

# FINAL JEE–MAIN EXAMINATION – SEPTEMBER, 2020

(Held On Thursday 03<sup>rd</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2020) TIME : 3 PM to 6 PM

## PHYSICS

1. A perfectly diamagnetic sphere has a small spherical cavity at its centre, which is filled with a paramagnetic substance. The whole system is placed in a uniform magnetic field  $\vec{B}$ . Then the field inside the paramagnetic substance is:



- (1) Zero  
(2)  $\vec{B}$   
(3) much large than  $|\vec{B}|$  but opposite to  $\vec{B}$   
(4) much large than  $|\vec{B}|$  and parallel to  $\vec{B}$

**Sol.** A perfect diamagnetic substance will completely expel the magnetic field. Therefore, there will be no magnetic field inside the cavity of sphere. Hence the paramagnetic substance kept inside the cavity will experience no force.

2. The radius of R of a nucleus of mass number A can be estimated by the formula  $R = (1.3 \times 10^{-15})A^{1/3}$  m. It follows that the mass density of a nucleus is of the order of:

$$(M_{\text{prot.}} \cong M_{\text{neut.}} \approx 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg})$$

- (1)  $10^{24} \text{ kg m}^{-3}$  (2)  $10^3 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$   
(3)  $10^{17} \text{ kg m}^{-3}$  (4)  $10^{10} \text{ kg m}^{-3}$

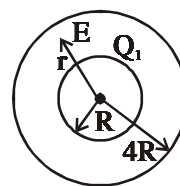
**Sol.**

$$\rho_{\text{nucleus}} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}} = \frac{A}{(4/3)\pi r_0^3 A} = \frac{3}{4\pi r_0^3} = 2.3 \times 10^{17} \text{ kg / m}^3$$

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3. Concentric metallic hollow spheres of radii R and 4R hold charges  $Q_1$  and  $Q_2$  respectively. Given that surface charge densities of the concentric spheres are equal, the potential difference  $V(R) - V(4R)$  is:

- (1)  $\frac{3Q_1}{16\pi\epsilon_0 R}$  (2)  $\frac{Q_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R}$   
(3)  $\frac{3Q_1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R}$  (4)  $\frac{3Q_2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R}$



**Sol.**

$$E = \frac{KQ_1}{r^2}$$

$$\Delta V = \int_R^{4R} E \, dr = \frac{3KQ_1}{4R}$$

4. Hydrogen ion and singly ionized helium atom are accelerated, from rest, through the same potential difference. The ratio of final speeds of hydrogen and helium ions is close to:

- (1) 5 : 7 (2) 1 : 2  
(3) 10 : 7 (4) 2 : 1

**Sol.**  $q\Delta V = \frac{1}{2}mV^2 \Rightarrow v = \sqrt{\frac{2q\Delta V}{m}}$

$$\therefore \frac{V_1}{V_2} = \sqrt{\frac{e}{m} \frac{4m}{e}} = 2$$

5. The mass density of a planet of radius  $R$  varies with the distance  $r$  from its centre as  $\rho(r) = \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{r^2}{R^2}\right)$ . Then the gravitational field is maximum at:

- (1)  $r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}R$  (2)  $r = \sqrt{\frac{5}{9}}R$   
(3)  $r = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}}R$  (4)  $r = R$

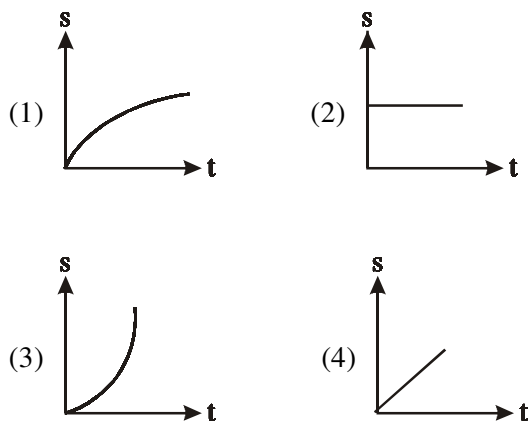
**Sol.**  $E \cdot 4\pi r^2 = \int \rho_0 4\pi r^2 dr$

$$\Rightarrow E r^2 = 4\pi G \int_0^r \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{r^2}{R^2}\right) r^2 dr$$

$$\Rightarrow E = 4\pi G \rho_0 \left(\frac{r^3}{3} - \frac{r^5}{5R^2}\right)$$

$$\frac{dE}{dr} = 0 \quad \therefore r = \sqrt{\frac{5}{9}} R$$

6. A particle is moving unidirectionally on a horizontal plane under the action of a constant power supplying energy source. The displacement ( $s$ ) - time ( $t$ ) graph that describes the motion of the particle is (graphs are drawn schematically and are not to scale) :



**Sol.**  $\frac{dK}{dt} = P = \text{const} \Rightarrow K = Pt = \frac{1}{2} m V^2$

$$\therefore V = \sqrt{\frac{2Pt}{m}} = \frac{ds}{dt} \therefore S = \sqrt{\frac{2P}{m}} \frac{2}{3} t^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

7. If a semiconductor photodiode can detect a photon with a maximum wavelength of 400 nm, then its band gap energy is:

Planck's constant  $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J.s.}$

Speed of light  $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

- (1) 2.0 eV (2) 1.5 eV  
(3) 3.1 eV (4) 1.1 eV

**Sol.**  $\Delta E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = 3.1 \text{ eV}$

8. To raise the temperature of a certain mass of gas by  $50^\circ\text{C}$  at a constant pressure, 160 calories of heat is required. When the same mass of gas is cooled by  $100^\circ\text{C}$  at constant volume, 240 calories of heat is released. How many degrees of freedom does each molecule of this gas have (assume gas to be ideal) ?

- (1) 5 (2) 3 (3) 6 (4) 7

**Sol.**  $nC_p(50) = 160$

$$nC_v(100) = 240$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{C_p}{2C_v} = \frac{160}{240} = \frac{\gamma}{2}$$

$$\therefore \gamma = \frac{4}{3} \text{ and } f = \frac{2}{\gamma - 1} = 6$$

9. A block of mass  $m$  attached to massless spring is performing oscillatory motion of amplitude 'A' on a frictionless horizontal plane. If half of the mass of the block breaks off when it is passing through its equilibrium point, the amplitude of oscillation for the remaining system become  $fA$ . The value of  $f$  is:

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

**Sol.** At equilibrium position

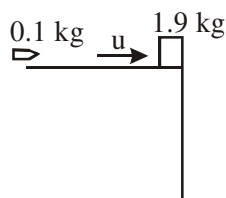
$$V_0 = \omega_0 A = \sqrt{\frac{K}{m}} A \quad \dots (i)$$

$$V = \omega A^1 = \sqrt{\frac{K}{\frac{m}{2}}} A^1 \quad \dots (ii)$$

$$\therefore A^1 = \frac{A}{\sqrt{2}}$$

10. A block of mass 1.9 kg is at rest at the edge of a table, of height 1 m. A bullet of mass 0.1 kg collides with the block and sticks to it. If the velocity of the bullet is 20 m/s in the horizontal direction just before the collision then the kinetic energy just before the combined system strikes the floor, is [Take  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Assume there is no rotational motion and loss of energy after the collision is negligible.]

- (1) 21 J      (2) 23 J  
(3) 19 J      (4) 20 J



**Sol.**

$$p_i = p_f \Rightarrow 0.1 \times 20 = 2v$$

$$\therefore v = 1 \text{ m/s}$$

$$KE_f = mgh + \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = 213$$

11. Two light waves having the same wavelength  $\lambda$  in vacuum are in phase initially. Then the first wave travels a path  $L_1$  through a medium of refractive index  $n_1$  while the second wave travels a path of length  $L_2$  through a medium of refractive index  $n_2$ . After this the phase difference between the two waves is:

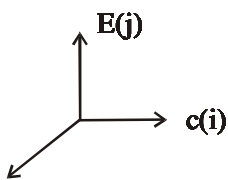
- (1)  $\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}(n_1 L_1 - n_2 L_2)$       (2)  $\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}\left(\frac{L_2}{n_1} - \frac{L_1}{n_2}\right)$   
(3)  $\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}\left(\frac{L_1}{n_1} - \frac{L_2}{n_2}\right)$       (4)  $\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}(n_2 L_1 - n_1 L_2)$

**Sol.**  $\Delta p = n_1 L_1 - n_2 L_2$

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \Delta p$$

12. The electric field of a plane electromagnetic wave propagating along the  $x$  direction in vacuum is  $\vec{E} = E_0 \hat{j} \cos(\omega t - kx)$ . The magnetic field  $\vec{B}$ , at the moment  $t = 0$  is :

- (1)  $\vec{B} = E_0 \sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0} \cos(kx) \hat{j}$   
(2)  $\vec{B} = \frac{E_0}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} \cos(kx) \hat{k}$   
(3)  $\vec{B} = E_0 \sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0} \cos(kx) \hat{k}$   
(4)  $\vec{B} = \frac{E_0}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} \cos(kx) \hat{j}$

Sol. 

$\therefore \vec{B}(\hat{k})$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{B} = B_0 \cos(\omega t - kx) \hat{k}$$

Now put  $t = 0$ .

