# A Detailed Analysis of JEE Main (Session 1) 2023 31st January, 2023 Shift 1 (9AM - 12 Noon) (Memory Based) 

## Disclaimer: Although students had to answer only 75 questions in exam, analysis below pertains to $<=90$ questions

JEE Main 2023 (B.E./B.Tech) exam is being conducted entirely in the computer-based mode by the National Testing Agency (NTA). JEE Main Exam 2023 (B.E./B.Tech.) will be held on January 24, 25, 29, 30,31 and February 1, 2023. The Paper will be conducted in two shifts i.e, First Shift from 9:00am to 12:00 pm \& Second Shift from 3:00pm to 6:00 pm daily.

## JEE Main Exam Pattern 2023: Paper 1 (B.E/B.Tech)

| Particulars | Details |
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| Exam Mode | Computer-based examination |
| Test Duration | Three hours |
| No. of Subjects | (i)Physics <br> (ii)Chemistry <br> (iii)Mathematics |
| Type of questions | MCQs: 4 options with only 1 correct option <br> Numerical Value Questions: Questions whose answers are to be filled in as a numerical value |
| JEE Mains Total No. of questions | Mathematics: $25(20+10) 20$ Questions were compulsory MCQ Based \& 10 Questions were answers as a numerical value. Out of these 10 questions, 5 questions are compulsory. <br> Physics: $25(20+10) 20$ Questions were compulsory MCQ Based \& 10 Questions were answers as a numerical value. Out of these 10 questions, 5 questions are compulsory. <br> Chemistry: $25(20+10) 20$ Questions were compulsory MCQ Based \& 10 Questions were answers as a numerical value. Out of these 10 questions, 5 questions are compulsory. <br> Total: $\mathbf{7 5}$ Questions ( $\mathbf{2 5}$ questions in each subject) |
| JEE Mains Total Marks | 300 Marks |
| JEE Main Marking Scheme | MCQs: Four marks will be awarded for each correct answer and there will be a negative marking of one mark on each wrong answer. <br> Questions with numerical value answers: Candidates will be given four marks for each correct answer and there will be a negative marking of 1 mark for each wrong answer. |

## Subject Wise Difficulty Level Analysis

Although it was a memory-based question analysis, our experts could figure out $\mathbf{6 8}$ questions out of $\mathbf{9 0}$ questions i.e, $\mathbf{2 3}$ questions in Physics, $\mathbf{2 5}$ questions in Chemistry and $\mathbf{2 0}$ in Mathematics.

| Subject | Easy |  | Medium |  | Difficult |  | Grand Total |  |
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|  | No. of <br> Questions | Total <br> Marks | No. of <br> Questions | Total <br> Marks | No. of <br> Questions | Total <br> Marks | No. of <br> Questions | Total <br> Marks |
|  | 14 | 56 | 9 | 36 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 92 |
| Chemistry | 18 | 72 | 6 | 24 | 1 | 4 | 25 | 100 |
| Mathematics | 6 | 24 | 11 | 44 | 3 | 12 | 20 | 80 |
| Grand Total | 38 | 152 | 26 | 104 | 4 | 16 | 68 | 272 |



## Question Wise Distribution Analysis

Following is the question distribution table as per Class,Chapter, Topic \& Difficulty -
Physics

| Question No | Class | Section | Subject | Chapter Name | Topic Name | Difficulty Level |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 11th | A | Physics | Kinetic Theory Of Gases | Molar Specific Heat | Easy |
| 2 | 12th | A | Physics | Current Electricity | Drift Velocity | Easy |
| 3 | 11th | A | Physics | Units \& Measurements | Dimensional Analysis | Easy |
| 4 | 11th | A | Physics | Mechanical Properties Of Fluids | Surface Tension | Medium |
| 5 | 11th | A | Physics | Laws Of Motion | Normal Reaction | Easy |
| 6 | 11th | A | Physics | Gravitation | Variation In Acceleration Due to Gravity | Medium |
| 7 | 12th | A | Physics | Electrostatic Potential \& Capacitance | Electric Potential | Easy |
| 8 | 12th | A | Physics | Atoms | Hydrogen Spectrum | Medium |
| 9 | 11th | A | Physics | Oscillations | Time Period Of Oscillations | Easy |
| 10 | 12th | A | Physics | Dual Nature Of Matter \& Radiations | de Briglie Hypothesis | Medium |
| 11 | 11th | A | Physics | Motion In A Plane | Projectile | Easy |
| 12 | 11th | A | Physics | Thermodynamics | Change In Internal Energy | Medium |
| 13 | 12th | A | Physics | Current Electricity | Drift Velocity | Medium |
| 14 | 11th | A | Physics | Motion In A Plane | River Boat Problem | Easy |
| 15 | 12th | A | Physics | Magnetism \& Matter | Bar Magnet In Uniform Magnetic Field | Easy |
| 16 | 12th | A | Physics | Wave Optics | Law Of Malus | Easy |
| 17 | 11th | B | Physics | System Of Particles \& Rotational Motion | Rolling Motion | Easy |


| 18 | 11 th | B | Physics | Work Energy \& Power | Kinetic Energy | Medium |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 19 | 12 th | B | Physics |  <br> Fields | Electric Flux | Easy |
| 20 | 12 th | B | Physics | Alternating Current | Resonance | Easy |
| 21 | 11 th | B | Physics | Oscillations | Energy in SHM | Medium |
| 22 | 12 th | B | Physics | Current Electricity | Grouping Of Cells | Medium |
| 23 | 12 th | B | Physics | Ray Optics \& Optical <br> Instruments | Refraction | Easy |

