

JEE Main 2023 (Memory based)

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Answer & Solutions

PHYSICS

1. A car moving with constant speed of  $2 \text{ m/s}$  in circle having radius  $R$ . A pendulum is suspended from the ceiling of car. Find the angle made by the pendulum with the vertical. Take  $R = 8/15 \text{ m}$  and  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ .

- A.  $30^\circ$   
B.  $53^\circ$   
C.  $37^\circ$   
D.  $60^\circ$



Answer (C)

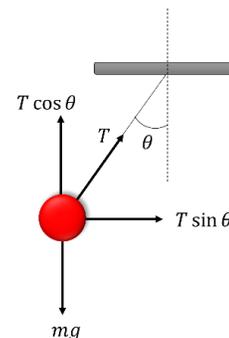
Solution:

$$T \sin \theta = \frac{mv^2}{R}$$

$$T \cos \theta = mg$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{v^2}{Rg} = \frac{4}{\frac{8}{15} \times 10} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\theta = 37^\circ$$



2. A particle is dropped inside a tunnel of the earth about any diameter. Particle starts oscillating, with time period  $T$ . ( $R$  = Radius of earth,  $g$  = acceleration due to gravity on earth's surface). Then find  $T$ .

- A.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{R}{g}}$   
B.  $T = \pi \sqrt{\frac{R}{g}}$   
C.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{2R}{g}}$   
D.  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{3R}{g}}$

Answer (A)

**Solution:**

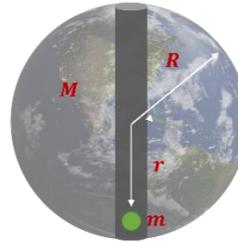
$$\text{Restoring force, } F = -\frac{GMmr}{R^3}$$

$$m \frac{dv}{dt} = -\left(\frac{GMm}{R^3}\right)r$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = -\left(\frac{GM}{R^3}\right)r = -\left(\frac{g}{R}\right)r$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{R}}$$

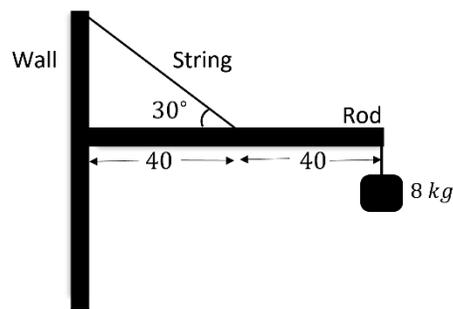
$$T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{R}{g}}$$



3. A massless rod is arranged as shown:

Find the tension in the string. (Take  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ .)

- A. 320 N
- B. 640 N
- C. 160 N
- D. 480 N



**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

Balancing the torque on the rod about the point of contact with the wall:

$$(T \sin 30^\circ) \times 40 = (mg) \times (40 + 40)$$

$$T = 320 \text{ N}$$

4. A Carnot engine working between a source and a sink at 200 K has efficiency of 50%. Another Carnot engine working between the same source and another sink with unknown temperature  $T$  has efficiency of 75%. The value of  $T$  is equal to

- A. 400 K
- B. 300 K
- C. 200 K
- D. 100 K

**Answer (D)**

**Solution:**

Let the source temperature of first engine is  $T$ .

$$\eta = 1 - \frac{200}{T} = \frac{50}{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow T = 400 \text{ K}$$

Let the source temperature of second engine is  $T$ .

$$\eta = 1 - \frac{T'}{400} = \frac{75}{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow T' = 100 \text{ K}$$

5. Mark the option correctly matching the following columns with appropriate dimensions.

Column-1	Column-2
A-Surface Tension	$P - [ML^{-1}T^{-2}]$
B-Pressure	$Q - [MT^{-2}]$
C-Viscosity	$R - [MLT^{-1}]$
D-Impulse	$S - [ML^{-1}T^{-1}]$

- A.  $A - Q, B - P, C - R, D - S$   
 B.  $A - Q, B - P, C - S, D - R$   
 C.  $A - S, B - Q, C - P, D - R$   
 D.  $A - R, B - P, C - Q, D - S$

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**

$$[\text{Surface tension}] = \left[ \frac{F}{L} \right] = [MT^{-2}]$$

$$[\text{Pressure}] = \left[ \frac{F}{A} \right] = \frac{[MLT^{-2}]}{[L^2]} = [ML^{-1}T^{-2}]$$

$$[\text{Viscosity}] = \left[ \frac{F}{rv} \right] = \frac{[MLT^{-2}]}{[L \cdot LT^{-1}]} = [ML^{-1}T^{-1}]$$

$$[\text{Impulse}] = [Ft] = [MLT^{-1}]$$

6. In the series sequence of two engines  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  as shown.  $T_1 = 600K$  and  $T_2 = 300K$ . It is given that both the engines working on Carnot principle have same efficiency, then temperature  $T$  at which exhaust of  $E_1$  is fed into  $E_2$  is equal to  $300\sqrt{n} K$ . Value of  $n$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Answer (2.0)**

**Solution:**

$$\eta_1 = 1 - \frac{T_1}{600}$$

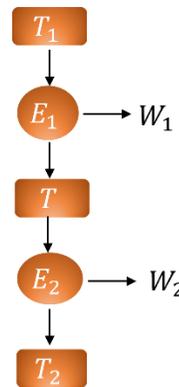
$$\eta_2 = 1 - \frac{300}{T}$$

Given:  $\eta_1 = \eta_2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{T}{600} = \frac{300}{T}$$

$$\Rightarrow T = \sqrt{180000} K = 300\sqrt{2} K$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 2$$



7. A solenoid of length  $2 m$ , has  $1200 \text{ turns}$ . The magnetic field inside the solenoid, when  $2 A$  current is passed through it is  $N \times \pi \times 10^{-5} T$ . Find the value of  $N$ . (Diameter of solenoid is  $0.5 m$ )

**Answer (48.0)**

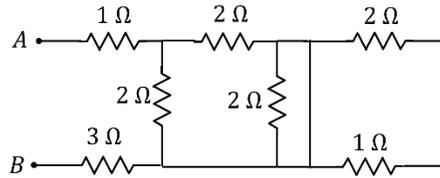
**Solution:**

$$\text{Magnetic field inside solenoid} = \mu_0 ni$$

$$\text{where } n = \text{Number of turns per unit length} = 1200/2 = 600 \text{ turns/m}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 B_{\text{solenoid}} &= \mu_0 n i = (4\pi \times 10^{-7} \times 600 \times 2) T \\
 &= 8\pi \times 10^{-7} \times 600 T \\
 &= 48\pi \times 10^{-5} T
 \end{aligned}$$

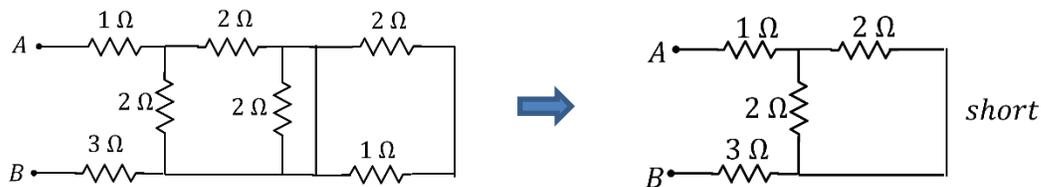
8. Consider a network of resistors as shown. Find the effective resistance (in  $\Omega$ ) across A and B.