13. A metallic sphere cools from  $50^\circ\text{C}$  to  $40^\circ\text{C}$  in 300 s. If atmospheric temperature around is  $20^\circ\text{C}$ , then the sphere's temperature after the next 5 minutes will be close to :

- (1)  $33^\circ\text{C}$   
 (2)  $35^\circ\text{C}$   
 (3)  $31^\circ\text{C}$   
 (4)  $28^\circ\text{C}$

Sol. 
$$\frac{50 - 40}{300} = \beta \left( \frac{50 + 40}{2} - 20 \right)$$

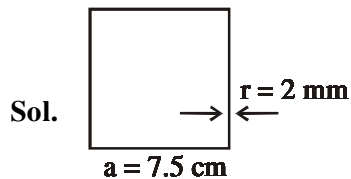
$$\frac{40 - T}{300} = \beta \left( \frac{40 + T}{2} - 20 \right)$$

$$\therefore T = \frac{100}{3}$$

14. A uniform magnetic field  $B$  exists in a direction perpendicular to the plane of a square loop made of a metal wire. The wire has a diameter of 4 mm and a total length of 30 cm. The magnetic field changes with time at a steady rate  $dB/dt = 0.032 \text{ Ts}^{-1}$ . The induced current in the loop is close to

(Resistivity of the metal wire is  $1.23 \times 10^{-8} \Omega\text{m}$ )

- (1) 0.61 A                      (2) 0.34 A  
 (3) 0.43 A                      (4) 0.53 A



$$q_i = \frac{d(Ba^2)}{dt} = a^2 \frac{dB}{dt}$$

$$i = \frac{q}{R} = \frac{a^2 dB/dt}{\frac{\rho(40)}{\pi r^2}}$$

15. Amount of solar energy received on the earth's surface per unit area per unit time is defined a solar constant. Dimension of solar constant is:

- (1)  $\text{ML}^2\text{T}^{-2}$                       (2)  $\text{MLT}^{-2}$   
 (3)  $\text{M}^2\text{L}^0\text{T}^{-1}$                       (4)  $\text{ML}^0\text{T}^{-3}$

Sol. 
$$S = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{\text{ML}^2\text{T}^{-3}}{\text{L}^2} = \text{MT}^{-3}$$

16. Which of the following will NOT be observed when a multimeter (operating in resistance measuring mode) probes connected across a component, are just reversed?

- (1) Multimeter shows NO deflection in both cases i.e. before and after reversing the probes if the chosen component is capacitor.  
 (2) Multimeter shows a deflection, accompanied by a splash of light out of connected component in one direction and NO deflection on reversing the probes if the chosen component is LED.  
 (3) Multimeter shows NO deflection in both cases i.e. before and after reversing the probes if the chosen component is metal wire.  
 (4) Multimeter shows an equal deflection in both cases i.e. before and after reversing the probes if the chosen component is resistor.

**Sol.** (1) Multimeter shows deflection when it connects with capacitor

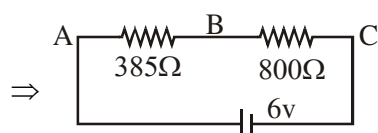
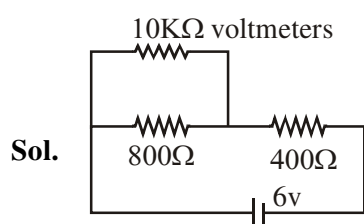
(2) If we assume that LED has negligible resistance then multimeter shows no deflection for the forward bias but when it connects in reverse direction, it break down occurs so splash of light out.

(3) The resistance of metal wire may be taken zero, so no deflection in multimeter

(4) No matter, how we connect the resistance across multimeter It shows same deflection.

**17.** Two resistors  $400\Omega$  and  $800\Omega$  are connected in series across a 6 V battery. The potential difference measured by a voltmeter of  $10\text{ k}\Omega$  across  $400\Omega$  resistor is close to:

- (1) 2 V
- (2) 1.95V
- (3) 2.05 V
- (4) 1.8 V



So the potential difference in voltmeter across

the points A and B is  $\frac{6}{1185} \times 385 = 1.949\text{ V}$

**18.** Two sources of light emit X-rays of wavelength 1 nm and visible light of wavelength 500 nm, respectively. Both the sources emit light of the same power 200 W. The ratio of the number density of photons of X-rays to the number density of photons of the visible light of the given wavelengths is :

- (1)  $\frac{1}{500}$
- (2) 500
- (3) 250
- (4)  $\frac{1}{250}$

**Sol.**  $P = \frac{nhc}{\lambda t}$

$$\therefore \frac{n_1}{n_2} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{1}{5}$$

**19.** A calorimeter of water equivalent 20 g contains 180 g of water at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ . 'm' grams of steam at  $100^\circ\text{C}$  is mixed in it till the temperature of the mixture is  $31^\circ\text{C}$ . The value of 'm' is close to (Latent heat of water =  $540\text{ cal g}^{-1}$ , specific heat of water =  $1\text{ cal g}^{-1} ^\circ\text{C}^{-1}$ )

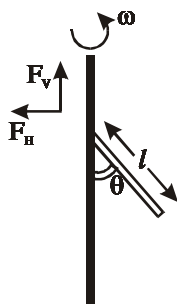
- (1) 2.6
- (2) 2
- (3) 4
- (4) 3.2

**Sol.**

Cal	$\text{H}_2\text{O}$	Stem
20 gm	180 gm	m
$25^\circ\text{C}$	$25^\circ\text{C}$	$100^\circ\text{C}$

$$200 \times 1 \times (31 - 25) = m \times 540 + m \times 1 \times (100 - 31)$$

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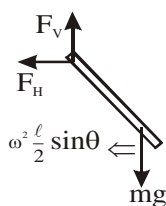
A uniform rod of length ' $l$ ' is pivoted at one of its ends on a vertical shaft of negligible radius. When the shaft rotates at angular speed  $\omega$  the rod makes an angle  $\theta$  with it (see figure). To find  $\theta$  equate the rate of change of angular momentum (direction going into the paper)

$$\frac{m\ell^2}{12}\omega^2\sin\theta\cos\theta \text{ about the centre of mass}$$

(CM) to the torque provided by the horizontal and vertical forces  $F_H$  and  $F_V$  about the CM. The value of  $\theta$  is then such that:

$$(1) \cos\theta = \frac{g}{2\ell\omega^2} \quad (2) \cos\theta = \frac{3g}{2\ell\omega^2}$$

$$(3) \cos\theta = \frac{2g}{3\ell\omega^2} \quad (4) \cos\theta = \frac{g}{\ell\omega^2}$$



Sol.

$$F_V = mg$$

$$F_H = m\omega^2 \frac{\ell}{2} \sin\theta$$

$$mg \frac{\ell}{2} \sin\theta - m\omega^2 \frac{\ell}{2} \sin\theta \frac{\ell}{2} \cos\theta = \frac{m\ell^2}{12} \omega^2 \sin\theta \cos\theta$$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{3}{2} \frac{g}{\omega^2 \ell} \quad \dots (ii)$$

21. When an object is kept at a distance of 30 cm from a concave mirror, the image is formed at a distance of 10 cm from the mirror. If the object is moved with a speed of  $9 \text{ cms}^{-1}$ , the speed (in  $\text{cms}^{-1}$ ) with which image moves at that instant is \_\_\_\_\_.

Sol.  $\left| \left( \frac{dv}{dt} \right) \right| = \left| \frac{v^2}{4^2} \right| \left| \frac{du}{dt} \right|$

$$= \left( \frac{10}{30} \right)^2 \times 9 = 1 \text{ m/s}$$

22. A galvanometer coil has 500 turns and each turn has an average area of  $3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$ . If a torque of 1.5 Nm is required to keep this coil parallel to magnetic field when a current of 0.5 A is flowing through it, the strength of the field (in T) is \_\_\_\_\_.

Sol.  $\vec{\tau} = \vec{m} \times \vec{B}$

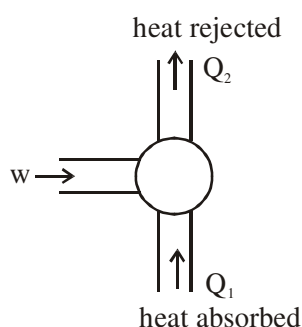
$$\tau = NI \times A \times B$$

$$105 = 500 \times 3 \times 10^{-4} \times \frac{1}{2} \times B$$

$$B = 20$$

23. If minimum possible work is done by a refrigerator in converting 100 grams of water at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  to ice, how much heat (in calories) is released to the surrounding at temperature  $27^\circ\text{C}$  (Latent heat of ice = 80 Cal/gram) to the nearest integer?

Sol.



$$w + Q_1 = Q_2$$

$$w = Q_2 - Q_1$$

$$\text{C.O.P.} = \frac{Q_1}{w} = \frac{Q_1}{Q_2 - Q_1} = \frac{273}{300 - 273} = \frac{Q_1}{W}$$

$$w = \frac{27}{273} \times 80 \times 100 \times 4.2$$

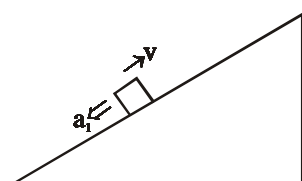
$$Q_2 = w + Q_1$$

$$Q_2 = \frac{27}{273} \times 80 \times 100 \times 4.2 + 80 \times 100 \times 4.2$$

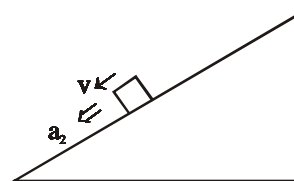
$$Q_2 = \frac{300}{273} \times 80 \times 100 = 8791.2 \text{ cal}$$

24. A block starts moving up an inclined plane of inclination  $30^\circ$  with an initial velocity of  $v_0$ . It comes back to its initial position with velocity  $\frac{v_0}{2}$ . The value of the coefficient of kinetic friction between the block and the inclined plane is close to  $\frac{I}{1000}$ , The nearest integer to I is \_\_\_\_\_.

