

JEE Main 2021 August 27, Shift 1 (Mathematics)

1. The value of $\int_6^{16} \frac{\ln(x^2)}{\ln(x^2) + \ln(x^2 - 44x + 484)} dx$ is equal to

(A) 0

(B) 5

(C) 10

(D) 15

Ans. (B)

Solution:

$$\text{Let } I = \int_6^{16} \frac{\ln(x^2)}{\ln(x^2) + \ln(x^2 - 44x + 484)} dx$$

$$I = \int_6^{16} \frac{\ln(x^2)}{\ln(x^2) + \ln(22-x)^2} dx$$

$$I = \int_6^{16} \frac{2\ln x}{2\ln x + 2\ln(22-x)} dx$$

$$I = \int_6^{16} \frac{\ln x}{\ln x + \ln(22-x)} dx \dots (i)$$

using $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(a+b-x) dx$, we get

$$I = \int_6^{16} \frac{\ln(22-x)}{\ln(22-x) + \ln x} dx \dots (ii)$$

By adding (i) & (ii), we get

$$2I = \int_6^{16} dx = [x]_6^{16} = 10$$

$$I = 5$$

2. The value of $\sum_{k=0}^{20} ({}^{20}C_k)^2$ is equal to

(A) ${}^{30}C_{20}$

(B) ${}^{40}C_{20}$

(C) $({}^{20}C_{10})^2$

(D) ${}^{40}C_{15}$

Ans. (B)

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Sol.

$$\sum_{k=0}^{20} \binom{20}{k}^2 = \sum_{k=0}^{20} \binom{20}{k} \cdot \binom{20}{20-k} = \binom{40}{20} \text{ (which is the coefficient of } x^{20} \text{ in the expansion of } (1+x)^{40})$$

3. When a biased die is thrown, the probability of occurrence of 1 is $\frac{1}{6} - x$, probability of occurrence of 6 is $\frac{1}{6} + x$ and the probability of occurrence of each remaining face is $\frac{1}{6}$. If two such dice are thrown, then the probability of getting the sum equal to 7 is $\frac{13}{96}$. The value of x is

- (A) $\frac{1}{18}$
(B) $\frac{1}{12}$
(C) $\frac{1}{8}$
(D) $\frac{1}{6}$

Ans. (C)

Sol.

Given that

$$P_1 = \frac{1}{6} + x, P_6 = \frac{1}{6} - x$$

$$P_3 = P_4 = P_5 = P_2 = \frac{1}{6}$$

Applying the given condition

$$\begin{aligned} P(\text{sum} = 7) &= P(6, 1) + P(1, 6) + P(5, 2) + P(2, 5) + P(4, 3) + P(3, 4) \\ &\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{6} + x\right)\left(\frac{1}{6} - x\right) + \left(\frac{1}{6} - x\right)\left(\frac{1}{6} + x\right) + \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 = \frac{13}{96} \\ &\Rightarrow 2\left(\frac{1}{36} - x^2\right) + \frac{4}{36} = \frac{13}{96} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{1}{6} - 2x^2 = \frac{13}{96} \\ &\Rightarrow 2x^2 = \frac{1}{6} - \frac{13}{96} \\ &\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{1}{64} \\ &\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{8}, -\frac{1}{8} \end{aligned}$$

4. Let two points are $A(0, 6)$ and $B(2t, 0)$ and M is the mid point of AB . If perpendicular bisector of line joining the points A and B cuts the y -axis at point C , then the locus of mid point of MC is

- (A) $x^2 = 3(2 - y)$
(B) $2x^2 = 3(3 - y)$
(C) $2x^2 = 3(2 - y)$
(D) $3x^2 = 2(3 - y)$

Ans. (B)

Sol.

$A(0, 6)$ and $B(2t, 0)$

Since, M is mid point of $AB \Rightarrow M \equiv (t, 3)$

Equation of the perpendicular bisector of A and B is

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

y -axis point of intersection will be $C\left(0, 3 - \frac{t^2}{3}\right)$

Let the mid point of MC is (h, k)

$$\Rightarrow (h, k) \equiv \left(\frac{t}{2}, 3 - \frac{t^2}{6}\right)$$

$$2h = t \text{ and } \frac{t^2}{6} = 3 - k \\ \Rightarrow 4h^2 = 6(3 - k)$$

Locus of (h, k) is $2x^2 = 3(3 - y)$

5. If $u = \left(1 + \frac{1^2}{n^2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{2^2}{n^2}\right)^2 \left(1 + \frac{3^2}{n^2}\right)^3 \dots \dots \dots \left(1 + \frac{n^2}{n^2}\right)^n$, then the value of $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u^{-4/n^2}$ is :

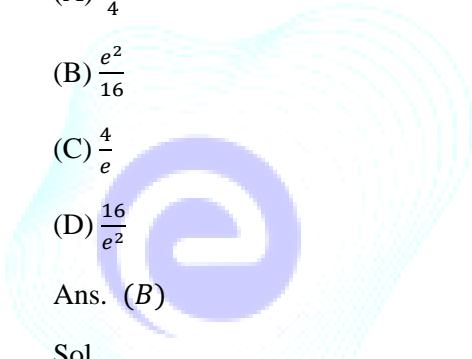
(A) $\frac{e^2}{4}$

(B) $\frac{e^2}{16}$

(C) $\frac{4}{e}$

(D) $\frac{16}{e^2}$

Ans. (B)



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Sol.

$$y = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1^2}{n^2}\right)^{\frac{-4}{n^2}} \left(1 + \frac{2^2}{n^2}\right)^{\frac{-4}{n^2} \cdot 2} \left(1 + \frac{3^2}{n^2}\right)^{\frac{-4}{n^2} \cdot 3} \dots \\ \ln y = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{-4}{n^2} r \ln \left(1 + \frac{r^2}{n^2}\right)$$

$$\text{Put } \frac{r}{n} = x \text{ and } \frac{1}{n} = dx$$

$$\ln y = \int_0^1 -4x \ln(1 + x^2) dx \\ \text{Let } 1 + x^2 = t$$

$$\ln y = -2 \int_1^2 \ln t dt \\ = -2(t \ln t - t)|_1^2 \\ = -2(2 \ln 2 - 2 + 1) \\ = -2(2 \ln 2 - 1)$$

$$\ln y = \ln \frac{1}{16} + 2$$

$$y = \frac{1}{16} e^2$$

6. If $(\sin^{-1}x)^2 - (\cos^{-1}x)^2 = a$, then the value of $(2x^2 - 1)$ is:

(A) $\sin\left(\frac{2a}{\pi}\right)$

(B) $\cos\left(\frac{2a}{\pi}\right)$

(C) $\sin\left(\frac{4a}{\pi}\right)$

(D) $\cos\left(\frac{4a}{\pi}\right)$

Ans. (A)

Sol.

$$(\sin^{-1}x)^2 - (\cos^{-1}x)^2 = a,$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sin^{-1}x + \cos^{-1}x)(\sin^{-1}x - \cos^{-1}x) = a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}(\sin^{-1}x - \cos^{-1}x) = a \text{ (using } \sin^{-1}x + \cos^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{2})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\cos^{-1}x = \frac{2a}{\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{2a}{\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1}(2x^2 - 1) = \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{2a}{\pi}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - 1 = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{2a}{\pi}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - 1 = \sin\left(\frac{2a}{\pi}\right)$$

7. If $k = \frac{3}{2}x^2 + \frac{5}{3}x^3 + \frac{7}{4}x^4 + \dots \infty$ then the value of k is

(A) $\frac{x^2+x}{1-x} + \ln(1-x)$

(B) $\frac{x^2+x}{1+x} + \ln(1+x)$

(C) $1+x+\ln(1-x)$

(D) 0

Ans. (A)

Sol.

Here, $k = \left(2 - \frac{1}{2}\right)x^2 + \left(2 - \frac{1}{3}\right)x^3 + \left(2 - \frac{1}{4}\right)x^4 + \dots \dots$

$$k = 2[x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + \dots \dots] - \left(\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots \dots\right)$$

$$k = \frac{2x^2}{1-x} + x - \left(x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots \right) \text{ (using formula of G.P.)}$$

$$k = \frac{2x^2+x-x^2}{1-x} + \ln(1-x) \text{ (using expansion of } \ln(1-x))$$

$$k = \frac{x^2+x}{1-x} + \ln(1-x)$$

8. Consider an ellipse $E: \frac{x^2}{b^2} + \frac{y^2}{4a^2} = 1$. If the minimum area enclosed between the tangent of the ellipse and the coordinate axis is kab , then the value of k is

(A) 1

(B) 2

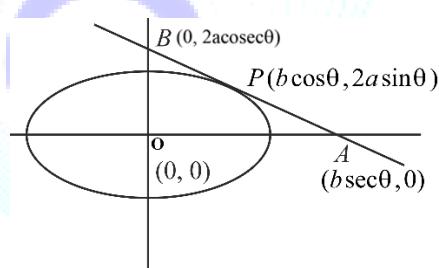
(C) 3

(D) 4

Ans. (A)

Sol.

The equation of tangent at $P(b\cos\theta, 2a\sin\theta)$ is



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$$\frac{x\cos\theta}{b} + \frac{y\sin\theta}{2a} = 1$$

$$A(b\sec\theta, 0), B(0, 2a\cosec\theta)$$

$$\text{Area of triangle } OAB = \frac{1}{2} \times b\sec\theta \times 2a\cosec\theta$$

$$= \frac{ab}{\cos\theta\sin\theta} = \frac{2ab}{\sin 2\theta}$$

$$\Delta = \frac{2ab}{\sin 2\theta}$$

$$\Delta_{min} = 2ab \text{ (as the value of } \sin 2\theta \text{ is maximum at 1)}$$

$$\text{So } k = 2$$

9. If $\frac{2+4+6+8+\dots+2y}{3+6+9+12+\dots+3y} = \frac{4}{\log_{10}x}$, then the value of $y = \log_{10}x + \log_{10}x^{\frac{1}{3}} + \log_{10}x^{\frac{1}{9}} + \dots$ is

(A) 4

(B) 6

(C) 9

(D) 12

Ans. (C)

Sol. $\frac{2(1+2+3+4+\dots+y)}{3(1+2+3+4+\dots+y)} = \frac{4}{\log_{10}x}$ (taking 2 common from numerator and 3 common from denominator)

$$\Rightarrow \log_{10}x = 6 \Rightarrow x = 10^6 \dots (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } y &= \log_{10}x + \log_{10}x^{\frac{1}{3}} + \log_{10}x^{\frac{1}{9}} + \dots \\ &= \log_{10}x + \frac{1}{3}\log_{10}x + \frac{1}{9}\log_{10}x + \dots \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{9} + \dots\right)\log_{10}x = \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{3}} \times 6 = 9 \end{aligned}$$

10. If α and β are the roots of $x^2 + bx + c = 0$, then the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \beta} \frac{e^{2(x^2+bx+c)} - 1 - 2(x^2+bx+c)}{(x-\beta)^2}$ is

(A) $4(b^2 - 4c)$

(B) $2(b^2 - 2c)$

(C) $2(b^2 - 4c)$

(D) $2(b^2 + 4c)$

Ans. (C)

Sol. We know difference of roots, $|\beta - \alpha| = \sqrt{b^2 - 4c}$

Here, $\lim_{x \rightarrow \beta} \frac{e^{2(x-\alpha)(x-\beta)} - 1 - 2(x-\alpha)(x-\beta)}{(x-\beta)^2}$

Let $x - \beta = h$

$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{2(\beta-\alpha+h)h} - 1 - 2(\beta-\alpha+h)h}{h^2}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 + 2(\beta - \alpha + h)h + \frac{(2(\beta - \alpha + h)h)^2}{2!} \dots) - 1 - 2h(\beta - \alpha + h)}{h^2} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{(2(\beta - \alpha + h)h)^2}{2!} + \dots}{h^2} \\ &= 2(\beta - \alpha)^2 = 2(b^2 - 4c) \end{aligned}$$

11. A 20 m length wire is cut into 2 pieces. One piece is used to make a square and the other piece is used to make a regular hexagon. The length of the side of the hexagon, so that sum of areas of square and hexagon is minimum, will be:

(A) $\frac{40\sqrt{3}}{3-2\sqrt{3}}$

(B) $\frac{10}{3+2\sqrt{3}}$

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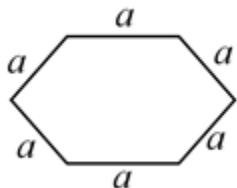
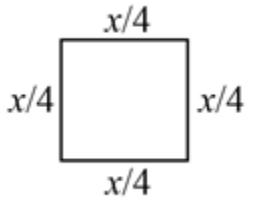
(C) $\frac{10}{3-2\sqrt{3}}$

(D) $\frac{40\sqrt{3}}{3+2\sqrt{3}}$

Ans. (B)

Sol.

Let the length of 2 pieces be x and $20 - x$



$$6a = 20 - x$$

$$a = \frac{20 - x}{6}$$

Area of square $A' = \frac{x^2}{16}$

Area of hexagon $A'' = 6 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a^2$

Sum of both area, $A = A' + A''$

$$A'' = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{20-x}{6}\right)^2$$

$$A = \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{24} (20-x)^2$$

$$\frac{dA}{dx} = \frac{x}{8} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{12} (20-x) = \frac{3x - 40\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{3}x}{24}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{40\sqrt{3}}{3+2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{40}{\sqrt{3}+2} = 40(2-\sqrt{3})$$

$$\frac{d^2A}{dx^2} = \frac{3+2\sqrt{3}}{24} > 0$$

So area will be minimum when $x = 40(2 - \sqrt{3})$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So length of side of hexagon} &= \frac{20-40(2-\sqrt{3})}{6} \\ &= \frac{10-40+20\sqrt{3}}{3} = \frac{(20\sqrt{3}-30)}{3} = \frac{10(2\sqrt{3}-3)}{3} = \frac{10}{2\sqrt{3}+3} \end{aligned}$$

12. If point (x, y) satisfy the relation $x^2 + 4y^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$, then

(A) $x \in [1, 3]$; $y \in \left[-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right]$

(B) $x \in [1, 3]$; $y \in [1, 3]$

(C) $x \in [1, 3]$; $y \in \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$

(D) $x \in [-2, 2]$; $y \in [-1, 1]$

Ans. (3)

Sol. $(x - 2)^2 + 4y^2 = 1$

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

Which is the equation of ellipse with end points of major axis at $(\pm 1, 0)$ and end points of minor axis at $(0, \pm \frac{1}{2})$

Hence $-1 \leq x - 2 \leq 1$ and $-\frac{1}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{1}{2}$

$1 \leq x \leq 3$ and $-\frac{1}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{1}{2}$

13. Let $1, 2, 3, \dots, n$ are n variates having variance 14, then the value of n is equal to

Ans. (13)

Sol. We know that,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{variance} &= \frac{1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2}{n} - \left(\frac{(1+2+3+\dots+n)}{n}\right)^2 \\ &\Rightarrow 14 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6n} - \left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)^2 \\ &\Rightarrow 14 = \frac{n+1}{12}[2(2n+1) - 3(n+1)] \\ &\Rightarrow n^2 = 169 \\ &\Rightarrow n = 13\end{aligned}$$

14. If $\frac{z-i}{z+2i} \in R$ and $z \in C$, then the correct statement is:

- (1) z is a straight line in argand plane
- (2) z has only 1 value
- (3) z has only 2 values
- (4) z is a circle in argand plane

Ans. (1)

$$\text{Sol. } \left(\frac{z-i}{z+2i}\right) = \overline{\left(\frac{z-i}{z+2i}\right)}$$

$$\left(\frac{z-i}{z+2i}\right) = \left(\frac{\bar{z}+i}{\bar{z}-2i}\right)$$

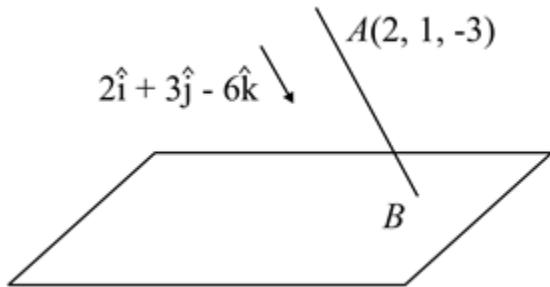
Solving we get

$z = -\bar{z}$ which is the locus of y -axis

15. The distance of the point $(2, 1, -3)$ parallel to the vector $(\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 6\hat{k})$ from the plane $2x + y + z + 8 = 0$ is:

Ans. 70

Sol.



Equation of line AB

$$\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-1}{3} = \frac{z+3}{-6} = \lambda$$

Let $B(2\lambda + 2, 3\lambda + 1, -6\lambda - 3)$

Since B satisfy the given plane $2x + y + z + 8 = 0$

$$2(2\lambda + 2) + (3\lambda + 1) - 6\lambda - 3 + 8 = 0 \\ \lambda = -10$$

$$B(-18, -29, 57)$$

$$\text{Distance } AB = \sqrt{20^2 + 30^2 + 60^2} = \sqrt{400 + 900 + 3600} = 70$$

16. If $\int \frac{1}{(x^2+x+1)^2} dx = a \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + b\left(\frac{2x+1}{x^2+x+1}\right) + C$, then value of $9\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}} + b\right)$ is equal to

Ans. 7

Sol. Given $\int \frac{1}{(x^2+x+1)^2} dx = a \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + b\left(\frac{2x+1}{x^2+x+1}\right) + C$

$$\text{Let } I = \int \frac{1}{(x^2+x+1)^2} dx$$

Converting quadratic in denominator into a perfect square

$$I = \int \frac{1}{\left[\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2\right]^2} dx$$

$$\text{Substitute } x + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \tan\theta$$

$$dx = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sec^2\theta d\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \int \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sec^2 \theta}{\left(\frac{3}{4} \tan^2 \theta + \frac{3}{4}\right)^2} d\theta$$

$$= \int \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sec^2 \theta}{\left(\frac{3}{4} \sec^2 \theta\right)^2} d\theta$$

$$= \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \int \cos^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$= \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \int \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta$$

$$= \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \left[\theta + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right] + C$$

As we know $x + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \tan \theta$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \text{ and } \sin 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}} \right) + \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{2 \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)}{2 \left[1 + \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 \right]} + C$$

$$= \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}} \right) + \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)^2} + C$$

$$= \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{3}} \right) + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{2x+1}{(x^2+x+1)} + C$$

$$\text{So, } a = \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}}, b = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{Now, } 9 \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}} + b \right) = 9 \left(\frac{4}{9} + \frac{1}{3} \right) = 7$$

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17. $\{(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)\} \rightarrow r$ is equal to ;

(A) $q \rightarrow \sim r$

(B) $p \rightarrow \sim r$

(C) fallacy

(D) tautology

Ans. (4)

Sol. Given

$$\{(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)\} \rightarrow r \text{ (Applying } p \rightarrow q = \sim p \vee q\text{)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\equiv \{(p \wedge (\sim p \vee q)) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)\} \rightarrow r \text{ (Applying distributive property)} \\
&\equiv \{((p \wedge \sim p) \vee (p \wedge q)) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)\} \rightarrow r \text{ (Applying } p \wedge \sim p = f\text{)} \\
&\equiv \{(f \vee (p \wedge q)) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)\} \rightarrow r \text{ (Applying } f \vee p = p \text{ & } p \rightarrow q = \sim p \vee q\text{)} \\
&\equiv \{(p \wedge q) \wedge (\sim q \vee r)\} \rightarrow r \text{ (Applying distributive property)} \\
&\equiv \{((p \wedge q) \wedge \sim q) \vee ((p \wedge q) \wedge r)\} \rightarrow r \text{ (Applying } (p \wedge q) \wedge \sim q = f\text{)} \\
&\equiv \{(f \vee ((p \wedge q) \wedge r)\} \rightarrow r \text{ (Applying } f \vee p = p\text{)} \\
&\equiv \{(p \wedge q) \wedge r\} \rightarrow r \text{ (Applying } p \rightarrow q = \sim p \vee q\text{)} \\
&\equiv \sim((p \wedge q) \wedge r) \vee r \\
&\equiv (\sim(p \wedge q) \vee \sim r) \vee r \equiv t
\end{aligned}$$

which is a tautology.

18. In a ΔABC if $\frac{\sin A}{\sin B} = \frac{\sin(C-A)}{\sin(B-C)}$, then

- (A) b^2, a^2, c^2 are in A.P.
- (B) a^2, c^2, b^2 are in A.P.
- (C) $a^2 - b^2, b^2 - c^2, c^2 - a^2$ are in G.P.
- (D) a^2, b^2, c^2 are in G.P.

Ans. (2)

Sol. Given

$$\frac{\sin A}{\sin B} = \frac{\sin(C-A)}{\sin(B-C)}$$

$$A + B + C = \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin(\pi - (B+C))}{\sin(\pi - (A+C))} = \frac{\sin(C-A)}{\sin(B-C)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin(B+C)}{\sin(A+C)} = \frac{\sin(C-A)}{\sin(B-C)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin(B+C)\sin(B-C) = \sin(C-A)\sin(A+C)$$

$$\text{Using the formula } \sin(A+B)\sin(A-B) = \sin^2 A - \sin^2 B$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 B - \sin^2 C = \sin^2 C - \sin^2 A$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 A, \sin^2 C, \sin^2 B \text{ are in A.P.}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2, c^2, b^2 \text{ are in A.P. (using sine rule)}$$

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19. The equation of curve passing through the point $(2, -2)$ and satisfying the differential equation $y + x \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2$ is given by:

- (A) $x^3 - 3xy = -20$
- (B) $x^3 + 3xy = 20$
- (C) $3xy - x^3 = 10$
- (D) $x^3 - 3xy = 20$

Ans. (4)

$$\text{Sol. } y + x \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{1}{x}y = x$$

$$\text{IF} = e^{\int \frac{1}{x} dx} = e^{\ln x} = x$$

Therefore, the general solution of the differential equation will be

$$yx = \int x^2 dx$$

$$xy = \frac{x^3}{3} + c$$

This curve passes through the point $(2, -2)$, so we get

$$-4 = \frac{8}{3} + c$$

$$c = -\frac{20}{3}$$

$$\therefore xy = \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{20}{3}$$

$$\text{So } 3xy = x^3 - 20$$

Hence, the equation of curve is $x^3 - 3xy = 20$

20. Given matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ x & -1 \end{bmatrix}$. If $A(A^3 + 3I) = 2I$ (where I be a unit matrix), then the possible value of x is:

(A) $-\frac{1}{2}$

(B) $\frac{1}{2}$

(C) 1

(D) 2

Ans. (2)

Sol. Given $A^4 + 3AI = 2I$

$$A^4 = 2I - 3A \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

The characteristic equation is $|A - \lambda I| = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 0 - \lambda & 2 \\ x & -1 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda + \lambda^2 - 2x = 0$$

$$\text{So, } A^2 + A - 2xI = 0$$

$$A^2 = 2xI - A$$

$$A^4 = A^2 + 4x^2 I - 2(2xA)$$

$$A^4 = 2xI - A + 4x^2 I - 4xA$$

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

On comparing with equation (i), we get,

$$4x + 1 = 3$$

$$4x = 2$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$

21. \vec{a} and \vec{b} are two perpendicular vectors with $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + \alpha\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \beta\hat{k}$. Also, $\vec{c} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ and $|\vec{b} \times \vec{c}| = 5\sqrt{3}$. The maximum value of $|\vec{a}|^2$ is equal to

Ans. 90

Sol. \vec{a} and \vec{b} are perpendicular, so

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

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 15 + \alpha\beta = 0$$

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$$\Rightarrow \alpha\beta = -16 \dots (1)$$

$$\vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 3 & \beta \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \hat{i}(9 + 2\beta) - \hat{j}(3 - \beta) + \hat{k}(-2 - 3)$$

$$\text{Given, } |\vec{b} \times \vec{c}| = 5\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow (9 + 2\beta)^2 + (3 - \beta)^2 + 25 = 75$$

$$\Rightarrow 5\beta^2 + 30\beta + 40 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = -2, -4$$

$$\beta = -2 \Rightarrow \alpha = 8 \text{ and } \beta = -4 \Rightarrow \alpha = 4$$

For the maximum value of $|\vec{a}|^2$, $\alpha = 8$

So, the maximum value of $|\vec{a}|^2$ is $1 + 25 + 64 = 90$

22. A tangent and normal are drawn at the point $P(2, -4)$ of parabola $y^2 = 8x$ which cut the directrix at points A and B respectively. A given point $Q(h, k)$ is used to form a square $AQBP$. Then the absolute value of $h + k$ is equal to

Ans. 10

The equation of tangent at $(2, -4)$ to the parabola is

$$T = 0 \Rightarrow -4y = 4(x + 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y + 2 = 0 \dots (1)$$

Normal to the parabola at $(2, -4)$ is

$$x - y = k$$

$$\Rightarrow x - y = 6 \dots (2)$$

Directrix of parabola is $x = -2 \dots (3)$

$$\Rightarrow A \equiv (-2, 0) \text{ and } B \equiv (-2, -8)$$

As, $AQBP$ is a square. So, the mid-point of AB will be same as the mid-point of PQ

$$\Rightarrow (-2, -4) = \left(\frac{h+2}{2}, \frac{k-4}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow h = -6, k = -4$$

$$\Rightarrow h + k = -10$$

23. If there are three sets defined on set of real numbers $P = \{x: |x - 2| > 1\}$, $Q = \{x: \sqrt{x^2 - 3} > 1\}$ and $R = \{x: |x - 4| > 2\}$, then the number of integer elements in the set $(P \cap Q \cap R)'$ is

Ans. 9

Sol.

Set $P = x \in (-\infty, 1) \cup (3, \infty)$

Set $Q = x \in (-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$

Set $R = x \in (-\infty, 2) \cup (6, \infty)$

$P \cap Q \cap R = (-\infty, -2) \cup (6, \infty)$

$(P \cap Q \cap R)' = [-2, 6]$

Number of integral values = 9

24. Number of five-digit numbers divisible by 55, formed using the digits 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 (repetition not allowed) is

Ans. 12

Sol.

A five-digit number $abcde$ is divisible by 55 if $e = 5$ and $abcd5$ is divisible by 11.

So, $|(a + c + 5) - (b + d)|$ should also be divisible by 11 as per the rule of divisibility of 11

When $(a, c) \equiv (6, 3)$ and $(b, d) \equiv (1, 2) \Rightarrow 4$ ways

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Hence, total cases = 12

25. If $y^{\frac{1}{4}} + y^{-\frac{1}{4}} = 2x$ is a curve satisfying $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}(x^2 - 1) + bx \frac{dy}{dx} + ay = 0$, then the absolute value of $a + b$ is equal to

Ans. 15

Solution:

Differentiating $y^{\frac{1}{4}} + y^{-\frac{1}{4}} = 2x$, we get

$$\frac{1}{4} \left(y^{\frac{-3}{4}} - y^{\frac{-5}{4}} \right) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(y^{\frac{1}{4}} - y^{-\frac{1}{4}} \right) \frac{dy}{dx} = 8y$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\left(y^{\frac{1}{4}} + y^{-\frac{1}{4}} \right)^2 - 4} = 8y \frac{dx}{dy}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{4x^2 - 4} = 8y \frac{dx}{dy}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sqrt{x^2 - 1} \frac{dy}{dx} = 8y$$

Now, differentiating w.r.t. x , we get

$$\sqrt{x^2 - 1} \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}} \frac{dy}{dx} = 4 \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 1) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 4\sqrt{x^2 - 1} \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 1) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 16y$$

Now, comparing with $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}(x^2 - 1) + bx \frac{dy}{dx} + ay = 0$, we get

$$a = -16, b = 1$$

26. If $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-\sin x}{2+\cos x}(y+3)$, $y(0) = 1$, then $y\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ is

- (A) $\frac{4}{3}$
- (B) $\frac{7}{3}$
- (C) $\frac{2}{3}$
- (D) 3

Ans: (B)

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{y+3} &= \frac{-\sin x}{2+\cos x} dx \\ \Rightarrow \ln(y+3) &= \ln(2+\cos x) + \ln C \\ \Rightarrow y+3 &= C(2+\cos x)\end{aligned}$$

At $x = 0, y = 1$

$$4 = 3C \Rightarrow C = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{4}{3}(2 + \cos x) - 3$$

$$\text{Hence } y\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{4}{3}\left(2 + \frac{1}{2}\right) - 3 = \frac{2}{3} \cdot 5 - 1 = \frac{7}{3}$$

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