

MATHEMATICS

SECTION - A

Multiple Choice Questions: This section contains 20 multiple choice questions. Each question has 4 choices (1), (2), (3) and (4), out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.

Choose the correct answer :

61. The mean and variance of the marks obtained by the students in a test are 10 and 4 respectively. Later, the marks of one of the students is increased from 8 to 12. If the new mean of the marks is 10.2, then their new variance is equal to :

- (1) 4.08
- (2) 3.92
- (3) 3.96
- (4) 4.04

Answer (3)

Sol. $\bar{x} = 10$ & $\sigma^2 = 4$, No. of students = N (let)

$$\therefore \frac{\sum x_i}{N} = 10 \text{ \& \ } \frac{\sum x_i^2}{N} - (10)^2 = 4$$

Now if one of x_i is changed from 8 to 12 we have

$$\text{New mean } \frac{\sum x_i + 4}{N} = 10 + \frac{4}{N} = 10.2$$

$$\Rightarrow N = 20$$

$$\text{and } \sigma_{\text{new}}^2 = \frac{\sum x_i^2 - (8)^2 + (12)^2}{20} - (10.2)^2$$

$$= \frac{\sum x_i^2}{20} + \frac{144 - 64}{20} - (10.2)^2$$

$$= 104 + 4 - (10.2)^2$$

$$= 108 - 104.04 = 3.96$$

62. The statement $(p \wedge (\sim q)) \Rightarrow (p \Rightarrow (\sim q))$ is

- (1) a contradiction
- (2) equivalent to $p \vee q$
- (3) equivalent to $(\sim p) \vee (\sim q)$
- (4) a tautology

Answer (4)

Sol. Making truth table (Let $(p \wedge \sim q) \Rightarrow (p \Rightarrow \sim q) = E$)

p	q	$\sim p$	$\sim q$	$p \wedge \sim q$	$p \Rightarrow \sim q$	E
T	T	F	F	F	F	T
T	F	F	T	T	T	T
F	T	T	F	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	F	T	T

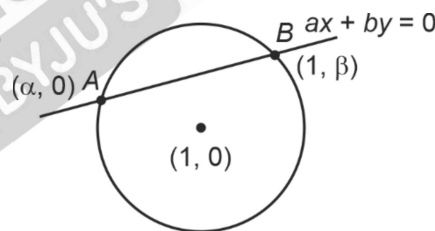
$\therefore E$ is a tautology

63. The points of intersection of the line $ax + by = 0$, ($a \neq b$) and the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$ are $A(\alpha, 0)$ and $B(1, \beta)$. The image of the circle with AB as a diameter in the line $x + y + 2 = 0$ is:

- (1) $x^2 + y^2 + 5x + 5y + 12 = 0$
- (2) $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 5y + 8 = 0$
- (3) $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - 5y + 12 = 0$
- (4) $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 3y + 4 = 0$

Answer (1)

Sol.



As A and B satisfy both line and circle we have

$$\alpha = 0 \Rightarrow A(0, 0) \text{ and } \beta = 1 \text{ i.e. } B(1, 1)$$

Centre of circle as AB diameter is $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ and

$$\text{radius} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

\therefore For image of $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ in $x + y + z = 0$ we get

$$\frac{x - \frac{1}{2}}{1} = \frac{y - \frac{1}{2}}{1} = \frac{-2(3)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Image} \left(-\frac{5}{2}, -\frac{5}{2}\right)$$

∴ Equation of required circle

$$\left(x + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 5x + 5y + \frac{50}{4} - \frac{1}{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 5x + 5y + 12 = 0$$

64. Consider the lines L_1 and L_2 given by

$$L_1: \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-2}{2}$$

$$L_2: \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$$

A line L_3 having direction ratios, 1, -1, -2, intersects L_1 and L_2 at the points P and Q respectively. Then the length of line segment PQ is

- (1) $3\sqrt{2}$ (2) $2\sqrt{6}$
(3) $4\sqrt{3}$ (4) 4

Answer (2)