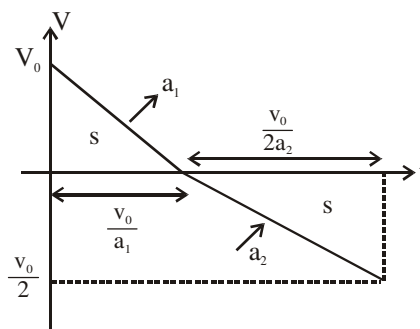
Sol.



$$a_1 = g(\sin\theta + \mu \cos\theta)$$



$$a_2 = g(\sin\theta + \mu \cos\theta)$$

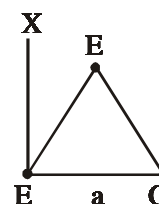


$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} v_0 \frac{v_0}{a_1} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{v_0}{2} \right) \left( \frac{v_0}{2a_2} \right)$$

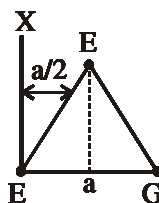
$$\Rightarrow 3 \sin \theta = 5 \mu \cos \theta$$

$$\therefore \mu = \sqrt{3}/5$$

25. An massless equilateral triangle EFG of side 'a' (As shown in figure) has three particles of mass m situated at its vertices. The moment of inertia of the system about the line EX perpendicular to EG in the plane of EFG is  $\frac{N}{20} ma^2$  where N is an integer. The value of N is \_\_\_\_\_.



25.



$$I = 0 + m \left( \frac{a}{2} \right)^2 + ma^2$$

$$= \frac{5}{4} ma^2$$

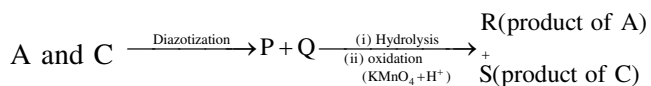
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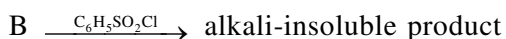
CHEMISTRY	TEST PAPER WITH ANSWER & SOLUTION				
<p>1. Among the statements (I – IV), the correct ones are:</p> <p>(I) Be has smaller atomic radius compared to Mg.</p> <p>(II) Be has higher ionization enthalpy than Al.</p> <p>(III) Charge/radius ratio of Be is greater than that of Al.</p> <p>(IV) Both Be and Al form mainly covalent compounds.</p> <p>(1) (I), (II) and (IV)</p> <p>(2) (II), (III) and (IV)</p> <p>(3) (I), (II) and (III)</p> <p>(4) (I), (III) and (IV)</p> <p><b>Sol.</b> I, <math>A_N</math> : Be &lt; Mg              II IE : Be &gt; Al              III Charge/radius ratio of Be w less than that of Al              IV Be, Al mainly form covalent compounds</p> <p>2. The strengths of 5.6 volume hydrogen peroxide (of density 1 g/mL) in terms of mass percentage and molarity (M), respectively, are:              (Take molar mass of hydrogen peroxide as 34 g/mol)</p> <p>(1) 1.7 and 0.25                      (2) 1.7 and 0.5              (3) 0.85 and 0.5                      (4) 0.85 and 0.25</p> <p><b>Sol.</b> Volume strength = 11.2 × molarity</p> $\Rightarrow \text{molarity} = \frac{5.6}{11.2} = 0.5$ <p>Assuming 1 litre solution;              mass of solution = 1000 ml × 1 g/ml = 1000 g              mass of solute = moles × molar mass              = 0.5 mol × 34 g/mol              = 17 gm.</p> $\Rightarrow \text{mass\%} = \frac{17}{1000} \times 100 = 1.7\%$	<p>3. Consider the hypothetical situation where the azimuthal quantum number, <math>l</math>, takes values 0, 1, 2, ..... <math>n + 1</math>, where <math>n</math> is the principal quantum number. Then, the element with atomic number :</p> <p>(1) 13 has a half-filled valence subshell              (2) 9 is the first alkali metal              (3) 8 is the first noble gas              (4) 6 has a 2p-valence subshell</p> <p><b>Sol.</b> <math>l = 0</math> to <math>(n + 1)</math></p> <table> <tr> <td><math>n = 1</math></td> <td><math>n = 2</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>l = 0, 1, 2</math></td> <td><math>l = 0, 1, 2, 3</math></td> </tr> </table> $(n + l) \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c} 1s \ 1p \ 1d \\ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{c} 2s \ 2p \ 2d \ 2f \\ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \end{array}$ <p><math>n = 3</math>  <math>l = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4</math></p> $\begin{array}{c} 3s \ 3p \ 3d \ 3f \ 3g \\ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6 \ 7 \end{array}$ <p>Now, in order to write electronic configuration, we need to apply <math>(n + l)</math> rule</p> <p>Energy order : <math>1s &lt; 1p &lt; 2s &lt; 1d &lt; 2p &lt; 3s &lt; 2d \dots</math></p> <p>Option 1) 13 : <math>1s^2 1p^6 2s^2 1d^3</math> is not half filled</p> <p>Option 2) 9 : <math>1s^2 1p^6 2s^1</math> is the first alkali metal because after losing one electron, it will achieve first noble gas configuration</p> <p>Option 3) 8 : <math>1s^2 1p^6</math> is the first noble gas because after <math>1p^6 e^-</math> will enter 2s hence new period</p> <p>Option 4) 6 : <math>1s^2 1p^4</math> has 1p valence subshell.</p>	$n = 1$	$n = 2$	$l = 0, 1, 2$	$l = 0, 1, 2, 3$
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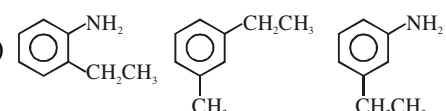
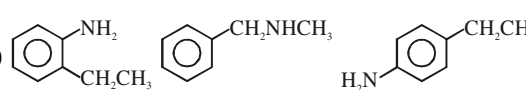
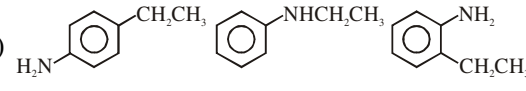
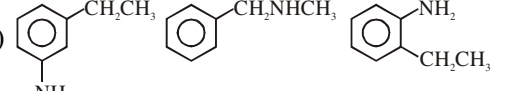
4. Three isomers A, B and C (mol. formula  $C_8H_{11}N$ ) give the following results :

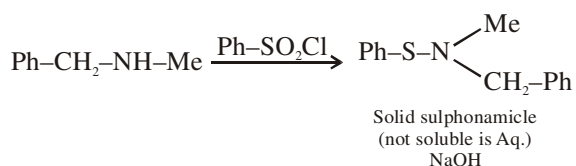
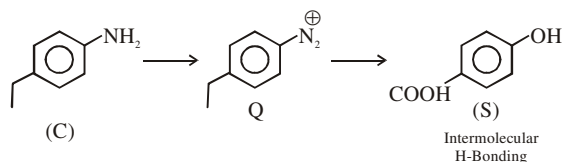
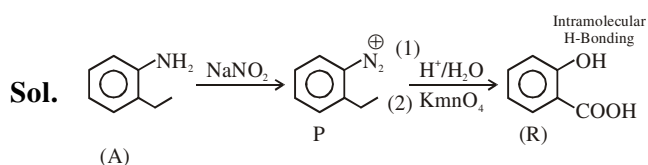


R has lower boiling point than S

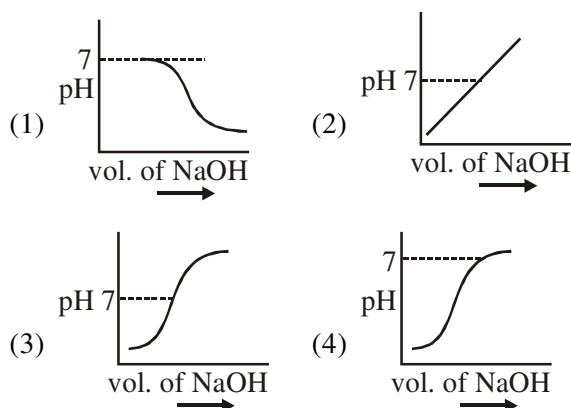


A, B and C, respectively are :

- (1)  (2)  (3)  (4) 



5. 100 mL of 0.1 M HCl is taken in a beaker and to it 100 mL of 0.1 M NaOH is added in steps of 2 mL and the pH is continuously measured. Which of the following graphs correctly depicts the change in pH?



**Sol.** Steep rise in pH around the equivalence point for titration of strong acid with strong base.

6. The incorrect statement(s) among (a) – (d) regarding acid rain is (are) :

- (a) It can corrode water pipes.  
(b) It can damage structures made up of stone.  
(c) It cannot cause respiratory ailments in animals.  
(d) It is not harmful for trees

- (1) (c) and (d)  
(2) (a), (b) and (d)  
(3) (c) only  
(4) (a), (c) and (d)

**Sol.** (1) Acid rain corrodes water pipes resulting in the leaching of heavy of heavy metals such as iron, lead and copper into the drinking water.

(2) Acid rain damages buildings and other structures made of stone or metal.

