)  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \cos 2x, & x \in Q \\ \sin x, & x \notin Q \end{cases}$  at  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$

(s) Non-differentiable

CODES :



|    | A   | B   | C   | D   |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| a) | Q,s | p,r | p,r | p,s |
| b) | p,r | q,s | p,s | p,r |
| c) | q,s | p,s | p,r | p,q |
| d) | p,q | q,s | p,s | q,r |

162.

|     | Column-I  | Column-II |
|-----|---|-----------|
| (A) | $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{ x } & \text{for }  x  \geq 1 \\ ax^2 + b & \text{for }  x  < 1 \end{cases}$ is differentiable everywhere and $ k  = a + b$ , then the value of $k$ is | (p) 2     |
| (B) | If $f(x) = \text{sgn}(x^2 - ax + 1)$ has exactly one point of discontinuity, then the value of $a$ can be   | (q) -2    |
| (C) | $f(x) = [2 + 3 n  \sin x]$ , $n \in N$ ; $x \in (0, \pi)$ has exactly 11 points of discontinuity, then the value of $n$ is  | (r) 1     |
| (D) | $f(x) =   x  - 2  + a$ has exactly three points of non-differentiability, then the value of $a$ is  | (s) -1    |

CODES :

|    | A   | B   | C   | D   |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| a) | P,q | p,r | p,s | q,s |
| b) | r,s | p,q | p,q | p,r |
| c) | p,r | q,s | p,q | r,s |
| d) | q,s | p,r | r,s | p,q |

163.

|     | Column-I                  | Column-II   |
|-----|---------------------------|---|
| (A) | $f(x) =  x^3 $ is         | (p) Continuous in $(-1, 1)$                               |
| (B) | $f(x) = \sqrt{ x }$ is    | (q) Differentiable in $(-1, 1)$                           |
| (C) | $f(x) =  \sin^{-1} x $ is | (r) Differentiable in $(0, 1)$                            |
| (D) | $f(x) = \cos^{-1}  x $ is | (s) Not differentiable at least at one point in $(-1, 1)$ |

CODES :

|    | A     | B     | C     | D     |
|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| a) | P,q,r | p,r,s | p,r,s | p,r,s |

- b) p,q      p,r,s      q,r      p,r
- c) q,r      p,s      p,r      p,r,s
- d) p,q      s,q      p,r      q,s

### Linked Comprehension Type

This section contain(s) 11 paragraph(s) and based upon each paragraph, multiple choice questions have to be answered. Each question has atleast 4 choices (a), (b), (c) and (d) out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.

#### Paragraph for Question Nos. 164 to -164

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{a(1-x \sin x) + b \cos x + 5}{x^2}, & x < 0 \\ 3, & x = 0 \\ \left\{1 + \left(\frac{P(x)}{x^2}\right)\right\}^{1/x}, & x > 0 \end{cases}, \text{ where } P(x) \text{ is a cubic function and } f \text{ is continuous at } x = 0$$

164. The range of function  $g(x) = 3a \sin x - b \cos x$  is  
 a)  $[-10, 10]$       b)  $[-5, 5]$       c)  $[-12, 12]$       d) None of these

#### Paragraph for Question Nos. 165 to - 165

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 2, & 0 \leq x < 2 \\ 6 - x, & x \geq 2 \end{cases},$$

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + \tan x, & 0 \leq x < \frac{\pi}{4} \\ 3 - \cot x, & \frac{\pi}{4} \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$$

165.  $f(g(x))$  is  
 a) Discontinuous at  $x = \pi/4$   
 b) Differentiable at  $x = \pi/4$   
 c) Continuous but non-differentiable at  $x = \pi/4$   
 d) Differentiable at  $x = \pi/4$ , but derivative is not continuous

#### Paragraph for Question Nos. 166 to - 166

Consider  $f(x) = x^2 + ax + 3$  and  $g(x) = x + b$  and  $F(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x) + x^{2n}g(x)}{1 + x^{2n}}$

166. If  $F(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$ , then  
 a)  $b = a + 3$       b)  $b = a - 1$       c)  $a = b - 2$       d) None of these

#### Paragraph for Question Nos. 167 to - 167

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \begin{cases} [x], & -2 \leq x \leq -\frac{1}{2} \\ 2x^2 - 1, & -\frac{1}{2} < x \leq 2 \end{cases} \text{ and } g(x) = f(|x|) + |f(x)|, \text{ where } [\cdot] \text{ represents greatest integer function}$$

167. The number of points where  $|f(x)|$  is non-differentiable is  
 a) 3                                      b) 4                                      c) 2                                      d) 5

**Paragraph for Question Nos. 168 to - 168**

Given the continuous function

$$y = f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 10x + 8, & x \leq -2 \\ ax^2 + bx + c, & -2 < x < 0, a \neq 0 \\ x^2 + 2x, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

If a line  $L$  touches the graph of  $y = f(x)$  at three points, then

168. The slope of the line ' $L$ ' is equal to  
 a) 1                                      b) 2                                      c) 4                                      d) 6

**Integer Answer Type**

169.  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+(\ln x)(\ln x)\dots\infty} \forall x \in [1, 3]$  is non-differentiable at  $x = k$ . Then the value of  $[k^2]$  is (where  $[\cdot]$  represents greatest integer function)
170. Number of points of discontinuity for  $f(x) = \operatorname{sgn}(\sin x), x \in [0, 4\pi]$  is
171. Let  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  be two continuous functions and  $h(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{2n} \cdot f(x) + x^{2m} \cdot g(x)}{(x^{2n+1})}$ . If limit of  $h(x)$  exists at  $x = 1$ , then one root of  $f(x) - g(x) = 0$  is
172. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{2} - 1, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ \frac{1}{2}, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$  and  $g(x) = (2x + 1)(x - k) + 3, 0 \leq x < \infty$ . Then  $g(f(x))$  is continuous at  $x = 1$  if  $12k$  is equal to
173. A differentiable function  $f$  satisfying a relation  $f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y) + 2xy(x + y) - \frac{1}{3} \forall x, y \in R$  and  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3f(h) - 1}{6h} = \frac{2}{3}$ . Then the value of  $[f(2)]$  is (where  $[x]$  represents greatest integer function)
174. If the function  $f(x) = \frac{\tan(\tan x) - \sin(\sin x)}{\tan x - \sin x} (x \neq 0)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , then the value of  $f(0)$  is
175. Let  $f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{2n-1} + ax^2 + bx}{x^{2n+1}}$ . If  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in R$ , then the value of  $a + 8b$  is
176. If  $f(x)$  is a continuous function  $\forall x \in R$  and the  $f(x) \in (1, \sqrt{30})$ , and  $g(x) = \left[ \frac{f(x)}{a} \right]$ , where  $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function, is continuous  $\forall x \in R$ , then the least positive integral value of  $a$  is
177. Number of points where  $f(x) = \operatorname{sgn}(x^2 - 3x + 2) + [x - 3], x \in [0, 4]$  is discontinuous is (where  $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function)
178. Let  $g(x) = \begin{cases} a\sqrt{x+1} & \text{if } 0 < x < 3 \\ bx + 2 & \text{if } 3 \leq x < 5 \end{cases}$ , if  $g(x)$  is differentiable on  $(0, 5)$  then  $(a + b)$  equals
179. Number of points of non-differentiability of function  $f(x) = \max\{\sin^{-1}|\sin x|, \cos^{-1}|\sin x|\}, 0 < x < 2\pi$  is
180. Given  $\frac{\int_y^{f(x)} e^t dt}{\int_x^{(1/t)} dt} = 1, \forall x, y \in \left(\frac{1}{e^2}, \infty\right)$  where  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable function and  $f\left(\frac{1}{e}\right) = 0$ . If  $g(x) = \begin{cases} e^x, & x \geq k \\ e^{x^2}, & 0 < x < k \end{cases}$ ; then the value of ' $k$ ' for which  $f(g(x))$  is continuous  $\forall x \in R^+$  is
181. Number of points where  $f(x) = [x] + [x + 1/3] + [x + 2/3]$ , then ( $[\cdot]$  denotes the greatest integer function) is discontinuous for  $x \in (0, 3)$
182. The least integer value of  $p$  for which  $f''(x)$  is everywhere continuous where  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^p \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + x|x|, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$

5.CONTINUITY AND DIFFERENTIABILITY

**: ANSWER KEY :**

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

## : HINTS AND SOLUTIONS :

1 (d)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (e^x - 1)|e^{2x} - 1| \\ &= (e^x - 1)|e^x - 1||e^x + 1| \\ &= (e^x + 1)(e^x - 1)|e^x - 1| \end{aligned}$$

Now, both  $e^x + 1$  and  $(e^x - 1)|e^x - 1|$  are differentiable

[as  $g(x)|g(x)|$  is differentiable when  $g(x) = 0$ ]

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable

$f(x) = \frac{x-1}{x^2+1}$  is rational function in which

denominator never becomes zero

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} ||x-3|-1|, & x < 3 \\ \frac{x}{3}[x]-2, & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} |3-x-1|, & x < 3 \\ \frac{x}{3}3-2, & 3 \leq x < 4 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} |x-2|, & x < 3 \\ x-2, & 3 \leq x < 4 \end{cases}$$

$$= x-2, x \in [2, 4)$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 3$

$$f(x) = 3(x-2)^{3/4} + 3 \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{9}{4}(x-2)^{-1/4}$$

Which is non-differentiable at  $x = 2$

Here  $f(x)$  is continuous and the graph has vertical tangent at  $x = 2$ ; however, graph is smooth in neighbourhood of  $x = 2$

2 (c)

$$\text{Given that } \cos \frac{x}{2} \cos \frac{x}{2^2} \cos \frac{x}{2^3} \dots \cos \frac{x}{2^n} = \frac{\sin x}{2^n \sin(\frac{x}{2^n})}$$

(1)

Taking logarithm to the base 'e' on both sides of equation (1) and then differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\sum_{n=1}^n \frac{1}{2^n} \tan \frac{x}{2^n} = \left( \frac{1}{2^n} \cot \frac{x}{2^n} - \cot x \right)$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=1}^n \frac{1}{2^n} \tan \frac{x}{2^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{1}{x} \times \frac{x}{\tan \frac{x}{2^n}} - \cot x \right)$$

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

$$\therefore \text{We have } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} - \cot x, & x \in (0, \pi) - \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2} \right\} \\ \frac{2}{\pi}, & x = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Clearly } \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \left( \frac{1}{x} - \cot x \right) = \frac{2}{\pi} = f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

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

3 (b)

$$f(2) = 0,$$

$$f(2^+) = \{4^+\} - \{2^+\}^2 = 0 - 0 = 0$$

$$f(2^-) = \{4^-\} - \{2^-\}^2 = 1 - 1 = 0$$

Hence  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 2$

$$f(-2) = 0,$$

$$f(-2^+) = \{4^-\} - \{-2^+\}^2 = 1 - 0 = 1$$

Hence  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = -2$

4 (a)

$$f(x) = 2|\text{sgn}(2x)| + 2 = \begin{cases} 4, & x > 0 \\ 2, & x = 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  has non-removable discontinuity at  $x = 0$

5 (a)

$$f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sin^2[\pi x])^n + \left[ x + \frac{1}{2} \right]$$

Now  $g(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sin^2(\pi x))^n$  is discontinuous

when  $\sin^2(\pi x) = 1$  or  $\pi x = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}$  or

$$x = \frac{(2n+1)}{2}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Thus,  $g(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 3/2$

Also  $h(x) = \left[ x + \frac{1}{2} \right]$  is discontinuous at  $x = 3/2$

$$\text{But } f(3/2) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sin^2(3\pi/2))^n + \left[ \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right] = 1 + 2 = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(3/2^+) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sin^2((3\pi/2)^+))^n + \left[ \left( \frac{3}{2} \right)^+ + \frac{1}{2} \right] \\ &= 0 + 2 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 3/2$

Both  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  are continuous at  $x = 1$ ,

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

6 (b)

$|\sin x|$  and  $e^{|x|}$  are not differentiable at  $x = 0$  and  $|x^3|$  is 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

7 (d)

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

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(4+h^2)}{\log(1-4h)} = -\infty$$

$$\text{And, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(1+h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(4+h^2)}{\log(1+4h)} = \infty$$

So,  $f(1^-)$  and  $f(1^+)$  do not exist

8 (a)

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

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

Discontinuous at  $x = 1$   $\therefore$  number of points of discount 1

9 (d)

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{|x|^3} - |x| - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |x| - |x| - 1 = -1$$

Hence, differentiable for all  $x$

10 (d)

$$f(x) = \frac{\tan(\pi[x - \pi])}{1 + [x]^2}$$

By definition,  $[x - \pi]$  is an integer whatever be the value of  $x$  and so  $\pi[x - \pi]$  is an integral multiple of  $\pi$

Consequently,  $\tan(\pi[x - \pi]) = 0, \forall x$

And since  $1 + [x]^2 \neq 0$  for any  $x$ , we conclude that  $f(x) = 0$

Thus  $f(x)$  is constant function and so it is continuous and differentiable

11 (d)

$$f(x) = [x^2] - \{x\}^2$$

$$f(-1) = 1, f(-1^-) = 1 - 1 = 0$$

$$f(1) = 1, f(1^+) = 1 - 0 = 1$$

$$f(1^-) = 0 - 1 = -1$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1, -1$

