

GATE 2019

Computer Science Solutions



1.Ans. C

Sol. 'Breaks down' is a transitive phrasal verb which means to divide something such as a total amount into separate parts.

Option (c) is most suitable.

2. Ans. A

Sol. The search engine business model revolves around the fulcrum of trust.

Fulcrum is any thing that plays a central or essential role in an activity, event, or situation.

3.Ans. B

Sol. Speed of car A = 50 km/hr

Speed of car B = 60 km/hr

Since, both cars A and B are moving in same direction, the relative speed = $60 - 50 = 10$ km/hr

Distance required between them = 20 km

$$\therefore \text{Time} = \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Speed}} = \frac{20}{10} = 2 \text{ hrs}$$

4.Ans. C

Sol. Let share of each student = x

Total cost of gift = $10 \times x$

$$x = 8(x + 150)$$

$$x = 600$$

$$\text{Total cost} = 10 \times 600 = 6000$$

5.Ans. D

Sol. A 'court' is for a 'judge' as a 'school' is for a 'teacher'.

Court is a place where a judge works.

Similarly, school is a place where a teacher works.

6.Ans. B

Sol. Case I:

Criminals	P	Q	R	S
Assumption	F	T	F	F
Result	Q _{NC}	S _C	R _C	S _C

S and R are criminal in the result is impossible because only one person committed the crime.

Case II:

Criminals	P	Q	R	S
Assumption	T	F	F	F

Result	Q _C	S _{NC}	R _C	S _C
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Q and R are criminal in the result is impossible because only one person committed the crime.

Case III:

Criminals	P	Q	R	S
Assumption	F	F	T	F
Result	Q _{NC}	S _{NC}	R _{NC}	S _C

S_{NC} and S_C in the result which is contradiction. [S committed crime and same time not committed crime which is contradiction]

Case IV:

Criminals	P	Q	R	S
Assumption	F	F	F	T
Result	Q _{NC}	S _{NC}	R _C	S _{NC}

R is criminal in the result.

Hence this case satisfies only one person committed the crime.

7.Ans. C

Sol. Percentage of Administrators

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\text{Administrators}}{\text{Total}} \times 100 \\ &= \frac{50}{160} \times 100 = 31.25 \end{aligned}$$

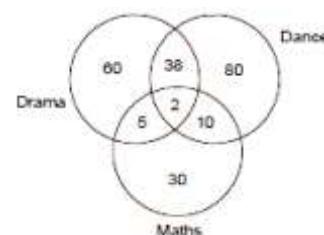
8.Ans. B

Sol. The passage states that the underlying disease behind begging is the failure of the state to protect citizens who fall through the social security net.

option b can be concluded from the above.

9.Ans. C

Sol.



Total number of students = $60 + 80 + 30 + 38 + 5 + 10 + 2 = 225$
 $25\% = 225$

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$$\Rightarrow 100\% = \frac{225}{25} \times 100 = 900$$

10.Ans. D

Sol. According to conditions mentioned in the question 'D' is the best suited option.

11.Ans. D

Sol. Cache memory size = 16 kB

Block size = 16 B

Main memory address = 32 bit

$$= \frac{16K}{16} \Rightarrow \frac{2^{14}}{2^4} = 2^{10}$$

Number of lines (N) = $\frac{N}{16} = 2^{10}$

Fully associative cache memory (N-way)

$$= \frac{N}{P - \text{way}} \Rightarrow \frac{2^{10}}{2^{10}} = 1$$

So, number of sets (S) = 1

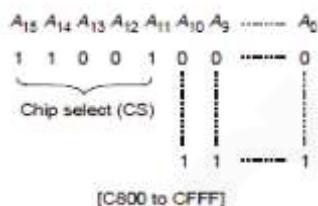


So, TAG = 28 bit

Index = 0 bit (No address)

12.Ans. A

Sol.



13.Ans. D

Sol. LR parser is a bottom up parser. Hence it uses right most derivation in reverse order.