**Answer (5.0)**

**Solution:**

Effectively, the network is



$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{AB} &= 1 \Omega + \frac{2 \times 2}{2 + 2} \Omega + 3 \Omega \\
 &= 5 \Omega
 \end{aligned}$$

9. Find the ratio of density of Oxygen( $O_8^{16}$ ) to the density of Helium( $He_2^4$ ) at STP.

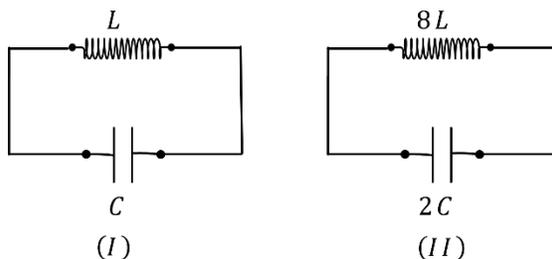
**Answer (8.0)**

**Solution:**

We know,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{P}{\rho} &= \frac{RT}{M_0} \\
 \Rightarrow \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} &= \frac{M_1}{M_2} = \frac{32}{4} = 8
 \end{aligned}$$

10. Consider the following two LC circuit.



Then find  $\omega_1/\omega_2$ , where  $\omega_1$  and  $\omega_2$  are resonance frequencies of the two circuits.

**Answer (4.0)****Solution:**

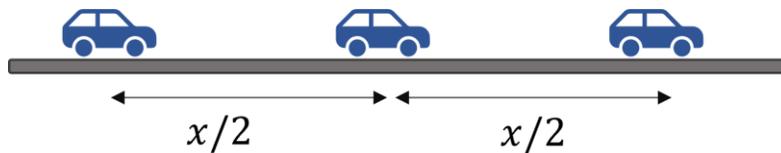
$$\omega_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

$$\omega_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8L \times 2C}} = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{LC}}$$

$$\frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} = 4$$

11. A car moving on a straight-line travels in same direction half of the distance with uniform velocity  $v_1$  and other half of the distance with uniform velocity  $v_2$ . Average velocity of the car is equal to

- A.  $2v_1v_2/(v_1 + v_2)$
- B.  $(v_1 + v_2)/2$
- C.  $v_1 + v_2$
- D.  $\sqrt{(v_1 + v_2)}$

**Answer (A)****Solution:**

Time to travel:

$$t_1 = \frac{x}{2v_1} \quad \text{and} \quad t_2 = \frac{x}{2v_2}$$

So,

$$v_{avg} = \frac{\text{Total distance}}{\text{Total Time}}$$

$$v_{avg} = \frac{x}{t_1 + t_2}$$

$$v_{avg} = \frac{x}{\frac{x}{2v_1} + \frac{x}{2v_2}}$$

$$v_{avg} = \frac{2v_1v_2}{v_1 + v_2}$$

12. If  $T$  is the temperature of a gas, then *RMS* velocity of the gas molecules is proportional to

- A.  $T^{1/2}$
- B.  $T^{-1/2}$
- C.  $T$
- D.  $T^2$

**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

We know that:

$$v_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{M_0}}$$

So,

$$v_{rms} \propto \sqrt{T}$$

13. The period of a pendulum at earth's surface is  $T$ . Find the time period of the pendulum at distance (from centre) which is twice the radius of earth.

- A.  $T/4$
- B.  $4T$
- C.  $T/2$
- D.  $2T$

**Answer (D)****Solution:**

We know that :

$$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}}$$

Case 1:

$$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{GM/R^2}}$$

Case 2:

$$T' = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{GM/4R^2}}$$

So,

$$\frac{T'}{T} = \frac{2}{1} \Rightarrow T' = 2T$$

14. Let  $I_{cm}$  be the moment of Inertia of disc passing through center and perpendicular to its plane.  $I_{AB}$  be the moment of inertia about axis  $AB$  that is in the plane of disc and  $\frac{2r}{3}$  distance from center. Find  $\frac{I_{cm}}{I_{AB}}$  ?

- A.  $1/4$
- B.  $18/25$
- C.  $9/17$
- D.  $1/2$

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**

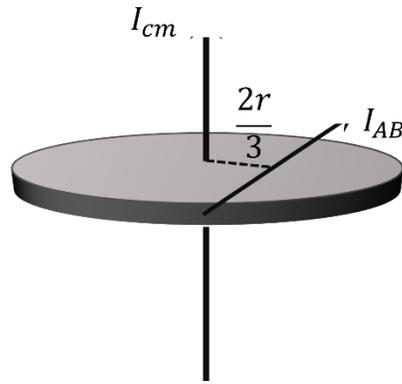
$$\text{Moment of Inertia, } I_{cm} = \frac{Mr^2}{2} \quad (\text{Perpendicular to plane})$$

$$I_{cm}(\text{in plane}) = \frac{Mr^2}{4}$$

$$I_{AB} = \frac{Mr^2}{4} + M\left(\frac{2}{3}r\right)^2$$

$$I_{AB} = \frac{(9 + 16)Mr^2}{36} = \frac{25}{36}Mr^2$$

$$\frac{I_{cm}(\text{Perpendicular})}{I_{AB}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}Mr^2}{\frac{25}{36}Mr^2} = \frac{18}{25}$$



15. Temperature of hot soup in a bowl goes  $98^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $86^{\circ}\text{C}$  in  $2 \text{ min}$ . The temperature of surrounding is  $22^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Find the time taken for the temperature of soup to go from  $75^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $69^{\circ}\text{C}$ . (Assume Newton's law of cooling is valid)

- A. 1 min
- B. 1.4 min
- C. 2 min
- D. 3.2 min

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**

We have,

$$\frac{\Delta\theta}{\Delta t} = -K\left(\frac{\theta_1 + \theta_2}{2} - \theta_0\right)$$

Given,  $\theta_0 = 22^{\circ}\text{C}$

$$\frac{98 - 86}{2} = -K\left(\frac{98 + 86}{2} - 22\right) \dots (1)$$

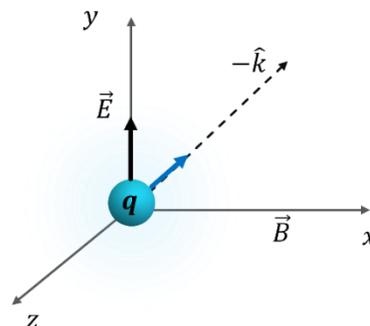
$$\frac{75 - 69}{t_2} = -K\left(\frac{75 + 69}{2} - 22\right) \dots (2)$$

From (1) and (2)

$$t_2 = \frac{70}{50} = 1.4 \text{ min}$$

16. Electric field is applied along  $+y$  direction. A charged particle is travelling along  $-\hat{k}$ , undeflected. Then magnetic field in the region will be along?

- A.  $\hat{i}$
- B.  $-\hat{i}$
- C.  $\hat{j}$
- D.  $-\hat{k}$



**Answer (A)****Solution:**

If the charged particle is moving in both uniform electric and magnetic field with no deflection than force will be zero on charged particle.

$$q(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B}) = 0$$

$$(\vec{v} \times \vec{B}) = -\vec{E}$$

$$(v_0(-\hat{k}) \times \vec{B}) = -E_0\hat{j}$$

$\vec{B}$  should be in  $\hat{i}$  direction to balance the electrostatic force on the charge particle. (Assuming the given charge to be positive.)

17. When an electron is accelerated by  $20 \text{ kV}$ , its de-broglie wavelength is  $\lambda_0$ . If the electron is accelerated by  $40 \text{ kV}$ , find its de-Broglie wavelength.