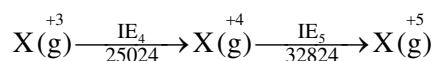
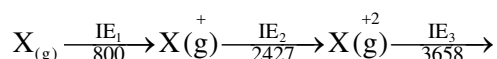
(3) It causes respiratory ailments in human beings and animals.

(4) It is harmful for agriculture, trees and plants as it washes down the nutrients needed for its growth.

7. The five successive ionization enthalpies of an element are 800, 2427, 3658, 25024 and 32824 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>. The number of valence electrons in the element is :

- (1) 2 (2) 3  
(3) 4 (4) 5

**Sol.** Let suppose element X  $\Rightarrow$



X<sup>+3</sup> has stable inert gas configuration as there is high jump after IE<sub>3</sub>

So valence electrons are 3

8. A mixture of one mole each of H<sub>2</sub>, He and O<sub>2</sub> each are enclosed in a cylinder of volume V at temperature T. If the partial pressure of H<sub>2</sub> is 2 atm, the total pressure of the gases in the cylinder is :

- (1) 14 atm (2) 22 atm  
(3) 6 atm (4) 38 atm

**Sol.** According to Dalton's law of partial pressure

$$p_i = x_i \times P_T$$

$p_i$  = partial pressure of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  component

$x_i$  = mole fraction of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  component

$p_T$  = total pressure of mixture

$$\Rightarrow 2 \text{ atm} = \left( \frac{n_{H_2}}{n_{H_2} + n_{He} + n_{O_2}} \right) \times P_T$$

$$\Rightarrow p_T = 2 \text{ atm} \times \frac{3}{1} = 6 \text{ atm}$$

9. The d-electron configuration of [Ru(en)<sub>3</sub>]Cl<sub>2</sub> and [Fe(H<sub>2</sub>O)<sub>6</sub>]Cl<sub>2</sub>, respectively are :

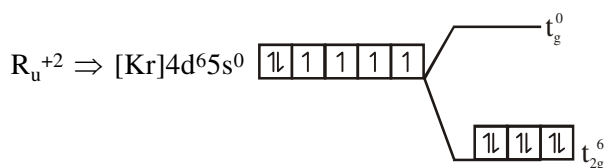
- (1)  $t_{2g}^4 e_g^2$  and  $t_{2g}^6 e_g^0$   
(2)  $t_{2g}^6 e_g^0$  and  $t_{2g}^6 e_g^0$   
(3)  $t_{2g}^6 e_g^0$  and  $t_{2g}^4 e_g^2$   
(4)  $t_{2g}^4 e_g^2$  and  $t_{2g}^4 e_g^2$

**Sol.** [Ru(en)<sub>3</sub>]Cl<sub>2</sub>

Ru  $\Rightarrow$  4d series

en  $\Rightarrow$  chelating ligand

CN = 6, octahedral splitting hence laye splitting of d-subshell

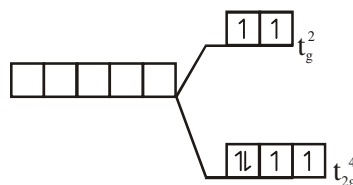


[Fe(H<sub>2</sub>O)<sub>6</sub>]Cl<sub>2</sub>  $\Rightarrow$  H<sub>2</sub>O  $\Rightarrow$  Weak filled ligand

Fe<sup>+2</sup>  $\Rightarrow$  [Ar] 3d<sup>6</sup>4s<sup>0</sup>

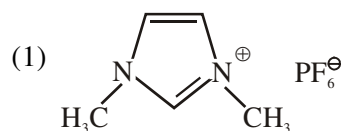
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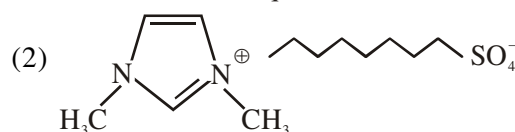


10. An ionic micelle is formed on the addition of :

excess water to liquid



excess water to liquid

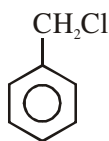


(3) liquid diethyl ether to aqueous NaCl solution

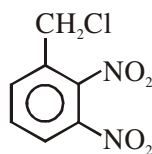
(4) sodium stearate to pure toluene

**Sol.** Correct Ans. is (2)

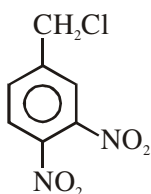
11. The decreasing order of reactivity of the following compounds towards nucleophilic substitution ( $S_N^2$ ) is :



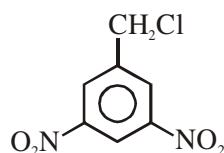
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(II)

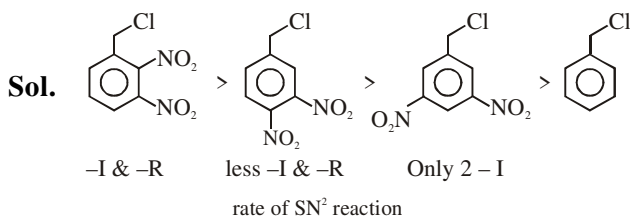


(III)

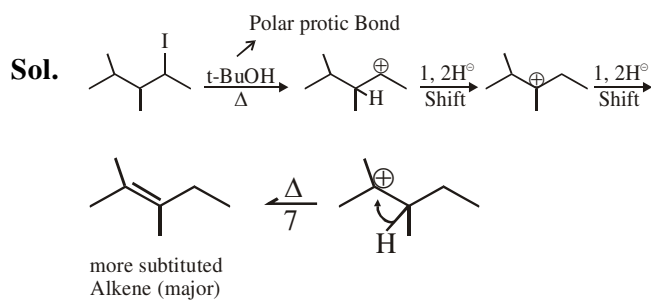
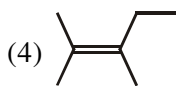
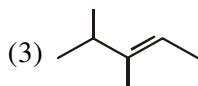
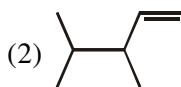
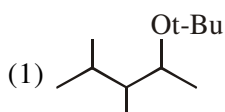
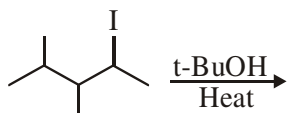


(IV)

- (1) (IV) > (II) > (III) > (I)
- (2) (II) > (III) > (IV) > (I)
- (3) (II) > (III) > (I) > (IV)
- (4) (III) > (II) > (IV) > (I)



12. The major product in the following reaction is :

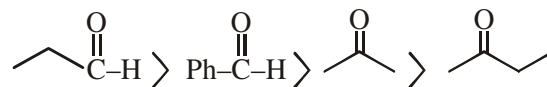


13. The increasing order of the reactivity of the following compound in nucleophilic addition reaction is :

Propanal, Benzaldehyde, Propanone, Butanone

- (1) Butanone < Propanone < Benzaldehyde < Propanal
- (2) Benzaldehyde < Butanone < Propanone < Propanal
- (3) Propanal < Propanone < Butanone < Benzaldehyde
- (4) Benzaldehyde < Propanal < Propanone < Butanone

**Sol.** Reactivity order of various carbonyl compounds  $\rightarrow$  Aldehydes > Ketones

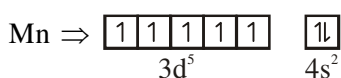
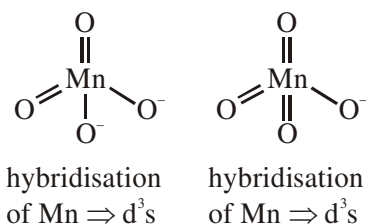


14. The incorrect statement is :

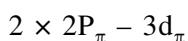
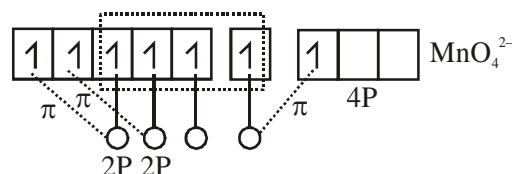
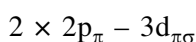
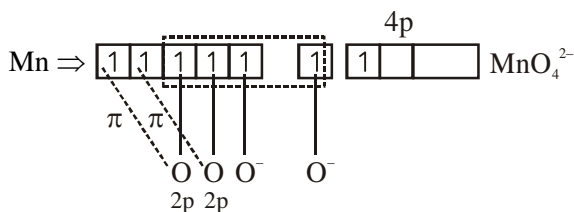
- (1) In manganate and permanganate ions, the  $\pi$ -bonding takes place by overlap of p-orbitals of oxygen and d-orbitals of manganese
- (2) Manganate ion is green in colour and permanganate ion in purple in colour
- (3) Manganate and permanganate ions are paramagnetic
- (4) Manganate and permanganate ions are tetrahedral