14.Ans. C

Sol. +28 $\Rightarrow 0000\ 0000\ 0001\ 1100$

-28 $\Rightarrow 1111\ 1111\ 1110\ 0100$ (2's complement form)

15.Ans. C

Sol. A = $\{(x, X), x \in X \text{ and } X \subseteq U\}$

The number of k element subsets of a

set U with n elements $= \binom{n}{k} = {}^n C_k$

The number of possible ordered pairs (x, X) where $x \in X$ is $k \cdot {}^n C_k$ for a given value of k from 1 to n.

So total number of ordered pairs in A

$$= |A| = \sum_{k=1}^n k \cdot {}^n C_k = \sum_{k=1}^n k \cdot \binom{n}{k}$$

So II is correct.

(Note that k = 0 is excluded since empty set has no elements and cannot form an order pair such as (x, X)).

But since by the combinational identity

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k \cdot \binom{n}{k} = n \cdot 2^{n-1}$$

So I is also correct.

So both I and II are correct.

16.Ans.B

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol.(a)} \quad x \oplus y &= (xy + x'y')' \\ &= (xy)' \\ &= x \oplus y, \text{ it is valid.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad (x+y) \oplus z &= (\overline{x+y})z + (x+y)\overline{z} \\ &= \overline{x}y z + x\overline{z} + y\overline{z} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &1 \quad 4, 6 \quad 2, 6 \\ &= \Sigma m(1, 2, 4, 6) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x \oplus (y+z) &= \overline{x}(\overline{y}+z) + x(\overline{y}+z) \\ &= \overline{x}y + \overline{x}z + yz \\ &2, 3 \quad 1, 3 \quad 4 \\ &= \Sigma m(1, 2, 3, 4) \end{aligned}$$

$$(x+y) \oplus z \neq x \oplus (y+z)$$

So option (b) is invalid.

$$\text{(c)} \quad (x \oplus y) \oplus z = x \oplus (y \oplus z)$$

Associativity is true on Ex-OR operator so it valid.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(d)} \quad x \oplus y &= (x+y)(\overline{x}+\overline{y}) \\ &= (x+y)\overline{xy} \\ &= (x+y)\bar{0} \\ &= (x+y), \text{ so it is valid.} \end{aligned}$$

17.Ans. B

Sol. If L is regular, $L \cdot L^R$ is also regular by closure property.

Suffix (L) and Prefix (L) are also regular by closure property.

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However option (b) $\{ww^R \mid w \in L\}$ need not be regular since if L is an infinite regular language, then $\{ww^R \mid w \in L\}$ will not only be infinite, but also non-regular. Since it involves string matching and we can increase in length indefinitely and then finite automata FA will run out of memory.

18.Ans. C

Sol. For example:

Let,

$$\begin{cases} X = +6, n = 4 \\ Y = -5, n = 4 \end{cases} \Rightarrow (X - Y) = +11$$

Hence,

$Z = 11$ which required 5 bits which is $(n + 1)$ bits

19.Ans. D

Sol. Both I and II are equivalent statements.

20.Ans. B

Sol. $R_1 : \forall a, b \in G, a R_1 b$ if and only if $\exists g \in G$ such that $a = g^{-1}bg$

Reflexive: $a = g^{-1}ag$ can be satisfied by putting $g = e$, identity "e" always exists in a group.

So reflexive

Symmetric: $aRb \Rightarrow a = g^{-1}bg$ for some $g \Rightarrow b = gag^{-1} = (g^{-1})^{-1}ag^{-1}$

g^{-1} always exists for every $g \in G$.

So symmetric

Transitive: aRb and $bRc \Rightarrow a = g_1^{-1}bg_1$ and $b = g_2^{-1}cg_2$ for some $g_1, g_2 \in G$.

Now $a = g_1^{-1}g_2^{-1}cg_2g_1 = (g_2g_1)^{-1}cg_2g_1$

$g_1 \in G$ and $g_2 \in G \Rightarrow g_2g_1 \in G$ since group is closed so aRb and $aRb \Rightarrow aRc$ hence transitive

Clearly R_1 is equivalence relation.

