

## Q1 (20 July 2021 Shift 1)

Let the tangent to the parabola  $S : y^2 = 2x$  at the point  $P(2, 2)$  meet the  $x$ -axis at  $Q$  and normal at it meet the parabola  $S$  at the point  $R$ . Then the area (in sq. units) of the triangle  $PQR$  is equal to:

- (1)  $\frac{25}{2}$
- (2)  $\frac{35}{2}$
- (3)  $\frac{15}{2}$
- (4) 25

## Q2 (20 July 2021 Shift 1)

Let  $y = mx + c, m > 0$  be the focal chord of  $y^2 = -64x$ , which is tangent to  $(x + 10)^2 + y^2 = 4$ . Then, the value of  $4\sqrt{2}(m + c)$  is equal to \_\_\_\_

## Q3 (20 July 2021 Shift 2)

Let  $P$  be a variable point on the parabola  $y = 4x^2 + 1$ . Then, the locus of the mid-point of the point  $P$  and the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the point  $P$  to the line  $y = x$  is :

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

## Q4 (20 July 2021 Shift 2)

If the point on the curve  $y^2 = 6x$ , nearest to the point  $\left(3, \frac{3}{2}\right)$  is  $(\alpha, \beta)$ , then  $2(\alpha + \beta)$  is equal to

## Q5 (25 July 2021 Shift 1)

Let a parabola  $P$  be such that its vertex and focus lie on the positive  $x$ -axis at a distance 2 and 4 units

## Questions with Answer Keys

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from the origin, respectively. If tangents are drawn from  $O(0, 0)$  to the parabola  $P$  which meet  $P$  at  $S$  and  $R$ , then the area (in sq. units) of  $\Delta SOR$  is equal to

(1)  $16\sqrt{2}$

(2) 16

(3) 32

(4)  $8\sqrt{2}$

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Answer Key

Q1 (1)

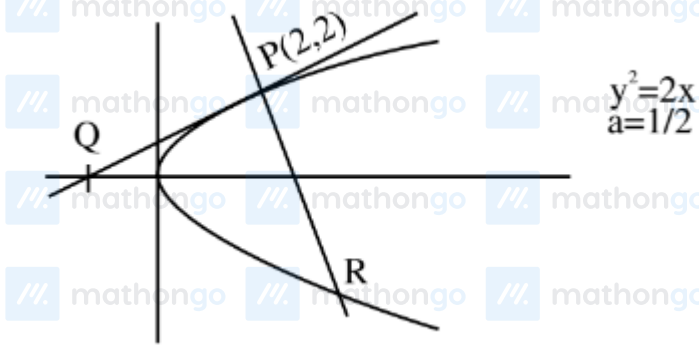
Q2 (34)

Q3 (2)

Q4 (9)

Q5 (2)

Q1

Tangent at  $P : y(2) = 2(1/2)(x + 2)$ 

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

$$\therefore Q = (-2, 0)$$

Normal at  $P : y - 2 = -\frac{(2)}{2 \cdot 1/2}(x - 2)$ 

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

$$\Rightarrow y = 6 - 2x$$

$$\therefore \text{Solving with } y^2 = 2x \Rightarrow R\left(\frac{9}{2} - 3\right)$$

$$\therefore \text{Ar}(\triangle PQR) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ \frac{9}{2} & 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{25}{2} \text{ sq. units}$$

Q2

$$y^2 = -64x$$

focus :  $(-16, 0)$  $y = mx + c$  is focal chord

$$\Rightarrow c = 16 \text{ m}$$

 $y = mx + c$  is tangent to  $(x + 10)^2 + y^2 = 4$ 

$$\Rightarrow y = m(x + 10) \pm 2\sqrt{1 + m^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 10 \text{ m} \pm 2\sqrt{1 + m^2}$$

Hints and Solutions

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$$\Rightarrow 16m = 10m \pm 2\sqrt{1+m^2}$$

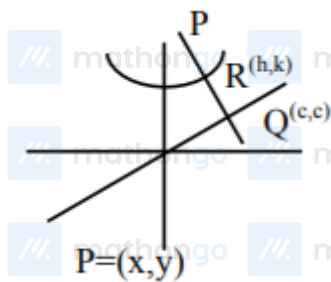
$$\Rightarrow 6m = 2\sqrt{1+m^2} \quad (m > 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m^2 = 1 + m^2$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \text{ and } c = \frac{8}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$4\sqrt{2}(m+c) = 4\sqrt{2}\left(\frac{17}{2\sqrt{2}}\right) = 34$$

Q3



$$\frac{K-C}{h-C} = -1$$

$$C = \frac{h+K}{2}$$

$$R = \left(\frac{x+C}{2}, \frac{y+C}{2}\right)$$

$$R = \left(\frac{x}{2} + \frac{h}{4} + \frac{K}{4}, \frac{y}{2} + \frac{h}{4} + \frac{K}{4}\right)$$

$$h = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{h}{4} + \frac{K}{4}$$

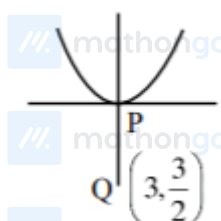
$$K = \frac{y}{2} + \frac{h}{4} + \frac{K}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3h}{2} - \frac{K}{2}, y = \frac{3K}{2} - \frac{h}{2}$$

$$Y = 4x^2 + 1$$

$$\left(\frac{3k-h}{2}\right) = 4\left(\frac{3h-k}{2}\right)^2 + 1$$

Q4



Hints and Solutions

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$$P \equiv \left( \frac{3}{2}t^2, 3t \right)$$

Normal at point P  $tx + y = 3t + \frac{3}{2}t^3$

Passes through  $\left( 3, \frac{3}{2} \right)$

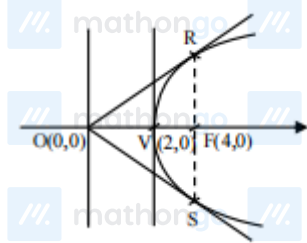
$$\Rightarrow 3t + \frac{3}{2} = 3t + \frac{3}{2}t^3$$

$$P \equiv \left( \frac{3}{2}, 3 \right) = (\alpha, \beta)$$

$$\Rightarrow t^3 = 1 \Rightarrow t = 1$$

$$2(\alpha + \beta) = 2 \left( \frac{3}{2} + 3 \right) = 9$$

Q5



Clearly RS is latus-rectum

$$\therefore VF = 2 = a$$

$$\therefore RS = 4a = 8$$

Now  $OF = 2a = 4$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Area of triangle ORS} = 16$$