

1. Let $\int \frac{\cos x dx}{\sin^3 x(1+\sin^6 x)^{\frac{2}{3}}} = f(x)(1+\sin^6 x)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} + c$ then find value of $\lambda f\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$
- A) 4 B) -2 C) 8 D) -4

Ans. B

Sol. $\sin x = t$

$$\cos x dx = dt$$

$$I = \int \frac{dt}{t^3(1+t^6)^{\frac{2}{3}}} = \int \frac{dt}{t^7\left(1+\frac{1}{t^6}\right)^{\frac{2}{3}}}$$

Put $1 + \frac{1}{t^6} = r^3 \Rightarrow \frac{dt}{t^7} = \frac{-1}{2} r^2 dr$

$$-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{r^2 dr}{r^2} = -\frac{1}{2} r + c = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\sin^6 x + 1}{\sin^6 x} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} + c = -\frac{1}{2 \sin^2 x} (1 + \sin^6 x)^{\frac{1}{3}} + c$$

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{cosec}^2 x \text{ and } \lambda = 3$$

$$\lambda f\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -2$$

2. If $y(x)$ is a solution of differential equation $\sqrt{1-x^2} \frac{dy}{dx} + \sqrt{1-y^2} = 0$, such that $y\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$, then
- A) $y\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ B) $y\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ C) $y\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ D) $y\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$

Ans. C

Sol. $\frac{dy}{\sqrt{1-y^2}} + \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = 0 \Rightarrow \sin^{-1} y + \sin^{-1} x = c$

At $x = \frac{1}{2}, y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow c = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow \sin^{-1} y = \cos^{-1} x$

Hence $y\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \sin\left(\cos^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3x^2+2}{7x^2+2} \right)^{\frac{1}{x^2}}$ is equal to
- A) e^{-2} B) e^2 C) $e^{2/7}$ D) $e^{3/7}$

Ans. A

Sol. Let $L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3x^2+2}{7x^2+2} \right)^{\frac{1}{x^2}} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \left(\frac{3x^2+2}{7x^2+2} - 1 \right)} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \left(\frac{-4x^2}{7x^2+2} \right)} = e^{-\frac{4}{2}} = e^{-2}$

4. In a bag there are 5 red balls, 3 white balls and 4 black balls. Four balls are drawn from the bag. Find the number of ways of the which at most 3 red balls are selected
- A) 450 B) 360 C) 490 D) 510

Ans. C

Sol. Number of ways = ${}^7C_4 + {}^5C_1 \cdot {}^7C_3 + {}^5C_2 \cdot {}^7C_2 + {}^5C_3 \cdot {}^7C_1 = 35 + 175 + 210 + 70 = 490$

5. Let $f(x) = \{(\sin(\tan^{-1} x) + \sin(\cot^{-1} x))\}^2 - 1$ where $|x| > 1$ and $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dx} (\sin^{-1} f(x))$.

If $y(\sqrt{3}) = \frac{\pi}{6}$ then $y(-\sqrt{3}) =$

- A) $\frac{5\pi}{6}$ B) $\frac{-\pi}{6}$ C) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ D) $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

Ans. B

Sol. $2y = \sin^{-1} f(x) + C = \sin^{-1}(\sin(2 \tan^{-1} x)) + C$

$$\Rightarrow 2\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)\right) + C$$

$$\frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{\pi}{3} + C$$

$$\therefore C = 0$$

$$\text{for } x = -\sqrt{3}, 2y = \sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{-2\pi}{6}\right)\right) + 0 \Rightarrow 2y = \frac{-\pi}{3}$$

$$\left(y = \frac{-\pi}{6}\right)$$

6. If $2^{1-x} + 2^{1+x}, f(x), 3^x + 3^{-x}$ are in A.P. then minimum value of $f(x)$ is

A) 1

B) 2

C) 3

D) 4

Ans. C

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

Using AM \geq GM

$$f(x) \geq 3$$

7. Which of the following is tautology

A) $(p \vee (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow q$

B) $q \rightarrow p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)$

C) $p \vee (p \wedge q)$

D) $(p \wedge (p \vee q))$

Ans. A

Sol.

p	q	$p \rightarrow q$	$p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)$	$(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow q$	$q \rightarrow p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)$	$p \wedge q$	$p \vee (p \wedge q)$	$p \vee q$	$p \wedge (p \vee q)$
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	T	T	F	T	T	T
F	T	T	F	T	F	F	F	T	F
F	F	T	F	T	T	F	F	F	F

8. A is a 3×3 matrix whose elements are from the set $\{-1, 0, 1\}$. Find the number of matrices A such that $tr(AA^T) = 3$. Where $tr(A)$ is sum of diagonal elements of matrix A .