Sol. Let,

$$P \equiv (2\lambda + 1, \lambda + 3, 2\lambda + 2) \text{ and } Q(\mu + 2, 2\mu + 2, 3\mu + 3)$$

$$\text{d.r.'s of } PQ \equiv \langle 2\lambda - \mu - 1, \lambda - 2\mu + 1, 2\lambda - 3\mu - 1 \rangle$$

$$\therefore \frac{2\lambda - \mu - 1}{1} = \frac{\lambda - 2\mu - 1}{-1} = \frac{2\lambda - 3\mu - 1}{-2}$$

$$\therefore -2\lambda + \mu + 1 = \lambda - 2\mu + 1 \text{ and } -2\lambda + 4\mu - 2 = -2\lambda + 3\mu + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\lambda - 3\mu = 0 \text{ and } \mu = 3$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \pm 3 \text{ and } \mu = 3$$

$$\therefore P \equiv (7, 6, 8) \text{ and } Q(5, 8, 12)$$

$$\therefore |PO| = \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{24} = 2\sqrt{6}$$

65. Let $f : (0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function defined by

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1 - e^{-x}}, \text{ and } g(x) = (f(-x) - f(x)). \text{ Consider}$$

two statements

- (I) g is an increasing function in $(0, 1)$
(II) g is one-one in $(0, 1)$

Then,

- (1) Only (I) is true
(2) Both (I) and (II) are true
(3) Only (II) is true
(4) Neither (I) nor (II) is true

Answer (2)

Sol. $g(x) = f(-x) - f(x)$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - e^{-x}} - \frac{1}{1 - e^{-x}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - e^{-x}} - \frac{e^x}{e^x - 1}$$

$$= \frac{1 + e^x}{1 - e^x}$$

$$g'(x) = \frac{(1 - e^x)e^x - (1 + e^x)(-e^x)}{(1 - e^x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^x - 2e^{2x} + e^x + 2e^x}{(1 - e^x)^2} > 0$$

So both statements are correct

66. Let S_1 and S_2 be respectively the sets of $a \in \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$

for which the system of linear equations

$$ax + 2ay - 3az = 1$$

$$(2a + 1)x + (2a + 3)y + (a + 1)z = 2$$

$$(3a + 5)x + (a + 5)y + (a + 2)z = 3$$

has unique solution and infinitely many solutions. Then

- (1) $S_1 = \Phi$ and $S_2 = \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$
(2) $S_1 = \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$ and $S_2 = \Phi$
(3) S_1 is an infinite set and $n(S_2) = 2$
(4) $n(S_1) = 2$ and S_2 is an infinite set

Answer (2)

Sol. Given system of equations

$$ax + 2ay - 3az = 1$$

$$(2a + 1)x + (2a + 3)y + (a + 1)z = 2$$

$$(3a + 5)x + (a + 5)y + (a + 2)z = 3$$

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{vmatrix} a & 2a & -3a \\ 2a+1 & 2a+3 & a+1 \\ 3a+5 & a+5 & a+2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= a \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2a+1 & 1-2a & 7a+4 \\ 3a+5 & -5a-5 & 10a+17 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= a(15a^2 + 31a + 37)$$

$$\text{Now } A = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{a = 0}$$

So, $S_1 = \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$ and at $a = 0$

System has infinite solution but $a \in \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$

$$\therefore S_2 = \Phi$$

67. The minimum value of the function $f(x) = \int_0^2 e^{|x-t|} dt$ is

- (1) $e(e-1)$
- (2) $2e-1$
- (3) $2(e-1)$
- (4) 2

Answer (3)

Sol. $f(x) = \int_0^2 e^{|x-t|} dt$

For $x > 2$

$$f(x) = \int_0^2 e^{x-t} dt = e^x (1 - e^{-2})$$

For $x < 0$

$$f(x) = \int_0^2 e^{t-x} dt = e^{-x} (e^2 - 1)$$

For $x \in [0, 2]$

$$f(x) = \int_0^x e^{x-t} dt + \int_x^2 e^{t-x} dt$$

$$= e^{2-x} + e^x - 2$$

For $x > 2$

$$f(x)|_{\min} = e^2 - 1$$

For $x < 0$

$$f(x)|_{\min} = e^2 - 1$$

For $x \in [0, 2]$

$$f(x)|_{\min} = 2(e-1)$$

68. Let $y(x) = (1+x)(1+x^2)(1+x^4)(1+x^8)(1+x^{16})$.

Then $y' - y''$ at $x = -1$ is equal to :

- (1) 496
- (2) 944
- (3) 976
- (4) 464

Answer (1)