- A.  $2\lambda_0$
- B.  $\frac{\lambda_0}{2}$
- C.  $\sqrt{2}\lambda_0$
- D.  $\frac{\lambda_0}{\sqrt{2}}$

**Answer (D)****Solution:**

We know,

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{h}{p}$$

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mK}}$$

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2meV}}$$

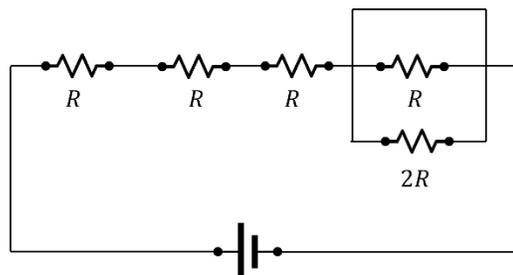
Since  $V$  doubles.

$$\frac{\lambda'}{\lambda_0} = \sqrt{\frac{V}{2V}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

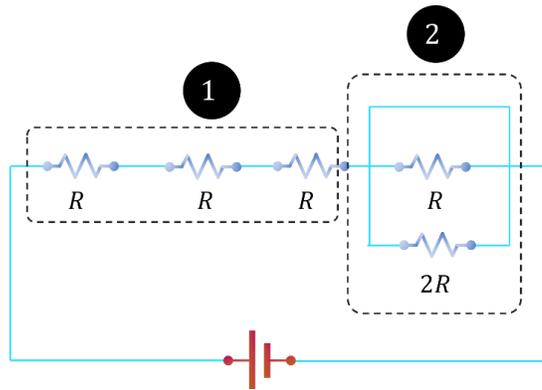
$$\lambda' = \frac{\lambda_0}{\sqrt{2}}$$

18. Find the equivalent resistance of the given circuit across the terminals of ideal battery.

- A.  $2R$
- B.  $3R$
- C.  $4R$
- D.  $5R$

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**



In 2<sup>nd</sup> part of diagram a connecting wire is nullifying the resistance of parallel resistance thus their new resistance is zero. So, net resistance of circuit is  $3R$

19. For an AM signal, it is given that  $f_{carrier} = 10 \text{ MHz}$  &  $f_{signal} = 5 \text{ kHz}$ . Find the bandwidth of the transmitted signal.

- A. 5 kHz
- B. 10 kHz
- C. 2.5 kHz
- D. 20 MHz

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**

Bandwidth of amplitude modulated wave is:

$$\Delta f = 2f_m = 10 \text{ kHz}$$

20. Let nuclear densities of  ${}^4_2\text{He}$  and  ${}^{40}_{20}\text{Ca}$  be  $\rho_1$  and  $\rho_2$  respectively. Find the ratio  $\frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}$ .

- A. 1:10
- B. 10:1
- C. 1:1
- D. 1:2

**Answer (C)**

**Solution:**

We know radius,

$$R = R_0 A^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\text{Density} = \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Volume}}$$

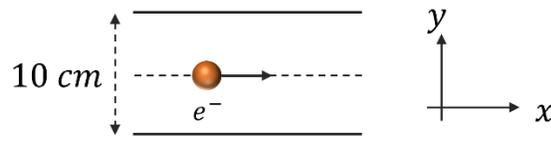
$$\text{Density} = \frac{A}{\frac{4}{3}\pi (R_0 A^{\frac{1}{3}})^3} = \frac{1}{\frac{4}{3}\pi R_0^3}$$

Density is independent of  $A$

$$\frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} = 1 \Rightarrow \rho_1 : \rho_2 = 1 : 1$$

21. A particle is projected with  $0.5 \text{ eV}$  kinetic energy in a uniform electric field  $\vec{E} = -10 \frac{N}{C} \hat{j}$  as shown in the figure. Find the angle particle made from the  $x$  – axis when it leaves  $\vec{E}$ .

- A.  $\theta = 45^\circ$   
 B.  $\theta = 60^\circ$   
 C.  $\theta = 30^\circ$   
 D.  $\theta = 37^\circ$



**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

In  $x$  –direction:

$$v_x = v_0$$

In  $y$  –direction:

$$a_y = \left( \frac{eE}{m_e} \right)$$

$$s_y = 5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$$

$$v_y^2 = 2a_y s_y$$

$$v_y = \sqrt{\frac{2eE}{m_e} s_y}$$

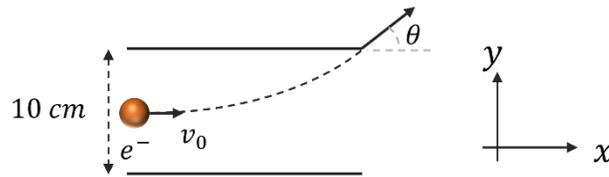
$$\tan \theta = \left( \frac{v_y}{v_x} \right)$$

$$K_i = 0.5 \text{ eV} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_e v_x^2}{e}$$

$$v_x = \sqrt{\frac{0.5 \times 2e}{m_e}} = \sqrt{\frac{e}{m_e}}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{2eE}{m_e} s_y}}{\sqrt{\frac{e}{m_e}}} = \sqrt{2Es_y} = \sqrt{2 \times 10 \times 5 \times 10^{-2}} = 1$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} 1 = 45^\circ$$



22. Find the ratio of acceleration due to gravity at an altitude  $h = R$  to the value at the surface of earth (where  $R$ =radius of earth)

- A.  $1/2$   
 B.  $1/4$   
 C.  $1/8$   
 D.  $1/6$

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**

We have,

$$\frac{g_h}{g} = \left( \frac{R}{R+h} \right)^2$$

$$\frac{g_h}{g} = \left( \frac{R}{R+R} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

**23.** Statement 1: Photodiodes are operated in reverse biased.

Statement 2 : Current in forward biased is more than current in reverse bias in  $p - n$  diode.

- A. Both the statements are true and 2 is the correct explanation of 1.
- B. Both the statements are true and 2 is not the correct explanation of 1.
- C. Statement 1 is true and statement 2 is false.
- D. Statement 2 is true and statement 1 is false.

**Answer (B)**

**Sol.** Statement 1 is true as photodiode is used in reverse bias to increase the sensitivity of diode current.

Statement 2 is true as diode provides greater resistance in reverse bias.

## CHEMISTRY

1. Radius of 2<sup>nd</sup> orbit of Li<sup>2+</sup> ion is  $x$ , radius of 3<sup>rd</sup> orbit of Be<sup>3+</sup> will be

- A.  $\frac{27x}{16}$
- B.  $\frac{16x}{27}$
- C.  $\frac{4x}{3}$
- D.  $\frac{3x}{4}$

**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

$$r_{Li^{2+}} = r_o \times \frac{2^2}{3} = \frac{4r_o}{3} = x \Rightarrow r_o = \frac{3x}{4}$$

$$r_{Be^{3+}} = r_o \times \frac{3^2}{4} = \frac{9r_o}{4} = \frac{9 \times 3 \times x}{4 \times 4} = \frac{27x}{16}$$

2. If X-atoms are present at alternate corners and at body centre of a cube and Y-atoms are present at 1/3<sup>rd</sup> of face centers then what will be the empirical formula?

- A.  $X_{2.5}Y$
- B.  $X_5Y_2$
- C.  $X_{1.5}Y$
- D.  $X_3Y_2$

**Answer (D)**

**Solution:**

$$\text{No. of X – atoms per unit cell} = 1 + 4 \times \frac{1}{8} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{No. of Y – atoms per unit cell} = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

Therefore, the empirical formula of the solid is  $X_3Y_2$ .

3. Which of the following option contains the correct match

Table – I (Elements)	Table – II (Flame colour)
A. K	P. Violet
B. Ca	Q. Brick Red
C. Sr	R. Apple Green
D. Ba	S. Crimson Red

- A. A – P, B – Q, C – S, D – R
- B. A – Q, B – P, C – S, D – R
- C. A – R, B – S, C – P, D – Q
- D. A – S, B – R, C – Q, D – P

**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

K – Violet

Ca – Brick Red

Sr – Crimson Red

Ba – Apple Green

**4. Match the following**

List - I	List - II
A. $Pb^{2+}, Cu^{2+}$	1. $H_2S$ in dil HCl
B. $Fe^{3+}, Al^{3+}$	2. $NH_4Cl$ with $(NH_4)_2CO_3$
C. $Ni^{2+}, Co^{2+}$	3. $H_2S$ in dil $NH_4OH$
D. $Ca^{2+}, Ba^{2+}$	4. $NH_4Cl$ with $NH_4OH$

A. A – 1, B – 2, C – 3, D – 4

B. A – 1, B – 4, C – 3, D – 2

C. A – 4, B – 3, C – 2, D – 1

D. A – 2, B – 1, C – 4, D – 3

**Answer (B)****Solution:**

$Pb^{2+}$  and  $Cu^{2+}$  will precipitate as  $PbS$  and  $CuS$  respectively by passing  $H_2S$  gas in presence of dil. HCl.

