TOPIC

Mathematics – Section I – Question 18

QUESTION

The determinant of the matrix

 $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 0 & 5 \\ 8 & 9 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$

most nearly is

- (A) -90
- (B) 16
- (C) 20
- (D) 26

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