

**SOLUTIONS FOR BNU 1501 EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER
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1. $3(x + 1) + 4 = 5 - 3(x - 2)$

$$3x + 3 + 4 = 5 - 3x + 6$$

$$3x + 3x = 5 + 6 - 4$$

$$6x = 4$$

$$x = \frac{2}{3} \quad \text{Option [4]}$$

2. $\frac{30x}{9} + 2 = 5x$

$$30x + 2(9) = 5x(9)$$

$$30x + 18 = 45x$$

$$15x = 18$$

$$x = \frac{6}{5} \quad \text{Option [1]}$$

3. $\sqrt{36x^4y^{16}} = 6x^2y^8$ Option [2]

4. $a(2a^2 - a - 4) - 2a(a + 3) - 1 = 2a^3 - a^2 - 4a - 2a^2 - 6a - 1$

$$= 2a^3 - 3a^2 - 10a - 1 \quad \text{Option [3]}$$

$$5. \quad \frac{5}{6} \div \frac{3}{6} \times \frac{3}{15}$$

$$= \frac{5}{6} \times \frac{6}{3} \times \frac{3}{15}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{Option [2]}$$

$$6. \quad \frac{5}{6} - \frac{3}{4} + \frac{7}{24}$$

$$= \frac{5}{6} + \frac{7}{24} - \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{20}{24} + \frac{7}{24} - \frac{18}{24}$$

$$= \frac{27}{24} - \frac{18}{24}$$

$$= \frac{9}{24}$$

$$= \frac{3}{8} \quad \text{Option [4]}$$

$$7. \quad \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\frac{3}{4} + \frac{5}{8}$$

$$\frac{6}{8} + \frac{5}{8}$$

$$\frac{11}{8} \quad \text{Option [2]}$$

$$8. \quad 6a^2bc = 3 \times 2 \times a \times a \times b \times c$$

$$8abc = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times a \times b \times c$$

$$12ab^3 = 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times a \times b \times b \times b$$

$$LCM = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times a \times a \times b \times b \times b \times c$$

$$LCM = 24a^2b^3c \quad \text{Option [1]}$$

$$9. \quad L = 2x - 3 \quad \text{Option [3]}$$

$$10. \quad \frac{x^2 \times x^3}{x^5} = \frac{x^5}{x^5} = 1 \quad \text{Option [4]}$$

$$11. \quad \text{Perimeter} = (10 \times 2) + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times \pi \times 8$$

$$= 20 + 8\pi$$

$$= 45.1 \, m \quad \text{Option [4]}$$

$$12. \quad \text{Area of lawn} = \left[(10 \times 8) + \left(\pi \times 4^2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \right) \right] - [(2 \times 2) + (\pi \times 0.5^2 \times 6)]$$

$$= (80 + 16\pi) - (4 + 1.5\pi)$$

$$= 76 + 14.5\pi$$

$$= 121.6 \, m^2 \quad \text{Option [1]}$$

$$13. V = 2 \times 2 \times 1,5$$

$$V = 6m^3 \quad \text{but } 1m^3 = 1\,000l$$

$$V = 6\,000l \quad \text{Option [1]}$$

$$14. C = 2(l + w)$$

$$C = 2l + 2w$$

$$2w = C - 2l$$

$$w = \frac{C-2l}{2} \quad \text{Option [2]}$$

$$15. \text{ Total cost} = 18\,000 + (500 \times 100)$$

$$= 68\,000$$

$$\text{Selling price} = 800 \times 100$$

$$= 80\,000$$

$$\text{Profit} = \text{Selling price} - \text{Total cost}$$

$$= 80\,000 - 68\,000$$

$$\text{Profit} = 12\,000 \quad \text{Option [1]}$$

$$16. \text{ Given two points } (-1, -2) \text{ and } (3, 4)$$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

$$= \frac{4 - (-2)}{3 - (-1)}$$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{4+2}{3+1}$$

$$= \frac{6}{4}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2}$$

Option [2]

$$17. VAT = \frac{14}{100} \times 2\,410$$

$$= 337.40$$

$$\text{Cost} + \text{VAT} = 2\,410 + 337.40$$

$$= R\,2\,747.40 \quad \text{Option [3]}$$

$$18. \text{Using proportion: Eggs needed to bake 14 cakes} = \frac{14}{2} \times \frac{5}{1}$$

$$= 35 \text{ eggs} \quad \text{Option [3]}$$

$$19. S = P(1 + rt)$$

$$S = 36\,000 \left(1 + \frac{6}{100} \times 6 \frac{5}{12} \right)$$

$$S = 36\,000 \left(1 + \frac{6}{100} \times \frac{77}{12} \right)$$

$$S = 36\,000(1,385)$$

$$S = R\,49\,860,00 \quad \text{Option [2]}$$

$$20. S = P(1 + rt)$$

$$S = 45\,000 \left(1 + \frac{6}{100} X \frac{5}{1}\right) + 20\,000 \left(1 + \frac{6}{100} X \frac{3}{1}\right)$$