A) 572

B) 612

C) 672

D) 682

Ans. C

$$\text{Sol. Let } A = [a_{ij}]_{3 \times 3}$$

$$tr(AA^T) = 3$$

$$a_{11}^2 + a_{12}^2 + a_{13}^2 + a_{21}^2 + a_{22}^2 + \dots + a_{33}^2 = 3$$

Possible cases

$$0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1 \rightarrow 1$$

$$0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, -1, -1, -1 \rightarrow 1$$

$$0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, -1 \rightarrow 3$$

$$0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, -1, 1, -1 \rightarrow 3$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow 1 \\ \rightarrow 1 \\ \rightarrow 3 \\ \rightarrow 3 \end{array} \right\} {}^9C_6 \times 8 = 84 \times 8 = 672$$

9. Mean and standard deviations of 10 observations are 20 and 2 respectively. If $p = (p \neq 0)$ is multiplied to each observation and then $q (q \neq 0)$ is subtracted then new mean and standard deviation becomes half of original value. Then find q

A) -10

B) -20

C) -5

D) 10

Ans. B

Sol. If each observation is multiplied with p & then q is subtracted

$$\text{New mean } \bar{x}_1 = p\bar{x} - q$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 = p(20) - q \quad (1)$$

and new standard deviations

$$\sigma_2 = |p|\sigma_1 \Rightarrow 1 = |p| \quad (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow |p| = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{If } p = \frac{1}{2}$$

then $q = 0$ (from equation (1))

$$\text{If } p = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$q = -20$$

10. If maximum value of ${}^{19}C_p$ is a , ${}^{20}C_q$ is b , ${}^{21}C_r$ is c , then relation between a, b, c is

- A) $\frac{a}{11} = \frac{b}{22} = \frac{c}{42}$ B) $\frac{a}{22} = \frac{b}{11} = \frac{c}{42}$ C) $\frac{a}{22} = \frac{b}{42} = \frac{c}{11}$ D) $\frac{a}{21} = \frac{b}{11} = \frac{c}{22}$

Ans. (A)

Sol. We know nC_r is max at middle term

$$a = {}^{19}C_p = {}^{19}C_{10} = {}^{19}C_9$$

$$b = {}^{20}C_q = {}^{20}C_{10}$$

$$c = {}^{21}C_6 = {}^{21}C_{10} = {}^{21}C_{11}$$

$$\frac{a}{{}^{19}C_9} = \frac{b}{{}^{20}C_{10}} = \frac{c}{{}^{21}C_{11}} = \frac{20}{10} \cdot \frac{19}{19} = \frac{21}{11} \cdot \frac{20}{10} \cdot \frac{19}{19}$$

$$\frac{a}{1} = \frac{b}{2} = \frac{c}{42/11}$$

11. Let $P(A) = \frac{1}{3}, P(B) = \frac{1}{6}$ where A and B are independent events then

- A) $P\left(\frac{A}{B}\right) = \frac{1}{6}$ B) $P\left(\frac{A}{B'}\right) = \frac{1}{3}$ C) $P\left(\frac{A}{B'}\right) = \frac{2}{3}$ D) $P\left(\frac{A}{B}\right) = \frac{5}{6}$

Ans. B

Sol. A and B are independent events so

$$P\left(\frac{A}{B'}\right) = \frac{1}{3}$$

12. Let $f(x) = \frac{8^{2x} - 8^{-2x}}{8^{2x} + 8^{-2x}}$ then inverse of $f(x)$ is

- A) $\frac{1}{4} \log_8 \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right)$ B) $\frac{1}{2} \log_8 \left(\frac{1-x}{1+x}\right)$ C) $\frac{1}{4} \log_8 \left(\frac{1-x}{1+x}\right)$ D) $\frac{1}{2} \log_8 \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right)$

Ans. A

Sol. $y = \frac{8^{2x} - 8^{-2x}}{8^{2x} + 8^{-2x}}$

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

$$8^{4x} = \frac{1+y}{1-y}$$

$$4x = \log_8 \left(\frac{1+y}{1-y}\right)$$

$$x = \frac{1}{4} \log_8 \left(\frac{1+y}{1-y}\right)$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{4} \log_8 \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right)$$

13. Roots of the equation $x^2 + bx + 45 = 0, b \in R$ lie on the curve $|z + 1| = 2\sqrt{10}$, where z is a complex number then

- A) $b^2 + b = 12$ B) $b^2 - b = 30$ C) $b^2 - b = 36$ D) $b^2 + b = 30$

Ans. B

Sol. Let $z = \alpha \pm i\beta$ be roots of the equation

$$\text{So } 2\alpha = -b \text{ and } \alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 45, (\alpha + 1)^2 + \beta^2 = 40$$

$$\text{So } (\alpha + 1)^2 - \alpha^2 = -5$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\alpha + 1 = -5 \Rightarrow 2\alpha = -6$$

$$\text{So } b = 6$$

$$\text{Hence } b^2 - b = 30$$

14. For $f(x) = \ln\left(\frac{x^2 + \alpha}{7x}\right)$. Rolle's theorem is applicable on $[3, 4]$, the value of $f''(c)$ is equal to

- A) $\frac{1}{12}$ B) $\frac{-1}{12}$ C) $\frac{1}{6}$ D) $\frac{-1}{6}$

Ans. A

Sol. $f(3) = f(4) \Rightarrow \alpha = 12$

$$f'(x) = \frac{x^2 - 12}{x(x^2 + 12)}$$

$$\therefore f'(c) = 0$$

$$\therefore c = \sqrt{12}$$

$$\therefore f''(c) = \frac{1}{12}$$

15. Let $f(x) = x \cos^{-1}(\sin(-|x|))$, $x \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ then

- A) $f'(0) = -\frac{\pi}{2}$
 B) $f'(x)$ is not defined at $x = 0$
 C) $f'(x)$ is increasing in $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, 0\right)$ and $f'(x)$ is decreasing in $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$
 D) $f'(x)$ is decreasing in $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, 0\right)$ and $f'(x)$ is increasing in $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

Ans. D

Sol. $f'(x) = x(\pi - \cos^{-1}(\sin|x|))$

$$= x \left(\pi - \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1}(\sin|x|) \right) \right) = x \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + |x| \right)$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + x \right) & x \geq 0 \\ x \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x \right) & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\pi}{2} + 2x & x \geq 0 \\ \frac{\pi}{2} - 2x & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$f'(x)$ is increasing in $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ and decreasing in $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, 0\right)$

16. Let P be a point on $x^2 = 4y$. The segment joining $A(0, -1)$ and P is divided by point Q in the ratio $1 : 2$, then locus of point Q is

- A) $9x^2 = 3y + 2$ B) $9x^2 = 12y + 8$ C) $9y^2 = 12x + 8$ D) $9y^2 = 3x + 2$

Ans. B

Sol. Let point P be $(2t, t^2)$ and Q be (h, k) .

$$h = \frac{2t}{3}, k = \frac{-2 + t^2}{3}$$

$$\text{Hence locus is } 3k + 2 = \left(\frac{3h}{2}\right)^2 \Rightarrow 9x^2 = 12y + 8$$

17. Ellipse $2x^2 + y^2 = 1$ and $y = mx$ meet a point A in first quadrant. Normal to the ellipse at P meets x -axis at $\left(-\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}, 0\right)$ and y -axis at $(0, \beta)$, then $|\beta|$ is

- A) $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$ B) $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$ C) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$ D) $\frac{2}{3}$

Ans. C

Sol. Equation of normal at P is $\frac{x}{2x_1} - \frac{y}{y_1} = -\frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{It passes through } \left(-\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}, 0\right) \Rightarrow \frac{-1}{6\sqrt{2}x_1} = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow x_1 = \frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$$

So $y_1 = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$ (as P lies in Ist quadrant)

$$\text{So } \beta = \frac{y_1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

18. If $y^2 = ax$ and $x^2 = ay$ intersect at A & B . Area bounded by both curves is bisected by line $x = b$ (given $a > 1 > 0$). Area of triangle formed by line AB , $x = b$ and x -axis is $\frac{1}{2}$. Then

- A) $a^6 - 12a^3 - 4 = 0$ B) $a^6 + 12a^3 - 4 = 0$
 C) $a^6 - 12a^3 + 4 = 0$ D) $a^6 + 12a^3 + 4 = 0$

Ans. C

Sol. $\int_0^b \left(\sqrt{ax^2} - \frac{x^2}{a} \right) dx = \frac{a^2}{6}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{ab^3} - \frac{b^3}{3a} = \frac{a^2}{6} \quad (1)$$

also area of $\Delta OQR = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\frac{1}{2} b^2 = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow b = 1$$

Put in (1)

$$\Rightarrow 4a\sqrt{a} - 2 = a^3$$

$$\Rightarrow a^6 + 4a^3 + 4 = 16a^3$$

$$\Rightarrow a^6 - 12a^3 + 4 = 0$$

19. Let ABC is a triangle whose vertices are $A(1, -1), B(0, 2), C(x', y')$ and area of ΔABC is 5 and $C(x', y')$ lie on $3x + y - 4\lambda = 0$, then

- A) $\lambda = 3$ B) $\lambda = -3$ C) $\lambda = 4$ D) $\lambda = 2$

Ans. A

Sol. $D = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ x' & y' & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

$$-2(1 - x') + (y' + x') = \pm 10$$

$$-2 + 2x' + y' + x' = \pm 10$$

$$3x' + y' = 12 \text{ or } 3x' + y' = -8$$

$$\lambda = 3, -2$$

20. The system of equation $x + 2y + 3z = 1$ is inconsistent, then (δ, μ) can be $4x + 4y + 4z = \delta$

- A) (4, 6) B) (3, 4) C) (4, 3) D) (1, 0)

Ans. C

Sol. Note $D = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 4 & 4 \end{vmatrix} (R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1 + 3R_2) = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

Now let $P_3 \equiv 4x + 4y + 4z - \delta = 0$. If the system has solution it will have infinite solution, so $P_3 \equiv \alpha P_1 + \beta P_2$

$$\text{Hence } 3\alpha + \beta = 4 \text{ \& } 4\alpha + 2\beta = 4 \Rightarrow \alpha = 2 \text{ \& } \beta = -2$$

$$\text{So for infinite solution } 2\mu - 2 = \delta \Rightarrow \text{for } 2\mu \neq \delta + 2$$

system inconsistent

21. Shortest distance between the lines $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-8}{4} = \frac{z-3}{22}, \frac{x+3}{1} = \frac{y+7}{1} = \frac{z-6}{7}$ is

- A) $3\sqrt{30}$ B) $2\sqrt{30}$ C) $\sqrt{30}$ D) $4\sqrt{30}$

Ans. A

Sol. $\vec{AB} = 6\hat{i} + 15\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$

$$\vec{p} = \hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 22\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{q} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{p} \times \vec{q} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 4 & 22 \\ 1 & 1 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = 6\hat{i} + 15\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

$$\text{S.D.} = \frac{|\vec{AB} \cdot (\vec{p} \times \vec{q})|}{|\vec{p} \times \vec{q}|} = \frac{|36 + 225 + 9|}{\sqrt{36 + 225 + 9}} = 3\sqrt{30}$$

22. If volume of parallelepiped whose three coterminal edges are $\vec{u} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \lambda\hat{k}, \vec{v} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ & $\vec{w} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ is 1 cubic unit then cosine of angle between \vec{u} and \vec{v} is

- A) $\frac{7}{3\sqrt{10}}$ B) $\frac{7}{6\sqrt{3}}$ C) $\frac{5}{3\sqrt{3}}$ D) $\frac{5}{7}$

Ans. B

Sol. $\pm 1 = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & \lambda \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow -\lambda + 3 = \pm 1 \Rightarrow \lambda = 2 \text{ or } \lambda = 4$

For $\lambda = 4$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{2 + 1 + 4}{\sqrt{6}\sqrt{18}} = \frac{7}{6\sqrt{3}}$$

23. Find the sum $\sum_{k=1}^{20} (1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + k)$

Ans. 1540

Sol. $\sum_{k=1}^{20} \frac{k(k+1)}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{20} (k^2 + k)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{20(21)(41)}{6} + \frac{20(21)}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{420 \times 41}{6} + \frac{20 \times 21}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [2870 + 210] = 1540$$

24. If normal at P on the curve $y^2 - 3x^2 + y + 10 = 0$ passes through the point $(0, 3/2)$ then slope of tangent at P is n . The value of $|n|$ is equal to

Ans. 4

Sol. $P \equiv (x_1, y_1)$

$$2yy' - 6x + y' = 0 \Rightarrow y' = \left(\frac{6x_1}{1 + 2y_1} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{\frac{3}{2} - y_1}{-x_1} \right) = - \left(\frac{1 + 2y_1}{6x_1} \right)$$

$$9 - 6y_1 = 1 + 2y_1$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 = 1$$

$$\therefore x_1 = \pm 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Slope of tangent} = \left(\frac{\pm 12}{3} \right)$$

$$= \pm 4$$

$$\therefore |n| = 4$$

25. If $2x^2 + (a - 10)x + \frac{33}{2} = 2a$, $a \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ has real roots, then minimum value of 'a' is equal to

Ans. 8

Sol. $D \geq 0$

$$(a - 10)^2 - 4(2) \left(\frac{33}{2} - 2a \right) \geq 0$$

$$(a - 10)^2 - 4(33 - 4a) \geq 0$$

$$a^2 - 4a - 32 \geq 0 \Rightarrow a \in (-\infty, -4] \cup [8, \infty)$$