## Chemistry

| 24 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | d and $f$ block elements | electronic configuration | Medium |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 25 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | Chemical Kinetics | Arrhenius equation | Easy |
| 26 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | d and f block elements | Acidic and basic <br> strength of oxides | Easy |
| 27 | 11 th | A | Chemistry | Chemical Bonding | Valence Bond Theory | Easy |
| 28 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | d and f block elements | Properties of Copper | Easy |
| 29 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | Alcohols,Phenols and <br> ethers | Chemical reactions of <br> phenol | Easy |
| 30 | 11 th | A | Chemistry | s block elements | Important compounds of <br> sodium metal | Easy |
| 31 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | Haloalkanes and <br> Haloarenes | Physical properties | Easy |
| 32 | 11 th | A | Chemistry | Chemical equilibrium | Kp and Kc | Easy |
| 33 | 11 th | A | Chemistry | Periodic classification | Ionic radii | Easy |
| 34 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | Chemistry in everyday <br> Life | Artificial sweetning <br> agents | Easy |
| 35 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | Metallurgy | Methods involved in <br> concentration of ores | Easy |
| 36 | 11 th | A | Chemistry | Hydrogen | Properties of Hydrogen <br> peroxide | Easy |
| 37 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | Aldehydes ,Ketones and <br> carboxylic acid | Aldol condensation | Medium |
| 38 | 11 th | A | Chemistry | Atomic structure | Line spectra | Medium |
| 39 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | Coordination <br> compounds | Valence Bond Theory | Difficult |


| 40 | 11 th | A | Chemistry | Chemical Bonding | VSEPR Theory | Easy |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 41 | 12th | A | Chemistry | Surface Chemistry | Micelle formation | Easy |
| 42 | 12 th | A | Chemistry | P-block elements-II | Group-15 and Group-17 | Medium |
| 43 | 12 th | B | Chemistry | Solution | Colligative properties | Easy |
| 44 | 11 th | B | Chemistry | Some basic concept of <br> organic chemistry | Quantitative analysis | Easy |
| 45 | 12 th | B | Chemistry | P-block elements-II | Group-15 Oxo-acids of <br> Phosphorous | Easy |
| 46 | 11 th | B | Chemistry | Some basic concept of <br> chemistry | Mole concept | Easy |
| 47 | 12 th | B | Chemistry | Electrochemistry | Relationship between <br> Gibb's energy and <br> equilibrium constant | Medium |
| 48 | 11 th | B | Chemistry | Thermodynamics | Hess's Law | Medium |

## Mathematics

| 49 | 12 th | A | Mathematics | Integration | Definite integration | Difficult |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 50 | 11th | A | Mathematics | Sequence and Series | Geometric Progression | Medium |
| 51 | 12 th | A | Mathematics | Integration | Definite Integration | Medium |
| 52 | 12 th | A | Mathematics | Inverse Trigonometric <br> function | Equation and <br> Interconversion | Difficult |
| 53 | 12 th | A | Mathematics | Relation and function | Domain and range | Medium |
| 54 | 11th | A | Mathematics | Conics | Ellipse | Medium |
| 55 | 11th | A | Mathematics | Complex numbers | Geometry | Medium |
| 56 | 11 th | A | Mathematics | Quadratic eqaution | Biquadratic equation | Difficult |
| 57 | 12th | A | Mathematics | Continuity and <br> differentiability | Differentiation | Medium |
| 58 | 12th | A | Mathematics | Vector | Dot product | Easy |
| 59 | 12th | A | Mathematics | Matrix | Product of matrix | Medium |
| 60 | 11th | A | Mathematics | Circle | Equation of circle | Medium |
| 61 | 12th | A | Mathematics | Relation and function | Types of relation | Easy |
| 62 | 11th | A | Mathematics | Mathematical reasoning | Equivalent statement | Easy |
| 63 | 11th | B | Mathematics | Permutations and <br> combination | Product rule | Easy |
| 64 | 11th | B | Mathematics | Binomial Theorem | Remainder | Medium |


| 65 | 12th | B | Mathematics | Differential equation | Integral equation | Medium |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 66 | 12th | B | Mathematics | Inverse Trigonometric <br> function | Equation | Medium |
| 67 | 12th | B | Mathematics | 3D geometry | Direction ratio | Easy |
| 68 | 12th | B | Mathematics | Vector | Product of two vectors | Easy |

## Class Wise Distribution Level Analysis

As per our expert faculties the questions from Class 12th syllabus dominated Class 11th syllabus Below is the Class wise question distribution table -

| Subject | 11th |  | 12th |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. of Questions | Total Marks | No. of Questions | Total Marks |
|  | 12 | 48 | 11 | 44 |
| Chemistry | 10 | 40 | 15 | 60 |
| Mathematics | 8 | 32 | 12 | 48 |
| Grand Total | 30 | 120 | 38 | 152 |



## Class Wise Distribution Analysis



## Overall Difficulty Level Analysis

In this analysis, we have rated every question on a scale of 1 to 3 . The ratings are done by our expert faculty. The individual ratings are then averaged to calculate the overall difficulty level.

- Easy - 1
- Medium - 2
- Difficult-3

| Subject | Difficulty Level |
| :---: | :---: |
| Physics | 1.39 |
| Chemistry | 1.32 |
| Mathematics | 1.85 |
| Overall | $\mathbf{1 . 5 0}$ |



## Conclusion

The Overall Difficulty rating for 31st January JEE Mains Session 1 (Shift 1) $\mathbf{2 0 2 3}$ was $\mathbf{1 . 5 0}$ which was considered as moderate to difficult. Overall Mathematics was the most difficult subject to attempt. The order of difficulty in different subjects as assessed by a large section of aspirants is Mathematics > Physics > Chemistry.