Sol. $y = \frac{1-x^{32}}{1-x} = 1+x+x^2+x^3+\dots+x^{31}$

$$y' = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \dots + 31x^{30}$$

$$y'(-1) = 1 - 2 + 3 - 4 + \dots + 31 = 16$$

$$y''(x) = 2 + 6x + 12x^2 + \dots + 31 \cdot 30 x^{29}$$

$$y''(-1) = 2 - 6 + 12 - \dots - 31 \cdot 30 = 480$$

$$y''(-1) - y'(-1) = -496$$

69. Let $x = 2$ be a local minima of the function $f(x) = 2x^4 - 18x^2 + 8x + 12$, $x \in (-4, 4)$. If M is local maximum value of the function f in $(-4, 4)$, then $M =$

- (1) $12\sqrt{6} - \frac{33}{2}$
- (2) $12\sqrt{6} - \frac{31}{2}$
- (3) $18\sqrt{6} - \frac{31}{2}$
- (4) $18\sqrt{6} - \frac{33}{2}$

Answer (1)

Sol. $f(x) = 8x^3 - 36x + 8$

$$= 4(2x^3 - 9x + 2)$$

$$= 4(x-2)(2x^2 + 4x - 1)$$

$$= 4(x-2) \left(x - \frac{-2+\sqrt{6}}{2} \right) \left(x - \frac{-2-\sqrt{6}}{2} \right)$$

Local maxima occurs at $x = \frac{-2+\sqrt{6}}{2} = x_0$

$$f(x_0) = 12\sqrt{6} - \frac{33}{2}$$

70. The value of

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1+2-3+4+5-6+\dots+(3n-2)+(3n-1)-3n}{\sqrt{2n^4+4n+3}-\sqrt{n^4+5n+4}}$$

is :

- (1) $3(\sqrt{2}+1)$
- (2) $\frac{3}{2}(\sqrt{2}+1)$
- (3) $\frac{\sqrt{2}+1}{2}$
- (4) $\frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}$

Answer (2)

Sol. $I = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(1+2+3+\dots+3n)-2(3+6+9+\dots+3n)}{\sqrt{2n^4+4n+3}-\sqrt{n^4+5n+4}}$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{3n(3n+1)}{2} - 6 \frac{n(n+1)}{2}}{\sqrt{2n^4+4n+3}-\sqrt{n^4+5n+4}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n(n-1) \left[\sqrt{2n^4+4n+3} + \sqrt{n^4+5n+4} \right]}{2 \left[(2n^4+4n-3) - (n^4+5n+4) \right]}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3 \cdot 1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{n} \right) \left[\sqrt{2 + \frac{4}{n^3} + \frac{3}{n^4}} + \sqrt{1 + \frac{5}{n^3} + \frac{4}{n^4}} \right]}{2 \left[1 - \frac{1}{n^3} - \frac{7}{n^4} \right]}$$

$$= \frac{3(\sqrt{2}+1)}{2}$$

71. The distance of the point $(6, -2\sqrt{2})$ from the common tangent $y = mx + c$, $m > 0$, of the curves $x = 2y^2$ and $x = 1 + y^2$ is

- (1) $\frac{14}{3}$ (2) $\frac{1}{3}$
(3) $5\sqrt{3}$ (4) 5

Answer (4)

Sol. $y^2 = \frac{x}{2} \Rightarrow$ tangent $y = mx + \frac{1}{8m}$

$y^2 = x - 1 \Rightarrow$ tangent $y = m(x - 1) + \frac{1}{4m}$

For common tangent $\frac{1}{8m} = -m + \frac{1}{4m}$

$\Rightarrow 1 = -8m^2 + 2$

$\because m > 0 \Rightarrow m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$

\Rightarrow Common tangent is $y = \frac{x}{2\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$

$\Rightarrow x - 2\sqrt{2}y + 1 = 0$

Distance of point $(6, -2\sqrt{2})$ from common tangent = 5

72. Let $x, y, z > 1$ and $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \log_x y & \log_x z \\ \log_y x & 2 & \log_y z \\ \log_z x & \log_z y & 3 \end{bmatrix}$.

