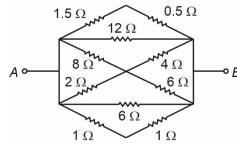
# **PHYSICS**

#### **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:

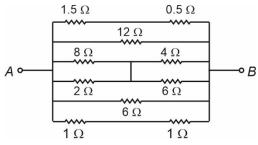
In the given circuit the resistance between terminals A and B is equal to



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

# Answer (3)

Sol. The circuit can be redrawn as



So the net resistance across A and B is

$$\frac{1}{R_{\text{net}}} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{R_{\text{net}}} = \frac{6+1+3+2+6}{12}$$

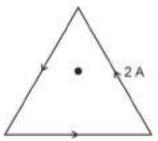
$$R_{net} = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\Omega$$

- A car travels 4 km distance with a speed of 3 km/h and next 4 km with a speed of 5 km/h. Find average speed of car.
  - (1)  $\frac{15}{2}$  km/h (2)  $\frac{15}{4}$  km/h
  - (3) 15 km/h
- (4) 10 km/h

# Answer (2)

Sol. 
$$v_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Time}}$$
$$= \frac{4+4}{\frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{5}} \text{ km/h}$$
$$= \frac{15}{4} \text{ km/h}$$

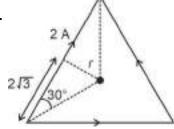
A current 2 A is flowing through the sides of an equilateral triangular loop of side  $4\sqrt{3}$  m as shown. Find the magnetic field induction at the centroid of the triangle.



- (1)  $3\sqrt{3} \times 10^{-7} \text{ T}$
- (2)  $\sqrt{3} \times 10^{-7} \text{ T}$
- (3)  $2\sqrt{3} \times 10^{-7} \text{ T}$
- (4)  $5\sqrt{3} \times 10^{-7} \text{ T}$

## Answer (1)

Sol.



$$\frac{r}{2\sqrt{3}}$$
 = tan 30°

$$r = 2 \text{ m}$$

Magnetic field at centroid

$$= 3 \times \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi r} (\sin 60^\circ + \sin 60^\circ)$$

$$=3\times\frac{\mu_0}{4\pi}\times\frac{2}{2}\left\lceil\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}+\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right\rceil$$

$$=3\sqrt{3}\times\frac{\mu_0}{4\pi}\ T$$

$$=3\sqrt{3}\times10^{-7}\ T$$

A particle is released at a height equal to radius of the earth above the surface of the earth. Its velocity when it hits the surface of earth is equal to

 $(M_e: mass of earth, R_e: Radius of earth)$ 

(1) 
$$V = \sqrt{\frac{2GM_e}{R_e}}$$
 (2)  $V = \sqrt{\frac{GM_e}{2R_e}}$ 

$$(2) \quad v = \sqrt{\frac{GM_e}{2R_e}}$$

$$(3) \quad v = \sqrt{\frac{GM_e}{R_e}}$$

(3) 
$$v = \sqrt{\frac{GM_e}{R_e}}$$
 (4)  $v = \sqrt{\frac{2GM_e}{3R_e}}$ 

# Answer (3)

Sol. Using energy conservation.

$$-\frac{GMm}{2R_e} = -\frac{GMm}{R_e} + \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{GM_e}{R_e}}$$

A faulty scale reads 5°C at melting point and 95°C at steam point.

Find original temperature if this faulty scale reads 41°C.

- (1) 40°C
- (2) 41°C
- (3) 36°C
- (4) 45°C

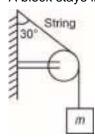
# Answer (1)

**Sol.** 
$$\frac{41-5}{95-5} = \frac{x-0}{100-0}$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x = 360$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 40$$

A block stays in equilibrium as shown:



Find the tension in the string if  $m = \sqrt{3}$  kg

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

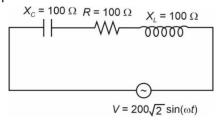
# Answer (1)

Sol. Since block in equilibrium

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $T = mg$ 

$$\Rightarrow T = \sqrt{3}g$$

In the AC circuit shown in the figure the value of Irms is equal to



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

(3) 4A

(4)  $\sqrt{2}A$ 

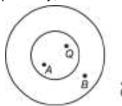
# Answer (1)

Sol. 
$$Z = \sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2}$$
  
=  $\sqrt{100^2 + (100 - 100)^2} = 100 \Omega$ 

So, 
$$i_0 = \frac{200\sqrt{2}}{100} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

So, 
$$i_{rms} = \frac{i_0}{\sqrt{2}} = 2A$$

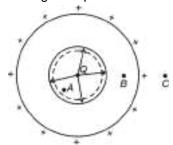
8. A point charge Q is placed inside the cavity made in uniform conducting solid sphere as shown.  $E_A$ ,  $E_B$  and  $E_C$  are electric field magnitudes at points A, B and C respectively, Then



- (1)  $E_A = 0$ ,  $E_B = 0$  and  $E_C \neq 0$
- (2)  $E_A \neq 0$ ,  $E_B = 0$  and  $E_C \neq 0$
- (3)  $E_A \neq 0$ ,  $E_B = 0$  and  $E_C = 0$
- (4)  $E_A \neq 0$ ,  $E_B \neq 0$  and  $E_C \neq 0$

#### Answer (2)

Sol. Taking Q as positive



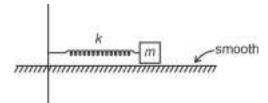
 $E_A \neq 0$  (electric field due to both Q and induced charge on the inner surface of cavity)

 $E_B = 0$  (No field line inside conductor)

 $E_C \neq 0$  (electric field due to charge induced on outer surface of conductor).