R_2 is not equivalence it need not even be reflexive, since $aR_2 a \Rightarrow a = a^{-1} \forall a$ which not be true in a group.

R_1 is equivalence relation is the correct answer

21.Ans. C

Sol. I. Strict 2PL guaranteed conflict serializable because of 2PL condition and also strict recoverable.

II. Thomas Write timestamp ordering ensures serializable. Thomas write rule timestamp ordering allowed to execute

schedule which is view equal serial schedule based on timestamp ordering.

22.Ans. D

Sol. In a complete graph we can traverse the n vertices in any order and return to the starting vertex and form a Hamiltonian cycle. The number of such cycles will be $n!$ However, since circular rotations will have to be ignored. Since for example K_4 with vertices $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$, the cycle $1-2-3-4$ is same as $2-3-4-1$ is same as $3-4-1-2$ etc. we now get only $(n - 1)!$ distinct Hamiltonian cycles. Further, the cycle $1-2-3-4$ and $1-4-3-2$ are also same (clockwise and anticlockwise).

So ignoring this orientation also we finally

$$\frac{(n-1)!}{2}$$

get $\frac{(n-1)!}{2}$ distinct Hamiltonian cycles.

23.Ans. C

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^4 - 81}{2x^2 - 5x - 3} = \frac{0}{0} \text{ form.}$$

So apply L'H rule

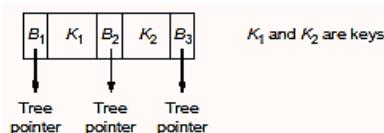
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{4x^3}{4x - 5} = \frac{108}{7}$$

24.Ans. B

Sol. B+ tree non leaf node have pointer to data records is false statement.

B+ tree non leaf node consists of only keys and tree pointers (node pointers).

Below is the structure of B+ tree non leaf node



25.Ans. D

Sol. $L = \{a2 + 3k \text{ or } b10 + 12k\} \text{ for } k \geq 0$

$$= a2 (a3)^* \text{ or } b10 (b12)^*$$

$$= \{a2, a5, a8, \dots, b10, b22, b34, \dots\}$$

The pumping length is p , than for any string $w \in L$ with $|w| \geq p$ must have a repetition i.e. such a string must be breakable into $w = xyz$ such that $|y| \geq 0$ and y can be pumped indefinitely, which is same as saying $xyz \in L \Rightarrow xy^*z \in L$.

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The minimum pumping length in this language is clearly 11, since b10 is a string which has no repetition number, so upto 10 no number can serve as a pumping length. Minimum pumping length is 11. Any number at or above minimum pumping length can serve as a pumping length. The only number at or above 11, in the choice given is 24.

26.Ans. B

Sol. SMTP is push protocol and to send email and POP3 is pull protocol i.e. to retrieve email.

27.Ans. (31)

28.Ans. (26)

29.Ans. (31)

Sol. $S \rightarrow Aa$

$A \rightarrow BD$

$B \rightarrow b \mid \epsilon$

$D \rightarrow d \mid \epsilon$

Follow (B) = {d, a}

Hence their index in descending order is 31.

30.Ans. (0.08)

31.Ans. (2)

Sol. By Fermat's theorem

$$3^{(5-1)} \bmod 5 = 1$$

$$3^4 \bmod 5 = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3^{51} \bmod 5 &= (3^4)^{12} \cdot 3^3 \bmod 5 \\ &= 3^3 \bmod 5 \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

32.Ans. (0.502 to 0.504)

33.Ans. (80)

34.Ans. (6)

35.Ans. (29)

36.Ans. D

It will not print anything and will not terminate

37.Ans. B

38.Ans. C

Sol.

M →	100.10.5.2 255.255.255.252 194.66.10.0	2 252 0	00000010 11111100 00000000
N →	100.10.5.6 255.255.255.252 194.66.10.4	5 252 4	00000101 11111100 00000100
P →	100.10.5.6 255.255.255.252 194.66.10.4	6 252 4	00000110 11111100 00000100

N and P belongs to same subnet.