$Fe^{3+}$  and  $Al^{3+}$  will precipitate as  $Fe(OH)_3$  and  $Al(OH)_3$  respectively by adding  $NH_4Cl$  and  $NH_4OH$

$Ni^{2+}$  and  $Co^{2+}$  will precipitate as  $NiS$  and  $CoS$  respectively by passing  $H_2S$  in presence of dil  $NH_4OH$ .

$Ca^{2+}$  and  $Ba^{2+}$  will precipitate as  $CaCO_3$  and  $BaCO_3$  respectively by adding  $NH_4Cl$  and  $(NH_4)_2CO_3$ .

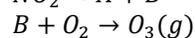
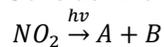
**5. Which of the following is correct about antibiotics**

A. Antibiotics are the substances that promote the growth of micro-organisms

B. Penicillin has bacteriostatic effect

C. Erythromycin has bactericidal effect

D. They are synthesised artificially

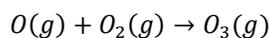
**Answer (D)****Solution:** Antibiotics are synthesised artificially.**6. Consider the following sequences of the reactions**

A can be?

A.  $N_2O$ B.  $NO$ C.  $N_2O_3$ D.  $N_2$

**Answer (B)****Solution:**

(A) (B)



(B)

7. Correct order of basic strength in aqueous solution for

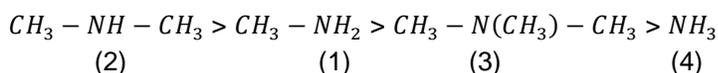
1.  $CH_3 - NH_2$
2.  $CH_3 - NH - CH_3$
3.  $CH_3 - N(CH_3) - CH_3$
4.  $NH_3$

- A.  $2 > 1 > 3 > 4$
- B.  $3 > 2 > 1 > 4$
- C.  $4 > 2 > 1 > 3$
- D.  $2 > 4 > 3 > 1$

**Answer (A)****Solution:**

Basic strength  $\propto$  Availability of lone pairs on Nitrogen atom

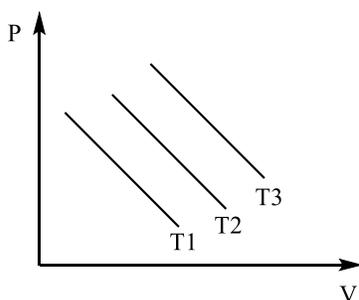
The correct order of basic strength in aqueous medium is



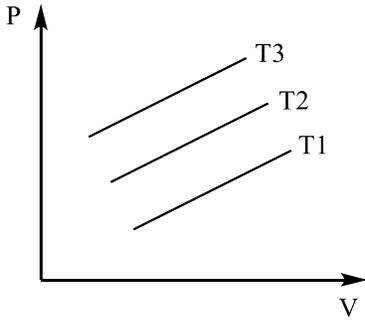
The availability of lone pair on N-atom in case of ammonia and alkyl amines in aqueous medium depend on three factors

- 1) Electron donating effects: +I effect is present in case of alkyl amines but not in case of ammonia and availability of electrons on N-atom  $\propto$  +I effect
- 2) Solvation: More is the solvation less will be the availability of electrons on N-atom. Extent of solvation  $\propto$  no. of H-atoms directly attach to N-atom
- 3) Steric Crowding: More is no. of alkyl groups more is the steric crowding and less will be the availability of electrons on N-atom

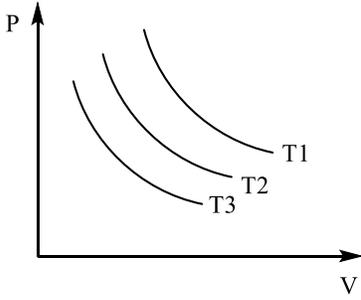
8. Which Graph graph is correct for Isothermal process at  $T_1, T_2$  &  $T_3$  if ( $T_3 > T_2 > T_1$ )



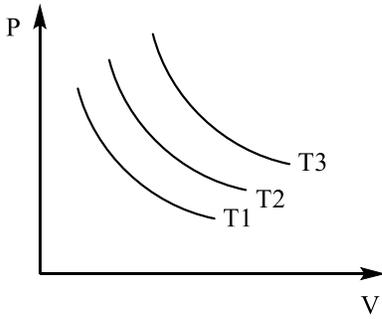
A.



B.



C.



D.

**Answer (D)**

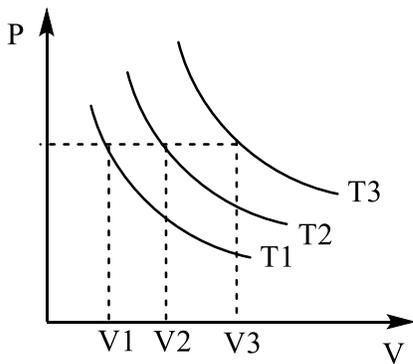
**Solution:**

According to Boyle Law  $P \propto \frac{1}{V}$

The graph must be hyperbola.

As we know,  $PV = nRT$

So as increase the Temperature the PV graph area increases



As  $(V_3 > V_2 > V_1)$  for fixed P

=  $(T_3 > T_2 > T_1)$

And the correct option is (D)

9. An athlete is given 100g of glucose energy equivalent to 1560KJ to utilise 50% of this gained energy in an event. Enthalpy of evaporation of  $H_2O$  is 44KJ/mol. In order to avoid storage of energy in the body the mass of water (in g) he would perspire is: (Round off the nearest Integer)

**Answer (319)**

**Solution:**

Given 100 g of glucose yields 1560 KJ of energy.

50% of 1560 KJ that is 780 KJ is used to perspire water

To perspire 1 mol of water that is 18 g of water 44 KJ energy is required

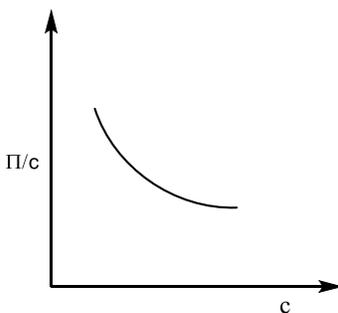
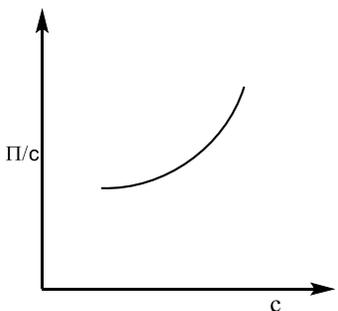
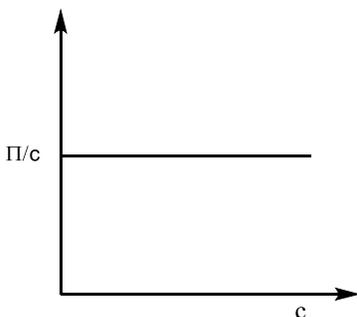
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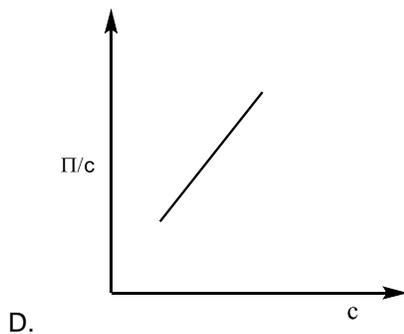
$$\text{Moles of water evaporated} = \frac{780}{44} \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Weight of water evaporated} = \frac{780}{44} \times 18 = 319 \text{ g}$$