12 (b)

$$f(x) = \cos \pi (|x| + [x])$$

$$= \begin{cases} \cos \pi (-x + (-1)), & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ \cos \pi (x + 0), & 0 \leq x < 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} -\cos \pi x, & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ \cos \pi x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \end{cases}$$

Obviously,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$ , otherwise  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable in  $(-1, 0)$  and  $(0, 1)$

13 (c)

$$f(|x|) = \begin{cases} \sin |x|, & |x| < 0 \\ \cos(x) - ||x| - 1|, & |x| \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(|x|) = \cos(x) - ||x| - 1|, x \in R$$

[as  $|x| < 0$  is not possible and  $|x| \geq 0$  is true  $\forall x \in R$ ]

Which is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$  and when  $|x| - 1 = 0$  or  $x = \pm 1$

Hence,  $f(|x|)$  has exactly three points of non-differentiability

14 (a)

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

$$\text{Now } f'(0^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-1/h^2} - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1/h}{e^{1/h^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1/h^2}{-2/h^3 e^{1/h^2}} \text{ (applying L' Hopital's rule)}$$

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

Also  $f'(0^-) = 0$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

15 (d)

Let  $k$  is integer

$$f(k) = 0, f(k-0) = (k-1)^2 - (k^2-1)$$

$$= 2 - 2k$$

$$f(k+0) = k^2 - (k^2) = 0$$

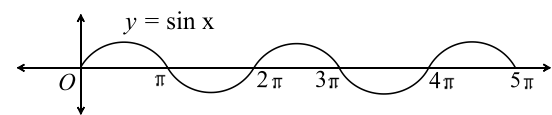
If  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = k$ , then  $2 - 2k = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow k = 1$

16 (c)

$f(x) = \text{sgn}(\sin^2 x - \sin x - 1)$  is discontinuous when  $\sin^2 x - \sin x - 1 = 0$

$$\text{or } \sin x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2} \text{ or } \sin x = \frac{1 - \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

For exactly four point of discontinuity,  $n$  can take value 4 or 5 as shown in the diagram



17 (c)

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

Replace  $x$  by  $x-1$ , we have  $f(2+x-1) = f(-x+1)$  or  $f(1+x) = f(1-x)$

Hence  $f(x)$  is symmetrical about line  $x = 1$

Now put  $x = 2$  in (1), we get  $f(4) = f(-2)$ , hence differentiability at  $x = 4$  implies differentiability at  $x \rightarrow 2$

18 (a)

L.H.D. at  $x = k$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(k) - f(k-h)}{h} \quad (k = \text{integer})$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[k] \sin k\pi - [k-h] \sin(k-h)\pi}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(k-1) \sin(k\pi - h\pi)}{h} \quad [\because \sin k\pi = 0]$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(k-1)(-1)^{k-1} \sin h\pi}{h\pi} \times \pi$$

$$= \pi(k-1)(-1)^k$$

19 (c)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{(x-2)}{|x-2|} \left( \frac{x^2-1}{x^2+1} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{(x-2)}{(x-2)} \left( \frac{x^2-1}{x^2+1} \right)$$

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

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{(x-2)}{|x-2|} \left( \frac{x^2-1}{x^2+1} \right)$$

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

Thus, L.H.L.  $\neq$  R.H.L.

Hence, the function has non-removable discontinuity at  $x = 2$

20 (c)

$[\sin x]$  is non-differentiable at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, 2\pi$  and

$[\cos x]$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is definitely non-differentiable at  $x = \pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}, 0$

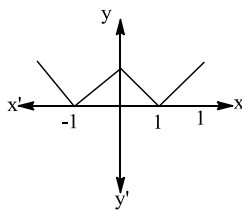
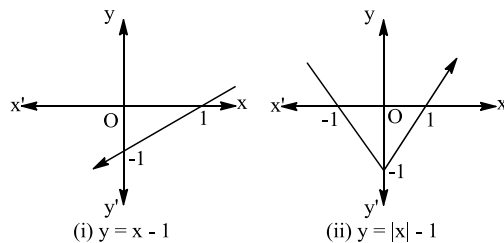
$$\text{Also, } f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 1, f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 0\right) = 0$$

$$f(2\pi) = 1, f(2\pi - 0) = -1$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is also non-differentiable at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $2\pi$

21 (a)

Using graphical transformation



(iii)  $y = ||x| - 1|$

As, we know the function is not differentiable at 6 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  $\{0, \pm 1\}$

22 (c)

$\left|x - \frac{1}{2}\right|$  is continuous everywhere but not

differentiable at  $x = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $|x - 1|$  is continuous everywhere but not differentiable at  $x = 1$ , and  $\tan x$  is continuous in  $[0, 2]$  except at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

Hence  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = \frac{1}{2}, 1, \frac{\pi}{2}$

23 (c)

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

Where  $|x| < 0$  is not possible thus, neglecting we get,

$$f(|x|) = |x|^2 - 2|x|, |x| \geq 0$$

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

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

Clearly  $f(|x|)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , but non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

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

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

Clearly  $|f(x)|$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$ , but continuous at  $x = 2$

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

$|f(x)|$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2$

24 (a)

$f(x) = (-1)^{[x^3]}$  is discontinuous

When  $x^3 = n, n \in Z \Rightarrow x = n^{1/3}$

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

For  $x \in (-1, 0), f(x) = (-1)^{-1} = -1$

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

For  $x \in [0, 1), f(x) = (-1)^0 = 1$

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

25 (d)

$f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0)$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f(0) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(0+h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{hg(h)}{|h|} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(h) \\ &= g(0) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } f'(0^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{hg(h)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(h) - g(0)}{h}$$

$$= g'(0) \text{ (as } g(0) = 0) = 0$$

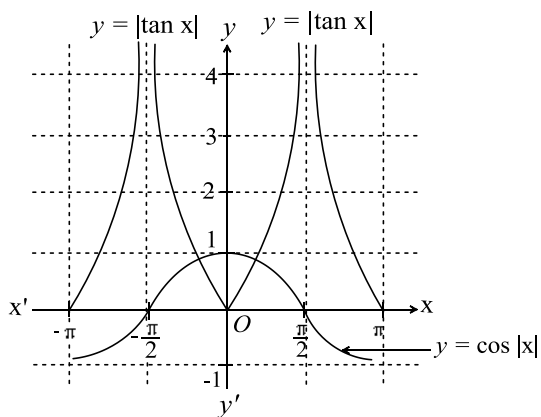
$$f'(0^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0-h) - f(0)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-hg(-h)}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(-h)}{h}$$

$$= -\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(-h) - g(0)}{-h} = -g'(0) = 0$$

Hence,  $f'(0)$  exists and  $f'(0) = 0$

26 (a)



The functions is not differentiable and continuous at two points between  $x = -\pi/2$  and  $x = \pi/2$ .

Also the function is not continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $x = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ . Hence, at four points, the function is not differentiable

27 (d)

$$f(2^+) = 2 + 2 \sin(0) = 2$$

$$f(2^-) = 3 + 2 \sin(1)$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 2$

$$\text{Also } f(0^+) = 2(0) - 0 - 0 \sin(0 - 0) = 0$$

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

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

28 (a)

$$f(x) \text{ is continuous when } 5x = x^2 + 6 \Rightarrow x = 2, 3$$

29 (d)

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

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{x - e^x + 1}{x^2} - \frac{(1 - \cos 2x)}{x^2} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{x+1 - (1+x+\frac{x^2}{2})}{x^2} - \frac{2 \sin^2 x}{x^2} \right] \text{ (Using expansion of } e^x)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} - 2$$

$$= -\frac{5}{2}; \text{ hence for continuous } f(0) = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\text{Now } [f(0)] = -3; \{f(0)\} = \left\{-\frac{5}{2}\right\} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Hence, } [f(0)]\{f(0)\} = -\frac{3}{2} = -1.5$$

30 (b)

$$g'(0^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(|h|) - |\sin h| - f(0)}{h}$$

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

$$= 1 - 1 = 0$$

$$= g'(0^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(|-h|) - |\sin(-h)| - f(0)}{-h}$$

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

$$= -1 + 1 = 0$$

Thus,  $g(x)$  is differentiable and  $g'(0) = 0$

31 (c)

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

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

This limit will not exist if  $a - 1 \leq 0 \Rightarrow a \leq 1$

$$\text{Now } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^a \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0 \text{ if } a > 0$$

Thus,  $a \in (0, 1]$

32 (c)

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$  except possibly at  $x = \pi/6$

For  $f(x)$  to be continuous at  $x = \pi/6$ , we must have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/6^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/6^+} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/6} \sin 2x = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/6} ax + b$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin(\pi/3) = (\pi/6)a + b$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{\pi}{6}a + b \quad (1)$$

For  $f(x)$  to be differentiable at  $x = \pi/6$ , we must have L.H.D. at  $x = \pi/6 =$  R.H.D. at  $x = \pi/6$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/6} 2 \cos 2x = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/6} a$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos \pi/3 = a \Rightarrow a = 1$$

Putting  $a = 1$  in equation (1), we get  $b =$

$$(\sqrt{3}/2) - \pi/6$$

33 (a)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left( 3 - \left[ \cot^{-1} \frac{2x^3 - 3}{x^2} \right] \right) = (3 - [\cot^{-1}(-\infty)])$$

$$= (3 - [\pi])$$

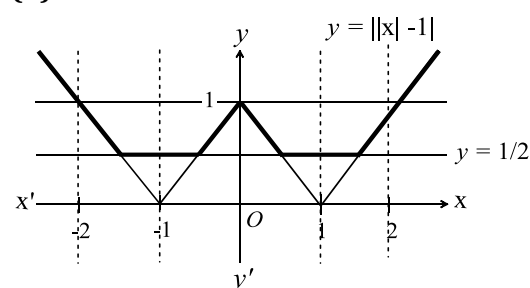
$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \{x^2\} \cos(e^{1/x})$$

$$= \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \{x^2\} \right) \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \cos(e^{1/x}) \right)$$

$$= (0)(\cos(e^{-\infty})) = 0$$

Thus  $f(x)$  has irremovable discontinuity at  $x = 0$ , hence  $f(0)$  does not exist

34 (d)



Clearly from the graph,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at five points,  $x = -2, -1, 0, 1, 2$

35 (c)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - ax + 3, & x \text{ is rational} \\ 2 - x, & x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$



Is continuous when  $x^2 - ax + 3 = 2 - x$  or  $x^2 - (a - 1)x + 1 = 0$

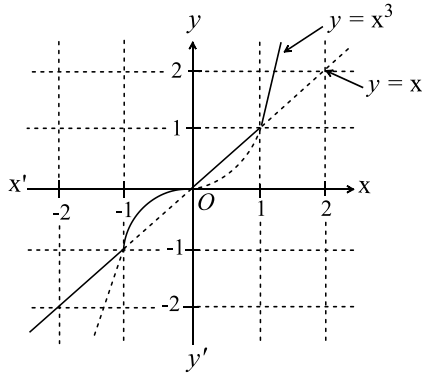
Which must have two distinct roots for

$$(a - 1)^2 - 4 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a - 1 - 2)(a - 1 + 2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (3, \infty)$$

36 (d)



From the graph  $f(x) = \max\{x, x^3\} =$

$$\begin{cases} x, & x < -1 \\ x^3, & -1 \leq x \leq 1 \\ x, & 0 < x < 1 \\ x^3, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f$  is not differentiable at  $-1, 0$  and  $1$

37 (d)

For  $0 \leq x < 1, f(x) = [\sin 0] = 0, 1 \leq x <$

$2, f(x) = [\sin 1] = 0$

$2 \leq x < 3, f(x) = [\sin 2] = 0, 3 \leq x < 4, f(x) = [\sin 3] = 0$

$4 \leq x < 5, f(x) = [\sin 4] = -1$

Hence, there is discontinuity at point  $(4, -1)$

38 (b)

$0 \leq \tan^2 x < 1$  when  $-\frac{\pi}{4} < x < \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 0 - \frac{\pi}{4} < x < \frac{\pi}{4}$$

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

39 (c)

$$f'(0^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^m \sin \frac{1}{h}}{h} \text{ must exist } \Rightarrow m > 1$$

For

$$m > 1, h'(x) =$$

$$\begin{cases} m x^{m-1} \sin \frac{1}{x} - x^{m-2} \cos \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

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

Limit exists if  $m > 2$

$$\therefore m \in \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow m = 3$$

40 (b)

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left(\frac{3^x - 1}{x}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{\sin x}{x}\right) \left(\frac{\ln(1+x)}{x}\right)} = (\ln 3)^2$$

41 (d)

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

$$= [(x - 1)|x - 1|] |x - 2| + \cos x$$

$(x - 1)|x - 1|$  and  $\cos x$  are differentiable for all  $x$

But  $|x - 2|$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 2$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 2$

42 (a)

$f(x)$  is continuous at some  $x$  where  $\sin x = \cos x$

or  $\tan x = 1$  or  $x = n\pi + \pi/4, n \in \mathbb{I}$

43 (c)