Then $|\text{adj}(\text{adj } A^2)|$ is equal to

- (1) 2^4 (2) 6^4
(3) 2^8 (4) 4^8

Answer (3)

Sol. $|A| = \frac{1}{\log_x \log_y \log_z} \begin{vmatrix} \log_x x & \log_y \log_x & \log_z \log_x \\ \log_x x & 2 \log_y \log_x & \log_z \log_x \\ \log_x x & \log_y \log_x & 3 \log_z \log_x \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 2$

$\Rightarrow |\text{adj}(\text{adj } A^2)| = |\text{adj}(A^2)|^2 = (|A^2|)^2 = |A|^8 = 2^8$

73. Let $f(x) = \int \frac{2x}{(x^2+1)(x^2+3)} dx$. If

$f(3) = \frac{1}{2}(\log_e 5 - \log_e 6)$, then $f(4)$ is equal to

- (1) $\log_e 17 - \log_e 18$ (2) $\log_e 19 - \log_e 20$
(3) $\frac{1}{2}(\log_e 17 - \log_e 19)$ (4) $\frac{1}{2}(\log_e 19 - \log_e 17)$

Answer (3)

Sol. $f(x) = \int \frac{2x}{(x^2+1)(x^2+3)} dx$

Put $x^2 = t \Rightarrow 2x dx = dt$

$f(x) = \int \frac{dt}{(t+1)(t+3)} = \int \frac{dt}{(t+2)^2 - 1}$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left| \frac{t+1}{t+3} \right| + C$

$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{x^2+1}{x^2+3} \right) + C \Rightarrow$

$f(3) = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{10}{12} \right) + C$

$\therefore f(3) + \frac{1}{2}(\log_e 5 - \log_e 6) \Rightarrow C = 0$

$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{x^2+1}{x^2+3} \right) \Rightarrow$

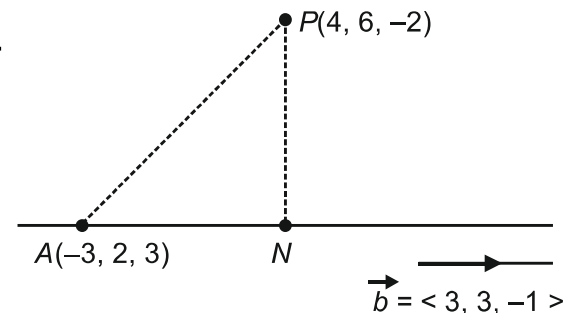
$f(4) = \frac{1}{2}(\log_e 17 - \log_e 19)$

74. The distance of the point $P(4, 6, -2)$ from the line passing through the point $(-3, 2, 3)$ and parallel to a line with direction ratios 3, 3, -1 is equal to

- (1) 3
(2) $2\sqrt{3}$
(3) $\sqrt{6}$
(4) $\sqrt{14}$

Answer (4)

Sol.



$\overline{AP} = 7\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k} \Rightarrow |\overline{AP}| = \sqrt{49 + 16 + 25} = \sqrt{90}$ AN

$=$ projection of \overline{AP} on $\vec{b} = \frac{\overline{AP} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{b}|} = \frac{21 + 12 + 5}{\sqrt{19}} = \frac{38}{\sqrt{19}}$

$(PN)^2 = (AP)^2 - (AN)^2 = 90 - 76 = 14 \Rightarrow PN = \sqrt{14}$

75. Let M be the maximum value of the product of two positive integers when their sum is 66. Let the sample space $S = \left\{ x \in \mathbb{Z} : x(66-x) \geq \frac{5}{9}M \right\}$ and the event $A = \{x \in S : x \text{ is a multiple of } 3\}$. Then $P(A)$ is equal to

- (1) $\frac{7}{22}$ (2) $\frac{1}{3}$
 (3) $\frac{1}{5}$ (4) $\frac{15}{44}$

Answer (2)

Sol. $x + y = 66$

$$\frac{x+y}{2} \geq \sqrt{xy}$$

$$\Rightarrow 33 \geq \sqrt{xy}$$

$$\Rightarrow xy \leq 1089$$

$$\therefore M = 1089$$

$$S : x(66-x) \geq \frac{5}{9} \cdot 1089$$

$$66x - x^2 \geq 605$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 66x + 605 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-61)(x-5) \leq 0$$

$$x \in [5, 61]$$

$$A = \{6, 9, 12, \dots, 60\}$$

$$x(A) = 19$$

$$x(S) = 57$$

$$\therefore P(A) = \frac{1}{3}$$

76. Let \vec{a}, \vec{b} and \vec{c} be three non zero vectors such that $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = 0$ and $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = \frac{\vec{b} - \vec{c}}{2}$. If \vec{d} be a vector such that $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{d} = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$, then $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{d})$ is equal to