(Assuming water is contained in the body)

10. Which of the following option contains the correct graph between  $\pi/c$  and  $c$  at constant temperature (Where  $\pi$  is osmotic pressure and  $c$  is concentration of the solute)



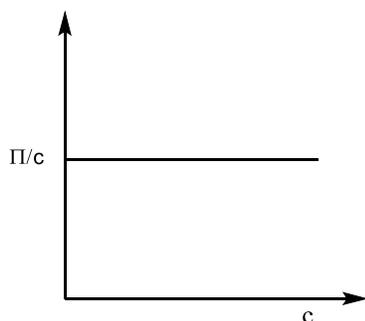


**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

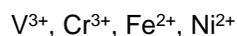
$$\pi = cRT$$

$$\frac{\pi}{c} = RT$$



The value of  $\frac{\pi}{c}$  is constant at constant temperature

11. How many of the following ions/elements has the same value of spin magnetic moment?



**Answer (2)**

**Solution:**

$V^{3+}$  -  $d^2$  - 2 unpaired electrons

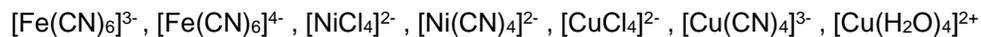
$Cr^{3+}$  -  $d^3$  - 3 unpaired electrons

$Fe^{2+}$  -  $d^6$  - 4 unpaired electrons

$Ni^{2+}$  -  $d^8$  - 2 unpaired electrons

$V^{3+}$  and  $Ni^{2+}$  has the same number of unpaired electrons and hence has the same value of spin magnetic Moment.

12. How many of the following complexes is (are) paramagnetic?



**Answer (4)**

**Solution:**

$[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-}$  -  $d^5$  - paramagnetic

$[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{4-}$  -  $d^6$  - diamagnetic

$[\text{NiCl}_4]^{2-}$  -  $d^8$  - paramagnetic

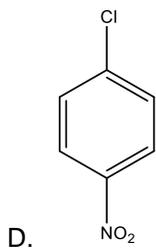
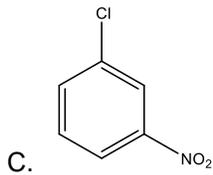
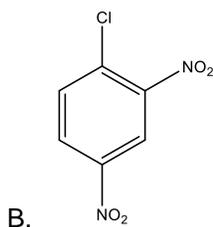
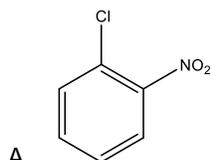
$[\text{Ni}(\text{CN})_4]^{2-}$  -  $d^8$  - diamagnetic

$[\text{CuCl}_4]^{2-}$  -  $d^9$  - paramagnetic

$[\text{Cu}(\text{CN})_4]^{3-}$  -  $d^{10}$  - diamagnetic

$[\text{Cu}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_4]^{2+}$  -  $d^9$  - paramagnetic

13. Which of the following shows least reactivity towards nucleophilic substitution reaction?



**Answer (C)**

**Solution:**

Aryl halides containing EWG at ortho or para position are more reactive towards nucleophilic substitution reaction than meta isomer.

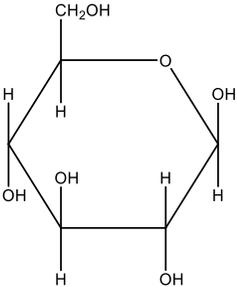
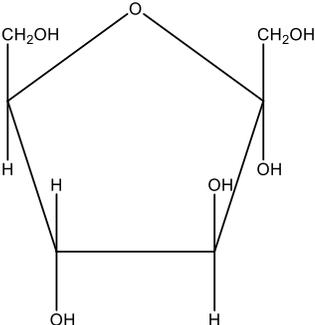
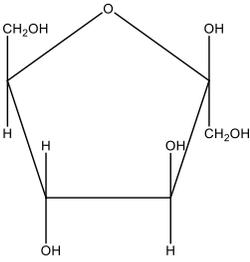
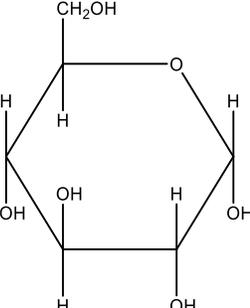
14. For a first order reaction,  $A \rightarrow B$ ;  $t_{1/2}$  is 30 minutes. Then find the time in minutes required for 75% completion of reaction?

**Answer (60 minutes)**

**Solution:**

$$t_{75\%} = t_{1/4} = 2 \times t_{1/2} = 2 \times 30 \text{ minutes} = 60 \text{ minutes}$$

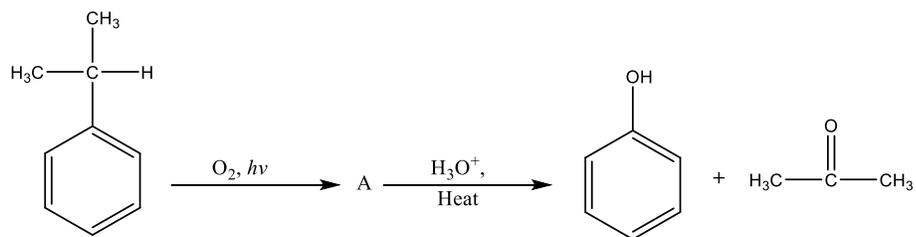
15. Match List – I with List – II.

List - I	List - II
<p>A. <math>\alpha</math> - D - Glucopyranose</p>	<p>1.</p> 
<p>B. <math>\beta</math> - D - Glucopyranose</p>	<p>2.</p> 
<p>C. <math>\alpha</math> - D - Fructofuranose</p>	<p>3.</p> 
<p>D. <math>\beta</math> - D - Fructofuranose</p>	<p>4.</p> 

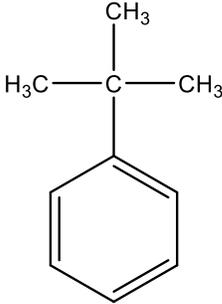
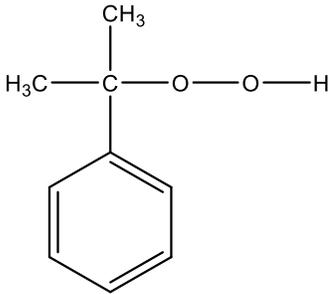
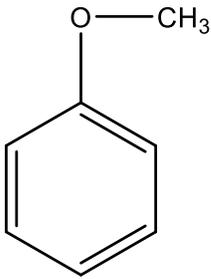
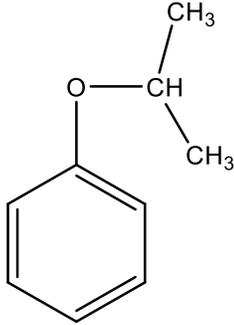
- A. A - 4 ; B - 1 ; C - 2 ; D - 3
- B. A - 1 ; B - 4 ; C - 3 ; D - 2
- C. A - 2 ; B - 3 ; C - 4 ; D - 1
- D. A - 1 ; B - 3 ; C - 2 ; D - 4

Answer (A)

16. Consider the following conversion.

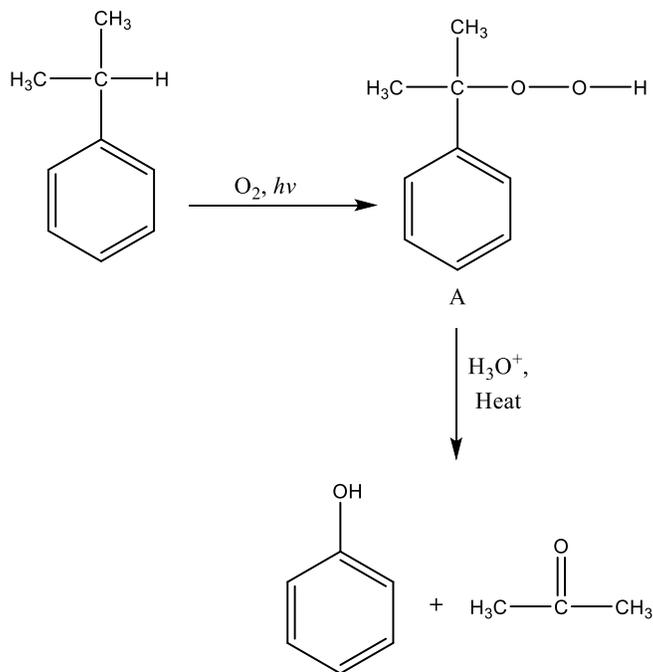


Which of the following option contains the correct structure of 'A'.

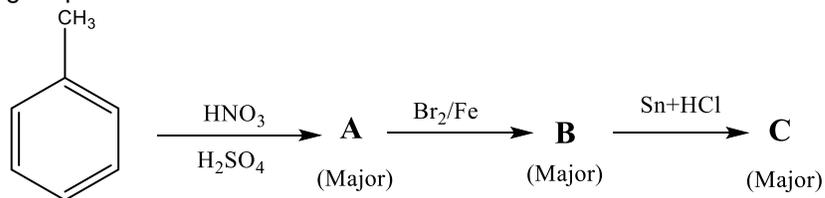
- A. 
- B. 
- C. 
- D. 

**Answer (B)**

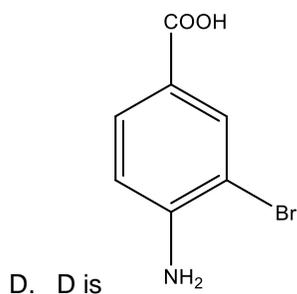
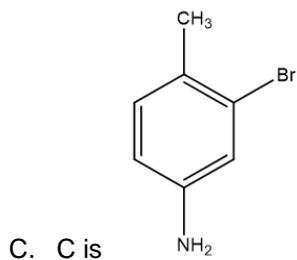
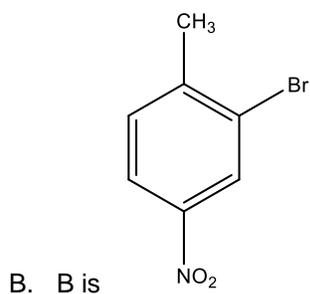
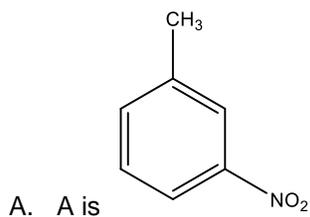
**Solution:**



17. Consider the following sequence of reaction.

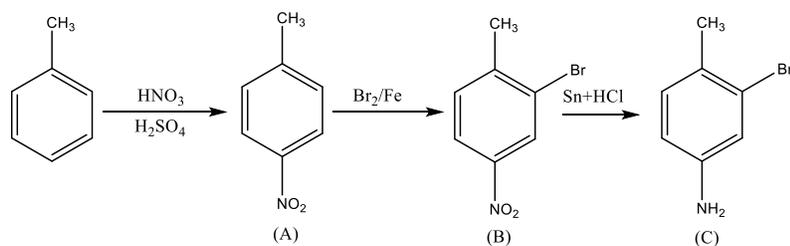


Which of the following option contains the correct structure?



**Answer (C)**

**Solution:**



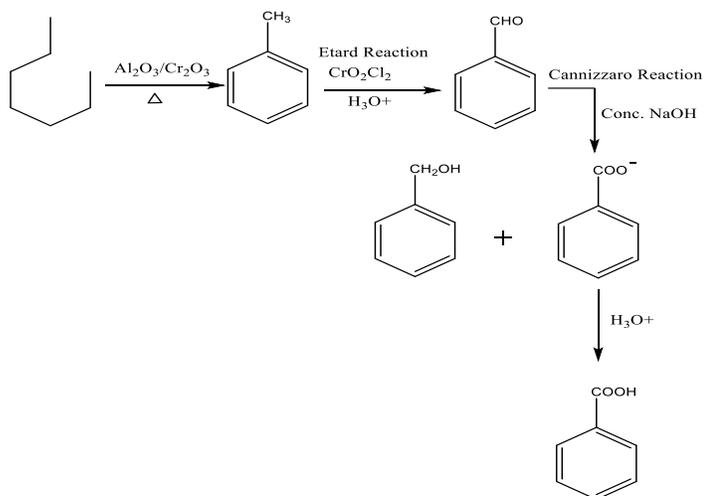
18. Identify the correct sequence of reactants for the following conversion.



- A.  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3/\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3, \text{CrO}_2\text{Cl}_2/\text{H}_3\text{O}^+, \text{Conc. NaOH}, \text{H}_3\text{O}^+$
- B.  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3/\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3, \text{CrO}_2\text{Cl}_2/\text{H}_3\text{O}^+, \text{H}_3\text{O}^+, \text{Conc. NaOH}$
- C.  $\text{CrO}_2\text{Cl}_2, \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3, \text{Conc. NaOH}, \text{H}_3\text{O}^+$
- D.  $\text{Sn}/\text{HCl}, \text{Conc. NaOH}, \text{CrO}_2\text{Cl}_2, \text{HNO}_3$

**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

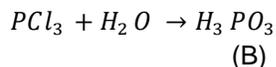
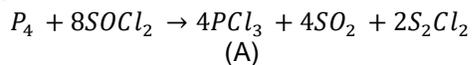


19. Thionyl chloride on reaction with white phosphorous gives compound A. A on hydrolysis gives compound B which is dibasic. Identify A and B.

- A.  $A - \text{PCl}_5, B = \text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$
- B.  $A - \text{P}_4\text{O}_6, B = \text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$
- C.  $A - \text{POCl}_3, B = \text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$
- D.  $A - \text{PCl}_3, B = \text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$

**Answer (D)**

**Solution:**



20. The correct decreasing order of positive electron gain enthalpy for the following inert gases.  
He, Ne, Kr, Xe

- A.  $\text{He} > \text{Ne} > \text{Kr} > \text{Xe}$
- B.  $\text{He} > \text{Ne} > \text{Xe} > \text{Kr}$
- C.  $\text{He} > \text{Xe} > \text{Ne} > \text{Kr}$
- D.  $\text{Ne} > \text{Kr} > \text{Xe} > \text{He}$



## MATHEMATICS

1.  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) + \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x^2}{2x}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ ,  $x \in [-1, 1]$  sum of all solutions is  $\alpha - \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$ , then  $\alpha$  is:

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. -2
- D.  $\sqrt{3}$

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) + \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x^2}{2x}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{for } -1 < x < 0, \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) = 2 \tan^{-1} x \text{ and } \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x^2}{2x}\right) = \pi + 2 \tan^{-1} x$$

$$2 \tan^{-1} x + \pi + 2 \tan^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$4 \tan^{-1} x = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{for } 0 < x < 1, \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) = 2 \tan^{-1} x \text{ and } \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x^2}{2x}\right) = 2 \tan^{-1} x$$

$$4 \tan^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$x = \tan \frac{\pi}{12} = 2 - \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{sum} = 2 - \sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = 2 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 2$$

2. Mean of a data set is 10 and variance is 4. If one entry of data set changes from 8 to 12, then new mean becomes 10.2. Then now variance is:

