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- 01) An approximate value of π is given as $22/7$.
i.e. 3.1428571 and its true value is 3.1415926.
The absolute error value of π if taken as 3.1428571 will be:
A) + 0.00121645
B) - 0.00121645
C) + 0.0015926
D) - 0.0015926
- 02) If, in the mathematical problem solving, one dependent variable is x (say population size) depending on one independent variable t (say time). If the hypothesis is about the rate of change of dx/dt ; the model will be in terms of an ordinary differential equation of
A) First order
B) Second order
C) Both
D) None of the above
- 03) A cantilever beam is
A) statically determinate beam
B) unstable beam
C) Statically indeterminate to 1st degree
D) Statically indeterminate to 2nd degree
- 04) A force equal to product of mass and acceleration & acting in direction opposite to acceleration is called
A) Inertia force
B) Damping
C) Friction
D) Resultant force
- 05) Critical path of a project Network is
A) Path which gives longest time of completion
B) Path which defines shortest possible project completion time
C) Both of above (A) and (B)
D) Such path that it is most difficult to work
- 06) IF the task of the construction Company is for determining the probability of the construction project in a scheduled time duration then the method of planning to be used is
A) CPM Method
B) Conventional method
C) Network method
D) PERT method
- 07) Under quick sand condition
A) dry density decreases and volume of sand increases
B) sand becomes reactive and generate heat
C) sand loses all its shearing strength
D) sand stabilised to support more load
- 08) Falling head test is used to determine
A) bearing capacity of soil
B) permeability of soils
C) shear strength of soil
D) liquid limit of soil
- 09) Bulking of sand occurs due to
A) critical exit gradient
B) capillary moisture
C) consolidation
D) uplift pressure
- 10) Method of slices is used for
A) Stability analysis of slope of earth dam
B) Computation of Facto of safety against over turning in gravity dam
C) Settlement analysis of earth dam foundation
D) Computation of exit gradient
- 11) For a given turbine speed(N), power(P) and head (h), the specific speed (N_s) is given by
A) $\frac{N\sqrt{P}}{h^{2/3}}$
B) $\frac{N\sqrt{P}}{h^{5/4}}$
C) $\frac{N\sqrt{P}}{h^{3/2}}$
D) $\frac{N\sqrt{P}}{h^{4/5}}$

- 12) If R is Reynold's Number then Darcy Weisbach friction factor for laminar flow in pipe is
- $64/R$
 - $64/R^{0.5}$
 - $R^{0.5}/64$
 - $0.316/R$
- 13) Which of the following software is used for pipe network analysis?
- HECRAS
 - ARCGIS
 - MODFLOW
 - EPANET
- 14) Which of the followings is used to measure the discharge through pipe?
- Orifice meter
 - Current meter
 - Radio meter
 - Piezometer
- 15) Which of the following is a non-dimensional parameter?
- Manning's roughness coefficient
 - Specific Speed of pump
 - Froude's Number
 - Chezy coefficient
- 16) Plot of shear stress (Y axis) vs. deformation (X axis) relationship for real fluid is represented by
- curve from origin
 - Y-axis
 - Inclined straight line from origin
 - X-axis
- 17) In a steady gradually varied flow in open channel the normal depth is 2 m and critical depth is 0.7m. The water surface profile passing through 1.5 m depth is
- M1
 - M2
 - M3
 - S2
- 18) Standard step method of numerical integration is useful for
- Computation of gradually varied flow profile in prismatic channel
 - Estimating length of hydraulic jump
 - Deciding location of hydraulic jump on sloping floor
 - Estimating discharge in wide river section
- 19) Hyetograph is the plot of
- runoff discharge against time
 - infiltration rate against time
 - runoff depth against time interval
 - intensity of rainfall against time interval
- 20) Which of the following equations is not used for estimating infiltration capacity of soil
- Horton's Equation
 - Blaney Criddle Equation
 - Kostiakov's Equation
 - Green Ampt Equation
- 21) Evapotranspiration can be measured by using
- Lysimeter
 - Neutron Probe
 - USWS Class-A Pan Evaporimeter
 - Double ring infiltrometer
- 22) For a given area of a city, storm water discharge increases with
- addition of parks and gardens
 - reduction in rainfall intensity
 - reduction in impervious area
 - increase in impervious area
- 23) Watershed management measures such as construction of check dams, nalabunds, contour bunds are carried out for
- reducing evapotranspiration losses
 - increasing water infiltration and reduction of soil erosion
 - increasing catchment area
 - inter-basin transfer of water

- 24) One of the drawbacks of the Kennedy's theory for the design of unlined canal is:
- Kennedy considered the importance of B/D ratio
 - Silt grade and silt charge were not defined
 - He considered the unlined canal in permanent regime
 - He did not use the Kutter's formula.
- 25) Pressure Release valve is a device in a lined canal
- Which allows entry of canal water into the subgrade
 - Which allows the entry of water from subgrade to flow into the canal
 - To regulate the depth of water in canal
 - To regulate the flow on the downstream of the canal
- 26) Contour canal is a canal:
- useful to irrigate only on one side of the canal
 - useful to irrigate on both side of the canal
 - aligned roughly on the right angle to the contour of the country
 - aligned along the watershed and runs most of the length along the watershed
- 27) Presence of excess mercury in drinking water causes
- Alzheimer's
 - AIDS
 - Minamata diseases
 - itai-itai disease
- 28) The alkalinity and the hardness of a water sample are 250 mg/L and 350 mg/L as CaCO₃, respectively. The water has
- 350 mg/L carbonate hardness and zero non-carbonate hardness.
 - 250 mg/L carbonate hardness and zero non-carbonate hardness.
 - 250 mg/L carbonate hardness and 350 mg/L non-carbonate hardness.
 - 250 mg/L carbonate hardness and 100 mg/L non-carbonate hardness.