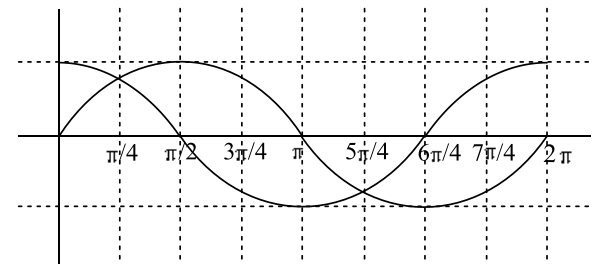
$$f(0 + 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(h)$$

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

$$\text{and } f(0 - 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(-h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{2h^2 + |-h|}$$

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

44 (c)



Consider the graph of  $f(x) = \max(\sin x, \cos x)$ , which is non-differentiable at  $x = \pi/4$ , hence statement (a) is false

From the graph  $y = f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = \pi/2$ , hence statement (b) is false

Statement (c) is always true

Statement (d) is false as consider  $g(x) = \max(x, x^2)$  at  $x = 0$ , for which  $x = x^2$  at  $x = 0$ , but  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

45 (b)

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

$$f(1^-) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} (1 - \sqrt{1 - x^2}) = 1$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Hence,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 1$

46 (b)

Since both  $\cos x$  and  $\sin^{-1} x$  are continuous function.  $f(x) = \sin^{-1}(\cos x)$  is also a continuous function. Now

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

Hence,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = n\pi, n \in Z$

48 (c)

$f(x) = \begin{cases} ax^2 + 1, & x \leq 1 \\ x^2 + ax + b, & x > 1 \end{cases}$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$

Then  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$

$$\Rightarrow f(1^-) = f(1^+) \Rightarrow a + 1 = 1 + a + b \Rightarrow b = 0$$

$$\text{Also } f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2ax, & x < 1 \\ 2x + a, & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{We must have } f'(1^-) = f'(1^+) \Rightarrow 2a = 2 + a \Rightarrow a = 2$$

49 (a)

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

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

$$(\text{L.H.D. at } x = 0) = \left[ \frac{d}{dx}(-x^3) \right]_{x=0} = [-3x^2]_{x=0} = 0$$

Similar (R.H.D. at  $x = 0$ ) = 0

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

50 (b)

$g(x)$  is an even function, then  $g(x) = g(-x)$

$$\Rightarrow g'(x) = -g'(-x) \Rightarrow g'(0) = -g'(0) \Rightarrow g'(0) = 0$$

$$\text{Now } f'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(0+h) \cos(1/h) - 0}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(h) \cos(1/h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g'(0) \cos(1/h) = 0$$

51 (c)

$$\text{We have } f(x) = \frac{4-x^2}{x(4-x^2)}$$

Clearly, there are three points of discontinuity, viz., 0, 2, -2

52 (b)

$f(x) = \frac{\tan(\frac{\pi-x}{4})}{\cot 2x}$ , ( $x \neq \pi/4$ ) is continuous at  $x = \pi/4$

$$\Rightarrow f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} f(x)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\tan\left(\frac{\pi-x}{4}\right)}{\cot 2x}$$

Now by applying L' Hopital's rule,

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{-\sec^2\left(\frac{\pi-x}{4}\right)}{-2 \operatorname{cosec}^2(2x)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

53 (c)

When  $x$  is not an integer, both the functions  $[x]$

and  $\cos\left(\frac{2x-1}{2}\right)\pi$  are continuous

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous on all non-integral points

For  $x = n \in I$

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

$$= (n-1) \cos\left(\frac{2n-1}{2}\right)\pi = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow n^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow n^+} [x] \cos\left(\frac{2x-1}{2}\right)\pi$$

$$= n \cos\left(\frac{2n-1}{2}\right)\pi = 0$$

$$\text{Also } f(n) = n \cos\left(\frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2}\right) = 0$$

$\therefore f$  is continuous at all integral points as well.

Thus,  $f$  is continuous everywhere

54 (d)

$$\text{Since } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x^{2n} = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } |x| < 1 \\ 1, & \text{if } |x| = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\sin x)^{2n} = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } |\sin x| < 1 \\ 1, & \text{if } |\sin x| = 1 \end{cases}$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is continuous at all  $x$ , except for those values of  $x$  for which  $|\sin x| = 1$ , i.e.,  $x =$

$$(2k+1)\frac{\pi}{2}, k \in Z$$

55 (b)

We have

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

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{2x - 1}{x}, & x < 1, x \neq 0 \\ \frac{1}{x}, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$  as it is not defined at  $x = 0$ . Since  $f(x)$  is not defined at  $x = 0$ , therefore  $f(x)$  cannot be differentiable at  $x = 0$ . Clearly  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$ , but it is not differentiable at  $x = 1$ , because  $Lf'(1) = 1$  and  $Rf'(1) = -1$

56 (d)

We have  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sin(\log_e | -h |) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sin(\log_e h)$  which does not exist and oscillates between  $-1$  and  $1$ . Similarly,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$  lies between  $-1$  and  $1$

57 (b)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + \left[ \cos \frac{\pi x}{2} \right], & 1 < x \leq 2 \\ 1 - \{x\}, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ |\sin \pi x|, & -1 \leq x < 0 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 1 - 1, & 1 < x \leq 2 \\ 1 - x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ -\sin \pi x, & -1 \leq x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$  but not differentiable

58 (c)

Given that  $f(x) = |1 - x|$

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

Clearly, the domain of  $\sin^{-1}(f(|x|))$  is  $[-2, 2]$

$\Rightarrow$  It is non-differentiable at the points  $\{-1, 0, 1\}$

59 (c)

At  $x = 0$ ,

L.H.L. =  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 - h)$

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

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

$$= 0 \left( \frac{0 - 1}{0 + 1} \right) = 0$$

R.H.L. =  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 + h)$

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

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

$$= 0 \left( \frac{1 - 0}{1 + 0} \right) = 0$$

and  $f(0) = 0$

$\Rightarrow$  L.H.L. = R.H.L. =  $f(0)$

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

Also L.H.D. =  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0-h) - f(0)}{-h}$

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

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

and R.H.D. =  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h}$

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

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

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

60 (d)

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  if  $a = 0$

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

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

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

Thus, no values of  $a$  exists

61 (c)

Obviously  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} e^{-1/x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} e^{-1/x^2} = 0$ ,

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

$$f'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-1/h^2}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1/h}{e^{1/h^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1/h^2}{-e^{1/h^2} \cdot \frac{2}{h^3}} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2h^3}{h^2 e^{1/h^2}} = 0$$

Hence  $f$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ . Also

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} e^{-\frac{1}{x^2}} \rightarrow 1$$

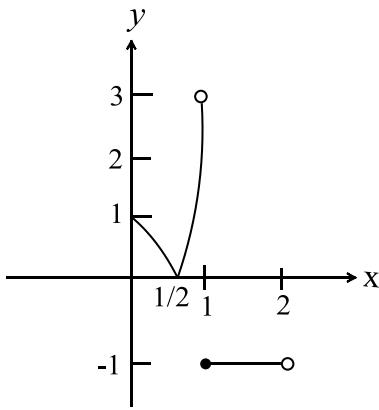
62 (c)

Since  $1 \leq x < 2 \Rightarrow 0 \leq x - 1 < 1$

$$\Rightarrow [x^2 - 2x] = [(x - 1)^2 - 1] = [(x - 1)^2] - 1 = 0 - 1 = -1$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - 4x^2, & 0 \leq x < \frac{1}{2} \\ 4x^2 - 1, & \frac{1}{2} \leq x < 1 \\ -1, & 1 \leq x < 2 \end{cases}$$

$\therefore$  graph of  $f(x)$ :



It is clear from graph that  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1$  and differentiable at  $x = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $x = 1$

- 63 (d)  $\frac{x}{1+|x|}$  is always differentiable (also at  $x = 0$ )  
 Also  $(x - 2)(x + 2)|(x - 1)(x - 2)(x - 3)|$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1, 3$   
 So,  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1, 3$

- 64 (a) Hence check continuity at  $x = k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$   
 For positive integers  
 $f(k) = \{k\}^2 - \{k^2\} = 0$   
 $f(k^+) = \{k^+\}^2 - \{(k^+)^2\} = 0 - 0$   
 $f(k^-) = \{k^-\}^2 - \{(k^-)^2\} = 1 - 1 = 0$   
 For negative integers,  
 $f(k) = \{k^2\} - \{k^2\} = 0$   
 $f(k^+) = \{k^+\}^2 - \{(k^+)^2\} = 0 - 1 = -1$   
 $f(k^-) = \{k^-\}^2 - \{(k^-)^2\} = 1 - 0 = 1$   
 Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous at positive integers and discontinuous at negative integers

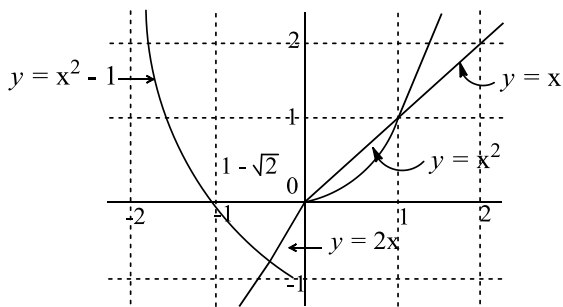
- 65 (c) For  $f(x)$  to be continuous at  $x = 0$ , we have  
 $f(0^-) = f(0^+) \Rightarrow a(0) + b = 1 \Rightarrow b = 1$   
 $f'(0^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{h^2+h} - b}{h}$   
 $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{h^2+h} - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{h^2+h} - 1}{h(h+1)} (h+1) = 1$   
 $\therefore f'(0^-) = a$   
 Hence,  $a = 1$

- 66 (b)  $f(0^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} |x|^{\sin x} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \sin x \log |x|}$   
 $= e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\log x}{\operatorname{cosec} x}} = e^0 = 1$  (Using L' Hopital rule)  
 $f(0^-) = g(0) = 1$   
 Let  $g(x) = ax + b$   
 $\Rightarrow b = 1 \Rightarrow g(x) = ax + 1$   
 For  $x > 0, f'(x) = e^{\sin x \ln(|x|)} [\cos x \ln(|x|) + \sin x]$   
 $f'(1) = 1[0 + \sin 1] = \sin 1$

$$f(-1) = -a + 1 \Rightarrow a = 1 - \sin 1$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = (1 - \sin 1)x + 1$$

- 67 (a)  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - bx + 25}{x^2 - 7x + 10}, x \neq 5$   
 $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 5$ , only if  
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^2 - bx + 25}{x^2 - 7x + 10}$  is finite  
 Now  $x^2 - 7x + 10 \rightarrow 0$  when  $x \rightarrow 5$   
 Then we must have  $x^2 - bx + 25 \rightarrow 0$  for which  
 $b = 10$   
 Hence,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^2 - 10x + 25}{x^2 - 7x + 10} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x-5}{x-2} = 0$
- 68 (c) Since,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = 1$  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  $g \circ f(x) = g(f(x)) = g([x]) = 0, \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$   
 We have  $f \circ g(x) = f(g(x))$   
 $= \begin{cases} f(0), & x \in \mathbb{Z} \\ f(x^2), & x \in \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{Z} \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 0, & x \in \mathbb{Z} \\ [x^2], & x \in \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{Z} \end{cases}$   
 Which is clearly not continuous
- 69 (c) Given,  $g(x) = \frac{(x-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(x-1)}; 0 < x < 2, m \neq 0, n$  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  
 $p = -1$   
 Also,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = p = -1$   
 $\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+h-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(1+h-1)} = -1$   
 $\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^n}{m \log \cos h} = -1$   
 $\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{n \cdot h^{n-1}}{m \cdot \frac{1}{\cos h} (-\sin h)} = -1$   
 [using L'Hospital's rule]  
 $\Rightarrow \left(\frac{n}{m}\right) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^{n-2}}{\left(\frac{\tan h}{h}\right)} = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow n = 2$  and  $\frac{n}{m} = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow m = n = 2$
- 70 (d)



From the graph it is clear that  $f(x)$  is everywhere continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 1 - \sqrt{2}, 0, 1$

71 (a)

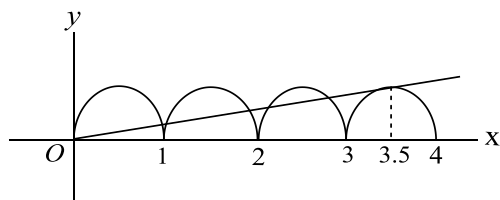
As  $f$  is continuous so  $f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$

$$\Rightarrow f(0) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(1/4n)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( (\sin e^n) e^{-n^2} + \frac{1}{1 + 1/n^2} \right) = 0 + 1 = 1$$

72 (b)

$$f(x) = \max \left\{ \frac{x}{n}, |\sin \pi x| \right\}$$



Thus, for the maximum points of non-differentiability, graphs of  $y = \frac{x}{n}$  and  $y = |\sin \pi x|$  must intersect at maximum number of points which occurs when  $n > 3.5$

Hence, the least value of  $n$  is 4

73 (c)

$$f(0) = 0 + 0 + \lambda \ln 4 = \lambda \ln 4 \quad (1)$$

$$\text{R.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 + h)$$

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

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

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

$$= \ln 4 \ln 2 \quad (2)$$

$$\therefore f(0) = \text{R.H.L.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \ln 2$$

74 (c)

$$f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{[(x-1)^2]^n - 1}{[(x-1)^2]^n + 1}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - \frac{1}{[(x-1)^2]^n}}{1 + \frac{1}{[(x-1)^2]^n}}$$