Sol. Option 1) Manganate  $\Rightarrow \text{MnO}_4^{2-}$ ,

Permanganate  $\Rightarrow \text{MnO}_4^-$



After excitation



(2)  $\text{MnO}_4^{2-} \Rightarrow$  green

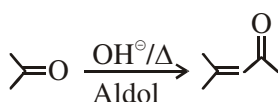
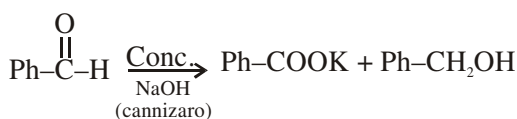
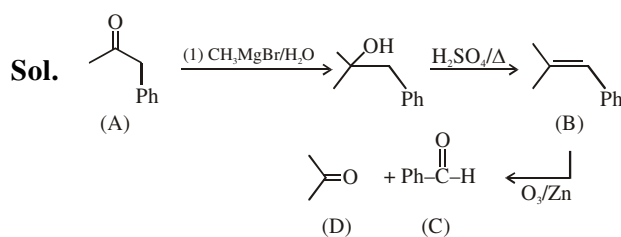
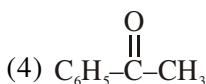
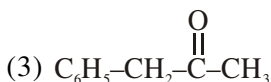
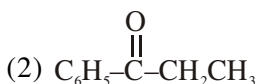
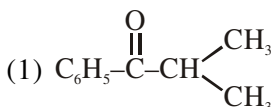
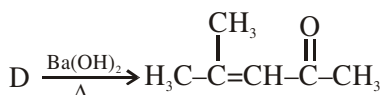
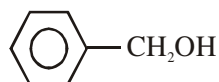
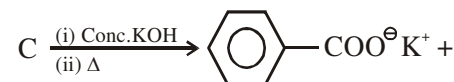
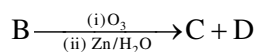
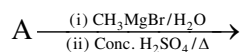
$\text{MnO}_4^- \Rightarrow$  purple/violet

(3) Manganate contains 1 unpaired electron hence it is paramagnetic

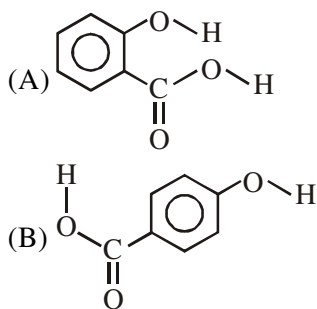
where as permanganate contains no unpaired electrons hence it is diamagnetic.

(4) Both have  $d^3s$  hybridisation hence both have tetrahedral geometry.

15. The compound A in the following reaction is :



16. Consider the following molecules and statements related to them :

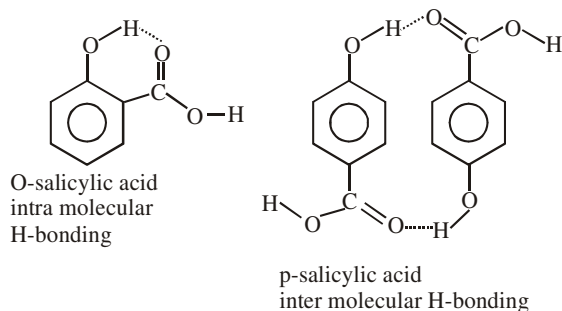


- (a) (B) is more likely to be crystalline than (A)  
 (b) (B) has higher boiling point than (A)  
 (c) (B) dissolves more readily than (A) in water

Identify the correct option from below :

- (1) only (a) is true      (2) (a) and (c) are true  
 (3) (b) and (c) are true      (4) (a) and (b) are true

Sol.



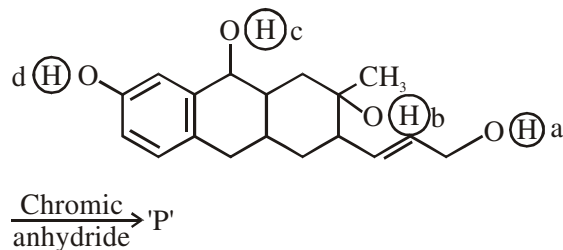
(a) B will be more crystalline due to more inter molecular interactions hence more efficient packing.

(b) B will have higher boiling point due to higher intermolecular interactions.

(c) B will be more soluble in water than A as B will have more extent of H-bonding in water  
 So all three statements are correct

{Solubility data  $\Rightarrow$  O-salicylic acid = 2g/L  
 P-salicylic acid = 5g/L}

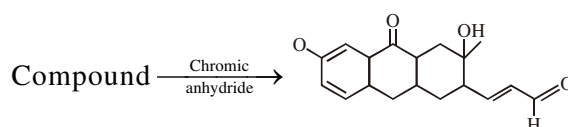
17. Consider the following reaction :



The product 'P' gives positive ceric ammonium nitrate test. This is because of the presence of which of these -OH group(s) ?

- (1) (c) and (d)  
 (2) (b) only  
 (3) (d) only  
 (4) (b) and (d)

Sol.



due to presence of b

18. Match the following drugs with their therapeutic actions :

- |                       |                    |
|-----------------------|--------------------|
| (i) Ranitidine        | (a) Antidepressant |
| (ii) Nardil           | (b) Antibiotic     |
| (Phenelzine)          |                    |
| (iii) Chloramphenicol | (c) Antihistamine  |
| (iv) Dimetane         | (d) Antacid        |
| (Brompheniramine)     |                    |
|                       | (e) Analgesic      |

- (1) (i)-(a); (ii)-(c); (iii)-(b); (iv)-(e)  
 (2) (i)-(e); (ii)-(a); (iii)-(c); (iv)-(d)  
 (3) (i)-(d); (ii)-(a); (iii)-(b); (iv)-(c)  
 (4) (i)-(d); (ii)-(c); (iii)-(a); (iv)-(e)

Sol.

Ranitidine  $\rightarrow$  Antacid  
 Nardil  $\rightarrow$  Antidepressant  
 Chloramphenicol  $\rightarrow$  Antibiotic  
 Dimetane  $\rightarrow$  Antihistamine

19. For the reaction  $2A + 3B + \frac{3}{2}C \rightarrow 3P$ , which statement is correct ?

(1)  $\frac{dn_A}{dt} = \frac{dn_B}{dt} = \frac{dn_C}{dt}$

(2)  $\frac{dn_A}{dt} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{dn_B}{dt} = \frac{3}{4} \frac{dn_C}{dt}$

(3)  $\frac{dn_A}{dt} = \frac{3}{2} \frac{dn_B}{dt} = \frac{3}{4} \frac{dn_C}{dt}$

(4)  $\frac{dn_A}{dt} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{dn_B}{dt} = \frac{4}{3} \frac{dn_C}{dt}$

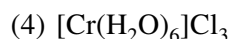
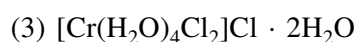
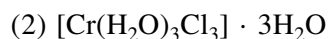
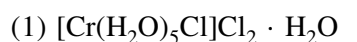
**Sol.** For  $aA + bB \rightarrow cC$ ;

$$\frac{-1}{a} \frac{d[A]}{dt} = \frac{-1}{b} \frac{d[B]}{dt} = \frac{1}{c} \frac{d[C]}{dt}$$

$$\therefore \frac{-1}{2} \frac{d[A]}{dt} = \frac{-1}{3} \frac{d[B]}{dt} = \frac{-2}{3} \frac{d[C]}{dt} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{d[p]}{dt}$$

20. Complex A has a composition of  $H_{12}O_6Cl_3Cr$ . If the complex on treatment with conc.  $H_2SO_4$  loses 13.5% of its original mass, the correct molecular formula of A is :

[Given : atomic mass of Cr = 52 amu and Cl = 35 amu]

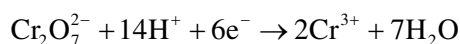


**Sol.** % mass of water

$$= \frac{x \times 18}{(12 + 6 \times 16 + 35 \times 3 + 52)} \times 100 = 13.5$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{265 \times 13.5}{18 \times 100} \approx 2$$

21. An acidic solution of dichromate is electrolyzed for 8 minutes using 2A current. As per the following equation



The amount of  $Cr^{3+}$  obtained was 0.104 g. The efficiency of the process(in%) is

(Take : F = 96000 C, At. mass of chromium = 52)

\_\_\_\_\_.

**Sol.** Moles of  $e^- = \left( \frac{8 \times 60 \times 2}{96000} \right)$

Using stoichiometry; theoretically

$$\frac{n_{e^- \text{ used}}}{6} = \frac{n_{Cr^{3+} \text{ produced}}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow n_{Cr^{3+} \text{ produced}} = \frac{2}{6} \times \frac{8 \times 60 \times 2}{96000}$$

$$= \frac{0.02}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{wt}_{Cr^{3+}} \text{theoretically produced}$$

$$= \left( \frac{0.02}{6} \times 52 \right) \text{g}$$

$$\Rightarrow \% \text{ efficiency} = \frac{0.104 \text{g}}{\left( \frac{0.02 \times 52}{6} \right) \text{g}} \times 100$$

$$= 60\%$$

22.  $6.023 \times 10^{22}$  molecules are present in 10 g of a substance 'x'. The molarity of a solution containing 5 g of substance 'x' in 2 L solution is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-3}$ .

$$\text{moles} = \frac{\text{number of molecules}}{6 \times 10^{23}} = \frac{\text{given mass}}{\text{molar mass}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{molar mas} = \frac{10 \times 6.023 \times 10^{23}}{6.023 \times 10^{22}} = 100 \text{g / mol}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{molarity} = \frac{\text{moles of solute}}{\text{volume of sol}^n (\ell)} = \frac{(5/100)}{2}$$

$$= 0.025$$

23. The volume (in mL) of 0.1 N NaOH required to neutralise 10 mL of 0.1 N phosphinic acid is \_\_\_\_\_.



$$\frac{n_{\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2}^{\text{reacted}}}{1} = \frac{n_{\text{NaOH}}^{\text{reacted}}}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{0.1 \times 10}{1} = 0.1 \times V_{\text{NaOH}}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{\text{NaOH}} = 10 \text{ mL}$$

24. If 250 cm<sup>3</sup> of an aqueous solution containing 0.73 g of a protein A is isotonic with one litre of another aqueous solution containing 1.65 g of a protein B, at 298 K, the ratio of the molecular masses of A and B is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-2}$  (to the nearest integer).

**Sol.** Let molar mass of protein A = x g/mol  
Let molar mass of protein B = y g/mol

$$\pi_A = \text{osmotic pressure of protein A} = \frac{\left(\frac{0.73}{x}\right)}{0.25} RT$$

$$\pi_B = \text{osmotic pressure of protein B} = \frac{\left(\frac{1.65}{y}\right)}{1} RT$$

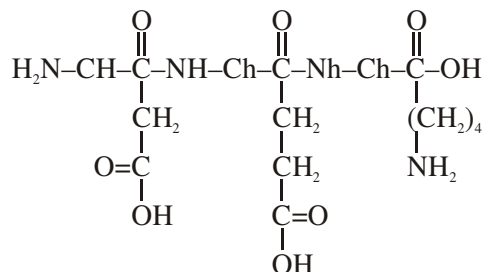
$$\pi_A = \pi_B$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{0.73}{x \times 0.25}\right) RT = \left(\frac{1.65}{y}\right) RT$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \frac{0.73}{0.25 \times 1.65} = 1.769 \approx 1.77$$

25. The number of  $\text{>C=O}$  groups present in a tripeptide Asp – Glu – Lys is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Sol.** Structure of Tri peptide Asp – Glu – Lys



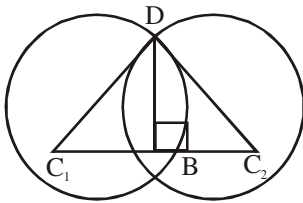
# FINAL JEE-MAIN EXAMINATION – SEPTEMBER, 2020

(Held On Thursday 03<sup>rd</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2020) TIME : 3 PM to 6 PM

MATHEMATICS	TEST PAPER WITH SOLUTION
<p>1. If the surface area of a cube is increasing at a rate of <math>3.6 \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}</math>, retaining its shape; then the rate of change of its volume (in <math>\text{cm}^3/\text{sec}</math>), when the length of a side of the cube is 10 cm, is :</p> <p>(1) 9 (2) 18 (3) 10 (4) 20</p> <p><b>Sol.</b> <math>\frac{d}{dt}(6a^2) = 3.6 \Rightarrow 12a \frac{da}{dt} = 3.6</math></p> <p><math>a \frac{da}{dt} = 0.3</math></p> <p><math>\frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}(a^3) = 3a \left( a \frac{da}{dt} \right)</math></p> <p><math>= 3 \times 10 \times 0.3 = 9</math></p> <p>2. If the value of the integral <math>\int_0^{1/2} \frac{x^2}{(1-x^2)^{3/2}} dx</math> is <math>\frac{k}{6}</math>, then k is equal to :</p> <p>(1) <math>2\sqrt{3} - \pi</math> (2) <math>3\sqrt{2} + \pi</math> (3) <math>3\sqrt{2} - \pi</math> (4) <math>2\sqrt{3} + \pi</math></p> <p><b>Sol.</b> <math>\int_0^{1/2} \frac{((x^2-1)+1)}{(1-x^2)^{3/2}} dx</math></p> <p><math>\int_0^{1/2} \frac{dx}{(1-x^2)^{3/2}} - \int_0^{1/2} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}</math></p> <p><math>\int_0^{1/2} \frac{x^{-3}}{(x^{-2}-1)^{3/2}} dx - (\sin^{-1} x)_0^{1/2}</math></p> <p>Let <math>x^{-2} - 1 = t^2 \Rightarrow x^{-3} dx = -t dt</math></p> <p><math>\int_{\infty}^{\sqrt{3}} \frac{-t dt}{t^3} - \frac{\pi}{6} = \int_{\sqrt{3}}^{\infty} \frac{dt}{t^2} - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{k}{6}</math></p> <p><math>k = 2\sqrt{3} - \pi</math></p>	<p>3. Let <math>R_1</math> and <math>R_2</math> be two relations defined as follows :</p> <p><math>R_1 = \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : a^2 + b^2 \in \mathbb{Q}\}</math> and <math>R_2 = \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : a^2 + b^2 \notin \mathbb{Q}\}</math>, where <math>\mathbb{Q}</math> is the set of all rational numbers. Then:</p> <p>(1) <math>R_2</math> is transitive but <math>R_1</math> is not transitive (2) <math>R_1</math> is transitive but <math>R_2</math> is not transitive (3) <math>R_1</math> and <math>R_2</math> are both transitive (4) Neither <math>R_1</math> nor <math>R_2</math> is transitive</p> <p><b>Sol.</b> Let <math>a^2 + b^2 \in \mathbb{Q} \ \&amp; \ b^2 + c^2 \in \mathbb{Q}</math></p> <p>eg. <math>a = 2 + \sqrt{3} \ \&amp; \ b = 2 - \sqrt{3}</math></p> <p><math>a^2 + b^2 = 14 \in \mathbb{Q}</math></p> <p>Let <math>c = (1+2\sqrt{3})</math></p> <p><math>b^2 + c^2 = 20 \in \mathbb{Q}</math></p> <p>But <math>a^2 + c^2 = (2+\sqrt{3})^2 + (1+2\sqrt{3})^2 \notin \mathbb{Q}</math></p> <p>for <math>R_2</math> Let <math>a^2 = 1, b^2 = \sqrt{3} \ \&amp; \ c^2 = 2</math></p> <p><math>a^2 + b^2 \notin \mathbb{Q} \ \&amp; \ b^2 + c^2 \notin \mathbb{Q}</math></p> <p>But <math>a^2 + c^2 \in \mathbb{Q}</math></p> <p>4. Let the latus rectum of the parabola <math>y^2 = 4x</math> be the common chord to the circles <math>C_1</math> and <math>C_2</math> each of them having radius <math>2\sqrt{5}</math>. Then, the distance between the centres of the circles <math>C_1</math> and <math>C_2</math> is:</p> <p>(1) 8 (2) <math>4\sqrt{5}</math> (3) 12 (4) <math>8\sqrt{5}</math></p>



**Sol.** Length of latus rectum = 4



$$DB = 2$$

$$C_1B = \sqrt{(C_1D)^2 - (DB)^2} = 4$$

$$C_1C_2 = 8$$

5. If  $\int \sin^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{x}{1+x}} \right) dx = A(x) \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{x}) + B(x) + C$ ,

where C is a constant of integration, then the ordered pair (A(x), B(x)) can be :

- (1)  $(x-1, \sqrt{x})$  (2)  $(x+1, \sqrt{x})$   
 (3)  $(x+1, -\sqrt{x})$  (4)  $(x-1, -\sqrt{x})$

**Sol.** Put  $x = \tan^2 \theta \Rightarrow dx = 2 \tan \theta \sec^2 \theta d\theta$

$$\int \theta \cdot (2 \tan \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta) d\theta$$

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I II (By parts)

$$= \theta \cdot \tan^2 \theta - \int \tan^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$= \theta \cdot \tan^2 \theta - \int (\sec^2 \theta - 1) d\theta$$

$$= \theta(1 + \tan^2 \theta) - \tan \theta + C$$

$$= \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{x})(1+x) - \sqrt{x} + C$$

6. The probability that a randomly chosen 5-digit number is made from exactly two digits is :

- (1)  $\frac{121}{10^4}$  (2)  $\frac{150}{10^4}$   
 (3)  $\frac{135}{10^4}$  (4)  $\frac{134}{10^4}$

**Sol.** First Case: Choose two non-zero digits  ${}^9C_2$

Now, number of 5-digit numbers containing both digits =  $2^5 - 2$

Second Case: Choose one non-zero & one zero as digit  ${}^9C_1$ .

Number of 5-digit numbers containing one non zero and one zero both =  $(2^4 - 1)$

Required prob.

$$= \frac{{}^9C_2 \times (2^5 - 2) + {}^9C_1 \times (2^4 - 1)}{9 \times 10^4}$$

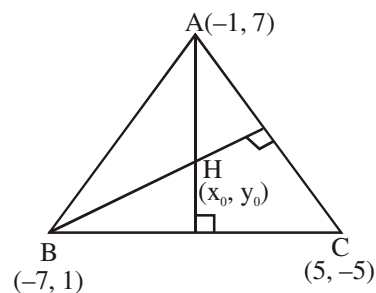
$$= \frac{36 \times (32 - 2) + 9 \times (16 - 1)}{9 \times 10^4}$$

$$= \frac{4 \times 30 + 15}{10^4} = \frac{135}{10^4}$$

7. If a  $\Delta ABC$  has vertices  $A(-1, 7)$ ,  $B(-7, 1)$  and  $C(5, -5)$ , then its orthocentre has coordinates:

- (1)  $(3, -3)$  (2)  $\left(-\frac{3}{5}, \frac{3}{5}\right)$   
 (3)  $(-3, 3)$  (4)  $\left(\frac{3}{5}, -\frac{3}{5}\right)$

**Sol.** Let orthocentre is  $H(x_0, y_0)$



$$m_{AH} \cdot m_{BC} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{y_0 - 7}{x_0 + 1} \right) \left( \frac{1 + 5}{-7 - 5} \right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x_0 - y_0 + 9 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

$$\text{and } m_{BH} \cdot m_{AC} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{y_0 - 1}{x_0 + 7} \right) \left( \frac{7 - (-5)}{-1 - 5} \right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_0 - 2y_0 + 9 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Solving equation (1) and (2) we get

$$(x_0, y_0) \equiv (-3, 3)$$

8. If  $z_1, z_2$  are complex numbers such that  $\operatorname{Re}(z_1) = |z_1 - 1|$ ,  $\operatorname{Re}(z_2) = |z_2 - 1|$  and

$\arg(z_1 - z_2) = \frac{\pi}{6}$ , then  $\operatorname{Im}(z_1 + z_2)$  is equal to:

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

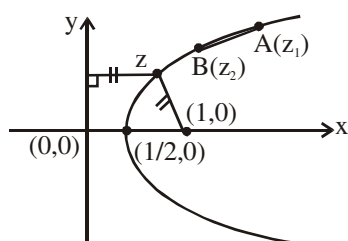
**Sol.**  $\operatorname{Re}(z) = |z - 1|$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y-0)^2} \quad (x > 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 2x - 1 = 4 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left( x - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$\Rightarrow$  a parabola with focus  $(1, 0)$  & directrix as imaginary axis.

$$\therefore \text{Vertex} = \left( \frac{1}{2}, 0 \right)$$



$A(z_1)$  &  $B(z_2)$  are two points on it such that

$$\text{slope of } AB = \tan \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$(\arg(z_1 - z_2) = \frac{\pi}{6})$$

for  $y^2 = 4ax$

Let  $A(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  &  $B(at_2^2, 2at_2)$

$$m_{AB} = \frac{2}{t_1 + t_2} = \frac{4a}{y_1 + y_2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

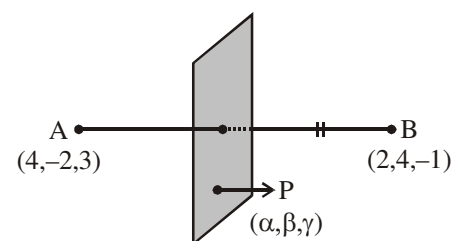
$$\left( \text{Here } a = \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 + y_2 = 4a\sqrt{3} = 2\sqrt{3}$$

9. The plane which bisects the line joining the points  $(4, -2, 3)$  and  $(2, 4, -1)$  at right angles also passes through the point :

- (1)  $(4, 0, -1)$  (2)  $(4, 0, 1)$   
(3)  $(0, 1, -1)$  (4)  $(0, -1, 1)$

**Sol.**



$$PA = PB$$

$$\Rightarrow PA^2 = PB^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (\alpha - 4)^2 + (\beta + 2)^2 + (\gamma - 3)^2 = (\alpha - 2)^2 + (\beta - 4)^2 + (\gamma + 1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -4\alpha + 12\beta - 8\gamma = -8$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - 6y + 4z = 4$$

10.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(a+2x)^{\frac{1}{3}} - (3x)^{\frac{1}{3}}}{(3a+x)^{\frac{1}{3}} - (4x)^{\frac{1}{3}}} (a \neq 0)$  is equal to :

- (1)  $\left( \frac{2}{3} \right) \left( \frac{2}{9} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$  (2)  $\left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^{\frac{4}{3}}$   
(3)  $\left( \frac{2}{9} \right)^{\frac{4}{3}}$  (4)  $\left( \frac{2}{9} \right) \left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

**Sol.** Required limit

$$\begin{aligned}
 L &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a+2(a+h))^{1/3} - (3(a+h))^{1/3}}{(3a+a+h)^{1/3} - (4(a+h))^{1/3}} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(3a)^{1/3} \left(1 + \frac{2h}{3a}\right)^{1/3} - (3a)^{1/3} \left(1 + \frac{h}{a}\right)^{1/3}}{(4a)^{1/3} \left(1 + \frac{h}{4a}\right)^{1/3} - (4a)^{1/3} \left(1 + \frac{h}{a}\right)^{1/3}} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{3^{1/3}}{4^{1/3}} \right) \left[ \frac{\left(1 + \frac{2h}{9a}\right) - \left(1 + \frac{h}{3a}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{h}{12a}\right) - \left(1 + \frac{h}{3a}\right)} \right] \\
 &= \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{1/3} \frac{\left(\frac{2}{9} - \frac{1}{3}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{3}\right)} = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{1/3} \frac{(8-12)}{(3-12)} \\
 &= \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{1/3} \left(\frac{-4}{-9}\right) = \frac{4^{1-\frac{1}{3}}}{3^{2-\frac{1}{3}}} = \frac{4^{2/3}}{3^{5/3}} \\
 &= \frac{(8 \times 2)^{1/3}}{(27 \times 9)^{1/3}} = \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{2}{9}\right)^{1/3}
 \end{aligned}$$

**11.** Let A be a  $3 \times 3$  matrix such that

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and}$$

$$B = \text{adj} (\text{adj } A).$$

If  $|A| = \lambda$  and  $|(B^{-1})^T| = \mu$ , then the ordered pair,  $(|\lambda|, \mu)$  is equal to :

- (1)  $\left(9, \frac{1}{9}\right)$  (2)  $\left(9, \frac{1}{81}\right)$   
 (3)  $\left(3, \frac{1}{81}\right)$  (4)  $(3, 81)$

$$\text{Sol. } C = \text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} +2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 |C| &= |\text{adj } A| = +2(0+4) + 1(1-2) + 1(2, 4) \\
 &= +8 - 1 + 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$|\text{adj } A| = |A|^2 = 9 = 9$$

$$\lambda = |A| = \pm 3$$

$$|\lambda| = 3$$

$$B = \text{adj } C$$

$$|B| = |\text{adj } C| = |C|^2 = 81$$

$$|(B^{-1})^T| = |B|^{-1} = \frac{1}{81}$$

$$(|\lambda|, \mu) = \left(3, \frac{1}{81}\right)$$

**12.** Suppose  $f(x)$  is a polynomial of degree four, having critical points at  $-1, 0, 1$ . If  $T = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid f(x) = f(0)\}$ , then the sum of squares of all the elements of  $T$  is :

- (1) 6 (2) 8  
 (3) 4 (4) 2

$$\text{Sol. } f'(x) = x(x+1)(x-1) = x^3 - x$$

$$\int df(x) = \int x^3 - x \, dx$$

$$f(x) = \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{x^2}{2} + C$$

$$f(x) = f(0)$$

$$\frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{x^2}{2} = 0$$

$$x^2(x^2 - 2) = 0$$

$$x = 0, 0, \sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2}$$

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 = 0 + 2 + 2 = 4$$

**13.** Let  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$  be such that  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 1$ .

$$\text{If } a \cos \theta = b \cos \left( \theta + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) = c \cos \left( \theta + \frac{4\pi}{3} \right),$$

where  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{9}$ , then the angle between the

vectors  $a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + c\hat{k}$  and  $b\hat{i} + c\hat{j} + a\hat{k}$  is :

- (1)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  (2) 0  
(3)  $\frac{\pi}{9}$  (4)  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

**Sol.**  $\cos \phi = \frac{\vec{p} \cdot \vec{q}}{|\vec{p}| |\vec{q}|} = \frac{ab + bc + ca}{a^2 + b^2 + c^2} = \frac{\sum ab}{1}$

$$= abc \left( \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} \right)$$

$$= \frac{abc}{\lambda} \left( \cos \theta + \cos \left( \theta + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) + \cos \left( \theta + \frac{4\pi}{3} \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{abc}{\lambda} \left( \cos + 2 \cos(\theta + \pi) \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{abc}{\lambda} (\cos \theta - \cos \theta) = 0$$

$$\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

**14.** If the sum of the series

$$20 + 19\frac{3}{5} + 19\frac{1}{5} + 18\frac{4}{5} + \dots \text{ upto } n^{\text{th}} \text{ term is } 488$$

and the  $n^{\text{th}}$  term is negative, then :

- (1)  $n^{\text{th}}$  term is  $-4\frac{2}{5}$  (2)  $n = 41$   
(3)  $n^{\text{th}}$  term is  $-4$  (4)  $n = 60$

**Sol.**  $S = \frac{100}{5} + \frac{98}{5} + \frac{96}{5} + \frac{94}{5} + \dots n$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} \left( 2 \times \frac{100}{5} + (n-1) \left( -\frac{2}{5} \right) \right) = 188$$

$$n(100 - n + 1) = 488 \times 5$$

$$n^2 - 101n + 488 \times 5 = 0$$

$$n = 61, 40$$

$$T_n = a + (n-1)d = \frac{100}{5} - \frac{2}{5} \times 60$$

$$= 20 - 24 = -4$$

**15.** Let  $x_i$  ( $1 \leq i \leq 10$ ) be ten observations of a random

variable  $X$ . If  $\sum_{i=1}^{10} (x_i - p) = 3$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^{10} (x_i - p)^2 = 9$

where  $0 \neq p \in \mathbb{R}$ , then the standard deviation of these observations is :

- (1)  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}$  (2)  $\frac{7}{10}$   
(3)  $\frac{9}{10}$  (4)  $\frac{4}{5}$

**Sol.** Variance =  $\frac{\sum (x_i - p)^2}{n} - \left( \frac{\sum (x_i - p)}{n} \right)^2$

$$= \frac{9}{10} - \left( \frac{3}{10} \right)^2 = \frac{81}{100}$$

$$\text{S.D.} = \frac{9}{10}$$

**16.** If  $x^3 dy + xy dx = x^2 dy + 2y dx$ ;  $y(2) = e$  and  $x > 1$ , then  $y(4)$  is equal to :

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

**Sol.**  $x^3 dy + xy dx = x^2 dy + 2y dx$

$$\Rightarrow dy(x^3 - x^2) = dx (2y - xy)$$

$$\Rightarrow -\int \frac{1}{y} dy = \int \frac{x-2}{x^2(x-1)} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow -\ln y = \int \left( \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{(x-1)} \right) dx$$