9. In the shown mass-spring system when it is set into oscillations along the spring, it has angular frequency  $\omega_1$ , when m = 1 kg and  $\omega_2$  if m = 2 kg.

Then value of  $\frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}$  is equal to



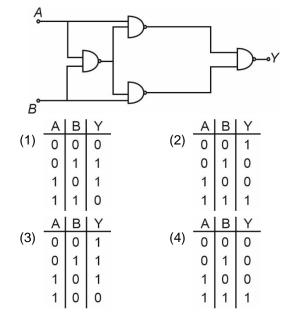
(1) 1

- (2)  $\sqrt{2}$
- (4) 2

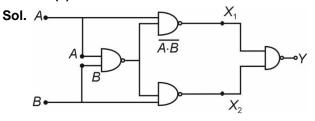
# Answer (2)

**Sol.** 
$$\omega_1 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{k}{1}}$$
  $\omega_2 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{k}{2}}$   $\omega_3 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{k/2}} = \sqrt{2}$ 

10. For the given logic circuit which of the following truth table is correct?



#### Answer (1)



$$X_{1} = \overline{A \cdot (\overline{A \cdot B}) \cdot \overline{B \cdot (\overline{A \cdot B})}}$$

$$= A \cdot (\overline{AB}) + B \cdot (\overline{AB})$$

$$= A \cdot (\overline{A} + \overline{B}) + B \cdot (\overline{A} + \overline{B})$$

$$= A\overline{B} + B\overline{A}$$

$$= XOR gate$$

•		
Α	В	Υ
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

11. A particle of mass *m* is moving under a force whose delivered power P is constant. Initial velocity of particle is zero. Find position of particle at t = 4s.

(1) 
$$x = \frac{16}{3} \sqrt{\frac{2P}{m}}$$
 (2)  $x = \frac{4}{3} \sqrt{\frac{2P}{m}}$ 

(2) 
$$x = \frac{4}{3} \sqrt{\frac{2P}{m}}$$

(3) 
$$x = \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{\frac{P}{m}}$$
 (4)  $x = \frac{3}{10}\sqrt{\frac{P}{m}}$ 

(4) 
$$x = \frac{3}{10} \sqrt{\frac{P}{m}}$$

# Answer (1)

**Sol.** 
$$P = \frac{W}{t}$$
  

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = P \cdot t$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \sqrt{\frac{2Pt}{m}} = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{16}{3}\sqrt{\frac{2P}{m}}$$

12. Column-I list few physical quantities and column-II lists their dimensions. Choose the correct option matching the two lists correctly

#### Column-I

# Column-II

- (P) Pressure gradient
- (A)  $[M^1L^2T^{-2}]$
- (Q) Energy density
- (B)  $[M^1L^1T^{-1}]$
- (R) Torque
- (C)  $[M^1L^{-2}T^{-2}]$
- (S) Impulse
- (D)  $[M^1L^{-1}T^{-2}]$
- (1) P-C, Q-A, R-B, S-D (2) P-C, Q-D, R-A, S-B
- (3) P-A, Q-D, R-B, S-C (4) P-A, Q-C, R-B, S-D

#### Answer (2)

**Sol.** [Pressure gradient] 
$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{dp}{dz}\right] = \left[\frac{ML^{-1}T^{-2}}{L}\right]$$
$$= [ML^{-2}T^{2}]$$

[Energy density] 
$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{dU}{dV}\right] = \left[\frac{ML^2T^{-2}}{I^3}\right] = [ML^{-1}T^{-2}]$$

$$[Torque] \Rightarrow [F] \times [r] = [MLT^{-2}] \times [L] = [ML^2T^{-2}]$$

$$[\mathsf{Impulse}] \Rightarrow [\mathit{F}] \ [\mathit{f}] = [\mathsf{MLT}^{-2}] \ [\mathsf{T}] = [\mathsf{MLT}^{-1}]$$

So, 
$$P \rightarrow C$$
,  $Q \rightarrow D$ ,  $R \rightarrow A$ ,  $S \rightarrow B$ 

13. Consider the following assertion & reason:

**Assertion (A):** At sink temperature of –273°C, the efficiency of a Carnot engine will be 1.

Reason (R): Efficiency of a Carnot engine is given

by 
$$\eta = 1 - \frac{T_{\text{sink}}}{T_{\text{Source}}}$$
.

- (1) (A) is correct, (R) is correct and correctly explains A
- (2) (A) is not correct, (R) is correct
- (3) Both (A) & (R) are incorrect
- (4) Both (A) & (R) are correct, (R) does not explain (A)

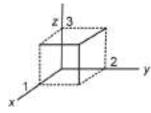
## Answer (1)

**Sol.** 
$$\eta = 1 - \frac{T_{\text{sink}}}{T_{\text{Source}}}$$

If 
$$T_{\text{sink}} = 0 \text{ K} \Rightarrow \eta = 1$$

14. Electric field in a region is

$$\vec{E} = 2x^2\hat{i} - 4y\hat{j} + 6z\hat{k}$$



Find the charge inside the cuboid shown:

- (1)  $-8\epsilon_0$
- (2)  $36\epsilon_0$
- (3)  $12\epsilon_0$
- (4)  $24\epsilon_0$