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

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

Thus,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0, 2$

75 (a)

$$x^2 + 2x + 3 + \sin \pi x = (x+1)^2 + 2 + \sin \pi x > 1$$

$$\therefore f(x) = 1 \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

76 (c)

$$f(x) = (x^2 - 1)|(x-1)(x-2)|$$

$$f(x) = (x^2 - 1)|(x-1)(x-2)|$$

$$= (x+1)[(x-1)|x-1||x-2|$$

Which is differentiable at  $x = 1$

For  $f(x) = \sin(|x-1|) - |x-1|$

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

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

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

For  $f(x) = \tan(|x-1|) + |x-1|$

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

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

Hence,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 1$

77 (a)

We have  $x + 4|y| = 6y$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x - 4y = 6y, & \text{if } y < 0 \\ x + 4y = 6y, & \text{if } y \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}x, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ \frac{1}{10}x, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}, & x > 0 \\ \frac{1}{10}, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  but non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

78 (c)

$f(x) = \tan x$  is discontinuous when  $x =$

$$(2n+1)\pi/2, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$f(x) = x[x]$  is discontinuous when  $x = k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$f(x) = \sin[n\pi x]$  is discontinuous when  $n\pi x = k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$

Thus, all the above functions have infinite number of points of discontinuity

But  $f(x) = \frac{[x]}{x}$  is discontinuous when  $x = 0$  only

79 (c)

$$f(x) = \{x\} \sin(\pi[x])$$

$$= \{x\} \sin(\text{integral multiple of } \pi)$$

$$= 0$$

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

80 **(b)**

The function  $f$  is clearly continuous at each point in its domain except possibly at  $x = 0$ . Given that  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

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

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

81 **(d)**

$f(x) = \cos(|x|) + |x| = \cos x + |x|$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$  as  $|x|$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$ . Similarly  $f(x) = \cos(|x|) - |x|$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

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

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

Which is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

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

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

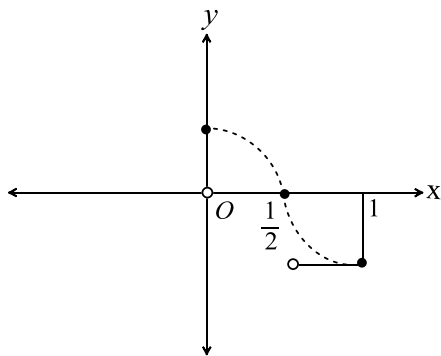
$\therefore f$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

82 **(b)**

Consider  $x \in [0, 1]$

From the graph given in figure, it is clear that  $[\cos \pi x]$  is discontinuous at

$$x = 0, 1/2 \quad (1)$$



Now consider  $x \in (1, 2]$

$$f(x) = [x - 2][2x - 3]$$

For  $x \in (1, 2)$ ;  $[x - 2] = -1$  and for  $x = 2$ ;  $[x - 2] = 0$

$$\text{Also } |2x - 3| = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3/2$$

$\Rightarrow x = 3/2$  and  $2$  may be the points at which  $f(x)$  is discontinuous (2)

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

Thus,  $f(x)$  is continuous when  $x \in [0, 2] - \{0, 1/2, 2\}$

83 **(b)**

$$\text{We have } f(x) = \sqrt{1 - \sqrt{1 - x^2}}$$

The domain of definition of  $f(x)$  is  $[-1, 1]$

For  $x \neq 0, x \neq \pm 1$ , we have

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

Since  $f(x)$  is not defined on the right side of  $x = 1$  and on the left side of  $x = -1$

Also,  $f'(x) \rightarrow \infty$  when  $x \rightarrow -1^+$  or  $x \rightarrow 1^-$

So, we check the differentiability at  $x = 0$

Now, L.H.D. at  $x = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0 - h) - f(0)}{-h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \sqrt{1 - h^2}} - 0}{-h} \\ &= -\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - (1 - (1/2)h^2 + (3/8)h^4 + \dots)}}{h} \\ &= -\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{8}h^2 + \dots} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, R.H.D. at  $x = 0$  is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

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

84 **(b)**

$$\text{We have } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - |x|}{1 + x}, & x \neq -1 \\ 1, & x = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} 1, & x < 0, \\ \frac{1 - x}{1 + x}, & x \geq 0 \end{cases} \quad (\because f(-1) = 1 \text{ is given})$$

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

$$= \begin{cases} 1, & x < 0 \\ 1, & 0 \leq x < 1/2 \\ 0, & 1/2 \leq x < 1 \\ -1/3, & 1 \leq x < \frac{3}{2} \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x < \frac{1}{2}$  and discontinuous at  $x = \frac{1}{2}, 1$

85 **(b)**

$f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1$  and  $x = 2$   
 $\Rightarrow f(f(x))$  may be discontinuous when  $f(x) = 1$   
 or  $2$

Now  $1 - x = 1 \Rightarrow x = 0$ , where  $f(x)$  is continuous

$$x + 2 = 1 \Rightarrow x = -1 \notin (1, 2)$$

$$4 - x = 1 \Rightarrow x = 3 \in [2, 4]$$

$$\text{Now } 1 - x = 2 \Rightarrow x = -1 \notin [0, 1]$$

$$x + 2 = 2 \Rightarrow x = 0 \notin (0, 2]$$

$$4 - x = 2 \Rightarrow x = 2 \in [2, 4]$$

Hence  $f(f(x))$  is discontinuous at  $x = 2, 3$

86 (b)

$$\text{We must have } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a \cos x - \cos bx}{x^2} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2!}\right) - \left(1 - \frac{b^2 x^2}{2!}\right)}{x^2} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{(a-1)}{x^2} - \left(\frac{a}{2} - \frac{b^2}{2}\right) \right] = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1 \text{ and } \frac{a}{2} - \frac{b^2}{2} = -4$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1 \text{ and } b^2 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1 \text{ and } b = \pm 3$$

87 (c)

For  $|x| < 1, x^{2n} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and for

$|x| > 1, 1/x^{2n} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . So

$f(x)$

$$= \begin{cases} \log(2+x), & |x| < 1 \\ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{-2n} \log(2+x) - \sin x}{x^{-2n} + 1} = -\sin x, & \text{if } |x| > 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} [\log(2+x) - \sin x], & |x| = 1 \end{cases}$$

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

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

88 (c)

Let  $f(x) = x^2|x|$  which could be expressed as

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x^3, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ x^3, & x > 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} -3x^2, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ 3x^2, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

So,  $f'(x)$  exists for all real  $x$

$$f''(x) = \begin{cases} -6x, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ 6x, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

So,  $f''(x)$  exists for all real  $x$

$$f'''(x) = \begin{cases} -6, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ 6, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

However,  $f'''(0)$  does not exist since  $f'''(0^-) =$

$-6$  and  $f'''(0^+) = 6$  which are not equal. Thus,

the set of points where  $f(x)$  is thrice

differentiable is  $R - \{0\}$

89 (d)

We have,

$$\text{L.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x)$$

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

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4-h-4}{|4-h-4|} + a$$

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

$$\text{R.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(4+h)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4+h-4}{|4+h-4|} + b = b + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow f(4) = a + b$$

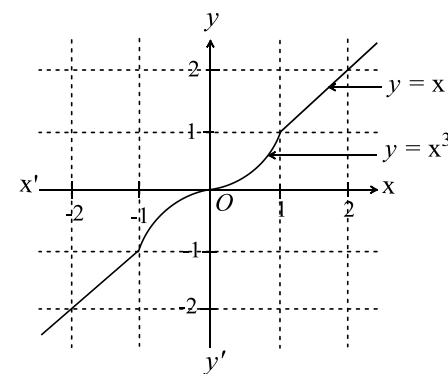
Since  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 4$ , therefore

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) = f(4) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow a - 1 = a + b = b + 1 \Rightarrow b = -1 \text{ and } a = 1$$

90 (b)

$f(x)$  is clearly continuous for  $x \in R$



$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 3x^2, & x^2 < 1 \\ 1, & x^2 > 1 \end{cases}$$

Thus,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 1, -1$

91 (a)

$$f(e) = [\log_e e] + \sqrt{\{\log_e e\}} = [1] + \sqrt{\{1\}} = 1 + 0 = 1$$

$$f(e^+) = [\log_e e^+] + \sqrt{\{\log_e e^+\}}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1+h] + \sqrt{\{1+h\}} = 1 + 0 = 1$$

$$f(e^-) = [\log_e e^-] + \sqrt{\{\log_e e^-\}}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1-h] + \sqrt{\{1-h\}} = 0 + 1 = 1$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = e$

$$\text{Now } f'(e^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(e+h) - f(e)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[1+h] + \sqrt{\{1+h\}} - 1}{h}$$

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

Hence,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

92 (a,c)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (\sin^{-1} x)^2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\sin^{-1} x)^2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0 \times (\text{any value between } -1 \text{ to } 1) = 0$$

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

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

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

$$= 1 \times (0) \times (\text{any value between } -1 \text{ to } 1) = 0$$

Similarly,  $f'(0^-) = 0$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable in  $[-1, 1]$  and  $(-1, 1)$ , respectively

93 (b,c,d)

$$f(x) = |x^3| = \begin{cases} -x^3, & x < 0 \\ x^3, & x \geq 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow f'''(x) = \begin{cases} -6, & x < 0 \\ 6, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Hence  $f'''(0)$  does not exist

$$f(x) = x^3|x| = \begin{cases} -x^4, & x < 0 \\ x^4, & x \geq 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow f'''(x) = \begin{cases} -24x, & x < 0 \\ 24x, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Hence  $f'''(0) = 0$  and exists

Similarly for  $f(x) = |x| \sin^3 x$  and  $f(x) = x|\tan^3 x|$ , also  $f'''(0) = 0$  and exists

94 (a,c,d)

Differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , keeping  $y$  as constant, we get  $f'(x+y) = f'(x) + 2xy + y^2$

Now put  $x = 0$

$$f'(y) = f'(0) + y^2 = y^2 - 1$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = x^2 - 1$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{x^3}{3} - x + c$$

$$\text{Also } f(0+0) = f(0) + f(0) + 0 \therefore f(0) = 0$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{x^3}{3} - x, f(x) \text{ is twice differentiable for all } x \in R \text{ and } f'(3) = 3^2 - 1 = 8$$

95 (a,b,c)

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

So,  $g(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 1$  but  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} g(x)$  exists

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

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [1-h] = 0$$

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

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

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

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

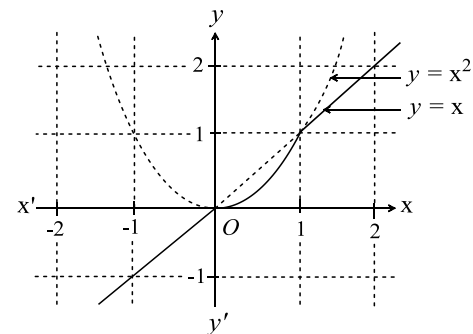
$$= \begin{cases} 0, & x \in Z \\ [x^2], & x \in R - Z \end{cases}$$

Which is clearly not continuous

96 (a,c,d)

From the figure, it is clear that  $h(x) =$

$$\begin{cases} x, & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ x^2, & \text{if } 0 < x < 1 \\ x, & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$



From the graph, it is clear that  $h(x)$  is continuous for all  $x \in R$ ,  $h'(x) = 1$  for all  $x > 1$ , and  $h$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$  and  $1$

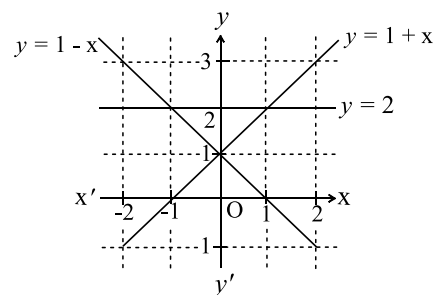
97 (a,c,d)

a is not correct as  $f(x) = x$  from  $R$  to  $R$  is onto but its reciprocal function  $g(x) = \frac{1}{x}$  is not onto on  $R$

b is obviously true

Also  $g(x)$  is not continuous, hence not differentiable though  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable in the above case

98 (a,c)



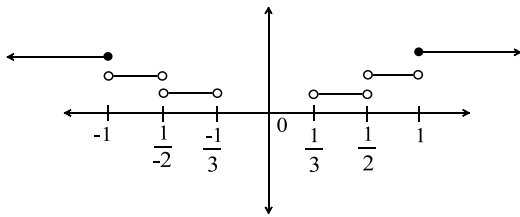
From the graph, it is clear that  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere and also differentiable everywhere except at  $x = 1$  and  $-1$

99 (a,c)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & |x| \geq 1 \\ \frac{1}{n^2}, \frac{1}{n} < |x| < \frac{1}{n-1}, & n = 2, 3, \dots \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$



$$= \begin{cases} 1, & x \leq -1 \text{ or } x \geq 1 \\ \frac{1}{4}, & x \in \left(-1, -\frac{1}{2}\right) \cup \left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right) \\ \frac{1}{9}, & x \in \left(-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{3}\right) \cup \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}\right) \\ \vdots & \end{cases}$$



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

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = 1, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{Also, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{n}^+} f(x) = \frac{1}{n^2} \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{n}^-} f(x) = \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}$$

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

Hence **a** and **c** are the correct answers

100 **(a,b,c,d)**

**a, b,** and **c** are false. Refer to definitions for **d, f** must be continuous  $\Rightarrow$  False

101 **(a,b)**

$$\text{We have } g(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{If } x \neq 0, g'(x) = x^2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right) + 2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

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

Which exists for  $\forall x \neq 0$

If  $x = 0,$

Then

$$g'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x) - g(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 \sin(1/x) - 0}{x - 0}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow g'(x) = \begin{cases} -\cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + 2x \sin\frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

At  $x = 0, \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$  is not continuous, therefore  $g'(x)$

is not continuous at  $x = 0$ . At  $x = 0$

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

Which does not exist

102 **(a,b)**

$$\sin^4 x \in (0, 1) \text{ for } x \in (-\pi/2, \pi/2),$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 0 \text{ for } x \in (-\pi/2, \pi/2)$$

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

103 **(a,c,d)**

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2x - 8}{x + 2} = \frac{(x + 2)(x - 4)}{x + 2} = x - 4, x \neq -2$$

Hence  $f(x)$  has removable discontinuity at  $x = -2$

Similarly  $f(x)$  in options (c) and (d) has also removable discontinuity

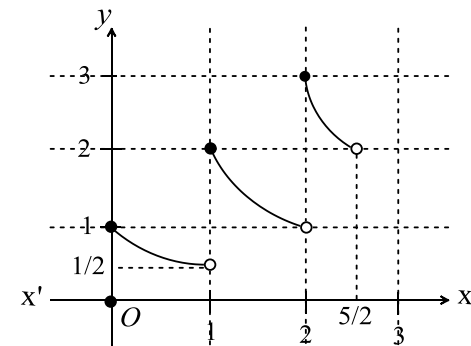
$$f(x) = \frac{x - 7}{|x - 7|} = \begin{cases} -1, & x < 7 \\ 1, & x > 7 \end{cases}$$

Hence  $f(x)$  has non-removable discontinuity at  $x = 7$

104 **(b,c)**

Option (a) is wrong as  $f(x) = \sin x$  and  $g(x) = |x|, g(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$ , but  $f(x)g(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

105 **(a,b,d)**



$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x+1}, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ \frac{2}{x}, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ \frac{3}{x-1}, & 2 \leq x < \frac{5}{2} \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous and bijective function

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 2$$

$$\min\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x), \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)\right) = \frac{1}{2} \neq f(1)$$

$$\max(1, 2) = 2 = f(1)$$

106 **(b,c,d)**

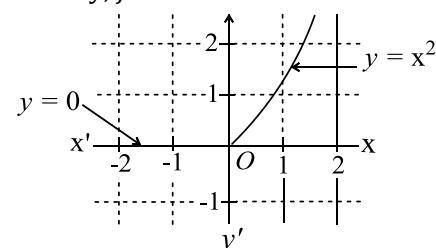
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0 \\ x^2, & x \geq 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0 \\ 2x, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

which exists  $\forall x$  except possibly at  $x = 0$

$$\text{At } x = 0, Lf' = 0 = Rf'$$

$\Rightarrow f$  is differentiable

Clearly,  $f'$  is non-differentiable



107 (a,b)

$$f(x) = \operatorname{sgn}(x) \sin x$$

$$f(0^+) = \operatorname{sgn}(0^+) \sin(0^+) = 1 \times (0) = 0$$

$$f(0^-) = \operatorname{sgn}(0^-) \sin(0^-) = (-1) \times (0) = 0$$

Also  $f(0) = 0$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere  
Both  $\operatorname{sgn}(x)$  and  $\sin(x)$  are odd functions  
Hence,  $f(x)$  is an even function  
Obviously,  $f(x)$  is non-periodic

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

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

$$\text{and } f'(0^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\operatorname{sgn}(-h) \sin(-h) - 0}{-h}$$

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

Hence,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

108 (a,b)

$$\text{For } b = 1, \text{ we have } f(g(0)) = f(\sin(0) + 1) = f(1) = 1 + a$$

$$\text{Also } f(g(0^+)) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(\sin x + 1) = f(1) = 1 + a$$

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

Hence,  $f(g(x))$  is continuous for  $b = 1$

For  $b < 0$ ,

$$f(g(0)) = f(\sin(0) + b) = f(b) = 2 - b$$

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

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

For continuity at  $x = 0$ , we must have

$$2 - b = 1 + a \text{ or } a + b = 1$$

109 (b,d)

$$f(x) = \operatorname{sgn}(\cos 2x - 2 \sin x + 3)$$

$$= \operatorname{sgn}(1 - 2 \sin^2 x - 2 \sin x + 3)$$

$$= \operatorname{sgn}(-2 \sin^2 x - 2 \sin x + 4)$$

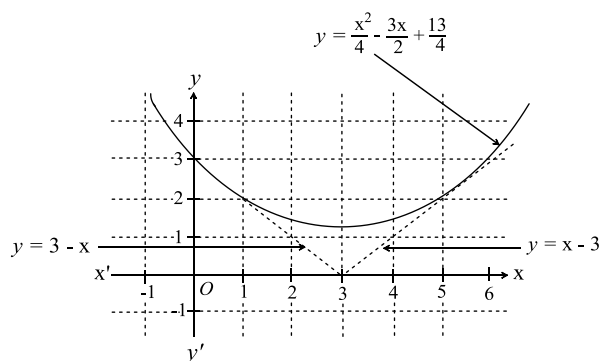
$f(x)$  is discontinuous when  $-2 \sin^2 x - 2 \sin x + 4 = 0$  or  $\sin 2x + \sin x - 2 = 0$   
or  $(\sin x - 1)(\sin x + 2) = 0$  or  $\sin x = 1$   
Hence  $f(x)$  is discontinuous

110 (a,b,c)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} |x - 3|, & x \geq 1 \\ \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4}, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{13}{4}, & x < 1 \\ 3 - x, & 1 \leq x < 3 \\ x - 3, & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{2} - \frac{3}{2}, & x < 1 \\ -1, & 1 < x < 3 \\ 1, & x > 3 \end{cases}$$



Clearly,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 3$

For  $x = 1$ , where function changes its definition

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

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

$$Lf'(1^-) = -1, Rf'(1^+) = -1$$

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

Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$  but non-differentiable at  $x = 3$

111 (a,b,d)

$$\text{Given that } x + |y| = 2y$$

$$\text{If } y < 0, \text{ then } x - y = 2y \Rightarrow y = x/3 \Rightarrow x < 0$$

$$\text{If } y = 0, \text{ then } x = 0$$

$$\text{If } y > 0, \text{ then } x + y = 2y \Rightarrow y = x \Rightarrow x > 0$$

$$\text{Thus, we can define } f(x) = y = \begin{cases} x/3, & x < 0 \\ x, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \begin{cases} 1/3, & x < 0 \\ 1, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $y$  is continuous but non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

112 (a,b)

$f(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$  if it is continuous at  $x = 1$  for which  $|1| - 3 = |1 - 2| + a$  or  $a = -3$   
 $g(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$  if it is continuous at  $x = 2$  for which  $2 - |2| = \operatorname{sgn}(2) - b = 1 - b$  or  $b = 1$

thus,  $f(x) + g(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$  if

$$a = -3, b = 1$$

hence,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at exactly one point for options **a** and **b**

113 (a,c,d)

For continuity at  $x = 1$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (x^2 \operatorname{sgn}[x] + \{x\}) = 1 + 0 = 1$$

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

$$\text{Also, } f(1) = 1$$

$\therefore$  L.H.L. = R.H.L. =  $f(1)$ . Hence,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 1$

Now for differentiability,

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

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+h)^2 \operatorname{sgn}[1+h] + \{1+h\} - 1}{h}$$

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

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

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1-h)^2 \operatorname{sgn}[1-h] + \{1-h\} - 1}{-h}$$

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

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 - 3h}{-h} = 3$$

$$f'(1^+) = f'(1^-)$$

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

Now at  $x = 2$ ,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} (x^2 \operatorname{sgn}[x] + \{x\}) = 4 \times 0 + 1$$

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

Hence, L.H.L  $\neq$  R.H.L.

Hence,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 2$  and then

$f(x)$  is also non-differentiable at  $x = 2$

114 (a,b,c,d)

a.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{e^x + a}{2x} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow a = -1$

If  $a = -1$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  if  $b = \frac{1}{2}$

c. If  $a \neq -1$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x + a}{2x}$  does not exist

$\therefore x = 0$  is a point of irremovable type of discontinuity

d. if  $a = -1$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore b \neq \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow$  removable type of discontinuity at  $x = 0$

115 (a,b)

For maximum points of discontinuity of

$$f(x) = \operatorname{sgn}(x^2 - ax + 1),$$

$x^2 - ax + 1 = 0$  must have two distinct roots, for

$$\text{which } D = a^2 - 4 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a \in (-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$$

117 (a,b)

$$f(1^-) = 1; f(1^+) = 1; f(1) = 1$$

$$f'(1^-) = 5; f'(1^+) = 5$$

$$f(2^+) = 10; f(2^-) = 10$$

$$f'(2^+) = 3; f'(2^-) = 13$$

118 (b,d)

a.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{1}{\ln|x|} = \infty$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{1}{\ln|x|} = -\infty$ ,

hence  $f(x)$  has non-removable discontinuity

b.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^3 - 1} = \frac{2}{3}$

$\therefore f(x)$  has removable discontinuity at  $x = 1$

c.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (2^{-2^{1-x}}) = 1$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} (2^{-2^{1-x}}) = 0$

Hence, the limit does not exist

d.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{2x}}{x^2 - x} = \frac{-1}{2\sqrt{2}}$  (Rationalizing)

$\therefore f(x)$  has removable discontinuity at  $x = 1$

119 (a,c)

$$f\left(\frac{\pi^-}{2}\right) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{\cot\left(3\left(\frac{\pi}{2}-h\right)\right) / \cot\left(2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}-h\right)\right)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{\frac{\tan 3h}{-\cot 2h}}$$

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

$$f\left(\frac{\pi^+}{2}\right) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[1 + \left|\cot\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right)\right|\right]^{[a|\tan(\frac{\pi}{2}+h)]/b}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (1 + \tan h)^{\frac{a \cot h}{b}}$$

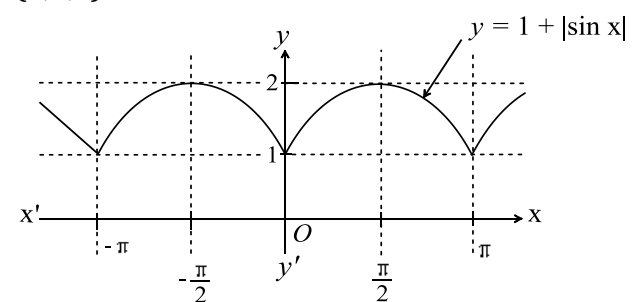
$$= e^{\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (1 + \tan h - 1) \frac{a \cot h}{b}} = e^{a/b}$$

Also  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = b + 3$

$f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \pi/2$

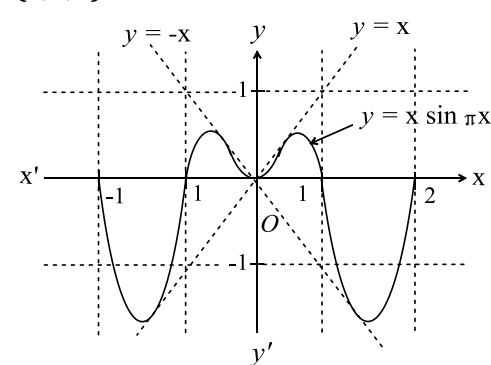
$$\Rightarrow 1 = b + 3 = e^{a/b} \Rightarrow b = -2 \text{ and } a = 0$$

121 (b,d,e)



$|\sin x|$  is continuous for all but not differentiable when  $\sin x = 0$  (where  $\sin x$  crosses  $x$ -axis) or  $x = n\pi, n \in \mathbb{Z}$

122 (a,b,d)



From the graph,  $0 \leq x \sin \pi x < 1$ , for  $x \in [-1, 1]$

Hence,  $f(x) = 0, x \in [-1, 1]$

123 (a)

$f(x) = \frac{x}{1+|x|}$  is differentiable everywhere except

probably at  $x = 0$

For  $x = 0$

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

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

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

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

Hence,  $f$  is differentiable in  $(-\infty, \infty)$

124 (d)

$$x \in [0, \pi] \Rightarrow \frac{x-2}{2} \in \left[-1, \frac{\pi}{2} - 1\right]$$

$$\frac{1}{f(x)} = \frac{2}{x-2}, \text{ which is continuous in } (-\infty, \infty) \sim \{2\}$$

$$\tan(f(x)) \text{ is continuous in } \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = 2(x+1) \text{ which is clearly continuous}$$

but  $\tan(f^{-1}(x))$  is not continuous

125 (b,c)

On  $(0, \pi)$

a.  $\tan x = f(x)$

we know  $\tan x$  is discontinuous at  $x = \pi/2$

b.  $f(x) = \int_0^x t \sin\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) dt$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \text{ which is well-defined on}$$

$(0, \pi)$

$\therefore f(x)$  being differentiable is continuous on  $(0, \pi)$

c.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 < x \leq 3\pi/4 \\ 2 \sin \frac{2x}{9}, & 3\pi/4 < x < \pi \end{cases}$