- A. 3.92
- B. 3.96
- C. 4.04
- D. 4.08

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**

Let number of observations be  $n$

$$10n - 8 + 12 = (10.2)n$$

$$10n + 4 = (10.2)n$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 20$$

For earlier set of observations

$$\frac{\sum x_i^2}{20} - (10)^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum x_i^2 = (104)(20) = 2080$$

After change

$$\begin{aligned} (\sum x_i^2)_{\text{new}} &= 2080 - 8^2 + 12^2 \\ &= 2160 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{New variance} = \frac{2160}{20} - (10.2)^2$$

$$= 108 - (10.2)^2$$

$$= 3.96$$

3. If  $y = (1 + x)(x^2 + 1)(x^4 + 1)(x^8 + 1)(x^{16} + 1)$ , then find the value of  $y'' - y'$  at  $x = -1$ :

- A. 496
- B. 946
- C. -496
- D. -946

**Answer (C)**

**Solution:**

$$y = (1 + x)(x^2 + 1)(x^4 + 1)(x^8 + 1)(x^{16} + 1)$$

Multiply and divide by  $(x - 1)$  we get,

$$y = \frac{(1+x)(x^2+1)(x^4+1)(x^8+1)(x^{16}+1)(x-1)}{(x-1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{(x^2-1)(x^2+1)(x^4+1)(x^8+1)(x^{16}+1)}{(x-1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{(x^4-1)(x^4+1)(x^8+1)(x^{16}+1)}{(x-1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{(x^8-1)(x^8+1)(x^{16}+1)}{(x-1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{(x^{16}-1)(x^{16}+1)}{(x-1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{(x^{32}-1)}{(x-1)}$$

At  $x = -1$  we get  $y = 0$

$$y(x - 1) = x^{32} - 1$$

Differentiate on both sides,

$$y'(x - 1) + y = 32x^{31} \quad \dots (1)$$

At  $x = -1$

$$y'(-1) = \frac{-32}{-2} = 16$$

Differentiate equation (1) on both sides we get,

$$y''(x - 1) + y' + y' = 32 \times 31x^{30}$$

At  $x = -1$

$$y''(-1) = \frac{32 \times 31 - 16 - 16}{-2} = -480$$

$$\therefore y''(-1) - y'(-1) = -480 - 16 = -496$$

4. The logical statement  $(p \wedge \sim q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow \sim q)$  is a:

- A. Tautology
- B. Fallacy
- C. Equivalent to  $p \vee \sim q$
- D. Equivalent to  $p \wedge \sim q$

**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} &(p \wedge \sim q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow \sim q) \\ &= (p \wedge \sim q) \rightarrow (\sim p \vee \sim q) \\ &= \sim(p \wedge \sim q) \vee (\sim p \vee \sim q) \\ &= (\sim p \vee q) \vee (\sim p \vee \sim q) \\ &= \sim p \wedge T = T \text{ (Tautology)} \end{aligned}$$

5. If  $a_r$  is the coefficient of  $x^{10-r}$  in expansion of  $(1 + x)^{10}$  then  $\sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \left(\frac{a_r}{a_{r-1}}\right)^2$  is:

- A. 390
- B. 1210
- C. 485
- D. 220

**Answer (B)****Solution:**

Coefficient of  $x^{10-r}$  in  $(1+x)^{10}$  is  ${}^{10}C_{10-r}$

$$\therefore a_r = {}^{10}C_{10-r}$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \left( \frac{a_r}{a_{r-1}} \right)^2 = \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \cdot \left( \frac{10!}{r!(10-r)!} \cdot \frac{(11-r)!(r-1)!}{10!} \right)^2$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \cdot \left( \frac{11-r}{r} \right)^2 = \sum_{r=1}^{10} r(11-r)^2$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^{10} r(11-r)^2 = 1 \times 10^2 + 2 \times 9^2 + \dots + 9 \times 2^2 + 10 \times 1^2$$

Which is same as  $\sum_{r=1}^{10} r^2(11-r)$

$$\sum_{r=1}^{10} r^2(11-r) = 1^2 \times 10 + 2^2 \times 9 + \dots + 9^2 \times 2 + 10^2 \times 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{10} r(11-r)^2 = \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^2(11-r)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^2(11-r) = 11 \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^2 - \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \left( \frac{a_r}{a_{r-1}} \right)^2 = 11 \left( \frac{10 \times 11 \times 21}{6} \right) - \left( \frac{10 \times 11}{2} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \left( \frac{a_r}{a_{r-1}} \right)^2 = 11^2 \times 35 - 11^2 \times 25$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^3 \left( \frac{a_r}{a_{r-1}} \right)^2 = 11^2 \times 10 = 1210$$

6.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1+2-3+4+5-6+\dots+(3n-2)+(3n-1)-3n}{\sqrt{2n^4+3n+1}-\sqrt{n^4+n+3}}$

A.  $\frac{3}{2}(\sqrt{2}+1)$

B.  $\frac{2}{3}(\sqrt{2}+1)$

C.  $\frac{2}{3\sqrt{2}}$

D.  $2\sqrt{2}$

**Answer (A)****Solution:**

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1+2-3+4+5-6+\dots+(3n-2)+(3n-1)-3n}{\sqrt{2n^4+3n+1}-\sqrt{n^4+n+3}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sum_{r=1}^n ((3r-2)+(3r-1)-3r)}{\sqrt{2n^4+3n+1}-\sqrt{n^4+n+3}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sum_{r=1}^n 3(r-1)}{\sqrt{2n^4+3n+1}-\sqrt{n^4+n+3}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{3n(n-1)}{2}}{\sqrt{2n^4+3n+1}-\sqrt{n^4+n+3}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{3n(n-1)}{2}}{n^2 \left( \sqrt{2+\frac{3}{n^3}+\frac{1}{n^4}} - \sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n^3}+\frac{3}{n^4}} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}-1} \right) = \frac{3}{2} (\sqrt{2}+1)$$

7. If  $|z - z_1|^2 + |z - z_2|^2 = |z_1 - z_2|^2$  when  $z_1 = 2 + 3i$  and  $z_2 = 3 + 4i$ , then locus of  $z$  is:

A. Straight line with slope  $-\frac{1}{2}$

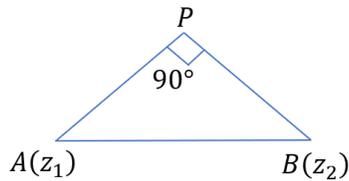
B. Circle with radius  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

C. Hyperbola with eccentricity  $\sqrt{2}$

D. Hyperbola with eccentricity  $\frac{5}{2}$

**Answer (B)**

**Solution:**



So, locus of  $P$  is circle whose diameter is  $AB$

$$AB = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{radius of circle} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

8.  $f(x) = \int \frac{2x}{(x^2+1)(x^2+3)} dx$  if  $f(3) = \frac{1}{2}[\ln 5 - \ln 6]$ , then  $f(4)$  is:

- A.  $\frac{1}{2}[\ln 17 - \ln 19]$
- B.  $\frac{1}{2}[\ln 19 - \ln 17]$
- C.  $\ln 19 - \ln 17$
- D.  $\ln 17 - \ln 19$

**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

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

$$\text{Let } x^2 = t$$

$$2x dx = dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dt}{(t+1)(t+3)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(t+3) - (t+1)}{(t+1)(t+3)} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [\ln|t+1| - \ln|t+3|] + \frac{c}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [\ln|x^2+1| - \ln|x^2+3|] + \frac{c}{2}$$

$$\text{Now } f(3) = \frac{1}{2} [\ln 5 - \ln 6]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [\ln 5 - \ln 6] = \frac{1}{2} [\ln 10 - \ln 12] + \frac{c}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 0$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{1}{2} [\ln|x^2+1| - \ln|x^2+3|]$$

$$\therefore f(4) = \frac{1}{2} [\ln 17 - \ln 19]$$

9. If  $f(x) = \int_0^2 e^{|x-t|} dt$ , then the minimum value of  $f(x)$  is equal to:

- A.  $2(e-1)$
- B.  $2(e+1)$
- C.  $2e-1$
- D.  $2e+1$

**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

For  $x > 2$

$$f(x) = \int_0^2 e^{x-t} dt \Rightarrow e^x (-e^{-t}) \Big|_0^2 \Rightarrow e^x (1 - e^{-2})$$

