

**[SINGLE CORRECT CHOICE TYPE]**

1. Which of the following conditions imply that the real number  $x$  is rational ?
- I**  $x^{1/2}$  is rational      **II**  $x^2$  and  $x^5$  are rational      **III**  $x^2$  and  $x^4$  are rational
- (A) I and II only      (B) I and III only      (C) II and III only      (D) I, II and III
2. Let  $n = \sqrt{6+\sqrt{11}} + \sqrt{6-\sqrt{11}} - \sqrt{22}$ , then
- (A)  $n \geq 1$       (B)  $0 < n < 1$       (C)  $n = 0$       (D)  $-1 < n < 0$
3. Number of real distinct  $x$  satisfying the equation  $|x - 2| + |x - 3| = |x - 1|$  is
- (A) 1      (B) 2      (C) 3      (D) more than 3
4. The sum of the solutions of the equation  $9^x - 6 \cdot 3^x + 8 = 0$  is
- (A)  $\log_3 2$       (B)  $\log_3 6$       (C)  $\log_3 8$       (D)  $\log_3 4$
5. If  $x = (2^{\sqrt{5}})(5^{\sqrt{2}})$ , then  $\log_{10} x = (\sqrt{A} - \sqrt{B})(\log_{10} 2) + \sqrt{B}$ . The value of  $(A + B)$  equals
- (A) 7      (B) 9      (C) 11      (D) 13
6.  $a = \log_{12}, b = \log_{21}, c = \log_{11}$  and  $d = \log_{22}$  then  $\log\left(\frac{1}{7}\right)$  can be expressed in this form
- $P(a - b) + Q(c - d)$  where  $P$  and  $Q$  are integers then the value of  $(7P - Q)$  equals
- (A) 5      (B) 9      (C) 13      (D) 15
7. Given  $\log_2 a = p$ ,  $\log_4 b = p^2$  and  $\log_{c^2}(8) = \frac{2}{p^3+1}$ . If  $\log_2\left(\frac{c^8}{ab^2}\right) = (\alpha p^3 - \beta p^2 - \gamma p + \delta)$  where  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \in \mathbb{N}$ , then find the value of  $(\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta)$ .
- (A) 17      (B) 12      (C) 15      (D) 96
8. Let  $\log_M N = \alpha + \beta$ , where  $\alpha$  is an integer and  $\beta$  is non negative fraction. If  $M$  and  $\alpha$  are prime and  $\alpha + M = 7$  then  $N \in [a, b)$ , Then the sum of all possible value(s) of  $|b - 5a|$  is
- (A) 0      (B) 24      (C) 48      (D) 96

**[MATRIX TYPE]**

**Q.9 & Q.10** has **four** statements (A,B,C and D) given in **Column-I** and **four** statements (P, Q, R and S) given in **Column-II**. Any given statement in **Column-I** can have correct matching with one or more statement(s) given in **Column-II**.

**9. Column-I****Column-II**

- (A) The expression  $x = \log_2 \log_9 \sqrt{6 + \sqrt{6 + \sqrt{6 + \dots \infty}}}$  simplifies to      (P) an integer
- (B) The number  $N = 2^{(\log_2 3 \cdot \log_3 4 \cdot \log_4 5 \dots \log_{99} 100)}$  simplifies to      (Q) a prime
- (C) The expression  $\frac{1}{\log_5 3} + \frac{1}{\log_6 3} - \frac{1}{\log_{10} 3}$  simplifies to      (R) a natural
- (D) The number  $N = \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{5 - \sqrt{6 - 3\sqrt{5 + \sqrt{14 - 6\sqrt{5}}}}}}$  simplifies to      (S) a composite

- 10.** **Column-I** and **column-II** contains **four** entries each. Entry of column-I are to be uniquely matched with only one entry of column-II.

<b>Column-I</b>	<b>Column-II</b>
(A) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}+1} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}+\sqrt{3}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{49}+\sqrt{48}}$	(P) 3
(B) Let $A = \log_{\sqrt{3}} 8 \cdot \log_4 81; B = \log_{\sqrt{6}} 3 \cdot \log_3 36$	(Q) 6
Then the value of $(A - B)$ equals	
(C) Let $A = \log_{\sqrt{2}}^2 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right); B = \log_{2\sqrt{2}}^3 (8); C = -\log_5 \log_3 \sqrt[5]{9}$ .	(R) 7
Then the value of $\left(\frac{A}{B} + C\right)$ equals	
(D) $(\sqrt[3]{4} - \sqrt[3]{10} + \sqrt[3]{25})(\sqrt[3]{2} + \sqrt[3]{5})$	(S) 8

**[COMPREHENSION TYPE]**

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**Paragraph for question nos. 11 to 13**

Let A denotes the sum of the roots of the equation  $\frac{1}{5-4\log_4 x} + \frac{4}{1+\log_4 x} = 3$ .

B denotes the value of the product of m and n, if  $2^m = 3$  and  $3^n = 4$ .

C denotes the product of the integral roots of the equation  $\log_{3x} \left(\frac{3}{x}\right) + (\log_3 x)^2 = 1$ .

- 11.** The value of  $A + B$  equals  
 (A) 10                      (B) 6                      (C) 8                      (D) 4
- 12.** The value of  $B + C$  equals  
 (A) 6                      (B) 2                      (C) 4                      (D) 5
- 13.** The value of  $A \div C + B$  equals  
 (A) 4                      (B) 8                      (C) 7                      (D) 5

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**[SUBJECTIVE TYPE]**

- 14.** Find all integral solution of the equation,  $4\log_{x/2}(\sqrt{x}) + 2\log_{4x}(x^2) = 3\log_{2x}(x^3)$
- 15.** (i) Prove that if  $x = \log_c b + \log_b c$ ,  $y = \log_a c + \log_c a$ ,  $z = \log_b a + \log_a b$  then  $xyz = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 4$ .  
 (ii)  $y = a^{\frac{1}{(1-\log_a x)}}$  and  $z = a^{\frac{1}{(1-\log_a y)}}$ , prove that  $x = a^{\frac{1}{(1-\log_a z)}}$

# Answers

- 1.** (A)   **2.** (C)   **3.** (B)   **4.** (C)   **5.** (A)   **6.** (A)   **7.** (A)   **8.** (D)  
**9.** A-P ; B-PRS ; C-PR ; D-PQR      **10.** A-Q, B-S, C-P, D-R      **11.** (C)   **12.** (D)   **13.** (A)   **14.** 1,4