MATHEMATICS TOPICS FOR THE ENTRANCE TEST

(Only for BSc HEALTH PSYCHOLOGY)

Derivatives; Definite Integrals (application of integrals); Percentages, probability (definition, formulas of sum and multiplication of probabilities, mean (mathematical expectation), median and mode).

Systems of linear equations, quadratic equations, simplification of algebraic expressions; Simplification of trigonometric expressions, arithmetic, and geometric progressions; Ratios, analysis of functions.

LIST of FORMULAS

$$a^{2}-b^{2} = (a-b)\cdot(a+b); (a\pm b)^{2} = a^{2}\pm 2ab + b^{2}; a^{3}\pm b^{3} = (a\pm b)\cdot(a^{2}\mp a\cdot b + b^{2}); (a\pm b)^{3} = a^{3}\pm 3 \cdot a^{2} \cdot b + 3 \cdot a \cdot b^{2}\pm b^{3}$$

$$ax^{2}+bx+c=0 \rightarrow x_{1,2} = \frac{-b\pm\sqrt{b^{2}-4ac}}{2a}; x_{1}+x_{2} = -\frac{b}{a}; x_{1}\cdot x_{2} = \frac{c}{a}$$

Progressions:

Aritmetic progression	Geometric progression
$a_n = a_1 + (n-1) \cdot d;$	$b_n = b_1 \cdot q^{n-1}$
$S_{n} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (a_{1} + a_{n}) \cdot n = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (2a_{1} + (n-1) \cdot d) \cdot n$	$S_n = \frac{b_1 \cdot (q^n - 1)}{q - 1}$
a_1 – first number, a_n – n-th number; d – difference	b_1 – first number, b_n – n-th number; q – common ratio

Trigonometry

$$\sin 2x = 2 \cdot \sin x \cdot \cos 2x = \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x; \ \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1; \ tg 2x = \frac{\sin 2x}{\cos 2x}$$

Derivatives

$$c' = 0. \ (cu)' = c \cdot u'. \ \left(\frac{u}{c}\right)' = \frac{u'}{c} \text{ if } c \neq 0. \ (u \pm v)' = u' \pm v'.$$
$$(u \cdot v)' = u' \cdot v + u \cdot v'. \ \left(\frac{u}{v}\right)' = \frac{u' \cdot v - u \cdot v'}{v^2} \text{ if } v \neq 0. \ g(f(x)) = g'(f(x)) \cdot f(x)$$
$$(x^{\alpha})' = \alpha \ x^{\alpha - 1}; \ (e^x)' = e^x; \ (a^x)' = a^x \ln a; \ (\ln x)' = \frac{1}{x}; \ (\sin x)' = \cos x; \ (\cos x)' = -\sin x.$$

Integrals

$$\begin{split} \int cf(x)dx &= c\int f(x)dx; \int (f(x)\pm g(x))dx = \int f(x)dx \pm \int g(x)dx; \\ \int dx &= x+C; \qquad \int x^{\alpha}dx = \frac{x^{\alpha+1}}{\alpha+1} + C \quad (\alpha \neq -1); \qquad \int \frac{dx}{x} = \ln|x| + C; \qquad \int e^{x}dx = e^{x} + C; \\ \int b^{b}_{a}f(x)dx &= F(x)|^{b}_{a} = F(b) - F(a). \end{split}$$

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Area under a curve of f(x) in interval (a;b) Area = $\int_{a}^{b} f(x) dx$

Probability:

Definition: $P(A) = \frac{m}{n}$

Multiplication rule of probabilities for independent events: $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$. Addition rule of probabilities for mutually exclusive events: $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)$.

Mathematical expectation or mean (EX):

$$EX = \frac{x_1 \cdot m_1 + x_2 \cdot m_2 + \dots + x_n \cdot m_n}{n} \text{ or } EX = x_1 \cdot p_1 + x_2 \cdot p_2 + \dots + x_n \cdot p_n$$