

Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs):

MCQ1: If y=fx is a given function then its derivation dydx can be interpreted as the rate

of change of ----- with respect to x

Answer: f

MCQ2: The primary purpose of differential equations is to serve as a tool for studying ---

----in the physical world

Answer: change

MCQ3: Sir Isaac Newton observed that certain important laws of natural sciences can be phrased in terms of ------involving rates of change.

Answer: equations

MCQ4: Isaac Newton was able to model the motion of a particle by an equation

involving an unknown function and one or more of its-----

Answer: directions

MCQ5: The theory of differential equations involves the interplay of ----- and their

derivatives.

Answer: derivatives

MCQ6: An equation involving one (or more) dependent variable derivatives with

respect to one or more independent variables is called a -----

Answer: simultaneous equation

MCQ7: dydx=2y-2x2+3 is an example of -----differential equation

Answer: partial

MCQ8: Given y2â^,zâ^,x+xyâ^,zâ^,x=nzx; â^,zâ^,x is a ------ derivative of <math

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Answer: differential

MCQ9: Given y2â^,zâ^,x+xyâ^,zâ^,x=nzx; â^,zâ^,y is a partial derivative of <math

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MCQ10: The partial derivatives of a function of two variables z=fx, Â y with respect to

one of the independent variables x, can be defined as ------

Answer: â^,xâ^,y=â^,yâ^,x

MCQ11: Given a function of two variables z=fx, Â y; â^,zâ^,x is the first order partial

derivative of z with respect to x and it is obtained by differentiating z with respect

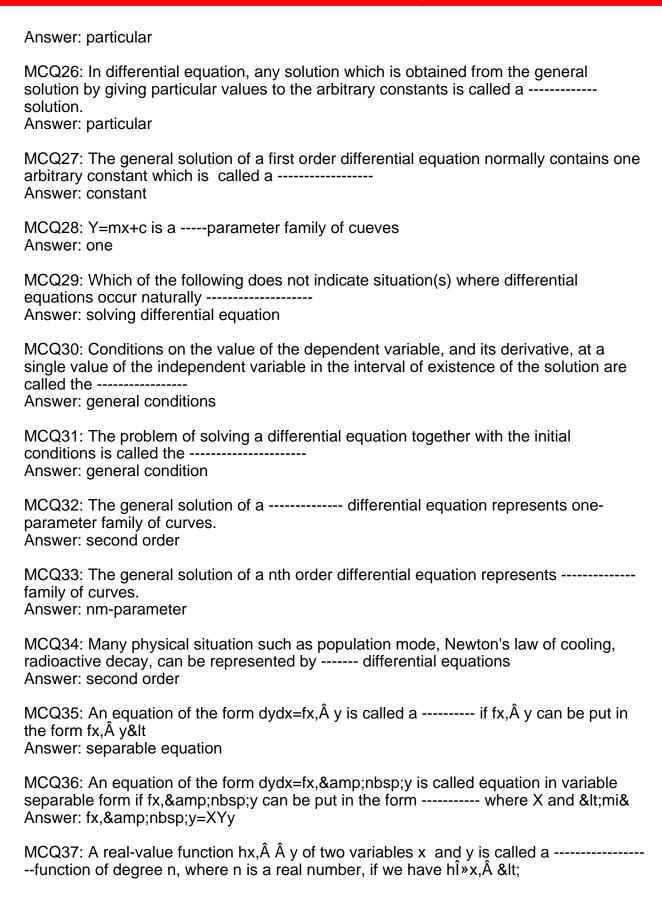
Answer: constant

MCQ12: If z=fx, \hat{A} \hat{A} y is a function of two variables, then \hat{a} , \hat{z} , \hat{a} , y is the first order partial

derivative of z with respect to y and it is obtained by differentiating z with r

Answer: f

MCQ13: The most obvious classification of differential equations is based on the nature of the ----- variable and its derivative(or derivatives) in the equation. Answer: independent MCQ14: A differential equation involving only derivatives (that is, derivatives with respect to a single independent variable) is called an ----- differential equation. Answer: partial MCQ15: Differential equation containing partial derivatives of one (or more) dependent variable with respect to two or more independent variable is called a -----differential equation. Answer: total MCQ16: The ----- of a differential equation is the order of the highest order derivative appearing in the equation. Answer: power MCQ17: The differential equation d2vdx2+v=x2 is of ----- order Answer: Zero MCQ18: The equation, x+ydydx2=1 is of ----- order Answer: Zero MCQ19: The ----- of a differential equation is the highest exponent of the highest order derivative appearing in it after the equation has been expressed in the form free from radicals and any fractional power of the derivatives or negative power. Answer: Power MCQ20: The equation x-ydydx2=r21+dydx< Answer: Three MCQ21: When in an ordinary or partial differential equation, the dependent variables and its derivatives occur to the degree only, and not as higher powers or products, we call the equation -----Answer: Non-linear MCQ22: The differential equation d2ydx2+y=x2 is an ordinary ------differential equation. Answer: non-linear MCQ23: The equation, x+y2dydx=1, is an ordinary ----- equation Answer: non-linear MCQ24: The equation a^,2za^,x2+a^,2za^,y2-a^,</mo&g Answer: non-exact MCQ25: The solution of the nth order differential equation with arbitrary 'n' constants is called its -----solution.



Answer: homogeneous MCQ38: The function hx, y=x3+2x2y+3xy2+4y3 is homogeneou Answer: three MCQ39: A differential equation y'=fx,y is called a homogeneous differential equation when f is a homogeneous function of -----Answer: degree 1 MCQ40: An exact differential -----is formed by equating an exact differential to zero Answer: inequality MCQ41: A factor, which when multiplied with a non-exact differential equation makes it exact, is known as an -----factor. Answer: exact MCQ42: A differential equation is ----- if the dependent variable and all its derivatives appear only in the first degree and also there is no term involving the product of the derivatives or any derivative and the dependent variable. Answer: non-linear MCQ43: ----- differential equations can be applied in population model, radioactive decay and Newton's law of cooling. Answer: non-linear MCQ44: Given that dydx+Pxy=Qx is the general form of the linear equation of the first order, where Px and Qx</ Answer: homogeneous MCQ45: Given that dydx+Pxy=Qx is the general form of the linear equation of the first order, where Px and Qx</ Answer: homogeneous MCQ46: px+px+py+xy=0 is equivalent to -----Answer: p-xp+y=0. MCQ47: Fx,y,c=x+y+c=0 represents a family of ----- lines; each line corresponds to precisely one value of the parameter c Answer: parallel circles MCQ48: Fx,y,c=x2+y2+c2=0 represents a family of ----- of radius c with centre at the origin. Answer: parallel circles MCQ49: A set of functions y1x,y2x, â€l,ynx defined on an interval I is -----if fo Answer: linearly non-homogeneous MCQ50: Method of undetermined coefficients is applicable if the equation is a -----equation with constant coefficients

Answer: non-linear