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is continuous on  $(0, \pi)$  except possibly at  $x = 3\pi/4$ , where

$$\text{L. H. L.} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - h\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 1 = 1$$

$$\text{R. H. L.} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + h\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 2 \sin \frac{2}{9}\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + h\right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2h}{9}\right) = 2 \sin \frac{\pi}{6} = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

$$\text{Also } f\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = 1$$

As L. H. L. = R. H. L. =  $f\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) \therefore f(x)$  is continuous on  $(0, \pi)$

d.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin x, & 0 < x \leq \pi/2 \\ \frac{\pi}{2} \sin(\pi + x), & \frac{\pi}{2} < x < \pi \end{cases}$

Here  $f(x)$  will be continuous on  $(0, \pi)$  if it is continuous at  $x = \pi/2$ . At  $x = \pi/2$

$$\text{L. H. L.} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - h\right)$$

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

$$\text{R. H. L.} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\pi}{2} \sin\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} + h\right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} \sin\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{-\pi}{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{2} = -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

As L. H. L.  $\neq$  R. H. L.  $\therefore f(x)$  is not continuous

126 (a,c)

$$f(x) = x + |x| + \cos 9x, g(x) = \sin x$$

Since both  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are continuous everywhere,  $f(x) + g(x)$  is also continuous everywhere

$f(x)$  is non-differentiable and  $x = 0$

Hence  $f(x) + g(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

Now  $h(x) = f(x) \times g(x)$

$$= \begin{cases} (\cos 9x)(\sin x), & x < 0 \\ (2x + \cos 9x)(\sin x), & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $h(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

Also

$$h'(x)$$

$$= \begin{cases} \cos x \cos 9x - 9 \sin x \sin 9x, & x \\ (2 - 9 \sin 9x) \sin x + \cos x (2x + \cos 9x), & x \end{cases}$$

$$h'(0^-) = 1, h'(0^+) = 1$$

$\Rightarrow f(x) \times g(x)$  is differentiable everywhere

127 (b,d)

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

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

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

$$= -\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log[1 - (1 - \cos x)] \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{4 \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2} \frac{x^2}{\log(1+x^2)}}{-\frac{1 - \cos x}{1 - \cos x}}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2}$$

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

Hence, **b** and **d** are the correct answers

128 (b,c)

$$f(0^-) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} (\cos^2 x)^n \right]$$

$$= (\text{a value lesser than } 1)^\infty = 0$$

$$f(0^+) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (1+x^n)^{1/n} \right] = 1$$

Also  $f(0) = 1 \Rightarrow$  discontinuous at  $x = 0$

Further,  $f(1^-) = 1; f(1^+) = 0; f(1) = 1$

$\Rightarrow$  discontinuous at  $x = 1$

129 (a, c)

Clearly,  $f(x)$  is defined for all  $x$  satisfying

$$9 - x^2 > 0 \text{ and } 2 - x > 0 \Rightarrow x \in (-3, 2)$$

So, domain of  $f(x) = (-3, 2)$

Clearly, range of  $f(x) = [-1, 1]$

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

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

Now,

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

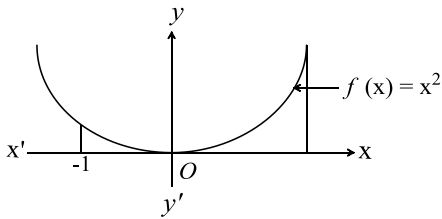
$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (h$$

$$- 6) \sin \left\{ \log \left( \frac{9 - (-3 + h)^2}{2 - (-3 + h)} \right) \right\}$$

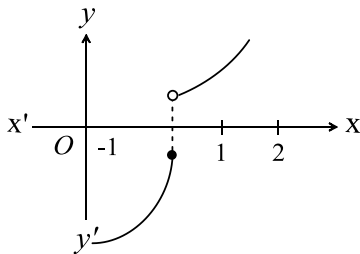
$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -3^+} (x-3)f(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (h-6) \sin \left\{ \log \left( \frac{h(6-h)}{5-h} \right) \right\} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -3^+} (x-3)f(x) &= (h-6) \times (\text{An oscillating number}) \\ \therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow -3^+} (x-3)f(x) &\text{ does not exist} \end{aligned}$$

130 (a,c,d)

**a** is wrong as continuity is a must for  $f(x)$   
**b** is the correct form of intermediate value theorem



**c** as per the graph (in figure), is incorrect



**d** is wrong if  $f$  is discontinuous

131 (a,b,c,d)

Given function is discontinuous when

$$a + \sin \pi x = 1$$

$$\text{Now if } a = 1 \Rightarrow \sin \pi x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$$

$$\text{If } a = 3 \Rightarrow \sin \pi x = -2 \text{ not possible}$$

$$\text{If } a = 0.5 \Rightarrow \sin \pi x = 0.5$$

$\Rightarrow x$  has 6 values, 2 each for one cycle of period 2

$$\text{If } a = 0 \Rightarrow \sin \pi x = +1 \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}, \frac{7}{2}, \frac{9}{2}, \frac{11}{2}$$

Hence, all the options are correct

132 (b)

$$f(x) = (2x - 5)^{3/5} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{3}{5(2x - 5)^{2/5}}$$

Statement 2 as it is fundamental concept for non-differentiability

But given function is non-differentiable at  $x = 5/2$ , as it has vertical tangent at  $x = 5/2$ , but not due to sharp turn

The graph of the function is smooth in the neighbourhood of  $x = 5/2$

133 (b)

Statement 1 is correct as  $e^{|x|}$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

134 (b)

We know that  $0 \leq \cos^2(n! \pi x) \leq 1$

Hence,  $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \cos^{2m}(n! \pi x) = 0$  or  $1$ , as

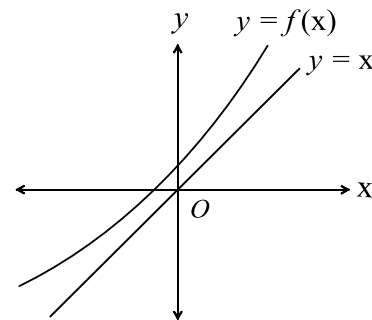
$$0 \leq \cos^2(n! \pi x) < 1 \text{ or } \cos^2(n! \pi x) = 1$$

Also, since  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then  $n! x = \text{integer}$  if  $x \in \mathbb{Q}$  and  $n! x \neq \text{integer}$  if  $x \in \mathbb{Q}$  and  $n! x \neq \text{integer}$ , if  $x \in \text{irrational}$

$$\text{Hence, } f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 0, & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow h(x) = 1$  when  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$  which is continuous for all  $x$ ; however, statement 2 does not correctly explain statement 1 as the addition of discontinuous functions may be continuous

135 (b)



Since  $f(x)$  is a continuous function such that  $f(0) = 1$  and  $f(x) \neq x, \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$

The graph of  $y = f(x)$  always lies above the graph of  $y = x$

Hence  $f(x) > x$

Hence,  $f(f(x)) > x$  (as  $f(x)$  is onto function,  $f(x)$  takes all real values which acts as  $x$ )

Statement 2 is a fundamental property of continuous function, but does not explain statement 1

136 (d)

$$f(x) = |x| \sin x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L. H. D} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|0-h| \sin(0-h) - 0}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h \sin h}{-h} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R. H. D} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|0+h| \sin(0+h) - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h \sin h}{h} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

137 (b)

Statement 2 is obviously true

But  $f(x) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = \pm 1$  as  $\frac{2x}{1-x^2}$  is not defined at  $x = \pm 1$ . Hence statement 1 is true but statement 2 is not the correct explanation of statement 1

138 (b)

$$|f(x)| \leq |x|$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq |f(x)| \leq |x|$$

$\Rightarrow$  Graph of  $y = |f(x)|$  lies between the graph of  $y = 0$  and  $y = |x|$

$$\text{Also } |f(0)| \leq 0 \Rightarrow f(0) = 0$$

Also from Sandwich theorem,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 0 \leq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} |f(x)| \leq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} |x|$

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

$$\Rightarrow y = f(x) \text{ is continuous at } x = 0$$

Also statement 2 is correct but it has no link with statement 1

139 (d)

Statement 1 is false, as consider the function  $f(x) = \max\{0, x^3\}$  which is equivalent to

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

Here  $f(x)$  is continuous and differentiable at  $x = 0$

However, statement 2 is obviously true

140 (c)

Statement 1 is obviously true

But statement 2 is false as  $f(x) = x^3$  is differentiable, but  $f^{-1}(x) = x^{1/3}$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

$$f^{-1}(x) = x^{1/3} \text{ has vertical tangent at } x = 0$$

141 (c)

$$\text{Consider } f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -1, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Hence  $|f(x)| = 1$  for all  $x$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

but  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

142 (b)

$f(x) = (\sin \pi x)(x - 1)^{1/5}$  is continuous function as both  $(\sin \pi x)$  and  $(x - 1)^{1/5}$  are continuous

But  $(x - 1)^{1/5}$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

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

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin[\pi(1-h)](1-h-1)^{1/5} - 0}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\pi h) - (-h)^{1/5}}{h} = 0$$

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

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin[\pi(1+h)](1+h-1)^{1/5} - 0}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin(\pi h)(h)^{1/5}}{h} = 0$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 1$ , through  $(x - 1)^{1/5}$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$

However, statement 2 is correct but it is not a correct explanation of statement 1

143 (c)

Statement 1 is true as  $\sqrt{x}$  is monotonic function. But statement 2 is false as  $f(x) = [\sin x]$  is continuous at  $x = 3\pi/2$ , though  $\sin(3\pi/2) = -1$  (integer)

144 (a)

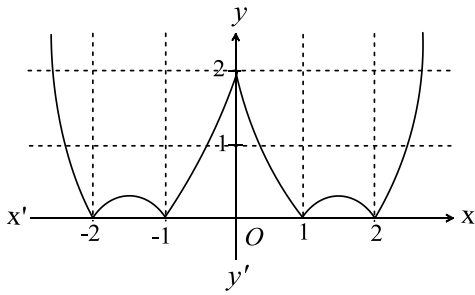
Statement 2 is true as it is a fundamental concept

Also,  $f(x) = \text{sgn}(g(x))$  is discontinuous when  $g(x) = 0$

Now the given function  $f(x) = \text{sgn}(x^2 - 2x + 3)$  may be discontinuous when  $x^2 + 2x + 3 = 0$ , which is not possible: it has imaginary roots as its discriminant is  $< 0$

145 (c)

See the graph of  $f(x) = ||x^2| - 3|x| + 2|$ ,



Which is non-differentiable at 5 points,  
 $x = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2$

However, statement 2 is false,

As  $f(x) = x^3$  crosses  $x$ -axis at  $x = 0$ ,

But  $|f(x)| = |x^3|$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$

146 (b)

Statement 2 is true as  $\cos 0 = 1$

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

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

Thus L.H.L.  $\neq$  R.H.L.

Hence, the function has no-removable discontinuity at  $x = 0$

Hence, statement 2 is not a correct explanation of statement 1

147 (a)

$$F(x) = f(g(x)),$$

$$\Rightarrow F(x) = x^2 + 2|x|$$

$$\Rightarrow F'(x) = \begin{cases} 2x - 2, & x < 0 \\ 2x + 2, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Hence, } F'(0^+) = 2 \text{ and } F'(0^-) = -2$$

Hence, both statement are correct and statement 2 is a correct explanation of statement 1

148 (c)

We know that  $\text{sgn}(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

Also  $f(x) = |\text{sgn}x| = \begin{cases} 1, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  which is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

Consider  $g(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & x < 0 \\ 1, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$ . Here  $g(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$  but  $|g(x)| = 1$  for all  $x$  is

continuous at  $x = 0$

Hence, answer is c

149 (a)

$$\text{Let } x = k, k \in Z \Rightarrow f(k) = \{k\} + \sqrt{\{k\}} = 0$$

$$f(k^+) = 0 + 0 = 0, f(k^-) = 1 + 1 = 2$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is not continuous at integral points

Hence, correct answer is a

150 (c)

We know that both  $[\sin x]$  and  $[\cos x]$  are discontinuous at  $x = \pi/2$

Also  $f(x) = [\sin x] - [\cos x]$  is discontinuous at  $x = \pi/2$

$$\text{As } f(\pi/2) = 1 - 0 = 1 \text{ and } f(\pi/2^+) = 0 - (-1) = 1$$

$$f(\pi/2^-) = 0 - 0 = 0$$

But the difference of two discontinuous function is not necessarily discontinuous

151 (c)

$$f(x) = x|x| \text{ and } g(x) = \sin x$$

$$gof(x) = \sin(x|x|) = \begin{cases} -\sin x^2, & x < 0 \\ \sin x^2, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore (gof)'(x) = \begin{cases} -2x \cos x^2, & x < 0 \\ 2x \cos x^2, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Clearly, } L(gof)'(0) = 0 = R(gof)'(0)$$

$\therefore gof$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and also its derivative is continuous at  $x = 0$

Now,

$$(gof)''(x) = \begin{cases} -2x \cos x^2 + 4x^2 \sin x^2, & x < 0 \\ 2 \cos x^2 - 4x^2 \sin x^2, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore L(gof)''(0) = -2 \text{ and } R(gof)''(0) = 2$$

$$\therefore L(gof)''(0) \neq R(gof)''(0)$$

$\therefore gof(x)$  is not twice differentiable at  $x = 0$

152 (c)

$$F(1) = 0, F(1^+) = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ and } F(1^-) = -\frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$\Rightarrow F$  is discontinuous

