

Binomial Theorem - Class XI

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Questions

Question: 01

In the expansion of $\left(x^4 - \frac{1}{x^3}\right)^{15}$ the coefficient of x^{39} is

- A. 1365
- B. - 1365
- C. 455
- D. - 455

Solutions

Solution: 01

General term in $\left(x^4 - \frac{1}{x^3}\right)^{15}$ is

$$T_{r+1} = {}^{15}C_r (X^4)^{15-r} \left(-\frac{1}{x^3}\right)^r = {}^{15}C_r X^{60-7r} (-1)^r$$

If x^{39} occurs in T_{r+1} , then $60 - 7r = 39$

$$\Rightarrow r = 3$$

$$\text{So, coefficient of } x^{39} = {}^{15}C_3 [-1]^3 = -455$$

Correct Options

Answer:01

Correct Options: D