

# Assignment 1

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1) Consider three observations  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  such that  $b = a + c$ . If the standard deviation of  $a + 2$ ,  $b + 2$ ,  $c + 2$  is  $d$ , then which of the following is true?

a)  $b^2 = a^2 + c^2 + 3d^2$

c)  $b^2 = 3(a^2 + c^2) + 9d^2$

b)  $b^2 = 3(a^2 + c^2) - 9d^2$

d)  $b^2 = 3(a^2 + c^2 + d^2)$

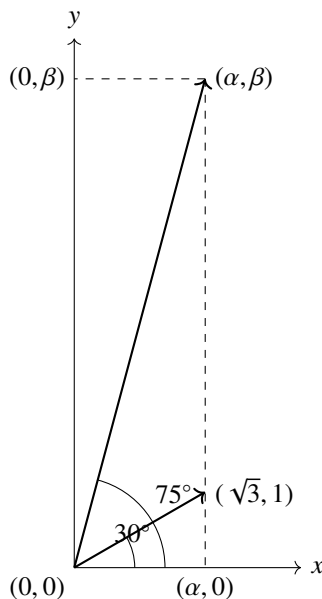
2) Let a vector  $\alpha\hat{i} + \beta\hat{j}$  be obtained by rotating the vector  $\sqrt{3}\hat{i} + \hat{j}$  by an angle  $45^\circ$  about the origin in counterclockwise direction in the first quadrant. Then the area of triangle having vertices  $(\alpha, \beta)$ ,  $(0, \beta)$  and  $(0, 0)$  is equal to:

a) 1

b)  $\frac{1}{2}$

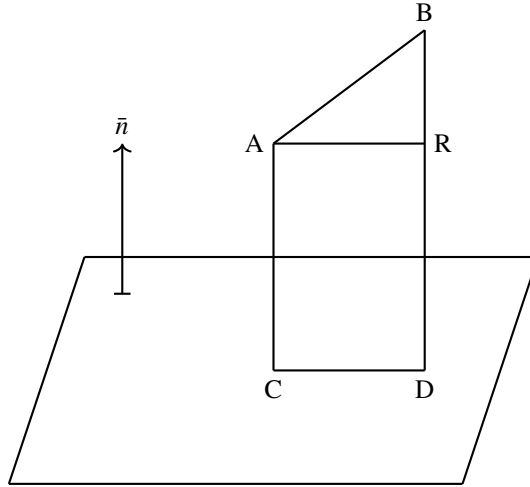
c)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

d)  $2\sqrt{2}$



- 3) If for  $a > 0$ , the feet of perpendiculars from the points **A**  $(a, -2a, 3)$  and **B**  $(0, 4, 5)$  on the plane  $lx + my + nz = 0$  are points **C**  $(0, -a, -1)$  and **D** respectively, then the length of line segment **CD** is equal to:

- a)  $\sqrt{41}$                       b)  $\sqrt{55}$                       c)  $\sqrt{31}$                       d)  $\sqrt{66}$



- 4) The range of  $a \in \mathbf{R}$  for which the function

$$f(x) = (4a - 3)(x + \log_e 5) + (a - 7) \cot\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \sin^2\left(\frac{x}{2}\right),$$

$x \neq 2n\pi, n \in \mathbf{N}$  has critical points, is

- a)  $\left[-\frac{4}{3}, 2\right]$                       b)  $[1, \infty)$                       c)  $(-\infty, -1]$                       d)  $(-3, 1)$

- 5) Let the functions  $f : \mathbf{R} \mapsto \mathbf{R}$  and  $g : \mathbf{R} \mapsto \mathbf{R}$  be defined as:  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 2, & x \leq 0 \\ x^2, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$

and  $g(x) = \begin{cases} x^3, & x < 1 \\ 3x - 2, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$  Then, the number of points in  $\mathbf{R}$  where  $(f \circ g)(x)$  is NOT differentiable is equal to:

- a) 1                      b) 2                      c) 3                      d) 0

- 6) Let a complex number  $z, |z| \neq 1$ , satisfy  $\log_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \left[ \frac{(|z|+11)}{(|z|-1)^2} \right] \leq 2$ . Then, the largest value of  $|z|$  is equal to