- (1) $\frac{1}{4}$ (2) $\frac{1}{2}$
 (3) $-\frac{1}{4}$ (4) $\frac{3}{4}$

Answer (1)

Sol. $\vec{b}(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) - \vec{c}(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}) = \frac{\vec{b} - \vec{c}}{2}$

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) &= (\vec{b} \cdot \vec{d})(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) - (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{d})(\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c}) \\ &= (\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b})(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c}) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

77. If a_r is the coefficient of x^{10-r} in the Binomial expansion of $(1+x)^{10}$, then $\sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \left(\frac{a_r}{a_{r-1}} \right)^2$ is equal to

(1) 1210 (2) 5445
 (3) 3025 (4) 4895

Answer (1)

Sol. $T_r = {}^{10}C_r x^r$

Coefficient of $x^{10-r} = {}^{10}C_{10-r} = {}^{10}C_r$

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \left(\frac{{}^{10}C_r}{{}^{10}C_{r-1}} \right)^2 \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \left(\frac{11-r}{r} \right)^2 \Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{10} r(11-r)^2 \\ &\Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{10} r(121+r^2-22r) \\ &\Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{10} 121r + \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 - 22\sum_{r=1}^{10} r^2 \\ &\Rightarrow 121 \times \frac{10 \times 11}{2} + \left(\frac{10 \times 11}{2} \right)^2 - 22 \times \left(\frac{10 \times 11 \times 21}{6} \right) \\ &= 6655 + 3025 - 8470 \\ &= 1210 \end{aligned}$$

78. Let $y = y(x)$ be the solution curve of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x} (1 + xy^2 (1 + \log_e x)), x > 0, y(1) = 3. \text{ Then}$$

$\frac{y^2(x)}{9}$ is equal to

- (1) $\frac{x^2}{7-3x^3(2+\log_e x^2)}$
 (2) $\frac{x^2}{2x^3(2+\log_e x^3)-3}$
 (3) $\frac{x^2}{5-2x^3(2+\log_e x^3)}$
 (4) $\frac{x^2}{3x^3(1+\log_e x^2)-2}$

Answer (3)

Sol. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x} (1 + xy^2 (1 + \log_e x))$, $y(1) = 3$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y^3} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{y^2} = (1 + \ln x)$$

$$-\frac{1}{y^2} = t \Rightarrow \frac{2}{y^3} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \frac{dt}{dx} + \frac{t}{x} = 1 + \ln x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dt}{dx} + \frac{2t}{x} = 2(1 + \ln x)$$

IF = x^2

$$t \cdot x^2 = \int (1 + \ln x) x^2 dx$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{y^2} \cdot x^2 = 2 \left[\frac{x^3}{3} (1 + \ln x) - \frac{x^3}{9} \right] + c$$

$y(1) = 3$

$$\Rightarrow c = -\frac{5}{9}$$

$$\therefore \frac{x^2}{y^2} = -2 \left[\frac{x^3}{3} (1 + \ln x) - \frac{x^3}{9} \right] + \frac{5}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y^2}{9} = \frac{x^2}{5 - 2x^3 (2 + \ln x^3)}$$

79. Let $z_1 = 2 + 3i$ and $z_2 = 3 + 4i$. The set

$$S = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - z_1|^2 - |z - z_2|^2 = |z_1 - z_2|^2\}$$

represents a

- (1) straight line with the sum of its intercepts on the coordinate axes equals -18
- (2) hyperbola with eccentricity 2
- (3) straight line with the sum of its intercepts on the coordinate axes equals 14
- (4) hyperbola with the length of the transverse axis 7

Answer (3)

Sol. $|z - z_1|^2 - |z - z_2|^2 = |z_1 - z_2|^2$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 - (x - 3)^2 - (y - 4)^2 = 1 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -4x + 4 + 9 - 6y - 9 + 6x - 16 + 8y = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 2y = 14$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 7$$