Where  $A = 1$ ,  $B = +2$ ,  $C = -1$

$$\Rightarrow -\ln y = \ln x - \frac{2}{x} - \ln(x-1) + \lambda$$

$$\Rightarrow y(2) = e$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 = \ln 2 - 1 - 0 + \lambda$$

$$\therefore \lambda = -\ln 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln y = -\ln x + \frac{2}{x} + \ln(x-1) + \ln 2$$

Now put  $x = 4$  in equation

$$\Rightarrow \ln y = -\ln 4 + \frac{1}{2} + \ln 3 + \ln 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln y = \ln \left( \frac{3}{2} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \ln e$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{e}$$

**17.** Let  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  be the eccentricities of the ellipse,

$$\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 (b < 5) \quad \text{and the hyperbola,}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \text{respectively satisfying } e_1 e_2 = 1. \text{ If}$$

$\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the distances between the foci of the ellipse and the foci of the hyperbola respectively, then the ordered pair  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is equal to :

$$(1) (8, 10) \quad (2) (8, 12)$$

$$(3) \left( \frac{20}{3}, 12 \right) \quad (4) \left( \frac{24}{5}, 10 \right)$$

**Sol.** For ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad (b < 5)$

Let  $e_1$  is eccentricity of ellipse

$$\therefore b^2 = 25(1 - e_1^2) \quad \dots\dots (1)$$

Again for hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

Let  $e_2$  is eccentricity of hyperbola.

$$\therefore b^2 = 16(e_2^2 - 1) \quad \dots\dots (2)$$

by (1) & (2)

$$25(1 - e_1^2) = 16(e_2^2 - 1)$$

Now  $e_1 \cdot e_2 = 1$  (given)

$$\therefore 25(1 - e_1^2) = 16 \left( \frac{1 - e_1^2}{e_1^2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } e_1 = \frac{4}{5} \quad \therefore e_2 = \frac{5}{4}$$

Now distance between foci is  $2ae$

$$\therefore \text{distance for ellipse} = 2 \times 5 \times \frac{4}{5} = 8 = \alpha$$

$$\text{distance for hyperbola} = 2 \times 4 \times \frac{5}{4} = 10 = \beta$$

$$\therefore (\alpha, \beta) \equiv (8, 10)$$

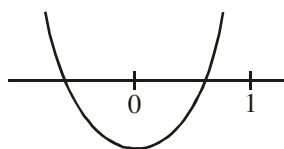
**18.** The set of all real values of  $\lambda$  for which the quadratic equations,

$(\lambda^2 + 1)x^2 - 4\lambda x + 2 = 0$  always have exactly one root in the interval  $(0, 1)$  is :

$$(1) (-3, -1) \quad (2) (1, 3]$$

$$(3) (0, 2) \quad (4) (2, 4]$$

**Sol.** If exactly one root in  $(0, 1)$  then



$$\Rightarrow f(0).f(1) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 3) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 < \lambda < 3$$

$$\text{Now for } \lambda = 1, 2x^2 - 4x + 2 = 0$$

$$(x - 1)^2 = 0, x = 1, 1$$

So both roots doesn't lie between (0, 1)

$$\therefore \lambda \neq 1$$

$$\text{Again for } \lambda = 3$$

$$10x^2 - 12x + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1, \frac{1}{5}$$

so if one root is 1 then second root lie between (0, 1)

so  $\lambda = 3$  is correct.

$$\therefore \lambda \in (1, 3].$$

19. If the term independent of x in the expansion of

$$\left(\frac{3}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{3x}\right)^9 \text{ is } k, \text{ then } 18k \text{ is equal to :}$$

$$(1) 9$$

$$(2) 11$$

$$(3) 5$$

$$(4) 7$$

$$\text{Sol. } T_{r+1} = {}^9C_r \left(\frac{3}{2}x^2\right)^{9-r} \left(-\frac{1}{3x}\right)^r$$

$$T_{r+1} = {}^9C_r \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{9-r} \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^r x^{18-3r}$$

For independent of x

$$18 - 3r = 0, r = 6$$

$$\therefore T_7 = {}^9C_6 \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^3 \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^6 = \frac{21}{54} = k$$

$$\therefore 18k = \frac{21}{54} \times 18 = 7$$

20. Let p, q, r be three statements such that the truth value of  $(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (\sim q \vee r)$  is F. Then the truth values of p, q, r are respectively :

$$(1) T, F, T$$

$$(2) F, T, F$$

$$(3) T, T, F$$

$$(4) T, T, T$$

$$\text{Sol. } (p \wedge q) \rightarrow (\sim q \vee r) = \text{false}$$

$$\text{when } (p \wedge q) = T$$

$$\text{and } (\sim q \vee r) = F$$

So  $(p \wedge q) = T$  is possible when  $p = q = \text{true}$

$$\therefore \sim q = \text{False } (q = \text{true})$$

So  $(\sim q \vee r) = \text{False}$  is possible if r is false

$$\therefore p = T, q = T, r = F$$

21. If m arithmetic means (A.Ms) and three geometric means (G.Ms) are inserted between 3 and 243 such that 4<sup>th</sup> A.M. is equal to 2<sup>nd</sup> G.M., then m is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

$$\text{Sol. } 3, A_1, A_2, \dots, A_m, 243$$

$$d = \frac{243-3}{m+1} = \frac{240}{m+1}$$

$$\text{Now } 3, G_1, G_2, G_3, 243$$

$$r = \left(\frac{243}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{3+1}} = 3$$

$$\therefore A_4 = G_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a + 4d = ar^2$$

$$3 + 4 \left(\frac{240}{m+1}\right) = 3(3)^2$$

$$m = 39$$

22. If the tangent of the curve,  $y = e^x$  at a point  $(c, e^c)$  and the normal to the parabola,  $y^2 = 4x$  at the point  $(1, 2)$  intersect at the same point on the x-axis, then the value of  $c$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Sol.**  $y = e^x \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = e^x$

$$m = \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{(c, e^c)} = e^c$$

$\Rightarrow$  Tangent at  $(c, e^c)$

$$y - e^c = e^c (x - c)$$

it intersect x-axis

Put  $y = 0 \Rightarrow x = c - 1$  .....(1)

Now  $y^2 = 4x \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{y} \Rightarrow \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{(1, 2)} = 1$

$\Rightarrow$  Slope of normal = -1

Equation of normal  $y - 2 = -1(x - 1)$

$$x + y = 3 \text{ it intersect x-axis}$$

Put  $y = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3$  .....(2)

Points are same

$$\Rightarrow x = c - 1 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 4$$

23. Let a plane P contain two lines

$$\vec{r} = \hat{i} + \lambda(\hat{i} + \hat{j}), \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and}$$

$$\vec{r} = -\hat{j} + \mu(\hat{j} - \hat{k}), \mu \in \mathbb{R}$$

If  $Q(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  is the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the point  $M(1, 0, 1)$  to P, then  $3(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)$  equals \_\_\_\_\_.

**Sol.** Dr's normal to plane

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

Equation of plane

$$-1(x - 1) + 1(y - 0) + 1(z - 0) = 0$$

$$x - y - z - 1 = 0 \quad \text{.....(1)}$$

Now  $\frac{\alpha - 1}{1} = \frac{\beta - 0}{-1} = \frac{\gamma - 0}{-1} = -\frac{(1 - 0 - 0 - 1)}{3}$

$$\frac{\alpha - 1}{1} = \frac{\beta}{-1} = \frac{\gamma - 1}{-1} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{4}{3}, \beta = -\frac{1}{3}, \gamma = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$3(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) = 3\left(\frac{4}{3} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3}\right) = 5$$

24. Let S be the set of all integer solutions,  $(x, y, z)$ , of the system of equations

$$x - 2y + 5z = 0$$

$$-2x + 4y + z = 0$$

$$-7x + 14y + 9z = 0$$

such that  $15 \leq x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 150$ . Then, the number of elements in the set S is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Sol.**  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \\ -7 & 14 & 9 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

Let  $x = k$

$\Rightarrow$  Put in (1) & (2)

$$k - 2y + 5z = 0$$

$$-2k + 4y + z = 0$$

$$z = 0, y = \frac{k}{2}$$

$\therefore$   $x, y, z$  are integer

$\Rightarrow$   $k$  is even integer

Now  $x = k, y = \frac{k}{2}, z = 0$  put in condition

$$15 \leq k^2 + \left(\frac{k}{2}\right)^2 + 0 \leq 150$$

$$12 \leq k^2 \leq 120$$

$\Rightarrow k = \pm 4, \pm 6, \pm 8, \pm 10$

$\Rightarrow$  Number of element in  $S = 8$ .

**25.** The total number of 3-digit numbers, whose sum of digits is 10, is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Sol.** Let three digit number is  $xyz$

$$x + y + z = 10 ; x \geq 1, y \geq 0, z \geq 0 \dots (1)$$

$$\text{Let } T = x - 1 \Rightarrow x = T + 1 \text{ where } T \geq 0$$

Put in (1)

$$T + y + z = 9 ; 0 \leq T \leq 8, 0 \leq y, z \leq 9$$

No. of non negative integral solution

$$= {}^{9+3-1}C_{3-1} - 1 \text{ (when } T = 9)$$

$$= 55 - 1 = 54$$