## Answer (4)

**Sol.** 
$$\phi_{\text{total}} = 2(1)^2[2 \times 3] - 4(2)[1 \times 3] + 6(3)[1 \times 2]$$
  
= 12 - 24 +36  
= 24

$$\Rightarrow \frac{q}{\varepsilon_0} = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow q = 24\varepsilon_0$$

- 15. Find the ratio of de Broglie wavelength of proton, when it is accelerated across *v* and 3*v* potential difference.
  - (1) 3:1
- (2) 1: $\sqrt{3}$
- (3) 1:3
- (4)  $\sqrt{3}:11$

#### Answer (4)

**Sol.** When proton is accelerated by potential difference *V*, the linear momentum of proton

$$\frac{P^2}{2m} = eV$$

$$P = \sqrt{2meV} \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2meV}}$$

When accelerated by potential difference of 3V, then linear momentum of proton is

$$\frac{P^2}{2m} = 3eV$$

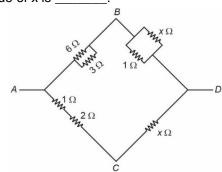
$$P = \sqrt{6meV} \Rightarrow \lambda_2 = \frac{h}{\sqrt{6meV}}$$

$$\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} = \sqrt{3}$$

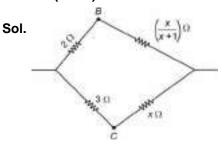
#### **SECTION - B**

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.

21. For the given electrical circuit, the potential difference between points B and C is zero. The value of x is



Answer (00.50)



$$V_B = V_C$$
then  $\frac{2}{3} = \frac{\left(\frac{x}{x+1}\right)}{x}$ 

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{x+1}$$

$$x+1 = \frac{3}{2}$$

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

22. Two waves of same intensity from sources in phase are made to superimpose at a point. If path difference between these two coherent waves is zero then resultant intensity is  $l_0$ . If this path difference is  $\frac{\lambda}{2}$  where  $\lambda$  is wavelength of these waves, then resultant intensity is  $l_0$ , and if the path difference is  $\frac{\lambda}{4}$  then resultant intensity is  $l_2$ . Value of  $\frac{l_1 + l_2}{l_0}$  is equal to

## Answer (00.50)

Sol. Let individual intensity from source is I thus

$$I_{0} = I + I + 2\sqrt{I \times I} \cos\left(0 \times \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{0} = 4I$$

$$I_{1} = I + I + 2\sqrt{I \times I} \cos\left(\frac{\lambda}{2} \times \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{1} = 0$$

$$I_{2} = I + I + 2\sqrt{I \times I} \cos\left(\frac{\lambda}{4} \times \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{2} = 2I$$
So,  $\frac{I_{1} + I_{2}}{I_{1}} = \frac{1}{2}$  or 0.5

23. A bullet (mass 10 grams) is fired from a gun (mass 10 kg without the bullet) with a speed of 100 m/s.

The recoil speed of gun is  $\frac{x}{10}$  m/s. Find x.

### Answer (1)

Sol. Conserving momentum

$$10 \times V = \frac{10}{1000} \times 100$$

$$\Rightarrow V = \frac{1}{10} \text{ m/s}$$

24. The ratio of temperature (in K) of hydrogen and oxygen is 2 : 1. The ratio of their average kinetic energy per molecule is

#### Answer (02.00)

**Sol.** Average kinetic energy =  $\frac{f}{2} K_B T$ 

$$\frac{\left(\text{Average kinetic energy}\right)_{H_2}}{\left(\text{Average kinetic energy}\right)_{O_2}} = \frac{T_{H_2}}{T_{O_2}} = \left(\frac{2}{1}\right)$$

25. The relation between velocity (v) and position (x) of a particle moving along x-axis is given by  $4v^2 = 50 - x^2$ . The time period of the oscillatory motion of the particle is  $\frac{88}{n}$  seconds.

Find 
$$n \left[ \text{use } \pi = \frac{22}{7} \right]$$

## Answer (07.00)

**Sol.** 
$$4v^2 = 50 - x^2$$

$$v^2 = \frac{1}{4}(50 - x^2)$$

$$v = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{50 - x^2}$$

Comparing equation of S.H.M.

$$v = \omega \sqrt{A^2 - x^2}$$

$$A^2 = 50$$

$$A = \sqrt{50} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$w = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi}{W} = \frac{2\pi}{0.5} = 4\pi \text{ second}$$

$$\pi = \left(\frac{22}{7}\right)$$

$$T = \frac{88}{7} = \frac{88}{n}$$

So, 
$$n = 7$$

26. Prism A has angle of prism equal to 6° and its material has refractive index 1.5. It is used in combination with prism B of refractive index 1.8 to produce dispersion without deviation. Prism angle of prism B is equal to \_\_\_\_\_\_ degrees.

### Answer (03.75°)

Sol. For dispersion without deviation

$$A_A(\mu_A - 1) + A_B(\mu_B - 1) = 0$$
  
6(1.5 - 1) +  $A$ (1.8 - 1) = 0

$$A = -\frac{3}{0.8} = -3.75^{\circ}$$

# **CHEMISTRY**

#### 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:

- 1. Maximum no. of e- in n = 4 shell
  - (1) 72
  - (2) 50
  - (3) 16
  - (4) 32

## Answer (4)

**Sol.** Maximum number of  $e^- = 2n^2$ 

 $= 2(4)^2$ 

= 32

2. BOD value of a water sample is 3 ppm.

Select the correct option about the given sample of water.