80. The vector $\vec{a} = -\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ is rotated through a right angle, passing through the y -axis in its way and the resulting vector is \vec{b} . Then the projection of $3\vec{a} + \sqrt{2}\vec{b}$ on $\vec{c} = 5\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ is

- (1) $\sqrt{6}$
- (2) $2\sqrt{3}$
- (3) 1
- (4) $3\sqrt{2}$

Answer (4)

Sol. Let $\vec{b} = \mu\vec{a} + \lambda\hat{j}$

Now $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (\mu\vec{a} + \lambda\hat{j}) \cdot \vec{a} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu|\vec{a}|^2 + 2\lambda = 0 \Rightarrow 6\mu + 2\lambda = 0 \dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{b} = \lambda(\vec{a} - 3\hat{j}) = \lambda(-\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{b}| = |\vec{a}| \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \vec{b} = -\sqrt{2}(-\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$$

$$\therefore 3\vec{a} + \sqrt{2}\vec{b} = 3(-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) - 2(-\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = -\hat{i} + 8\hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\therefore \text{projection } 3\sqrt{2}$$

SECTION - B

Numerical Value Type Questions: This section contains 10 questions. In Section B, attempt any five questions out of 10. The answer to each question is a **NUMERICAL VALUE**. For each question, enter the correct numerical value (in decimal notation, truncated/rounded-off to the second decimal place; e.g. 06.25, 07.00, -00.33 , -00.30 , 30.27, -27.30) using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.

81. Let the equation of the plane passing through the line $x - 2y - z - 5 = 0 = x + y + 3z - 5$ and parallel to the line $x + y + 2z - 7 = 0 = 2x + 3y + z - 2$ be $ax + by + cz = 65$. Then the distance of the point (a, b, c) from the plane $2x + 2y - z + 16 = 0$ is

Answer (09)

Sol. Let the equation of the plane is

$$(x - 2y - z - 5) + \lambda(x + y + 3z - 5) = 0 \dots(i)$$

\therefore it's parallel to the line

$$x + y + 2z - 7 = 0 = 2x + 3y + z - 2$$

So, vector along the line $\begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

$= -5\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

\therefore Plane is parallel to line

$\therefore -5(1 + \lambda) + 3(-2 + \lambda) + 1(-1 + 3\lambda) = 0$

$\lambda = 12$

So, by (i)

$13x + 10y + 35z = 65$

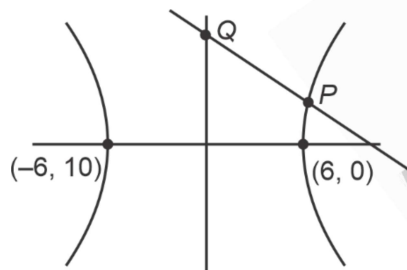
$\therefore a = 13, b = 10, c = 35$

and $d = \frac{26 + 20 - 35 + 16}{\sqrt{9}} = 9$

82. The vertices of a hyperbola H are $(\pm 6, 0)$ and its eccentricity is $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$. Let N be the normal to H at point in the first quadrant and parallel to the line $\sqrt{2}x + y = 2\sqrt{2}$. If d is the length of the line segment of N between H and the y -axis then d^2 is equal to _____.

Answer (216)

Sol.



$a = 6, e = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$

$\therefore \frac{5}{4} = 1 + \frac{b^2}{36} \Rightarrow b^2 = 36 \times \frac{1}{4} = 9$

$\therefore H: \frac{x^2}{36} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

$P(6\sec\theta, 3\tan\theta)$

Slope of tangent at $P = \frac{6\sec\theta}{4 \times 3\tan\theta}$

So, $\frac{1}{2\sin\theta} \times -\sqrt{2} = -1 \Rightarrow \sin\theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

$\boxed{Q = 45^\circ}$ (for first quad)

$\therefore P \equiv (6\sqrt{2}, 3)$ and $N: \sqrt{2}x + y = 15$

$\therefore Q(0, 15)$ Now, $PQ^2 = 72 + 144 = 216$

83. Let

$s = \left\{ \alpha : \log_2(9^{2\alpha-4} + 13) - \log_2\left(\frac{5}{2} \cdot 3^{2\alpha-4} + 1\right) = 2 \right\}$.