Hence, C is correct answer.

39.Ans. C

X sends an ARP request packet with broadcast MAC address in its local subnet

40.Ans. A

$$\text{Sol. } f_1 \cdot f_2 = \Sigma(2, 8, 14)$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_1 &= f_3 \oplus (f_1 \cdot f_2) \\ &= \Sigma(7, 8, 11) \end{aligned}$$

41.Ans. C

Sol. (a) $\{ww^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^*\}$ is a CFL

(b) $\{wa^n b^n w^R \mid w \in \{a, b\}^*, n \geq 0\}$ is

a CFL, since we can first push w, then a's, b's pop with a's and w^R pops with the w.

So PDA can accept the language.

(c) $\{wa^n w^R b^n \mid w \in \{a, b\}^*, n \geq 0\}$ is a not CFL because after pushing w, we need to push a's into stack which will stop the w from being matched with w^R. If we don't push a's after w, than later we cannot match with bn. So this language is not acceptable by a PDA and hence not a CFL.

(d) $\{a^n b^i \mid i \in \{n, 3n, 5n\}, n \geq 0\}$

$= a^n b^n \cup a^n b^{3n} \cup a^n b^{5n}$ is CFL since each of the three parts is a CFL and closure under union guarantees that result also is a CFL.

42.Ans. C

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Sol. $X(PQRS) \{QR \rightarrow S, R \rightarrow P, S \rightarrow Q\}$
decomposed into

$$\begin{array}{ll} Y(PR) & Z(QRS) \\ \{R \rightarrow P\} & \{QR \rightarrow S, S \rightarrow Q\} \\ \text{Candidate key : } \underline{R} & \text{Candidate key : } \underline{QR}, \\ & \underline{RS} \end{array}$$

Relation Y in BCNF Relation Z in 3NF but
not BCNF

Common attribute between Y and Z
relations is R which is key for relation Y.

So that given decomposition is lossless
join decomposition.

$$R \rightarrow P \text{ in } Y$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} QR \rightarrow S \\ S \rightarrow Q \end{array} \right\} \text{ are in } Z$$

and dependency preserving decomposition.

Hence, C is the correct answer.

43.Ans. B

Sol. 1 word = 4 bytes

$$\text{Page size} = 8 \text{ kB} = 2^{13} \text{ B}$$

$$= \frac{2^{13}}{2^2} = 2^{11}$$

Number of words in 1 page

TLB can hold 128 valid entries so, at
most 128×2^{11} memory address can be
addressed without TLB miss.

$$128 \times 2^{11} = 256 \times 2^{10}$$

44.Ans. B

Sol. S_1 : The set L_{RE} is known to be countably
infinite since it corresponds with set of
Turing machines.

S_2 : Since syntactically valid C programs
surely run on Turing machines, this set is
also a subset of set of Turing machines,
which is countable.

S_3 : Set of all languages = 2^Σ which is
known to be uncountable. Σ^* countably
infinite

$$\Rightarrow 2^\Sigma \text{ is uncountable.}$$

S_4 : Set of all non-regular languages
includes set $L_{NOT RE}$ which is uncountable
infinite and hence is uncountable.

So, S_3 and S_4 are uncountable.

Hence, B is the correct answer.

45.Ans. C

Sol. $\forall x [\forall z \exists x \Rightarrow ((z = x) \vee (z = 1)) \Rightarrow \exists w (w > x) \wedge (\forall z \exists w \Rightarrow ((w = z) \vee (z = 1)))]$

The predicate ϕ simply says that if z is a
prime number in the set then there exists
another prime number in the set which is
larger.

Clearly ϕ is true in S_2 and S_3 since in set
of all integers as well as all positive integers,
there is a prime number greater than any
given prime number.

However, in $S_1 : \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 100\}$ ϕ is
false since for prime number $97 \in S_1$ there
exists no prime number in the set which is
greater.

So correct answer is C.