- a) 5                      b) 8                      c) 6                      d) 7

7) A pack of cards has one card missing. Two cards are drawn randomly and are found to be spades. The probability that the missing card is not a spade is:

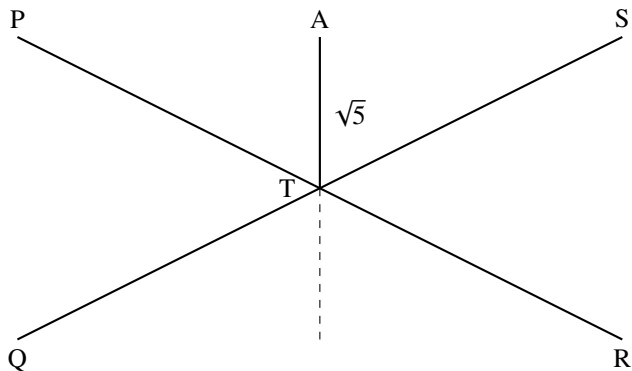
- a)  $\frac{3}{4}$                       b)  $\frac{52}{867}$                       c)  $\frac{39}{50}$                       d)  $\frac{22}{425}$

8) If  $n$  is the number of irrational terms in the expansion of  $\left[3^{\frac{1}{4}} + 5^{\frac{1}{8}}\right]^{60}$ , then  $(n-1)$  is divisible by

- a) 8                      b) 26                      c) 7                      d) 30

9) Let the position vectors of two points  $\mathbf{P}$  and  $\mathbf{Q}$  be  $3\hat{\mathbf{i}} - \hat{\mathbf{j}} + 2\hat{\mathbf{k}}$  and  $\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 2\hat{\mathbf{j}} - 4\hat{\mathbf{k}}$  respectively. Let  $\mathbf{R}$  and  $\mathbf{S}$  be two points such that the direction ratios of lines  $\mathbf{PR}$  and  $\mathbf{QS}$  are  $(4, -1, 2)$  and  $(-2, 1, -2)$  respectively. Let lines  $\mathbf{PR}$  and  $\mathbf{QS}$  intersect at  $\mathbf{T}$ . If the vector  $\mathbf{TA}$  is perpendicular to both  $\mathbf{PR}$  and  $\mathbf{QS}$  and the length of vector  $\mathbf{TA}$  is  $\sqrt{5}$  units, then the modulus of a position vector of  $\mathbf{A}$  is:

- a)  $\sqrt{5}$                       b)  $\sqrt{171}$                       c)  $\sqrt{227}$                       d)  $\sqrt{482}$



10) If the three normals drawn to the parabola,  $y^2 = 2x$  pass through the point  $(a, 0)$   $a \neq 0$ , then ' $a$ ' must be greater than

- a) 1                      b)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       c)  $-\frac{1}{2}$                       d) -1

11) let

$$S_K = \sum_{r=1}^k \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(6^r)}{(2^{r+1} + 3^{2r+1})} \right]. \text{ Then } \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_k =$$

- a)  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)$       b)  $\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)$       c)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$       d)  $\tan^{-1}(3)$

12) The number of roots of the equation,  $(81)^{\sin^2 x} + (81)^{\cos^2 x} = 30$  in the interval  $[0, \pi]$  is equal to :

- a) 3      b) 2      c) 4      d) 8

13) If  $y = y(x)$  is the solution of the differential equation,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y \tan x = \sin x, y\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 0$$

, then the maximum value of the function  $y(x)$  over  $\mathbf{R}$  is equal to :

- a) 8      b)  $\frac{1}{2}$       c)  $-\frac{15}{4}$       d)  $\frac{1}{8}$

14) Which of the following Boolean expression is a tautology?

- a)  $(p \wedge q) \wedge (p \rightarrow q)$       c)  $(p \wedge q) \vee (p \rightarrow q)$   
 b)  $(p \wedge q) \vee (p \vee q)$       d)  $(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow q)$

15) let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} \iota & -\iota \\ -\iota & \iota \end{pmatrix}$ . Then, the system of linear equations  $A^8 \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 64 \end{pmatrix}$  has

- a) No solution      c) A unique solution  
 b) Exactly two solutions      d) Infinitely many solutions