Then the maximum value of β for which the

equation $x^2 - 2\left(\sum_{\alpha \in s} \alpha\right)^2 x + \sum_{\alpha \in s} (\alpha + 1)^2 \beta = 0$ has

real roots, is _____.

Answer (25)

Sol. $S = \left\{ \alpha : \log_2(9^{2\alpha-4} + 13) - \log_2\left(\frac{5}{2} \cdot 3^{2\alpha-4} + 1\right) = 2 \right\}$

So,

$\frac{9^{2\alpha-4} + 13}{\frac{5}{2} \cdot 3^{2\alpha-4} + 1} = 4 \Rightarrow 9^{2\alpha-4} + 13 = 10 \cdot 3^{2\alpha-4} + 4$

Let $3^{2\alpha-4} = t$ then $t^2 - 10t + 9 = 0$

$(t - 9)(t - 1) = 0$

$\therefore 3^{2\alpha-4} = 3^2$ or $3^{2\alpha-4} = 3^0$

$\therefore \alpha = 3, 2$

Now equation

$x^2 - 50x + 25\beta = 0$

$D \geq 0 \Rightarrow (50)^2 - 4 \times 25\beta \geq 0$

$\beta \leq 25$

\therefore Max. $\beta = 25$

84. For some $a, b, c \in \mathbb{N}$, let $f(x) = ax - 3$ and $g(x) = x^b$

+ $c, x \in \mathbb{R}$. If $(fog)^{-1}(x) = \left(\frac{x-7}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$, then $(fog)(ac)$ + $(gof)(b)$ is equal to _____.

Answer (2039)

Sol. $f(x) = ax - 3$

$g(x) = x^b + c$

$(fog)^{-1} = \left(\frac{x-7}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$(fog)^{-1}(x) = \left(\frac{x+3-ca}{a}\right)^{\frac{1}{b}} = \left(\frac{x-7}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$\Rightarrow a = 2, b = 3, c = 5$

$fog(ac) + gof(b)$

$\therefore f(x) = 2x - 3$

$g(x) = x^3 + 5$

$fog(10) + gof(3)$

$= 2007 + 32$

$= 2039$

85. Let x and y be distinct integers where $1 \leq x \leq 25$ and $1 \leq y \leq 25$. Then, the number of ways of choosing x and y , such that $x + y$ is divisible by 5, is _____.

Answer (120)

Sol. Type	Numbers
$5k$	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
$5k + 1$	1, 6, 11, 16, 21
$5k + 2$	2, 7, 12, 17, 22
$5k + 3$	3, 8, 13, 18, 23
$5k + 4$	4, 9, 14, 19, 24

To select x and y .

Case I : 1 of $(5k + 1)$ and 1 of $(5k + 4) = 5 \times 5 = 25$

Case II : 1 of $(5k + 2)$ and 1 of $(5k + 3) = 5 \times 5 = 25$

Case III : Both of type $5k$ (both cannot be same) = $5 \times 4 = 20$

Total = 120

86. The constant term in the expansion of

$$\left(2x + \frac{1}{x^7} + 3x^2\right)^5 \text{ is } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}.$$

Answer (1080)

Sol. Constant term in the expansion of

$$\left(2x + \frac{1}{x^7} + 3x^2\right)^5$$

$$\frac{1}{x^{35}} (2x^8 + 1 + 3x^9)^5$$

$$\frac{1}{x^{35}} (1 + x^8(3x + 2))^5$$

Term independent of x = coefficient of x^{35} in

$${}^5C_4 (x^8(3x + 2))^4$$

$$= {}^5C_4 \text{ coefficient of } x^3 \text{ in } (2 + 3x)^4$$

$$= {}^5C_4 \times {}^4C_3 (2)^1 (3)^3$$

$$= 5 \times 4 \times 2 \times 27$$

$$= 1080$$

87. Let $S = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 10, 11\}$. The number of non-empty subsets of S that have the sum of all elements a multiple of 3, is

Answer (43)

Sol. Out of the given numbers one is $(3k)$ type and 3 of $(3k + 1)$ type and remaining 3 are $(3k + 2)$ type

Number of subsets of 1 element = 1

(1 of $3k$ type)