But for  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -1, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$  and  $g(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ 1, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$  then  $f(x)g(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

153 (b)

$f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{2n-1}}{x^{2n+1}}$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1$

$$= \begin{cases} -1, & x^2 < 1 \\ 1, & x^2 > 1 \\ 0, & x^2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1^+) = 1 \text{ and } f(1^-) = -1$$

Hence,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1$  as the limit of the function does not exist

154 (d)

Statement 1 is incorrect because if  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(g(x))$  approach  $e$  from the same side of  $e$  (say right side), and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow e} f(x) = f(e) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow e^-} f(x)$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(g(x)) = f(e^+) = f(e)$

Statement 2 is correct

155 (b)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \pi/4, & x > 1 \\ \pi/4, & x = 1 \text{ [in the interval } (1-8, 1+8)] \\ \pi/2, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

Hence,  $f$  is discontinuous and non-derivable, but non-derivability does not imply discontinuity

156 (d)

Consider  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  which is

differentiable at  $x = 0$ , but derivative is not continuous at  $x = 0$

However, statement 2 is correct

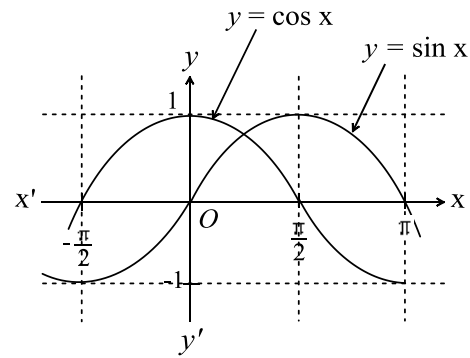
157 (a)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (\sin x + [x]) = 0, \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} (\sin x + [x]) = -1$$

Thus, limit does not exist, hence  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$

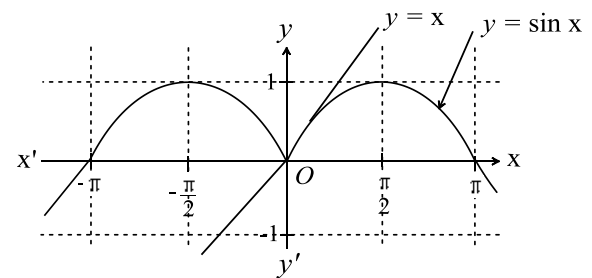
Statement 2 is a fundamental property and is a correct explanation of statement 1

158 (c)

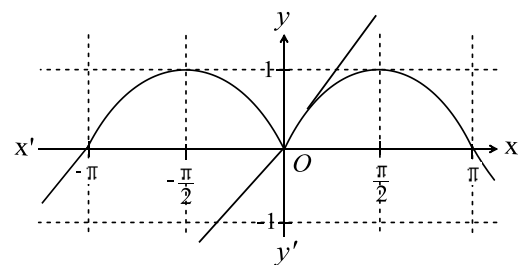


From the graph, statement 1 is true

Consider  $f(x) = \min\{x, \sin |x|\}$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ , through  $g(x) = \max\{x, \sin |x|\}$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$



Graph of  $y = \min \{x, \sin |x|\}$



Graph of  $y = \max \{x, \sin |x|\}$

160 (c)

$$\text{a. } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{5e^{1/x} + 2}{3 - e^{1/x}}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

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

Hence,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous and non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

$$\text{b. } g(x) = xf(x) = \begin{cases} x \frac{5e^{1/x} + 2}{3 - e^{1/x}}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$f(0^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \frac{5e^{1/h} + 2}{3 - e^{1/h}} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \frac{5 + 2e^{-1/h}}{3e^{-1/h} - 1} = 0 \times (5) = 0$$

$$f(0^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \frac{5e^{-1/h} + 2}{3 - e^{-1/h}} = 0 \times (2/3) = 0$$

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

$$Lg'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(0-h) - g(0)}{-h}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-hf(-h) - 0}{-h} \\
&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(-h) \\
&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5e^{-1/h} + 2}{3 - e^{-1/h}} = \frac{0 + 2}{3 - 0} = \frac{2}{3} \\
Rg'(0) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(0+h) - g(0)}{h} \\
&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(h) - 0}{h} \\
&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5e^{1/h} + 2}{3 - e^{1/h}} \\
&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5 + 2e^{-1/h}}{3e^{-1/h} - 1} \\
&= \frac{5 + 0}{0 - 1} = -5
\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore LF'(0) \neq RF'(0)$

Hence,  $F(x)$  is not differentiable, but continuous at  $x = 0$

c. For  $x^2 f(x)$ ,

Let  $F(x) = x^2 f(x)$

$$\therefore LF'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{F(0-h) - F(0)}{-h}$$

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

$$RF'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{F(0+h) - F(0)}{h}$$

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

$\therefore LF'(0) = RF'(0)$

Hence,  $F(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ , then it is always continuous at  $x = 0$

d. Clearly from the above discussion  $y = x^{-1} f(x)$  is discontinuous and hence non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

161 (a)

$$a. f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [\cos^2(2\pi x)]^n + \left\{x + \frac{1}{2}\right\}$$

$$\text{obviously, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}^+} f(x) = 0 + 0 = 0$$

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

$\therefore f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = \frac{1}{2}$

$$b. f(x) = (\log x)(x-1)^{1/5}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
f'(1^+) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \\
&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+h)h^{1/5}}{h} = 0
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
f'(1^-) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{h} \\
&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1-h)(-h)^{1/5}}{-h} = 0
\end{aligned}$$

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

$$c. f(x) = [\cos 2\pi x] + \sqrt{\left\{\sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right)\right\}}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} [\cos(2\pi x)] + \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \sqrt{\left\{\sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right)\right\}} \\
&= 0 + 1 = 1
\end{aligned}$$

Also  $f(1) = 1 + 0 = 1$

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

$f'(1^+)$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[\cos 2\pi(1+h)] + \sqrt{\left\{\sin\left(\frac{\pi(1+h)}{2}\right)\right\}} - 1}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[\cos 2\pi h] + \sqrt{\left\{\cos\left(\frac{\pi h}{2}\right)\right\}} - 1}{h}$$

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

Similarly,  $f'(1^-) = 0$

$$d. f(x) = \begin{cases} \cos 2x, & x \in Q \\ \sin x, & x \notin Q \end{cases} \text{ at } \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$f(x)$  is continuous when  $\cos 2x = \sin x$  which has  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$  as one of the solutions. Hence, it is

continuous

Also in the neighbourhood of  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$ ,

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} -2 \sin 2x, & \frac{\pi}{6} - \delta < x < \frac{\pi}{6} \\ \cos x, & \frac{\pi}{6} < x < \frac{\pi}{6} + \delta \end{cases}$$

Here,  $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}^-\right) \neq f'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}^+\right)$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$

162 (b)

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

As  $f(x)$  is an even function, so we need to check its continuity only at  $x = 1$

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

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

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{ax^2 - a}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{-1}{x} \Rightarrow 2a = -1 \Rightarrow a = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Putting  $a = -1/2$  in (1) we get  $b = 3/2 \Rightarrow |k| = 1 \Rightarrow k = \pm 1$

b. If  $f(x) = \text{sgn}(x^2 - ax + 1)$  is discontinuous then  $x^2 - ax + 1 = 0$  must have only one real root. Hence  $a = \pm 2$

c.  $f(x) = [2 + 3|n| \sin x]$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  has exactly 11 points of discontinuity in  $x \in (0, \pi)$

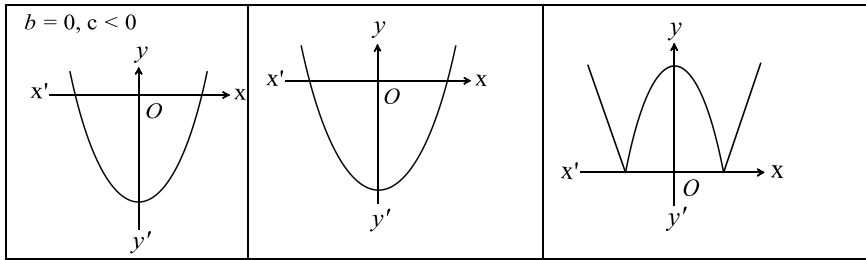
The required number of points are  $1 + 2(3|n| - 1) = 6|n| - 1 = 11 \Rightarrow n = \pm 2$

d.  $f(x) = ||x| - 2| + a$  has exactly three points of non-differentiability

$f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0, |x| - 2 = 0$  or  $x = 0, \pm 2$

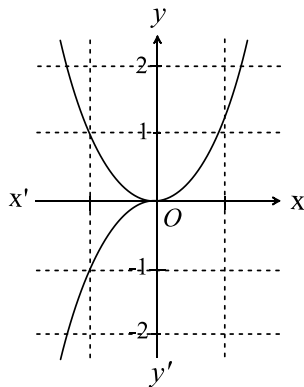
Hence, the value of  $a$  must be positive, as negative value of  $a$  allows  $||x| - 2| + a = 0$  to have real roots, which given more points of non-differentiability

| $g(x)$<br>$= x^2 + bx + c$ | $g( x ) = x^2 + b x  + c$ | $f(x) =  g( x )  =  x^2 + b x  + c $ |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| $b < 0, c > 0$<br>         |                           |                                      |
| $c = 0, b < 0$<br>         |                           |                                      |
| $c = 0, b > 0$<br>         |                           |                                      |

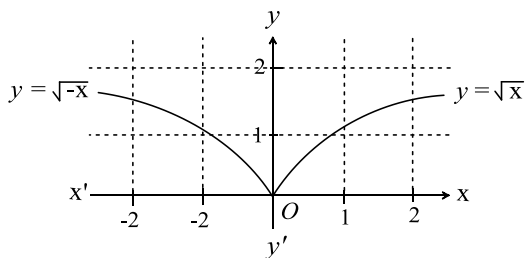


163 (a)

a.  $f(x) = |x^3| = x(x|x|)$  is continuous and differentiable

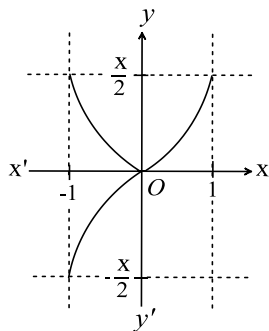


b.  $f(x) = \sqrt{|x|}$  is continuous



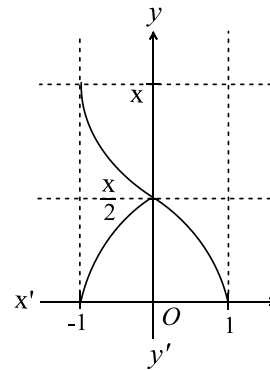
Clearly from the graph,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

c.  $f(x) = |\sin^{-1} x|$  is continuous



Clearly from the graph,  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = 0$

d.  $f(x) = \cos^{-1} |x|$  is continuous



Clearly from the graph,  $f(x)$  is no-differentiable at  $x = 0$

164 (b)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{a(1 - x \sin x) + b \cos x + 5}{x^2}, & x < 0 \\ 3, & x = 0 \\ \left\{ 1 + \left( \frac{P(x)}{x} \right) \right\}^{1/x}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

Where  $P(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3$

$$f(0) = 3$$

$$\text{R. H. L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 + h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left\{ 1 + \left( \frac{P(h)}{h} \right) \right\}^{1/h}$$

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

$\therefore$  R.H.L. exists

For the existence of R.H.L.,  $a_0, a_1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \text{R. H. L.} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (1 + a_2h + a_3h^2)^{1/h} \quad (1^\infty \text{ form})$$

$$= e^{\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (1 + a_2h + a_3h^2 - 1)(1/h)} = e^{a_2}$$

$$\text{L.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(0 - h)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a(1 - (-h) \sin(-h)) + b \cos(-h) + 5}{(-h)^2}$$

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

For finite value of L.H.L.,  $a + b + 5 = 0$  and

$$-a - \frac{b}{2} = 3$$

Solving, we get  $a = -1, b = -4$

Now  $g(x) = 3a \sin x - b \cos x = -3 \sin x + 4 \cos x$  which has the range  $[-5, 5]$

Also  $P(x) = a_3x^3 + (\log_e 3)x^2$

$$P''(x) = 6a_3x + 2 \log_e 3$$

$$\Rightarrow P''(0) = 2 \log_e 3$$

Further,  $P(x) = b \Rightarrow a_3 x^3 + (\log_e 3)x^2 = -4$  has only one real root, as the graph of  $P(x) = a_3 x^3 + (\log_e 3)x^2$  meets  $y = -4$  only once for negative value of  $x$

165 (c)

$$\text{For } 0 \leq x < \frac{\pi}{4}, g(x) = 1 + \tan x$$

$$x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \Rightarrow 1 + \tan x \in [1, 2)$$

$$\text{So } f(g(x)) = f(1 + \tan x) = 1 + \tan x + 2$$

$$\text{and for } x \in \left[\frac{\pi}{4}, \pi\right), g(x) = 3 - \cot x$$

$$x \in \left[\frac{\pi}{4}, \pi\right) \Rightarrow 3 - \cot x \in [2, \infty)$$

$$\text{So } f(g(x)) = f(3 - \cot x) = 6 - (3 - \cot x)$$

$$\text{Let } h(x) = f(g(x)) = \begin{cases} 3 + \tan x, & 0 \leq x < \frac{\pi}{4} \\ 3 + \cot x, & \frac{\pi}{4} \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$$