- (1) It is highly polluted water
- (2) It is clean water
- (3) Concentration of oxygen in the given sample is very less
- (4) None of these

#### Answer (2)

- **Sol.** The given sample of water is clean water as BOD value of clean water ranges between 3 to 5.
- 3. Which of the following chloride is more soluble in organic solvent?
  - (1) Be
  - (2) K
  - (3) Ca
  - (4) Mg

## Answer (1)

**Sol.** Out of the given elements, the chlorides of K and Ca are largely ionic. So, they will be more soluble in water and less soluble in organic solvents. BeCl<sub>2</sub> has higher covalent character than MgCl<sub>2</sub>. Therefore, BeCl<sub>2</sub> is more soluble in organic solvents than MgCl<sub>2</sub>.

4. The correct order of bond strength

 $H_2O,\,H_2S,\,H_2Se,\,H_2Te$ 

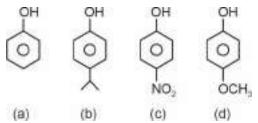
- (1)  $H_2O > H_2S > H_2Se > H_2Te$
- (2)  $H_2S > H_2O > H_2Se > H_2Te$
- (3)  $H_2Te > H_2Se > H_2S > H_2O$
- (4)  $H_2Te > H_2S > H_2O > H_2Se$

## Answer (1)

**Sol.** The correct order of bond strength is

 $H_2O > H_2S > H_2Se > H_2Te$ 

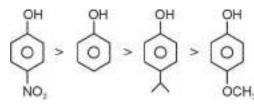
5. The correct order of acidic strength of the following compounds is



- (1) a > b > c > d
- (2) c > a > b > d
- (3) d > c > b > a
- (4) c > b > a > d

#### Answer (2)

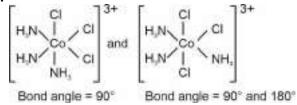
Sol. The correct acidic order is



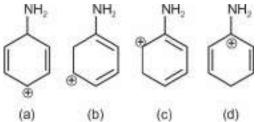
- 6. What is CI Co CI bond angle in  $[Co(NH_3)_3CI_3]$ ?
  - (1) 120° and 90°
  - (2) 90° and 180°
  - (3) 90°
  - (4) 180°

# Answer (2)

Sol.



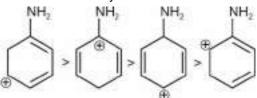
7. The correct decreasing order of stability of the following compounds is



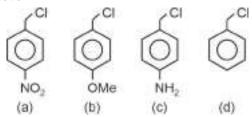
- (1) a > b > c > d
- (2) d > b > c > a
- (3) b > d > a > c
- (4) b > a > d > c

## Answer (3)

Sol. The correct stability order is



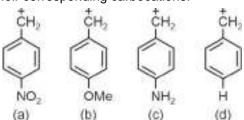
8. Which of the following is correct order of  $S_N1$  reaction?



- (1) a > b > c > d
- (2) c > b > d > a
- (3) c > a > b > d
- (4) d > a > b > c

### Answer (2)

**Sol.** The reactivity order of the given aralkyl halides towards  $S_N1$  reaction will be decided by the stability of their corresponding carbocations.



The benzyl carbocation is stabilised by resonance. The presence of  $-NH_2$  group at the p-position promotes the resonance stabilisation due to +R effect. The -OMe group also promotes but to a lesser extent due to higher electronegativity of O-atom than N-atom. The  $-NO_2$  group opposes the resonance stabilisation due to its -R effect.

 $\therefore$  The correct order is c > b > d > a.

9. Lead storage battery have 38% (w/w) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. Find the temperature at which the liquid of battery will freeze

(i = 2.67); 
$$k_f$$
 of water = 1.86  $\frac{K \cdot kg}{mole}$ 

- (1) -3.1°C
- (2) -31°C
- (3) -0.31°C
- (4) -0.031°C

#### Answer (2)

**Sol.**  $\Delta T_f = ik_f \cdot m$ 

$$= (2.67)(1.86)(m)$$

$$m = \frac{38(1000)}{(98)(62)} = 6.25$$

$$\Delta T_f = (2.67)(1.86)(6.25)$$
  
= 31.06°C

Freezing point = -31.06°C

- KMnO<sub>4</sub> oxidises I in acidic & neutral medium in which form – respectively.
  - (1)  $IO_3^-, IO^-$
  - $(2) IO_3^-, IO_3^-$
  - (3)  $IO_3^-, I_3^-$
  - $(4) I_2, IO_3^-$

#### Answer (4)

- **Sol.** :  $I^{\ominus}$  converts to  $I_2$  in acidic medium and converts to  $IO_3^{\ominus}$  in neutral medium.
- 11. Which of the following equation is correct?
  - (1)  $LiNO_3 \rightarrow Li + NO_2 + O_2$
  - (2)  $LiNO_3 \rightarrow LiNO_2 + O_2$
  - (3)  $LiNO_3 \rightarrow Li_2O + NO_2 + O_2$
  - (4)  $LiNO_3 \rightarrow Li_2O + N_2O_4 + O_2$

#### Answer (3)

**Sol.** 
$$2\text{LiNO}_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{Li}_2\text{O} + 2\text{NO}_2 + \frac{1}{2}\text{O}_2$$

12. The option containing correct match is

(List-I)

(List-II)

- A. Ni(CO)<sub>4</sub>
- (i)  $sp^3$
- B. [Ni(CN)<sub>4</sub>]<sup>2-</sup>
- (ii) *sp*<sup>3</sup>*d*<sup>2</sup>
- C.  $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{+2}$
- (iii)  $d^2sp^3$
- D. [Fe(CN)<sub>6</sub>]<sup>4-</sup>
- (iv)  $dsp^2$
- (1) A(i), B(iv), C(ii), D(iii)
- (2) A(iii), B(ii), C(iv), D(i)
- (3) A(ii), B(iii), C(iv), D(i)
- (4) A(iv), B(ii), C(i), D(iii)

# Answer (1)

**Sol.** Ni(CO)<sub>4</sub>  $\rightarrow$  sp<sup>3</sup>

$$[Ni(CN)_4]^{2-} \rightarrow dsp^2$$

$$\left[\operatorname{Cu(H_2O)}_6\right]^{+2} \to \operatorname{sp}^3 d^2$$

$$\left[ \operatorname{Fe}(\operatorname{CN})_{6} \right]^{4-} \to d^{2} s \rho^{3}$$

13. Statement 1:– Antihistamine prevents the secretion of acid in stomach

Statement 2: – Antiallergic and antacid work on same receptors

- (1) 1 is correct, 2 is incorrect
- (2) Both are correct
- (3) 1 is incorrect, 2 is correct
- (4) Both are incorrect

## Answer (4)

- **Sol.** Antihistamines do not affect the secretion of acid in stomach. Antiallergic and antacid drugs work on different receptors. Therefore, both the statements are incorrect.
- 14. **Statement-1:** During hall-heroult process mixing of CaF<sub>2</sub> and Na<sub>3</sub>AlF<sub>6</sub> decreases the M.P. of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>.

**Statement-2:** During electrolytic refining Anode is pure and cathode is impure.

- (1) Both are correct
- (2) Statement-1 is correct, statement-2 is incorrect
- (3) Both are incorrect
- (4) Statement-1 is incorrect, statement-2 is correct

## Answer (2)

**Sol.** Mixture of CaF<sub>2</sub> and Na<sub>3</sub>AlF<sub>6</sub> decreases the melting point of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>.

- 15. Nessler's reagent is
  - (1)  $K_2[HgI_4]$
  - (2) K<sub>3</sub>[HgI<sub>4</sub>]
  - (3) Hg<sub>2</sub>I<sub>2</sub>
  - (4) Hgl<sub>2</sub>

#### Answer (1)

Sol. Nessler's reagent is K<sub>2</sub>[Hgl<sub>4</sub>]

- Boric acid is present in solid state while BF₃ is a gas at room temperature because
  - (1) Hydrogen bonding is present in boric acid
  - (2) Boric acid has more molar mass as compared to BF<sub>3</sub>
  - (3) BF<sub>3</sub> is polymeric in nature
  - (4) Both (2) and (3)

## Answer (1)

**Sol.** Due to H-bonding, boric acid is solid at room temperature.

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21. For given Ecell,

$$X \mid X^{2+}(0.001M) \mid Y^{2+}(0.01M) \mid Y \text{ at } 298 \text{ K}$$

$$E_{X^{2+}/X}^{\circ} = -0.76$$

$$E_{Y^{2+}/Y}^{\circ} = +0.34$$

$$\frac{2.303 \, RT}{F} = 0.06$$

If  $E_{cell} = t$ , find 5t (closest integer).

## Answer (6)

**Sol.** 
$$E_{cell} = E_{cell}^{\circ} - \frac{0.06}{2} log \frac{10^{-3}}{10^{-2}}$$
  
= 1.10 - 0.03 (-1)  
= 1.10 + 0.03

$$t = 1.13 \text{ V}$$

$$5t = 5.65 \text{ V}$$

Nearest integer = 6

22. Find the number of formula units of FeO per unit cell (Round off to the nearest integer)

Given that density = 4.0 gm/cm<sup>3</sup>

$$a = 5Å$$

$$N_A = 6.0 \times 10^{23}$$

#### Answer (04)

$$\textbf{Sol. Density} = \frac{ZM}{N_{\text{A}} \times a^3} \Longrightarrow Z = \frac{\text{density} \times N_{\text{A}} \times a^3}{M}$$

$$=\frac{4\times6.0\times10^{23}\times(5\times10^{-8})^3}{(56+16)}$$

$$=\frac{4\times6\times125\times10^{-1}}{72}=4.16$$

23. For 1<sup>st</sup> order reaction, 540 s is required for 60% completion, then the time for 90% completion is  $1.35 \times 10^x$ . Find x.

$$(\log^4 = 0.6)$$

## Answer (3)

**Sol.** 
$$\frac{t_{90}}{t_{60}} = \frac{\log \frac{100}{100 - 90}}{\log \left(\frac{100}{100 - 60}\right)} = \frac{1}{\log \frac{10}{4}} = \frac{1}{1 - 0.6} = \frac{1}{0.4}$$

$$t_{90} = \frac{540}{0.4} = 1350 \text{ sec}$$

$$1350 = 1.35 \times 10^{x}$$

$$x = 3$$

24. 1 mole of a gas undergoes adiabatic process given that  $C_V = 20 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ , w = 3 kJ,  $T_1 = 27^{\circ}\text{C}$ ,  $T_2 = ? (^{\circ}\text{C})$ 

## **Answer (177)**

**Sol.** 
$$w = + nC_v(T_2 - T_1)$$

$$3000 = 1 \times 20 \times (T_2 - 300)$$

$$150 = T_2 - 300$$

$$T_2 = 450 \text{ K}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 T<sub>2</sub> = 177°C

25. Volume strength of  $H_2O_2$  solution is 60 'V', strength of solution is \_\_\_\_\_ g/L.

(Round off to the nearest integer)

#### **Answer (182)**

**Sol.** Volume strength of  $H_2O_2 = 60$  volume

Molarity of 
$$H_2O_2$$
 solution =  $\frac{60}{11.2}$  M

Strength of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> solution = 
$$\frac{60 \times 34}{11.2}$$
  
= 182.14 g/L  
 $\approx$  182 g/L

# **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:

- 1. Common tangent is drawn to  $y^2 = 16x$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 8$ . Find square of distance between point of contact of common tangent on both the curves.
  - (1) 78

(2) 72

(3) 42

(4) 76

# Answer (2)

**Sol.** y = mx + 4/m

Perpendicular from (0,0)

$$\left| \frac{\frac{4}{m}}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 1$$

Point of contact on parabola =  $\left(\frac{a}{m^2}, \frac{2a}{m}\right)$ =  $(4, \pm 8)$ 

Point of contact in circle = (-2, 2)

Distance between (4, 8) & (-2, 2)

2. Let 
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{|x|} &, & x \neq 0 \\ 1 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(x+1)}{x+1} & x \neq -1 \\ 1 & x = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$h(x) = 2[x] + f(x)$$

([·] denotes greatest integer function)

then  $\lim_{x\to 1} g(h(x-1))$  is

(1) 
$$\frac{\sin 1}{1}$$

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

$$(3) -1$$

# Answer (2)

$$\lim_{x\to 1^+} h(x-1) = 2.0 + f(0^+)$$

**Sol.** h(x-1) = 2[x-1] + f(x-1)

$$\lim_{x \to 1^{-}} h(x-1) = 2(-1) + f(0^{-})$$

$$= -3$$

RHL

$$\lim_{x \to 1^{+}} g(h(x-1)) = \frac{\sin 2}{2}$$

IНI

$$\lim_{x \to 1^{-}} g(h(x-1)) = \frac{\sin 2}{2}$$

LHL = RHL

$$\therefore \lim_{x\to 1} g(h(x-1)) = \frac{\sin 2}{2}$$

- 3. If  $|\vec{a}| = 1$ ,  $|\vec{b}| = 2$ ,  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 4$ ,  $\vec{c} = 2(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) 3\vec{b}$  then  $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c}$  equals
  - (1) 48
- (2) 12

(3) 12

(4) 48

## Answer (2)

**Sol.**  $\vec{c} = 2(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) - 3\vec{b}$ 

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} = -3 \vec{b} \cdot \vec{b}$$
$$= -3 |\vec{b}|^2$$
$$= -12$$

4. 
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{3}{n} \left[ 4 + \left( 2 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^2 + \left( 2 + \frac{2}{n} \right)^2 + \dots + \left( 3 - \frac{1}{n} \right)^2 \right]$$
 is

- (1) 19
- (2) 21
- (3) -19
- (4) 0

## Answer (1)

Sol. 
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{3}{n} \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} \left( 2 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^2$$
  
=  $3 \int_0^1 (2 + x)^2 dx$ 

$$=3\frac{(2+x)^3}{3}\Big|_0^1$$

$$= 27 - 8$$

5. Let 
$$f(x) = \sqrt{3-x} + \sqrt{x+2}$$
. The range of  $f(x)$  is

(1) 
$$[2\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{10}]$$

(2) 
$$[\sqrt{5}, \sqrt{10}]$$

(3) 
$$[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{7}]$$

(4) 
$$[\sqrt{7}, \sqrt{10}]$$

# Answer (2)

**Sol.** 
$$y = \sqrt{3-x} + \sqrt{x+2}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3-x}}(-1) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x+2}} = 0$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow y\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}} + \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$$

$$y_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{10}$$

$$y_{\min}$$
 at  $x = -2$  or  $x = 3$  is  $\sqrt{5}$ 

$$\therefore \quad y \in \left\lceil \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{10} \right\rceil$$

6. The value of 
$$\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1 + a_1 a_2} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1 + a_2 a_3} \right) + \dots + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1 + a_{2021} a_{2022}} \right)$$

if  $a_1 = 1$  and  $a_i$  are consecutive natural numbers

(1) 
$$\frac{\pi}{4} - \cot^{-1}(2021)$$

(2) 
$$\frac{\pi}{4} - \cot^{-1}(2022)$$

(3) 
$$\frac{\pi}{4}$$
 - tan<sup>-1</sup> (2021)

(4) 
$$\frac{\pi}{4}$$
 - tan<sup>-1</sup> (2022)

## Answer (2)

**Sol.** 
$$\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a_2 - a_1}{1 + a_1 a_2} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a_3 - a_2}{1 + a_2 a_3} \right) + \dots +$$

$$\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a_{2022} - a_{2021}}{1 + a_{2021} a_{2022}} \right)$$

$$= (\tan^{-1} a_2 - \tan^{-1} a_1) + (\tan^{-1} a_3 - \tan^{-1} a_2) + \dots +$$

$$\left(\tan^{-1}a_{2022}-\tan^{-1}a_{2021}\right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} a_{2022} - \tan^{-1} a_1$$

$$\therefore a_1 = 1, a_2 = 2....a_{2022} = 2022$$

$$= \tan^{-1} 2022 - \tan^{-1} 1$$

$$= \tan^{-1} 2022 - \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} - \cot^{-1} 2022 - \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} - \cot^{-1} 2022$$

7. Let 
$$P = (8\sqrt{3} + 13)^{13}$$
,  $Q = (6\sqrt{2} + 9)^{9}$  then (where [] represents greatest integer function)

(3) 
$$[P] = Odd, [Q] = Odd$$

(4) 
$$[P] + [Q] = Even$$

## Answer (4)

**Sol.** Let 
$$P = I_1 + f_1$$
,  $f_1' = (8\sqrt{3} - 13)^{13}$ 

$$I_1 + f_1 - f_1' = (8\sqrt{3} + 13)^{13} - (8\sqrt{3} - 13)^{13}$$

$$= 2(^{13}C_1(8\sqrt{3})^{12}(13)^1 + ^{13}C_3(8\sqrt{3})^{10}(13)^3$$

$$+ ^{13}C_5(8\sqrt{3})^8(13)^5 + ... + ^{13}C_{13}(8\sqrt{3})^0(13)^{13})$$

$$f_1 - f' = 0$$

So, I, is even

Let 
$$Q = I_2 + f_2, f_2' = (9 - 6\sqrt{2})^9$$
  

$$I_2 + f_2 - f_2' = (9 + 6\sqrt{2})^9 - (9 - 6\sqrt{2})^9$$

$$= 2 \left[ {}^9C_0 9^9 + {}^9C_2 9^7 (6\sqrt{2})^2 + \dots \right]$$

Again 
$$f_2 - f_2' = 0$$

$$I_2$$
 = even

Let p: I am well.

q: I will not take rest

r: I will not sleep properly, then

"If I am not well then I will not take rest and I will not sleep properly" is logically equivalent to

(1) 
$$(\sim p \rightarrow q) \vee r$$

(2) 
$$\sim p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)$$

(3) 
$$(\sim p \land q) \rightarrow r$$
 (4)  $(\sim p \lor q) \rightarrow r$ 

(4) 
$$(\sim p \lor q) \rightarrow r$$

Answer (2)

**Sol.** ~ p: I am not well

q: I will not take rest

r: I will not sleep properly

I will not take rest and I will not sleep properly  $\equiv q \wedge r$ If I am not well then I will not take rest and I will not sleep properly  $\equiv \sim p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)$ 

9. q is maximum value of p lying in interval [0, 10], roots of  $x^2 - px + \frac{5p}{d} = 0$  are having rational roots.

Find area of region

$$S:\left\{0\leq y\leq (x-q)^2\right\}$$

- (1) 243
- (2) 723

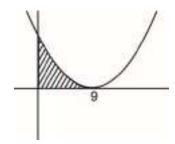
(3) 81

(4) 3

# Answer (1)

**Sol.**  $D = p^2 - 5p$  must be a perfect square i.e. possible when p = 9

Region for  $0 \le y \le (x-9)^2$ , in 1st quadrant



$$A = \int_{0}^{9} (x-9)^2 dx$$

$$=\frac{(x-9)^3}{3}\bigg|_0^9=0+\frac{9^3}{3}$$

= 243 sa. unit

10. If  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3x^2 + y^2}{3y^2 + x^2}$ , y(1) = 0, then f(x) is

(1) 
$$\log(x+y) + \frac{2xy}{(x+y)^2} = 0$$

(2) 
$$\log(x+y) - \frac{2xy}{(x+y)^2} = 0$$

(3) 
$$3 = (3y^2 - 2xy + 3x^2)(x+y)^2$$

(4) 
$$3 = (3y^2 - 2xy + 3x^2)(x + y)$$

Answer (3)

**Sol.** 
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3x^2 + y^2}{3y^2 + x^2} = -\frac{3 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2}{3\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2 + 1}$$

Let, 
$$\frac{y}{x} = u$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$u + x \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{-\left(3 + u^2\right)}{3u^2 + 1}$$

$$x\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{-(3+u^2)-u(3u^2+1)}{3u^2+1}$$

$$x\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{-[3u^3 + u^2 + u + 3]}{(3u^2 + 1)}$$

$$x\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{-(u+1)(3u^2 - 2u + 3)}{3u^2 + 1}$$

$$\int \frac{3u^2 + 1}{(u+1)(3u^2 - 2u + 3)} du = -\int \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\int \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{u+1} + \frac{\frac{1}{4}(6u-2)}{3u^2 - 2u + 3} du = -\int \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\ln|(u+1)| + \frac{1}{4}\ln|3u^2 - 2u + 3| = -\ln x + C$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\ln(x+y) - \frac{1}{2}\ln x + \frac{1}{4}\ln(3y^2 - 2xy + 3x^2)$$

$$-\frac{1}{4} \times 2 \ln x = -\ln x + C$$

$$\ln(x+y)^2 + \ln(3y^2 - 2xy + 3x^2) = C$$

$$(x+y)^2(3x^2-2xy+3y^2)=C$$

$$y(1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $C = 3$ 

$$(x+y)^2(3x^2-2xy+3y^2)=3$$

- 11. A bag contains 3 same balls and 3 different balls of three different colours. Two balls are drawn randomly with replacement. The probability they have same colour is *m*. Again four balls are drawn one by one with replacement, then probability of getting three same balls is *n*. The value of *m*. *n* is
  - (1)  $\frac{3}{49}$

- (2)  $\frac{6}{49}$
- (3)  $\frac{43}{147}$
- (4)  $\frac{8}{81}$

# Answer (4)

Sol. For m

both balls is one of different colours  $= \left(\frac{1}{6} \times \frac{1}{6}\right) 3$ 

both balls is from the same balls  $=\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$ 

$$m = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{1}{3}$$

For n

Same ball is from the different coloured balls

$$=3\left(4\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3\cdot\frac{5}{6}\right)$$

Or same ball is from the 3 same balls

$$= = \left(4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 \cdot \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\therefore n = \frac{10}{6^3} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{8}{27}$$

$$\therefore m \cdot n = \frac{8}{81}$$

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- 21. Two A.P.'s are given as under
  - 3, 7, 11, .....