Number of subsets of 2 elements

1 of $(3k + 1)$ type + 1 of $(3k + 2)$ type = 9

Number of subsets of 3 elements

1 of $3k$ type + 1 of $(3k + 1)$ type + 1 of $(3k + 2)$ type = 9

3 of $(3k + 1)$ type = 1

3 of $(3k + 2)$ type = 1

Number of subsets of 4 elements

1 of $3k$ type + 3 of $(3k + 1)$ type = 1

1 of $3k$ type + 3 of $(3k + 2)$ type = 1

2 of $(3k + 1)$ type + 2 of $(3k + 2)$ type = 9

Number of subsets of 5 elements

1 of $3k + 2$ of $(3k + 1)$ type + 2 of $(3k + 2)$ type = 9

Number of subsets of 6 elements

3 of $(3k + 1)$ type + 3 of $(3k + 2)$ type = 1

The set itself = 1

Total = 43

88. If the sum of all the solutions of

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) + \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x^2}{2x}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3}, -1 < x < 1, x \neq 0,$$

is $\alpha - \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$, then α is equal to _____.

Answer (02)

Sol. Case-I

$-1 < x < 0$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) + \pi + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\tan^{-1}\frac{2x}{1-x^2} = \frac{-\pi}{3}$$

$$2 \tan^{-1} x = \frac{-\pi}{3}$$

$$\tan^{-1} x = \frac{-\pi}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Case-II

$0 < x < 1$

$$\tan^{-1}\frac{2x}{1-x^2} + \tan^{-1}\frac{2x}{1-x^2} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\tan^{-1} \frac{2x}{1-x^2} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$2 \tan^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\tan^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{12}$$

$$x = 2 - \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{Sum} = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}} + 2 - \sqrt{3} = 2 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 2$$

89. Let A_1, A_2, A_3 be the three A.P. with the same common difference d and having their first terms as $A, A + 1, A + 2$, respectively. Let a, b, c be the 7th, 9th, 17th terms of A_1, A_2, A_3 , respectively such that

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & 7 & 1 \\ 2b & 17 & 1 \\ c & 17 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 70 = 0.$$

If $a = 29$, then the sum of first 20 terms of an AP whose first term is $c - a - b$ and common difference is $\frac{d}{12}$, is equal to _____.

Answer (495)

Sol. $a = A + 6d$

$$b = A + 8d + 1$$

$$c = A + 16d + 2$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & 7 & 1 \\ 2b & 17 & 1 \\ c & 17 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -70$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} A + 6d & 7 & 1 \\ 2A + 16d + 2 & 17 & 1 \\ A + 16d + 2 & 17 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -70$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2, \quad R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} A + 6d & 7 & 1 \\ A + 10d + 2 & 10 & 0 \\ -A & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -70$$

$$\Rightarrow A = -7$$

$$a = A + 6d = 29 \Rightarrow d = 6$$

$$b = -7 + 48 + 1 = 42$$

$$c = -7 + 96 + 2 = 91$$

$$c - a - b = 91 - 29 - 42 = 20$$

$$\text{Sum} = \frac{20}{2} \left[2 \times 20 + 19 \times \frac{6}{12} \right] = 10 \left[40 + \frac{19}{2} \right] = 495$$

90. In the area enclosed by the parabolas $P_1 : 2y = 5x^2$ and $P_2 : x^2 - y + 6 = 0$ is equal to the area enclosed by P_1 and $y = ax, a > 0$, then a^3 is equal to _____.

Answer (600)

Sol. $x^2 + 6 = \frac{5}{2}x^2 \Rightarrow x = \pm 2$

Area between P_1 and P_2 [Say A_1]

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_{-2}^2 (x^2 + 6) - \frac{5}{2}x^2 dx \\ &= 2 \int_0^2 \left(6 - \frac{3}{2}x^2 \right) dx = 2 \left[6x - \frac{x^3}{2} \right]_0^2 = 16 \end{aligned}$$

$$ax = \frac{5}{2}x^2 \Rightarrow x = 0, \frac{2a}{5}$$

Area between P_1 and $y = ax$ [Say A_2]

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^{\frac{2a}{5}} ax - \frac{5}{2}x^2 dx \\ &= \frac{ax^2}{2} - \frac{5}{6}x^3 \Big|_0^{\frac{2a}{5}} = \frac{2a^3}{75} \end{aligned}$$

$$A_1 = A_2 \Rightarrow \frac{2a^3}{75} = 16$$

$$a^3 = 600$$