Clearly,  $f(g(x))$  is continuous in  $[0, \pi)$

$$\text{Now } h' \left(\frac{\pi^+}{4}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi^+}{4}} (-\operatorname{cosec}^2 x) = -2$$

$$h' \left(\frac{\pi^-}{4}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi^-}{4}} (\sec^2 x) = 2$$

So  $f(g(x))$  is differentiable everywhere in  $[0, \pi)$  other than at  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$f(g(x)) = \begin{cases} |3 + \tan x|, & 0 \leq x < \frac{\pi}{4} \\ |3 + \cot x|, & \frac{\pi}{4} \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$$

Which is non-differentiable at  $x = \pi/4$  and where  $3 + \cot x = 0$  or  $x = \cot^{-1}(-3)$

$$\text{For } x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right), 3 + \tan x \in [3, 4)$$

$$\text{For } x \in \left[\frac{\pi}{4}, \pi\right), 3 + \cot x \in (-\infty, 4]$$

Hence, the range is  $[-\infty, 4)$

166 (a)

$$F(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x) + x^{2n}g(x)}{1 + x^{2n}}$$

$$= \begin{cases} f(x), & 0 \leq x^2 < 1 \\ \frac{f(x) + g(x)}{2}, & x^2 = 1 \\ g(x), & x^2 > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} g(x), & x < -1 \\ \frac{f(-1) + g(-1)}{2}, & x = -1 \\ f(x), & -1 < x < 1 \\ \frac{f(1) + g(1)}{2}, & x = 1 \\ g(x), & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

If  $F(x)$  is continuous  $\forall x \in R$ ,  $F(x)$  must be made continuous out at  $x = \pm 1$

$$\text{For continuity at } x = -1, f(-1) = g(-1) \Rightarrow 1 -$$

$$a + 3 = b - 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$a + b = 5 \quad (1)$$

$$\text{For continuity at } x = 1, f(1) = g(1) \Rightarrow 1 + a + 3 = 1 + b$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b = -3 \quad (2)$$

Solving equations (1) and (2), we get  $a = 1$  and  $b = 4$

$$f(x) = g(x) \Rightarrow x^2 + x + 3 = x + 4 \Rightarrow x^2 = 1 \Rightarrow x = \pm 1$$

167 (a)

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

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

$$|f(x)| = \begin{cases} 2, & -2 \leq x < -1 \\ 1, & -1 \leq x \leq -\frac{1}{2} \\ |2x^2 - 1|, & -\frac{1}{2} < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} 2, & -2 \leq x < -1 \\ 1, & -1 \leq x \leq -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 - 2x^2, & -\frac{1}{2} < x \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 2x^2 - 1, & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$f(|x|) = \begin{cases} -2, & -2 \leq |x| < -1 \\ -1, & -1 \leq |x| \leq -\frac{1}{2} \\ 2|x|^2 - 1, & -\frac{1}{2} < |x| \leq 2 \end{cases} = 2x^2 - 1, -2 \leq x \leq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = f(|x|) + |f(x)|$$

$$= \begin{cases} 2x^2 + 1, & -2 \leq x < -1 \\ 2x^2, & -1 \leq x \leq -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0, & -\frac{1}{2} < x < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 4x^2 - 2, & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

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

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

$$g\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} 0 = 0, g\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} (4x^2 - 2) = 0$$

Hence,  $g(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = -1, -\frac{1}{2}$

$g(x)$  is continuous at  $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Now,  $g'(\frac{1^-}{\sqrt{2}}) = 0, g'(\frac{1^+}{\sqrt{2}}) = 8(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) = \frac{8}{\sqrt{2}}$

Hence,  $g(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

168 (c)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 10x + 8, & x \leq -2 \\ ax^2 + bx + c, & -2 < x < 0, a \neq 0 \\ x^2 + 2x, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

For continuous at  $x = 0 \Rightarrow c = 0$

Continuous at  $x = -2 \Rightarrow 4 - 20 + 8 = 4a - 2b$   
 $\Rightarrow 2a - b = -4$  (1)

Now let the line  $y = mx + p$  is tangent to all the three curves

Solving  $y = mx + p$  and  $y = x^2 + 2x$

$$x^2 + 2x = mx + p$$

$$x^2 + (2 - m)x - p = 0$$

$$D = 0$$

$$(2 - m)^2 + 4p = 0 \quad (2)$$

Again solving  $y = mx + p$  and  $y = x^2 + 10x + 8$

$$x^2 + 10x + 8 = mx + p$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + (10 - m)x + 8 - p = 0$$

$$D = 0 \Rightarrow (10 - m)^2 - 4(8 - p) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (10 - m)^2 - (2 - m)^2 = 42$$

$$\Rightarrow (100 - 20m) - (4 - 4m) = 32$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 4 \text{ and } p = -1$$

Hence equation of the tangent to first and last curves is

$$y = 4x - 1 \quad (3)$$

Now solving this with  $y = ax^2 + bx$  (as  $c = 0$ )

$$ax^2 + bx = 4x - 1 \Rightarrow ax^2 + (b - 4)x + 1 = 0$$

$$D = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (b - 4)^2 = 4a$$

Also  $b = 2a + 4$  (from (1))

$$\therefore 4a^2 = 4a \Rightarrow a = 1 \text{ and } b = 6 \text{ (as } a \neq 0)$$

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

$$f'(0^+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (2ax + 2) = 2 \Rightarrow b = 2$$

169 (7)

Let  $g(x) = (\ln x)(\ln x) \dots \infty$

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & 1 < x < e \\ 1, & x = e \\ \infty, & x > e \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Therefore } f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 1 < x < e \\ x/2, & x = e \\ 0, & e < x < 3 \end{cases}$$

Hence  $f(x)$  is non-differentiable at  $x = e$

170 (5)

$f(x) = \text{sgn}(\sin x)$  is discontinuous when  $\sin x = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0, \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi, 4\pi$$

171 (1)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} h(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{2n} \cdot f(x) + x^{2m} \cdot g(x)}{(1 + x^{2n})} = g(1)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} h(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{2n} \cdot f(x) + x^{2m} \cdot g(x)}{(1 + x^{2n})} = f(1)$$

$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} h(x)$  exists  $\Rightarrow f(1) = g(1)$

$\Rightarrow f(x) - g(x) = 0$  has a root at  $x = 1$

172 (6)

$$g(f(x)) = \begin{cases} g\left(\frac{x}{2} - 1\right), & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ g\left(\frac{1}{2}\right), & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

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

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} g(f(x)) = 3, g(f(1)) = 4 - 2k$  and

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(f(x)) = 4 - 2k$  for  $g(f(x))$  to be continuous at  $x = 1, 4 - 2k = 3 \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{2}$

173 (8)

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

$$= \frac{f(x) + f(h) + 2xh(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

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

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

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

$$= \frac{f'(0)}{2} = \frac{2}{3} \Rightarrow f'(0) = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{4}{3} + 2x^2$$

$$f(x) = \lambda + \frac{4}{3}x + \frac{2x^3}{3} \Rightarrow f(0) = \lambda = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{2x^3}{3} + \frac{4}{3}x + \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow f(2) = \frac{25}{3}$$

174 (2)

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

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan(\tan x) - \sin(\sin x)}{\frac{\tan x}{x} \left(\frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2}\right) x^3}$$

$$= 2 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan(\tan x) - \sin(\sin x)}{x^3}$$

$$\left( \tan x + \frac{\tan^3 x}{3} + \frac{2}{15} \tan^5 x + \dots \right) -$$

$$\left( \sin x - \frac{\sin^3 x}{3!} + \frac{\sin^5 x}{5!} \dots \right)$$

$$= 2 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\dots}{x^3}$$

$$= 2 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \left( \frac{\tan x - \sin x}{x^3} \right) + \frac{\left( \frac{\tan^3 x}{3} + \frac{\sin^3 x}{3!} \right)}{x^3} + \dots \right)$$

$$= 2 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \left( \frac{\tan x}{x} \right) \left( \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2} \right) + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6} \right) =$$

$$212 + 12 = 2$$

175 (8)

$$f(x) \begin{cases} ax^2 + bx & \text{for } -1 < x < 1 \\ \frac{a - b - 1}{2} & x = -1 \\ \frac{a + b + 1}{2} & x = 1 \\ \frac{1}{x} & \text{for } x > 1 \text{ or } x < -1 \end{cases}$$

For continuity at  $x = 1$  we have  $a + b = \frac{a+b+1}{2}$

Hence,  $a + b = 1$  (1)

For continuity at  $x = -1$

$a - b = -1$   $a - b = -1$  (2)

Hence  $a = 0$  and  $b = 1$

176 (6)

$g(x) = \left[ \frac{f(x)}{a} \right]$  is continuous if  $\left[ \frac{f(x)}{a} \right] = 0$  for  $\forall f(x) \in (1, \sqrt{30})$ , for which we must have  $a > \sqrt{30}$

Hence the least value of  $a$  is 6

177 (4)

$\text{sgn}(x^2 - 3x + 2)$  is discontinuous when

$x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$  or  $x = 1, 2$

$[x - 3] = [x] - 3$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1, 2, 3, 4$

Thus  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 3, 4$

Now both  $\text{sgn}(x^2 - 3x + 2)$  and  $[x - 3]$  are discontinuous at  $x = 1$  and  $2$

Then  $f(x)$  may be continuous at  $x = 1$  and  $2$

But  $f(1) = -2$  and  $f(1^+) = -1 + 0 - 3 = -4$

Thus  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1$

Also  $f(2) = -1$  and  $f(2^+) = 1 - 1 = 0$

Hence  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 2$  also

178 (2)

$$g'(3^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(3-h) - g(3)}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a\sqrt{4-h} - (3b+2)}{-h}$$

(1)

For existence of limit  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} N^r = 0$

$\therefore 2a - 3b = 2$  (2)

$$\text{Now } g'(3^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{b(3+h) + 2 - (3b+2)}{h} = b$$
 (3)

Substituting  $3b + 2 = 2a$  in equation (1)

$$g'(3^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a\sqrt{4-h} - 2a}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{(4-h) - 4}{(-h)(\sqrt{4-h} + 2)} \right) = \frac{a}{4}$$

Hence  $g'(3^-) = g'(3^+)$

$$\frac{a}{4} = b \Rightarrow a = 4b$$
 (4)

From equation (2) and (4)

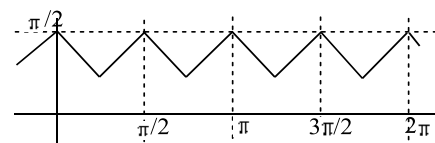
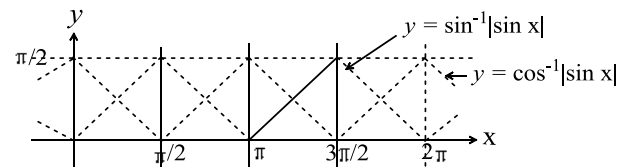
$$8b - 3b = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{2}{5} \text{ and } a = \frac{8}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = 2$$

179 (7)

$\sin^{-1} |\sin x|$  is periodic with period  $\pi$



180 (1)

$$\text{Given } \frac{\int_y^{f(x)} e^t dt}{\int_y^x (1/t) dt} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{f(x)} - e^{f(y)} = \ln x - \ln y$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{f(x)} - \ln x = c \Rightarrow f(x) = \ln(\ln x + c)$$

$$\text{Since } f\left(\frac{1}{e}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow c = 2$$

$$\text{Now } f(g(x)) = \begin{cases} \ln(x+2); & x \geq k \\ \ln(2+x^2); & 0 < x < k \end{cases}$$

For continuity at  $x = k$

$$\ln(k+c) = \ln(k^2+c) \Rightarrow \text{either } k = 0 \text{ or } k = 1$$

$$\therefore k > 0 \Rightarrow k = 1$$

181 (8)

$$\text{We have } f(x) = [x] + [x + 1/3] + [x + 2/3] = [3x]$$

Which is discontinuous when  $3x = k$  or

$$x = k/3, k \in I$$

Hence points of discontinuity are 1/3, 2/3, 3/3, 4/3, 5/3, 6/3, 7/3, 8/3

182 (5)

$$\therefore f''(x) = \begin{cases} x^p \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + x^2, & x > 0 \\ x^p \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - x^2, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$f'''(x) = \begin{cases} -x^{p-4} \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - (p-2)x^{p-3} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \\ -px^{p-3} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \\ +p(p-1)x^{p-2} \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + 2, & x > 0 \\ -x^{p-4} \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - (p-2)x^{p-3} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \\ px^{p-3} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \\ +p(p-1)x^{p-2} \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - 2, & x < 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

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

$\because \sin \infty$  and  $\cos \infty$  lie between  $-1$  to  $1$ . For  $p \geq 5$ ,

$$\text{RHL} = 2 \quad \text{LHL} = -2$$

$$f(0) = 0$$

For  $p \in [5, \infty)$ ,  $f''(x)$  is not continuous