- 29) Sodium hypochlorite dosing is done sometimes in aeration tank of activated sludge process to
- decrease COD
 - improve aeration
 - improve biodegradability
 - control bulking of activated sludge
- 30) The correct match of the column I with column II is

Column I		Column II	
P	Slow sand filter	1	Flocculant settling
Q	Removal of colloidal and dissolved organic matter from sewage	2	Smutzdecky formation
R	Type II settling	3	Attached growth process
S	Trickling filter	4	Activated sludge process
		5	Backwashing

- P-3, Q-4, R-2, S-5
 - P-2, Q-1, R-4, S-3
 - P-2, Q-4, R-2, S-3
 - P-2, Q-4, R-1, S-3
- 31) Most predominant form of dissolved nitrogen species in sewage treated by extended aeration activated sludge process will be:
- ammonium ions
 - nitrite ions
 - nitrate ions
 - organic nitrogen

32) Column I lists various treatment units used in conventional sewage treatment plant and column II lists various types of settling. The correct match of the column I with column II is

Column I		Column II	
P	Grit chamber	1	Flocculant settling
Q	Primary sedimentation tank	2	Discrete particle settling
R	Secondary clarifier	3	Compression settling
S	Sludge thickener	4	Zone settling

- A) P-2, Q-4, R-1, S-3
 B) P-2, Q-1, R-4, S-3
 C) P-3, Q-1, R-2, S-4
 D) P-4, Q-2, R-1, S-3

33) Various unit operations employed in a water treatment plant are:

1. Sand filtration
2. Chemical coagulation
3. Sedimentation
4. Chlorination
5. Flocculation.

The correct sequence of these operations is:

- A) 2-5-3-1-4
 B) 1-2-3-5-4
 C) 2-1-5-3-4
 D) 4-1-2-5-3

34) For domestic wastewater sample, 5-day BOD may be taken as _____% of the ultimate BOD (uBOD).

- A) 48
 B) 68
 C) 92
 D) 85

35) Which combination of surface water quality parameters will indicate adsorption and charge neutralization as the preferred mechanism of coagulation?

- A) High turbidity-low alkalinity
 B) High turbidity-high alkalinity
 C) Low turbidity-low alkalinity
 D) Low turbidity-high alkalinity

36) An indication of low biodegradability in an industrial wastewater is:

- A) high concentrations of organic matter
 B) low BOD/COD ratio
 C) High TOC/COD ratio
 D) High theoretical oxygen demand

37) The maximum frequency of sound that can be typically heard by human ears is:

- A) 10000 Hz
 B) 20000 Hz
 C) 2000 Hz
 D) 15 Hz

38) At a place, two sources produce noise simultaneously. The total sound pressure level (measured in dB) cannot be obtained by summation of sound pressure levels from the two sources because:

- A) the scale of sound pressure level (dB) is logarithmic
 B) the dB values are in decimals
 C) the noise is not a physical entity that can be calculated
 D) the sound pressure levels can only be subtracted, not added

39) One of the following is not a secondary air pollutant

- A) Sulfur dioxide
 B) PAN
 C) Ozone
 D) aldehydes and ketones

40) Ozone depletion potential of any substance is measured relative to impact of _____ on ozone depletion.

- A) Methane
 B) hydrofluorocarbon
 C) CFC-11
 D) Trichloromonofluoromethane

- 41) One of the following municipal solid waste disposal/treatment methods releases methane.
- incineration
 - landfilling
 - vermi-composting
 - sea disposal
- 42) The unit of raw water turbidity measurement is
- Hazen Unit
 - NTU
 - MPN
 - mg/L as CaCO₃
- 43) The abbreviation 'GIS' stands for
- Geological information system
 - Geosciences inference system
 - Geographical information system
 - Geographical interpretation system
- 44) Active remote sensing
- uses Sun's or earth's radiation as a source of energy
 - does not provide good quality images
 - does not use satellites for remote sensing
 - uses microwaves, laser, or similar source of energy
- 45) The working from Whole to Part is done in surveying in order to ensure that
- Plotting is done more quickly
 - Survey work is completed more quickly
 - The errors of one portion do not affect the remaining portion or to minimize the error
 - Instrumental error is minimized
- 46) California bearing ratio is used to find
- the bearing capacity of soil
 - the thickness of a flexible pavement
 - depth of foundation
 - ratio of ultimate bearing capacity to net bearing capacity
- 47) Air pollution may cause one of the following diseases to plants
- Typhoid
 - Pneumoconiosis
 - Necrosis
 - Tobaccosis
- 48) Noise pollution in a road-side building can be reduced by:
- Providing a water-filled trench
 - Providing a steel mesh around the building
 - Planting shrubs around the building
 - Planting trees around the building
- 49) The camber is provided on road surface so that
- Rain water drains out
 - Centrifugal force is counter balanced
 - Overtaking sight distance is increased
 - Frictional resistance lowers down
- 50) Which one of the following properties of aggregate can be obtained using Abrasion test?
- durability
 - toughness
 - hardness
 - strength
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Rough Work: