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SECTION – A

1. The area of the region $\{(x, y) : x^2 \leq y \leq 8 - x^2, y \leq 7\}$ is.

(1) 24

(2) 21

(3) 20

(4) 18

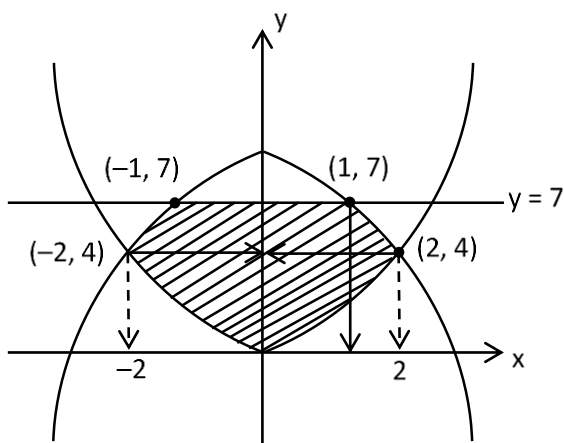
Sol. (3)

$$y \geq x^2 \quad y \leq 8 - x^2 \quad y \leq 7$$

$$x^2 = 8 - x^2$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$x = \pm 2$$



$$\begin{aligned} & 2 \left(1.7 + \int_1^2 (8 - 2x^2) dx \right) - 2 \int_0^1 (x^2) dx \\ &= 2 \left[7 + \left(8x - \frac{2x^3}{3} \right) \Big|_1^2 \right] - 2 \left(\frac{x^3}{3} \right) \Big|_0^1 \\ &= 2 \left[7 + \left(16 - \frac{16}{3} \right) - \left(8 - \frac{2}{3} \right) \right] - 2 \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) \\ &= 2 \left[7 + \frac{32}{3} - \frac{22}{3} \right] = 2 \left[7 + \frac{10}{3} \right] = \frac{60}{3} = 20 \end{aligned}$$

2. Let $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix}$, $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $Q = PAP^T$. If $P^T Q^{2007} P = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$, then $2a + b - 3c - 4d$ equal to

(1) 2004

(2) 2007

(3) 2005

(4) 2006

Sol. (3)

$$Q = PAP^T$$

$$P^T \cdot Q^{2007} \cdot P = P^T \cdot Q \cdot Q \dots Q \cdot P$$

$$= P^T (PAP^T) (PAP^T) \dots (PAP^T) P$$

$$\Rightarrow (P^T P) A (P^T P) A \dots A (P^T P)$$

$$P^T \cdot P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

$$\therefore P^T \cdot Q^{2007} \cdot P = A^{2007}$$

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{2007} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2007 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = 1, b = 2007, c = 0, d = 1$$

$$2a + b - 3c - 4d = 2 + 2007 - 4 = 2005$$

3. Negation of $(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (q \rightarrow p)$ is

(1) $(\sim q) \wedge p$

(2) $p \vee (\sim q)$

(3) $(\sim p) \vee q$

(4) $q \wedge (\sim p)$

Sol. (4)

$$(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (q \rightarrow p)$$

$$\sim [\sim p \rightarrow q \wedge q \rightarrow p]$$

$$\Rightarrow p \rightarrow q \wedge \sim q \rightarrow p$$

$$\Rightarrow \sim p \vee q \wedge q \wedge \sim p$$

$$\Rightarrow q \wedge \sim p.$$

4. Let $C(\alpha, \beta)$ be the circumcenter of the triangle formed by the lines

$$4x + 3y = 69,$$

$$4y - 3x = 17 \text{ and}$$

$$x + 7y = 61.$$

Then $(\alpha - \beta)^2 + \alpha + \beta$ is equal to

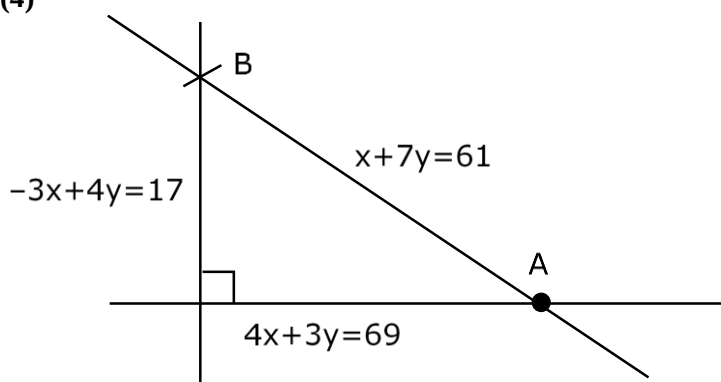
(1) 18

(2) 15

(3) 16

(4) 17

Sol. (4)



$$4x + 28y = 244$$

$$4x + 3y = 69$$

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$$25y = 175$$

$$y = 7, x = 12$$

$$A(12, 7)$$

$$\begin{aligned}-3x + 4y &= 17 \\ 3x + 21y &= 183\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}25y &= 200 \\ y &= 8, x = 5\end{aligned}$$

B(5, 8)

∴ Circumcenter

$$\alpha = \frac{17}{2}, \beta = \frac{15}{2}$$

$$\left(\frac{17}{2}, \frac{15}{2}\right)$$

$$(\alpha - \beta)^2 + \alpha + \beta$$

$$1 + 16 = 17$$

5. Let α, β, γ , be the three roots of the equation $x^3 + bx + c = 0$. If $\beta\gamma = 1 = -\alpha$, then $b^3 + 2c^3 - 3\alpha^3 - 6\beta^3 - 8\gamma^3$ is equal to

(1) $\frac{155}{8}$

(2) 21

(3) 19

(4) $\frac{169}{8}$

Sol. (3)

$$x^3 + bx + c = 0 \begin{matrix} \nearrow \alpha \\ \rightarrow \beta \\ \searrow \gamma \end{matrix}$$

$$\beta\gamma = 1$$

$$\alpha = -1$$

Put $\alpha = -1$

$$-1 - b + c = 0$$

$$c - b = 1$$

also

$$\alpha \cdot \beta \cdot \gamma = -c$$

$$-1 = -c \Rightarrow c = 1$$

$$\therefore b = 0$$

$$x^3 + 1 = 0$$

$$\alpha = -1, \beta = -w, \gamma = -w^2$$

$$\therefore b^3 + 2c^3 - 3\alpha^3 - 6\beta^3 - 8\gamma^3$$

$$0 + 2 + 3 + 6 + 8 = 19$$

6. Let the number of elements in sets A and B be five and two respectively. Then the number of subsets of $A \times B$ each having at least 3 and at most 6 elements is:

(1) 752 (2) 772 (3) 782 (4) 792

Sol. (4)

$$n(A \times B) = 10$$

$${}^{10}C_3 + {}^{10}C_4 + {}^{10}C_5 + {}^{10}C_6 = 792$$

7. If the coefficients of three consecutive terms in the expansion of $(1 + x)^n$ are in the ratio 1 : 5 : 20, then the coefficient of the fourth term is

(1) 5481 (2) 3654 (3) 2436 (4) 1817

Sol. (2)

$$\frac{{}^nC_r}{{}^nC_{r-1}} = 5 \quad \frac{{}^nC_{r+1}}{{}^nC_r} = 4$$

$$\frac{n-r+1}{r} = 5 \quad n = 5r + 4 \dots (2)$$

$$n = 6r - 1 \dots (1)$$

$$\therefore n = 29, r = 5$$

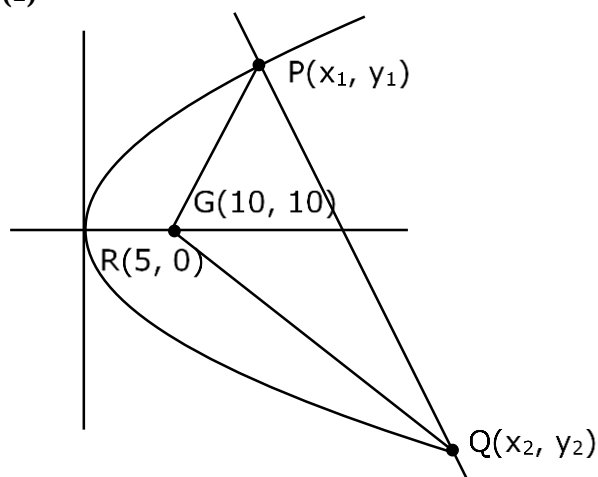
$$\text{Coeff of 4th term} = {}^{29}C_3$$

$$= 3654$$

8. Let R be the focus of the parabola $y^2 = 20x$ and the line $y = mx + c$ intersect the parabola at two points P and Q. Let the point G(10, 10) be the centroid of the triangle PQR. If $c - m = 6$, then $(PQ)^2$ is

(1) 325 (2) 346 (3) 296 (4) 317

Sol. (1)



$$y^2 = 20x, y = mx + c$$

$$y^2 = 20\left(\frac{y-c}{m}\right)$$

$$y^2 - \frac{20y}{m} + \frac{20c}{m} = 0 \quad \frac{y_1 + y_2 + y_3}{3} = 10$$

$$\frac{20}{m} = 30$$

$$m = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{and } c - m = 6$$

$$c = \frac{2}{3} + 6 \Rightarrow \frac{20}{3} = c$$

$$y^2 - 30y + \frac{20 \times 20}{\frac{2}{3}} = 0 \Rightarrow y^2 - 30y + 200 = 0$$

$$y = 10, y = 20$$

$$y = 20, x = 20$$

$$P(5, 10); (20, 20)Q$$

$$\frac{20+5+x}{3} = 10 \Rightarrow x = 5 \quad PQ^2 = 15^2 + 10^2 = 225 + 100 = 325$$

9. Let $S_K = \frac{1+2+\dots+K}{K}$ and $\sum_{j=1}^n S_j^2 = \frac{n}{A} (Bn^2 + Cn + D)$, where $A, B, C, D \in \mathbb{N}$ and A has least value. Then

(1) $A + B$ is divisible by D

(2) $A + B = 5(D - C)$

(3) $A + C + D$ is not divisible by B

(4) $A + B + D$ is divisible by 5

Sol. (1)

$$S_k = \frac{k+1}{2}$$

$$S_k^2 = \frac{k^2 + 1 + 2k}{4}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{j=1}^n S_j^2 = \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} + n + n(n+1) \right]$$

$$= \frac{n}{4} \left[\frac{(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} + 1 + n + 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{n}{4} \left[\frac{2n^2 + 3n + 1}{6} + n + 2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{n}{4} \left[\frac{2n^2 + 9n + 13}{6} \right] = \frac{n}{24} [2n^2 + 9n + 13]$$

$$A = 24, B = 2, C = 9, D = 13$$

10. The shortest distance between the lines $\frac{x-4}{4} = \frac{y+2}{5} = \frac{z+3}{3}$ and $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y-3}{4} = \frac{z-4}{2}$ is

(1) $2\sqrt{6}$

(2) $3\sqrt{6}$

(3) $6\sqrt{3}$

(4) $6\sqrt{2}$

Sol. (2)

$$S_d = \frac{|(\vec{a} - \vec{b}) \times (\vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2)|}{|\vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2|}$$

$$\vec{a} = (4, -2, -3)$$

$$\vec{b} = (1, 3, 4)$$

$$\vec{n}_1 = (4, 5, 3)$$

$$\vec{n}_2 = (3, 4, 2)$$

$$\vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 4 & 5 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(-2) - \hat{j}(-1) + \hat{k}(1) = (-2, 1, 1)$$

$$S_d = \frac{(3, -5, -7) \cdot (-2, 1, 1)}{\sqrt{6}} = \frac{-6 - 5 - 7}{\sqrt{6}} = 3\sqrt{6}$$

11. The number of arrangements of the letters of the word "INDEPENDENCE" in which all the vowels always occur together is.

(1) 16800 (2) 14800 (3) 18000 (4) 33600

Sol. (1)
 IEEEE,
 NNN, DD, P, C
 $\frac{8!}{3!2!} \times \frac{6!}{4!} = 16800$

12. If the points with position vectors $\alpha\hat{i} + 10\hat{j} + 13\hat{k}$, $6\hat{i} + 11\hat{j} + 11\hat{k}$, $\frac{9}{2}\hat{i} + \beta\hat{j} - 8\hat{k}$ are collinear, then $(19\alpha - 6\beta)^2$ is equal to

(1) 49 (2) 36 (3) 25 (4) 16

Sol. (2)
 $(\alpha, 10, 13); (6, 11, 11), \left(\frac{9}{2}, \beta, -8\right)$
 $\frac{\alpha - 6}{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{-1}{11 - \beta} = \frac{2}{19}$
 $\alpha - 6 = \frac{3}{19}$
 $\alpha = 6 + \frac{3}{19} = \frac{117}{19}$
 $\therefore (19\alpha - 6\beta)^2 = (117 - 123)^2 = 36$

$$-19 = 22 - 2\beta$$

$$2\beta = 41$$

13. In a bolt factory, machines A, B and C manufacture respectively 20%, 30% and 50% of the total bolts. Of their output 3, 4 and 2 percent are respectively defective bolts. A bolt is drawn at random from the product. If the bolt drawn is found the defective, then the probability that it is manufactured by the machine C is.

(1) $\frac{5}{14}$ (2) $\frac{3}{7}$ (3) $\frac{9}{28}$ (4) $\frac{2}{7}$

Sol. (1)
 $P(A) = \frac{2}{10}$ $P(B) = \frac{3}{10}$ $P(C) = \frac{5}{10}$
 $P(\text{Defective}/A) = \frac{3}{100}$, $P(\text{Defective}/B) = \frac{4}{100}$, $P(\text{Defective}/C) = \frac{2}{100}$
 $P(E) = \frac{\frac{5}{10} \times \frac{2}{100}}{\frac{2}{10} \times \frac{3}{100} + \frac{3}{10} \times \frac{4}{100} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{2}{100}} = \frac{10}{6 + 12 + 10}$
 $= \frac{10}{28}$
 $= \frac{5}{14}$

14. If for $z = \alpha + i\beta$, $|z + 2| = z + 4(1 + i)$, then $\alpha + \beta$ and $\alpha\beta$ are the roots of the equation

(1) $x^2 + 3x - 4 = 0$ (2) $x^2 + 7x + 12 = 0$
 (3) $x^2 + x - 12 = 0$ (4) $x^2 + 2x - 3 = 0$

Sol. (2)

$$|z + 2| = |\alpha + i\beta + 2|$$

$$= \alpha + i\beta + 4 + 4i$$

$$\sqrt{(\alpha + 2)^2 + \beta^2} = (\alpha + 4) + i(\beta + 4) \quad \beta + 4 = 0$$

$$(\alpha + 2)^2 + 16 = (\alpha + 4)^2 \quad \beta = -4$$

$$\alpha^2 + 4 + 4\alpha + 16 = \alpha^2 + 16 + 8\alpha$$

$$4 = 4\alpha$$

$$\alpha = 1$$

$$\alpha = 1, \beta = -4$$

$$\alpha + \beta = -3, \alpha\beta = -4$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = -7$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = 12$$

$$x^2 + 7x + 12 = 0$$

15. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\left(\frac{1 - \cos^2(3x)}{\cos^3(4x)} \right) \left(\frac{\sin^3(4x)}{(\log_e(2x+1))^5} \right) \right)$ is equal to _____

(1) 24

(2) 9

(3) 18

(4) 15

Sol. (3)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1 - \cos^2 3x}{9x^2} \right] \frac{9x^2}{\cos^3 4x} \cdot \frac{\left(\frac{\sin 4x}{4x} \right)^3 \times 64x^3}{\left[\frac{\ln(1+2x)}{2x} \right]^5 \times 32x^5}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 2 \left(\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{9}{1} \times \frac{1 \times 64}{1 \times 32} \right) = 18$$

16. The number of ways, in which 5 girls and 7 boys can be seated at a round table so that no two girls sit together, is

(1) $7(720)^2$

(2) 720

(3) $7(360)^2$

(4) $126(5!)^2$

Sol. (4)

$$6! \times {}^7C_5 \times 5!$$

$$\Rightarrow 720 \times 21 \times 120$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times 360 \times 7 \times 3 \times 120$$

$$\Rightarrow 126 \times (5!)^2$$

17. Let $f(x) = \frac{\sin x + \cos x - \sqrt{2}}{\sin x - \cos x}$, $x \in [0, \pi] - \left\{ \frac{\pi}{4} \right\}$. Then $f\left(\frac{7\pi}{12}\right) f''\left(\frac{7\pi}{12}\right)$ is equal to

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

(2) $\frac{2}{9}$

(3) $-\frac{1}{3\sqrt{3}}$

(4) $\frac{2}{3\sqrt{3}}$

Sol. (2)

$$f(x) = -\tan\left(\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{8}\right)$$

$$f'(x) = -\frac{1}{2}\sec^2\left(\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{8}\right)$$

$$f''(x) = -\sec^2\left(\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{8}\right) \cdot \tan\left(\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{8}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$f\left(\frac{7\pi}{12}\right) = -\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$f''\left(\frac{7\pi}{12}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}\sec^2\frac{\pi}{6} \cdot \tan\frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{-1}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{-2}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

$$f\left(\frac{7\pi}{12}\right) \cdot f''\left(\frac{7\pi}{12}\right) = \frac{2}{9}$$

18. If the equation of the plane containing the line $x + 2y + 3z - 4 = 0$ and perpendicular to the plane $2x + y - z + 5 = 0$ is $ax + by + cz = 4$, then $(a-b+c)$ is equal to

(1) 22 (2) 24 (3) 20 (4) 18

Sol. (1)

D.R's of line $\vec{n}_1 = -5\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$

D.R's of normal of second plane

$$\vec{n}_2 = 5\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2 = -27\hat{i} - 30\hat{j} - 25\hat{k}$$

A point on the required plane is $\left(0, -\frac{11}{5}, \frac{14}{5}\right)$

The equation of required plane is

$$27x + 30y + 25z = 4$$

$$\therefore a - b + c = 22$$

19. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$. If $|\text{adj}(\text{adj}(\text{adj} 2A))| = (16)^n$, then n is equal to

(1) 8 (2) 9 (3) 12 (4) 10

Sol. (4)

$$|A| = 2[3] - 1[2] = 4$$

$$\therefore |\text{adj}(\text{adj}(\text{adj} 2A))|$$

$$= |2A|^{(n-1)^3} \Rightarrow |2A|^8 = 16^n$$

$$\Rightarrow (2^3 |A|)^8 = 16^n$$

$$\Rightarrow (2^3 \times 2^2)^8 = 16^n$$

$$= 2^{40} = 16^n$$

$$= 16^{10} = 16^n \Rightarrow n = 10$$

20. Let $I(x) = \int \frac{(x+1)}{x(1+x e^x)^2} dx$, $x > 0$. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} I(x) = 0$, then $I(1)$ is equal to

- | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| (1) $\frac{e+1}{e+2} - \log_e(e+1)$ | (2) $\frac{e+2}{e+1} + \log_e(e+1)$ |
| (3) $\frac{e+2}{e+1} - \log_e(e+1)$ | (4) $\frac{e+1}{e+2} + \log_e(e+1)$ |

Sol.

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

$$1 + x e^x = t$$

$$(x e^x + e^x) dx = dt$$

$$(x+1) dx = \frac{1}{e^x} dt$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{dt}{x e^x \cdot t^2} \Rightarrow \int \frac{dt}{(t-1)t^2} \Rightarrow \int \frac{dt}{t(t-1) \cdot t} \Rightarrow \int \frac{t - (t-1)}{t(t-1)t} dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dt}{t(t-1)} - \int \frac{dt}{t^2} \Rightarrow \int \frac{t - (t-1)}{t(t-1)} dt + \frac{1}{t} + c$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln|t-1| - \ln|t| + \frac{1}{t} + c$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln|x e^x| - \ln|1 + x e^x| + \frac{1}{1 + x e^x} + c$$

$$I(x) = \ln \left| \frac{x e^x}{1 + x e^x} \right| + \frac{1}{1 + x e^x} + c$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} I(x) = c = 0$$

$$\therefore I(1) = \ln \left| \frac{e}{1+e} \right| + \frac{1}{1+e}$$

$$= \ln e - \ln(1+e) + \frac{1}{1+e}$$

$$= \frac{e+2}{e+1} - \ln(1+e)$$

SECTION - B

21. Let $A = \{0, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$ and R be the relation defined on A such that $R = \{x, y\} \in A \times A$: $x - y$ is odd positive integer or $x - y = 2$. The minimum number of elements that must be added to the relation R , so that it is a symmetric relation, is equal to _____.

Sol. (19)

$$A = \{0, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\} \quad 3, 7, 9 \rightarrow \text{odd}$$

$$R = \{x - y = \text{odd} + \text{ve or } x - y = 2\} \quad 0, 4, 6, 8, 10 \rightarrow \text{even}$$

$${}^3C_1 \cdot {}^5C_1 = 15 + (6, 4), (8, 6), (10, 8), (9, 7)$$

Min^m ordered pairs to be added must be

$$: 15 + 4 = 19$$

22. Let (t) denote the greatest integer $\leq t$, If the constant term in the expansion of $\left(3x^2 - \frac{1}{2x^5}\right)^7$ is α , then $[\alpha]$ is equal to _____.

Sol. (1275)

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

$$T_{r+1} = {}^7C_r (3x^2)^{7-r} \left(-\frac{1}{2x^5}\right)^r$$

$$14 - 2r - 5r = 14 - 7r = 0$$

$$\therefore r = 2$$

$$\therefore T_3 = {}^7C_2 \cdot 3^5 \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{21 \times 243}{4} = 1275.75$$

$$\therefore [\alpha] = 1275$$

23. Let λ_1, λ_2 be the values of λ for which the points $\left(\frac{5}{2}, 1, \lambda\right)$ and $(-2, 0, 1)$ are at equal distance from the plane $2x + 3y - 6z + 7 = 0$. If $\lambda_1 > \lambda_2$, then the distance of the point $(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2, \lambda_2, \lambda_1)$ from the line $\frac{x-5}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z+7}{2}$ is _____.

Sol. 9

$$2x + 3y - 6z + 7 = 0 \quad \left(\frac{5}{2}, 1, \lambda\right), (-2, 0, 1)$$

$$d_1 = \left| \frac{5+3-6\lambda+7}{7} \right| = d_2 = \left| \frac{-4-6+7}{7} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow |15-6\lambda| = |3|$$

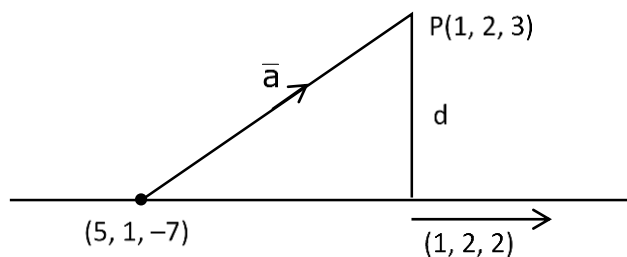
$$15 - 6\lambda = 3 \text{ or } 15 - 6\lambda = -3$$

$$6\lambda = 12 \quad 6\lambda = 18$$

$$\lambda = 2 \quad \lambda = 3$$

$$\lambda_1 = 3, \quad \lambda_2 = 2$$

$$\therefore P(1, 2, 3) \quad \frac{x-5}{1} = \frac{y-1}{2} = \frac{z+7}{2}$$



$$d = \left| \frac{(4, -1, -10) \times (1, 2, 2)}{3} \right| = \left| \frac{18\hat{i} - 18\hat{j} + 9\hat{k}}{3} \right| = 9$$

24. If the solution curve of the differential equation $(y - 2 \log_e x)dx + (x \log_e x^2) dy = 0$, $x > 1$ passes through the points $\left(e, \frac{4}{3}\right)$ and (e^4, α) , then α is equal to _____.

Sol.

(3)

$$(y - 2 \ln x)dx + (2x \ln x)dy = 0$$

$$dy(2x \ln x) = [(2 \ln x) - y]dx$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{y}{2x \ln x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{2x \ln x} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{I.F} &= e^{\int \frac{1}{2x \ln x} dx} \\ &= e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dt}{t}} = e^{\frac{1}{2} \ln(\ln x)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{I.F} = (\ln x)^{1/2}$$

$$\therefore y\sqrt{\ln x} = \int \frac{\sqrt{\ln x}}{x} dx \quad (\text{Let, } \ln x = u^2)$$

$$= 2 \int u^2 du \quad \frac{1}{x} dx = 2u du$$

$$y\sqrt{\ln x} = \frac{2}{3} (\ln x)^{3/2} + c \leftarrow \left(e, \frac{4}{3}\right)$$

$$\frac{4}{3} = \frac{2}{3} + c \Rightarrow c = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$y\sqrt{\ln x} = \frac{2}{3} (\ln x)^{3/2} + \frac{2}{3} \leftarrow (e^4, \alpha)$$

$$\alpha \cdot 2 = \frac{2}{3} \times 8 + \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\alpha = 3$$

25. Let $\vec{a} = 6\hat{i} + 9\hat{j} + 12\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = \alpha\hat{i} + 11\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ and $\vec{c}$ be vectors such that $\vec{a} \times \vec{c} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b}$. If $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = -12$, $\vec{c} \cdot (\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 5$, then $\vec{c} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$ is equal to ____.

Sol. (11)

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{c} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{a} \times (\vec{c} - \vec{b}) = \vec{0}$$

$$\vec{a} \parallel (\vec{c} - \vec{b})$$

$$\therefore \vec{a} = \lambda(\vec{c} - \vec{b})$$

$$(6, 9, 12) = \lambda[x - \alpha, y - 11, z + 2]$$

$$\frac{x - \alpha}{2} = \frac{y - 11}{3} = \frac{z + 2}{4}$$

$$4y - 44 = 3z + 6$$

$$4y - 3z = 50$$

$$6x + 9y + 12z = -12$$

$$2x + 3y + 4z = -4$$

$$2x - 4y + 2z = 10$$

$$+ \quad - \quad -$$

$$(\because x - 2y + z = 5)$$

$$7y + 2z = -14 \quad \dots(2)$$

$$8y - 6z = 100$$

$$21y + 6z = -42$$

$$29y = 58$$

$$y = 2, z = -14$$

$$\therefore x - 4 - 14 = 5$$

$$x = 23$$

$$\vec{c} = (23, 2, -14)$$

$$\vec{c} \cdot (1, 1, 1) = 23 + 2 - 14 = 11$$

26. The largest natural number n such that 3^n divides $66!$ is ____.

Sol. (31)

$$\left[\frac{66}{3} \right] + \left[\frac{66}{9} \right] + \left[\frac{66}{27} \right]$$

$$22 + 7 + 2 = 31$$

27. If a_n is the greatest term in the sequence $a_n = \frac{n^3}{n^4 + 147}$, $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$, then a is equal to ____.

Sol. (0.158)

$$f(x) = \frac{x^3}{x^4 + 147}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{(x^4 + 147)3x^2 - x^3(4x^3)}{(x^4 + 147)^2}$$

$$= \frac{3x^6 + 147 \times 3x^2 - 4x^6}{+ve} = x^2(44 - x^4)$$

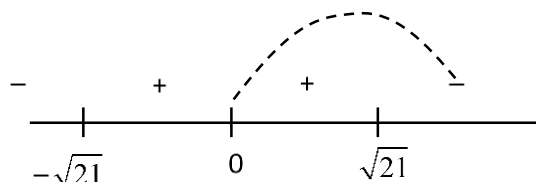
$$f'(x) = 0 \text{ at } x^6 = 147 \times 3x^2$$

$$x^2 = 0, x^4 = 147 \times 3$$

$$x = 0, x^2 = \pm \sqrt{147 \times 3}$$

$$x^2 = \pm 21$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{21}$$



$f_{\max}$ at $f(4)$ or $f(5)$

$$f(4) = \frac{64}{403} \simeq 0.158 \quad f(5) = \frac{125}{772} \simeq 0.161$$

$$\therefore a = 5$$

28. Let the mean and variance of 8 numbers $x, y, 10, 12, 6, 12, 4, 8$ be 9 and 9.25 respectively. If $x > y$, then $3x - 2y$ is equal to _____.

Sol. (25)

$$\frac{x + y + 52}{8} = 9 \Rightarrow x + y = 20$$

For variance

$$x - 9, y - 9, 3, 3, 1, -5, -1, -3$$

$$\bar{x} = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{(x-9)^2 + (y-9)^2 + 54}{8} - \bar{0}^2 = 9.25$$

$$(x-9)^2 + (11-x)^2 = 20$$

$$x = 7 \text{ or } 13 \therefore y = 13, 7$$

$$3x - 2y = 3 \times 13 - 2 \times 7 = 25$$

29. Consider a circle $C_1 : x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y = \alpha - 5$. Let its mirror image in the line $y = 2x + 1$ be another circle $C_2 : 5x^2 + 5y^2 - 10fx - 10gy + 36 = 0$. Let r be the radius of C_2 . Then $\alpha + r$ is equal to _____.

Sol. (2)

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y + 5 - \alpha = 0,$$

$$C_1(2, 1) \quad r_1 = \sqrt{\alpha}$$

$$2x - y + 1 = 0$$

Image of $(2, 1)$

$$\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-1}{-1} = \frac{-2(4-1+1)}{5}$$

$$\frac{x-2}{2} = \frac{y-1}{-1} = \frac{-8}{5}$$

$$x = 2 - \frac{16}{5} = \frac{-6}{5}, y = 1 + \frac{8}{5} = \frac{13}{5}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2fx - 2gy + \frac{36}{5} = 0$$

$$C_2(f, g)$$

$$r_2 = \sqrt{f^2 + g^2 - \frac{36}{5}}$$

$$\alpha = f^2 + g^2 - \frac{36}{5}$$

$$\therefore f = -\frac{6}{5}, g = \frac{13}{5}$$

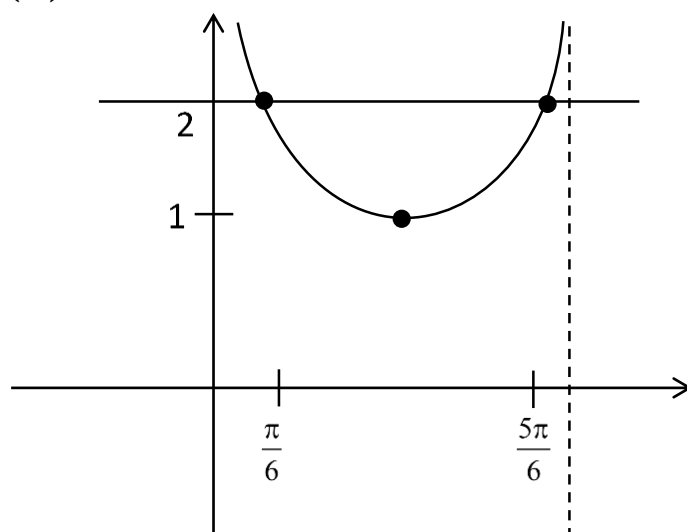
$$\alpha = \frac{36}{25} + \frac{169}{25} - \frac{36}{5}$$

$$= \frac{36 + 169 - 180}{25} \Rightarrow \alpha = 1 \Rightarrow r = 1$$

$$\therefore \alpha + r = 2$$

30. Let $[t]$ denote the greatest integer $\leq t$. The $\frac{2}{\pi} \int_{\pi/6}^{5\pi/6} (8[\operatorname{cosec} x] - 5[\cot x]) dx$ is equal to ____.

Sol. (14)



$$8 \int_{\pi/6}^{5\pi/6} [\operatorname{cosec} x] dx$$

$$8 \int_{\pi/6}^{5\pi/6} dx = \frac{16\pi/3}{16\pi/3}$$

$$I = \int_{\pi/6}^{5\pi/6} [\cot x] dx$$

$$x \rightarrow \pi - x$$

$$I = \int_{\pi/6}^{5\pi/6} [-\cot x] dx$$

$$2I = \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{5\pi}{6}} ([\cot x] + [-\cot x]) dx$$

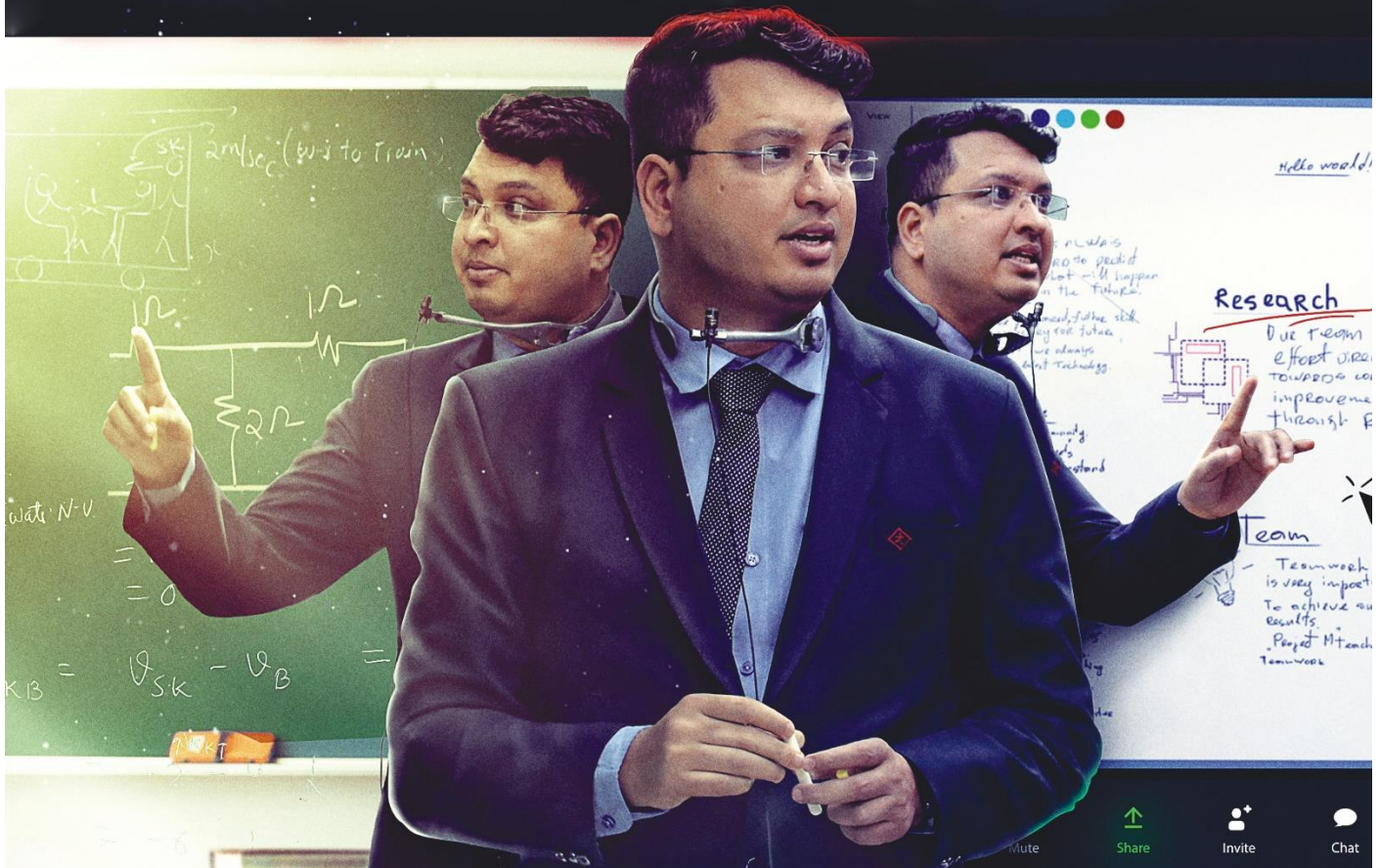
$$I = -\frac{1}{2} \int_{\pi/6}^{5\pi/6} dx \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{4\pi}{6} \right)$$

$$= -\pi/3.$$

$$\therefore \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\frac{16\pi}{3} + \frac{5\pi}{3} \right] = \frac{2}{\pi} \left(\frac{21\pi}{3} \right)$$

$$= 14$$

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