$$S = 45\,000(1,3) + 20\,000(1,18)$$

$$S = R\,82\,100,00 \quad \text{Option [1]}$$

$$21. S = P \left(1 + \frac{jm}{m}\right)^{tm}$$

where: $jm = \text{nominal interest rate}$

$m = \text{number of compounding periods}$

$t = \text{number of years}$

$S = \text{Sum accumulated}$

$P = \text{Principal}$

$i = \frac{jm}{m}, n = tm$

$$S = 2P$$

$$\left(\frac{2P}{P}\right) = \left(1 + \frac{jm}{m}\right)^{tm}$$

$$\ln(2) = tm \ln \left(1 + \frac{jm}{m}\right)$$

$$m = 12; \quad t = 10 \text{ years}$$

$$\ln(2) = 120 \ln \left(1 + \frac{jm}{12}\right)$$

$$\frac{\ln(2)}{120} = \ln \left(1 + \frac{jm}{12}\right)$$

$$e^{\left(\frac{\ln 2}{120}\right)} = 1 + \frac{jm}{12}$$

$$e^{\left(\frac{\ln 2}{120}\right)} - 1 = \frac{jm}{12}$$

$$jm = 12 \left(e^{\left(\frac{\ln 2}{120}\right)} - 1\right)$$

$$jm = 0.0695 = 6.95\% \quad \text{Option[4]}$$

$$22. P = 8\,000; \quad t = \frac{30}{12}; \quad i = \frac{0,13}{2} ; \quad n = 2 \times \frac{30}{12}$$

$$S = P(1 + i)^n$$

$$S = 8\,000 \left(1 + \frac{0,13}{2}\right)^{2 \times \frac{30}{12}}$$

$$S = 8\,000(1,065)^5$$

$$S = 10\,960,69$$

$$Interest = S - P$$

$$= 10\,960,69 - 8\,000$$

$$= R\,2\,960,69 \quad \text{Option [1]}$$

$$23. S = R \left[\frac{(1+i)^n - 1}{i} \right]$$

$$100\,000 = R \left[\frac{\left(1 + \frac{0,08}{52}\right)^{52 \times 2} - 1}{\frac{0,08}{52}} \right]$$

$$100\,000 = R(112.6882872)$$

$$R = \frac{100\,000}{112.6882872}$$

$$R = R887,40 \quad \text{Option[3]}$$

$$24. Loan = 480\,000 - 150\,000 = 330\,000$$

$$P = Ra_{\overline{n}|i} = R \left(\frac{(1+i)^n - 1}{i(1+i)^n} \right)$$

$$330\,000 = R \left[\frac{\left(1 + \frac{0,24}{12}\right)^{12 \times 20} - 1}{\frac{0,24}{12} \left(1 + \frac{0,24}{12}\right)^{12 \times 20}} \right]$$

$$R = \frac{330000}{49,56855168}$$

$$\text{Payment, } R = R6\,657.446885$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Outstanding amount after 10 years} &= 6\,657.45 \left[\frac{\left(1 + \frac{0.24}{12}\right)^{12 \times 10} - 1}{\frac{0.24}{12} \left(1 + \frac{0.24}{12}\right)^{12 \times 10}} \right] \\ &= 6\,657.446885(45,3553885) \\ &= R301\,951,08 \quad \text{Option [2]}\end{aligned}$$

$$25. \quad P = Ra \quad n \quad i = R \left(\frac{(1+i)^n - 1}{i(1+i)^n} \right)$$

$$330\,000 = 8\,000 \left[\frac{\left(1 + \frac{0.24}{12}\right)^n - 1}{\frac{0.24}{12} \left(1 + \frac{0.24}{12}\right)^n} \right]$$

$$\frac{330000}{8000} = \frac{(1,02)^n - 1}{0,02(1,02)^n}$$

$$0,02 \times 41,25 = \frac{(1,02)^n - 1}{(1,02)^n}$$

$$0,825 = \frac{(1,02)^n}{(1,02)^n} - \frac{1}{(1,02)^n}$$

$$\frac{1}{(1,02)^n} = 1 - 0,825$$

$$(1,02)^{-n} = 0,175$$

$$-n \ln(1,02) = \ln(0,175)$$

$$n = -\frac{\ln(0,175)}{\ln(1,02)} \quad \text{but } n = 12t$$

$$12t = -\frac{\ln(0,175)}{\ln(1,02)}$$

$$t = -\frac{\ln(0,175)}{12\ln(1,02)}$$

$$t = 7,3 \text{ years}$$

Option [3]