

CHAPTER-13  
LIMITS & DERIVATIVES  
05 MARK TYPE QUESTIONS

Q. NO	QUESTION	MARK
1.	Find the values of a and b if $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x)$ exists. Where $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + ax + b, 0 \leq x < 2 \\ 3x + 2, 2 \leq x \leq 4 \\ 2ax + 5b, 4 < x \leq 8 \end{cases}$	5
2.	Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} k \cos x, x \neq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ 3, x = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$ and if $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} f(x) = f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ Find the value of k	5
3.	(i) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{e^{\tan x} - 1 - x}{\sin(x^2)} \right)$ . (ii) If $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{x^2 + x + 1}{x + 1} - ax - b \right) = 4$ , then find the values of a and b.	5(3+2)
4.	Differentiate $\tan \sqrt{x}$ with respect to x by using first principle.	5
5.	Let $f(x) = \frac{[x]^2 + 15[x] + 56}{\cos(x+7)\cos(x+8)}$ where [, ] denoted the greatest integer function. Then show that $\lim_{x \rightarrow -7} f(x) = 0$	5
6.	Find the derivative of $x^{\sin x} + x^{\cos x}$	5
7.	Using first principle, show that the differentiation of $\sin x$ with respect to x is $\cos x$ ?	5
8.	The distance f(t) in meters moved by a particle travelling in a straight line in t seconds is given by $f(t) = t^2 + 3t + 4$ . Find the speed of the particle at the end of 2 seconds?	5

**ANSWERS:**

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1.	a=3 b=-2	5
2.	k=6	5
3.	<p>(i) <math>\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{e^{\tan x} - 1 - x}{\sin(x^2)} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1 + \frac{\tan x}{1!} + \frac{\tan^2 x}{2!} + \dots - 1 - x}{\sin(x^2)} \right)</math></p> <p><math>= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\frac{\tan x}{1!} + \frac{\tan^2 x}{2!} + \dots - x}{\sin(x^2)} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^5}{15} + \dots + \frac{\tan^2 x}{2!} + \dots - x}{\sin(x^2)} \right)</math></p> <p><math>\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^5}{15} + \dots + \frac{\tan^2 x}{2!} + \dots}{\sin(x^2)} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 \left( \frac{x}{3} + \frac{2x^2}{15} + \dots + \frac{\tan^2 x}{x^2 2!} + \dots \right)}{x^2}</math></p> <p><math>= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{x}{3} + \frac{2x^2}{15} + \dots + \frac{\tan^2 x}{x^2 2!} + \dots \right) = \frac{1}{2!} = \frac{1}{2}</math></p> <p>(ii) <math>\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{x^2 + x + 1}{x + 1} - ax - b \right) = 4 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{x^2 + x + 1 - (x + 1)(ax + b)}{x + 1} \right) = 4</math></p> <p><math>\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{x^2 + x + 1 - (ax^2 + bx + ax + b)}{x + 1} \right) = 4 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{x^2(1 - a) + x(1 - a - b) + 1 - b}{x + 1} \right) = 4</math></p> <p>Since the limit is a finite value, the deg. of Nr = Deg. Of Dr Hence coefficient of <math>x^2</math> is <math>1 - a = 0 \Rightarrow a = 1</math>. And <math>1 - a - b = 4 \Rightarrow 1 - 1 - b = 4 \Rightarrow b = -4</math>.</p>	5
4.	<p><math>f(x) = \tan \sqrt{x}</math></p> <p><math>f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}</math></p> <p><math>= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan \sqrt{x+h} - \tan \sqrt{x}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan \sqrt{x+h} - \tan \sqrt{x}}{x+h-x}</math></p> <p><math>= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{\sin \sqrt{x+h}}{\cos \sqrt{x+h}} - \frac{\sin \sqrt{x}}{\cos \sqrt{x}}}{(\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x})(\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x})}</math></p> <p><math>= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \sqrt{x+h} \cos \sqrt{x} - \cos \sqrt{x+h} \sin \sqrt{x}}{(\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x})(\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}) \cos \sqrt{x+h} \cos \sqrt{x}}</math></p> <p><math>= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x})}{(\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x})(\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}) \cos \sqrt{x+h} \cos \sqrt{x}}</math></p>	5

	$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x})}{(\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x})} \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}) \cos \sqrt{x+h} \cdot \cos \sqrt{x}}$ $= 1 \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}) \cos \sqrt{x+h} \cdot \cos \sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x} \cos^2 \sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \sec^2 \sqrt{x}$	
5.	$\frac{[x]^2 + 15[x] + 56}{\cos(x+7)\cos(x+8)} = \frac{([x]+7)([x]+8)}{\cos(x+7)\cos(x+8)}$ <p>Therefore <math>\lim_{x \rightarrow -7^+} f(x) = \frac{0 \times 1}{\cos(0) \times \cos(-1)} = 0</math></p> $\lim_{x \rightarrow -7^-} f(x) = \frac{(-1) \times 0}{\cos(-1) \times \cos(0)} = 0$	5
6.	<p>Let <math>u = x^{\sin x}</math> and <math>v = (x)^{\cos x}</math></p> <p>Taking logarithm, we get <math>\log u = (\sin x) \log x</math>  And <math>\log(v) = \cos x \log x</math>  Differentiating the above functions with respect to <math>x</math> we get</p> $\frac{du}{dx} = u \left( \frac{\sin x}{x} + \cos x \log x \right) \dots \dots \dots (1)$ $\frac{dv}{dx} = v \left( \frac{\cos x}{x} - \sin x \log(x) \right) \dots \dots \dots (2)$ <p>Also <math>\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{dv}{dx}</math>, using algebraic property of derivative function  Adding (1) and (2) we get the required answer.</p>	5
7.	This can be proved by first principles,	5
8.	$f(t) = t^2 + 3t + 4$ The speed of the particle at the end of 2 seconds is given by $f'(2)$ . I.e the derivative of $f(t)$ at $t = 2$ We can use first principle here $f'(t) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2+h) - f(2)}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\{(2+h)^2 + 3(2+h) + 4\} - \{2^2 + 3 \times 2 + 4\}}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 + 7h}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h + 7 = 7$ <p>Or we can use the standard result</p> $f'(t) = 2t + 3$ $\therefore f'(2) = 2 \times 2 + 3 = 7.$	5