46.Ans. A

Sol. SDT for inserting type information in the
symbol table

$$D \rightarrow TL \{L.idtype = T.type\}$$

$$T \rightarrow int \{T.type = int\}$$

$$T \rightarrow float \{T.type = float\}$$

$$L \rightarrow L1, id \{L1.idtype = L.type\}$$

$$addtype(id.entry, L.type)$$

$$L \rightarrow id addtype(id.entry, L.type)$$

47. Ans. C

Answer is $O(n^2)$

48.Ans. C

Sol. If no two edges of G have same weight
surely G will have unique spanning tree is
true.

So I is true

Also if, for every cut of G, there is a
unique minimum weight edge crossing the
cut then G will have unique spanning tree is
also true. So II is true

[Note: The converse of II is not true, but
that is not relevant to this question]

So both I and II are true.

Option (d) is correct.

49.Ans. A

50.Ans. A

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51.Ans. (2)

Let's assume , $Z = 2$

	P_1	P_2	P_3	P_4	P_5	P_6
	0	1	2	3	4	6
P_1	0					
P_2		1				
P_3			3			
P_4				4		
					$Z=2$	

Average waiting time (WT)

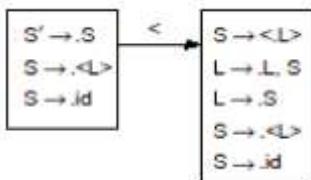
$$= \frac{1+0+3+0}{4} = 1 \text{ ms}$$

Hence, $Z = 2$

52.Ans. (4.0 to 4.1)

53.Ans. 5

Sol.



Total number of items in the set GOTO ($I_0, <$) is 5.

54.Ans. (12)

Sol. Product of eigenvalues is same as the determinant of a matrix.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2^2 & 2^3 \\ 1 & 3 & 3^2 & 3^3 \\ 1 & 4 & 4^2 & 4^3 \\ 1 & 5 & 5^2 & 5^3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2^2 & 2^3 \\ 1 & 3-2 & 3^2-2^2 & 3^3-2^3 \\ 1 & 4-2 & 4^2-2^2 & 4^3-2^3 \\ 1 & 5-2 & 5^2-2^2 & 5^3-2^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (3-2)(4-2)(5-2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 19 \\ 1 & 6 & 28 \\ 1 & 7 & 39 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= 1.2.3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 19 \\ 0 & 1 & 9 \\ 0 & 2 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= 1.2.3.2 = 12$$

55.Ans. (160)

Sol. Total time to transfer a cache block = 1 + 3 + 8 = 12 cycles

$$8 \text{ W } \quad 12 \text{ cycles}$$

$$8 \times 4 \text{ bytes } \quad 12$$

cycles

? B _____ 1 sec

$$= \frac{32B}{12 \times \left(\frac{1}{60} + 10^{-6} \right) \text{sec}}$$

$$= 160 \times 10^6 \text{ bytes/sec}$$

56.Ans. 4.25

No. of pairs with path length 0=8.0=8.

No. of pairs with path length 1=0.1=0.

No. of pairs with path length 2=8.2=8.

No. of pairs with path length 3=0.3=0.

No. of pairs with path length 4=16.4=16.

No. of pairs with path length 5=0.5=0.

No. of pairs with path length 6=32.6=32.

Total number of possible pairs
 $= 8 \times 8 = 64 = 8 \times 8 = 64$

So, expected path length, $E(x)$,

$$= 0 \times 864 + 2 \times 864 + 4 \times 1664 + 6 \times 3264 = 27264$$

$$= 4.25$$

57.Ans. (0.8)

Sol. It is given that, Polynomial $3x^2 + 6xY + 3Y + 6$ has only real roots

$$b^2 - 4ax \geq 0$$

$$(6Y)^2 - 4(3)(3Y+6) \geq 0$$

$$Y^2 - Y + 2 \geq 0$$

$$Y \in (-\infty, -1] \cap [2, \infty)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y \in [2, 6]$$

Since y is uniformly distributed in (1, 6)