1, 6, 11, 16,....

Find 8<sup>th</sup> common term that is appearing in both the series

# **Answer (151)**

**Sol.** First common term is 11 and common terms will appear in an A.P. having common difference as LCM of (4, 5) = 20

$$T_8 = 11 + (8 - 1) 20$$
  
= 151

22. Using 1, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3, 5 find number of 7-digit odd numbers that can be formed

#### **Answer (240)**

**Sol.** 
$$- \cdot \cdot \cdot \cdot 1 \rightarrow \frac{6!}{2!3!} = 60$$
  
 $- \cdot \cdot \cdot \cdot 3 \rightarrow \frac{6!}{3!} = 120$ 

$$----5 \rightarrow \frac{6!}{3!2!} = 60$$

Total = 240

23.  $50^{th}$  root of *x* is 12

 $50^{th}$  root of y is 18

Remainder when x + y is divided by 25.

#### Answer (23)

**Sol.** 
$$12^{50} + 18^{50} = 144^{25} + 324^{25}$$
  
 $= (25K_1 - 6)^{25} + (25K_2 - 1)^{25}$   
 $= 25\lambda - 6^{25} - 1$   
 $6^{25} + 1 = (6^5)^5 + 1$   
 $= (7776)^5 + 1$   
 $= (25\lambda_1 + 1)^5 + 1 = 25p + 2$ 

$$\Rightarrow 12^{50} + 18^{50} = 25\lambda - (25p + 2)$$

 $\Rightarrow$  Remainder = 23

24. Let 
$$a = \{1, 3, 5, \dots 99\}$$
  
and  $b = \{2, 4, 6, \dots 100\}$ 

The number of ordered pair (a, b) such that a + b when divided by 23 leaves remainder 2 is

# **Answer (108)**

**Sol.** 
$$a + b = 23\lambda + 2$$

$$\lambda = 0, 1, 2, ....$$

But  $\lambda$  can't be even

$$\lambda = 1 \quad (a, b) \to 12 \text{ pairs}$$

$$\lambda = 3 \quad (a, b) \to 35 \text{ pairs}$$

$$\lambda = 5 \quad (a, b) \to 42 \text{ pairs}$$

$$\lambda = 7 \quad (a, b) \to 19 \text{ pairs}$$

$$\lambda = 9$$
  $(a, b) \rightarrow 0$  pairs :

:

Total = 12 + 35 + 42 + 19 = 108 ordered paris

25. Let a line parallel to x + 3y - 2z - 2 = 0 = x - y + 2z and passes through (2, 3, 1). If distance of point (5, 3, 8) from the line is  $\alpha$ , then  $3\alpha^2$  is

# **Answer (158)**

**Sol.** Let 
$$\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{b} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$$

Line will be parallel to  $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ 

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(4) - \hat{j}(4) + \hat{k}(-4)$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{n} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

$$d = \frac{\left| (\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \times \vec{n} \right|}{|\vec{n}|}$$

where  $\vec{a}_2 = 5\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 8\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{a}_1 = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ 

$$\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1 = 3\hat{i} + 7\hat{k}$$

$$(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \times \vec{n} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 3 & 0 & 7 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$=\hat{i}(7)-\hat{j}(-10)+\hat{k}(-3)$$

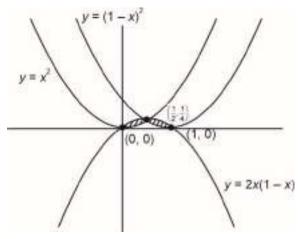
$$d = \frac{\sqrt{100 + 49 + 9}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{158}}{\sqrt{3}} = \alpha$$

$$3\alpha^2 = 158$$

26. If area of the region bounded by the curves  $y = x^2$ ,  $y = (1 - x)^2$  and y = 2x(1 - x) is A, then find the value of 540A,

## **Answer (135)**

**Sol.** 
$$A = \int_{0}^{1} 2x(1-x)dx - \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} x^{2}dx - \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1} (1-x)^{2}dx$$



$$=x^2-\frac{2x^3}{3}\bigg]_0^1-\frac{x^3}{3}\bigg]_0^1+\frac{(1-x)^3}{3}\bigg]_{1/2}^1$$

$$=\frac{1}{4}$$

$$540A = 135$$

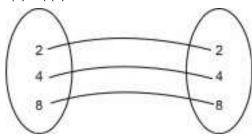
27. 
$$A = \{ 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 \}$$

Find total no. of functions defined on A such that  $f(m \cdot n) = f(m) \cdot f(n)$ ,  $m, n \in A$ 

#### Answer (25)

**Sol.** 
$$f(4) = (f(2)^2 = 4)^2$$

$$f(8) = (f(2)^3 = 8)$$



For 6 and 10 we have 5 options

Total functions =  $5 \times 5 = 25$