Probability distributed function,

$$f(Y) = \frac{1}{5} 1 < y < 6$$

$$P(2 < y < 6) = \int_{2}^{6} f(Y) dY$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} [Y]_2^6 = \frac{4}{5} = 0.8$$

58.Ans. (120)

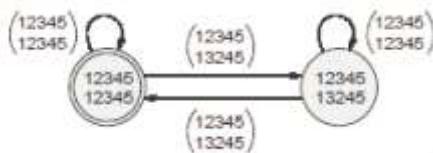
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Sol. The DFA for accepting L will have $5! = 120$ states, since we need one state for every possible permutation function on 5 elements. The starting state will be "id"

state, named as $\begin{pmatrix} 12345 \\ 12345 \end{pmatrix}$ and from there $n!$ arrows will go the $n!$ states each named with a distinct permutation of the set {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}. Since composition of permutation function is closed every arrow has to go to some permutation and hence some state.

Since the language only has those strings where $n(x) = id$ only the starting state ("id" state) will be the final state. Sample machine with only 2 states is shown below



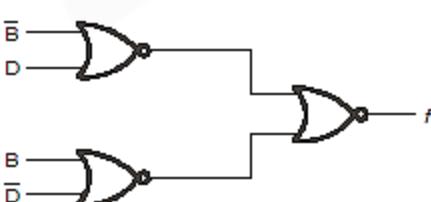
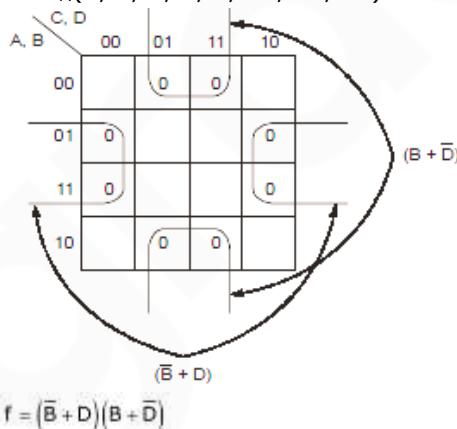
59.Ans. (3)

Sol. 3 switches of ethernet are required to connect 15 computers.

Hence, 3 is correct answer.

60.Ans. (3)

Sol. $f = \sum_m(0, 2, 5, 7, 8, 10, 13, 15)$
 $f = \prod_M(1, 3, 4, 6, 9, 11, 12, 14)$



61.Ans. (5)

Sol.

Student	
Roll_no.	Student_name
1	Amit
2	Priya
3	Vinit
4	Rohan
5	Smita



Performance	
Roll_no.	Student_code
1	A
1	B
1	C
2	A
2	C
3	C

Total 5 different student names all 5 group records in result.(In where condition no condition over Roll_no so query produces all groups.)

62.Ans. (5)

63.Ans. (10)

64.Ans. (97)

Sol. $n = p \times q = 3007$

$$\phi(n) = (p - 1)(q - 1) = 2880$$

By RSA algorithm, $n = 31 \times 97$ in which 97 is prime factor which greater than 50.

65.Ans. (1)

Sol.

P	X	Y	Z	R	Y	V
X1	Y1	Z1		Y1	V1	
X1	Y1	Z2		Y3	V2	
X2	Y2	Z2		Y2	V3	
X2	Y4	Z4		~Y2	V2	

$$\Pi_x (\sigma_{(P,Y=R,Y_1 \wedge R,V_1 \wedge V2)} (P \times)) \Rightarrow \boxed{X \\ X2} \quad \dots(I)$$

Q	X	Y	T	R	Y	V
X2	Y1	2		Y1	V1	
X1	Y2	5		Y3	V2	
X1	Y1	6		Y2	V3	
X3	Y3	1		Y2	V2	

$$\Pi_x (\sigma_{(Q,Y=R,Y_1 \wedge Q,T>2)} (Q \times R)) \Rightarrow \boxed{X \\ X1} \quad \dots(II)$$

$$I - II \Rightarrow \boxed{X \\ X2}$$

one record in result.

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