For  $x < 0$

$$f(x) = \int_0^2 e^{t-x} dt \Rightarrow e^{-x} e^t \Big|_0^2 \Rightarrow e^{-x} (e^2 - 1)$$

For  $0 \leq x \leq 2$

$$f(x) = \int_0^x e^{x-t} dt + \int_x^2 e^{t-x} dt$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= -e^x e^{-t} \Big|_0^x + e^{-x} e^t \Big|_x^2 \\
&= -e^x(e^{-x} - 1) + e^{-x}(e^2 - e^x) \\
&= -1 + e^x + e^{2-x} - 1 \\
&= e^{2-x} + e^x - 2
\end{aligned}$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} e^x(1 - e^{-2}) & x > 2 \\ e^{2-x} + e^x - 2 & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ e^{-x}(e^x - 1) & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

For  $x > 2$

$$f(x)_{\min} = e^2 - 1$$

For  $0 \leq x \leq 2$

$$f'(x) = -e^{2-x} + e^x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow e^x = e^{2-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{2x} = e^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$f(x)_{\min} = 2e - 2 = 2(e - 1)$$

10. If  $f(x) = x^b + 3$ ,  $g(x) = ax + c$ . If  $(g(f(x)))^{-1} = \left(\frac{x-7}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ , then  $f \circ g(ac) + g \circ f(b)$  is:

- A. 189
- B. 195
- C. 194
- D. 89

**Answer (A)**

**Solution:**

$$g(f(x)) = a(x^b + 3) + c$$

$$\left(g(f(x))\right)^{-1} = \left(\frac{x-3a-c}{a}\right)^{\frac{1}{b}} = \left(\frac{x-7}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 1$$

$$g(x) = 2x + 1$$

$$f(x) = x^3 + 3$$

$$\text{Now } f \circ g(2) + g \circ f(3) = 128 + 61 = 189$$

11. The term independent of  $x$  in the expansion of  $\left(2x + \frac{1}{x^7} - 7x^2\right)^5$  is :

- A. 1372
- B. 2744
- C. -13720
- D. 13720

**Answer (C)**

**Solution:**

Using multinomial theorem,

$$\left(2x + \frac{1}{x^7} - 7x^2\right)^5$$

$$= \frac{5!}{\alpha! \beta! \gamma!} (2x)^\alpha \left(\frac{1}{x^7}\right)^\beta (-7x^2)^\gamma, \text{ where } \alpha + \beta + \gamma = 5 \dots (i)$$

$$= \frac{5!}{\alpha! \beta! \gamma!} 2^\alpha \cdot (-7)^\gamma x^{\alpha-7\beta+2\gamma}$$

For independent term,

$$\alpha - 7\beta + 2\gamma = 0 \dots (ii)$$

$$\text{From (i) and (ii), } \beta = \frac{\gamma+5}{8}$$

Since  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are integers from  $[1,5]$

$$\Rightarrow \gamma = 3, \beta = 1, \alpha = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{ independent term} = \frac{5!}{1!1!3!} 2^1 \cdot (-7)^3$$

$$= -13720$$

12. The value of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \log_x y & \log_x z \\ \log_y x & 2 & \log_y z \\ \log_z x & \log_z y & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  then  $|\text{adj}(\text{adj } A^2)|$  is:

- A.  $6^4$
- B.  $4^8$
- C.  $4^5$
- D.  $2^8$

**Answer (D)**

**Solution:**

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \log_x y & \log_x z \\ \log_y x & 2 & \log_y z \\ \log_z x & \log_z y & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \frac{1}{\log x \log y \log z} \begin{bmatrix} \log x & \log y & \log z \\ \log x & 2 \log y & \log z \\ \log x & \log y & 3 \log z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow |A| = 2$$

$$|\text{adj}(\text{adj } A^2)| = |A|^8$$

$$= 2^8$$

13. Sum of two positive integers is 66 and  $\mu$  is the maximum value of their product  $S = \{x \in \mathbb{Z}, x(66 - x) \geq \frac{5\mu}{9}\}$ ,  $x \neq 0$ , then probability of  $A$  when  $A = \{x \in S; x = 3k, x \in \mathbb{N}\}$  is:

- A.  $\frac{1}{4}$
- B.  $\frac{2}{3}$
- C.  $\frac{1}{3}$
- D.  $\frac{1}{2}$

**Answer (C)**

**Solution:**

Let the two numbers be  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$

$$\alpha + \beta = 66$$

$$A.M. \geq G.M.$$

$$\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \geq \sqrt{\alpha\beta}$$

$$\mu = 33 \times 33 = 1089$$

$$x(66 - x) \geq \frac{5\mu}{9}$$

$$x(66 - x) \geq 605$$

$$x^2 - 66x + 605 \leq 0$$

$$x \in [11, 55]$$

Favourable set of values of  $x$  for event  $A = \{12, 15, 18, \dots, 54\}$

$$P(A) = \frac{15}{45} = \frac{1}{3}$$

14. Let  $L_1 = \frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-1}{3}$  and  $L_2 = \frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{2} = \frac{z-3}{3}$  and direction ratios of line  $L_3$  are  $\langle 1, -1, 3 \rangle$ .  $P$  and  $Q$  are points of intersection of  $L_1$  and  $L_3$  and  $L_2$  &  $L_3$ , respectively. Then, distance between  $P$  and  $Q$  is:

- A.  $\frac{10}{3}\sqrt{6}$
- B.  $\frac{8}{3}\sqrt{11}$
- C.  $\frac{4}{3}\sqrt{11}$
- D.  $\frac{11}{3}\sqrt{6}$

**Answer (B)****Solution:**

$$\text{Let } PQ = AB$$

$$\text{Let } A(3, 2, 1)$$

Equation of line  $AB$ :

$$\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-2}{-1} = \frac{z-1}{3} = k \text{ (let)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = kx + 3, y = -k + 2, z = 3k + 1$$

Let coordinates of  $B(k + 3, -k + 2, 3k + 1)$

$B$  lies on  $L_2$

$$B(\lambda + 1, 2\lambda + 2, 3\lambda + 3)$$

$$k + 3 = \lambda + 1 \Rightarrow \lambda - k = 2$$

$$2 - k = 2\lambda + 2 \Rightarrow 2\lambda + k = 0 \Rightarrow k = -2\lambda$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\lambda = 2 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$B\left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{10}{3}, 5\right)$$

$$AB = \sqrt{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^2 + 16}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}\sqrt{11} = PQ$$

15. If  $\vec{a} = -\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$  is rotated by  $90^\circ$  about origin passing through  $y$ -axis. If new vector is  $\vec{b}$  then projection of  $\vec{b}$  on  $\vec{c} = 5\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  is equal to:

- A.  $\frac{6}{5}$   
 B.  $\frac{3}{5}$   
 C.  $\frac{6}{5\sqrt{3}}$   
 D.  $\frac{6\sqrt{3}}{5}$

**Answer (A)****Solution:**

$$\vec{b} = \lambda\vec{a} + \mu\hat{j}$$

$$b = \lambda(-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}) + \mu\hat{j}$$

$$\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a} = 0$$

$$(\lambda\vec{a} + \mu\hat{j})\vec{a} = 0$$

$$6\lambda + 2\mu = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = -3\lambda$$

$$\vec{b} = \lambda(\vec{a} - 3\hat{j}) = \lambda(-\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$$

$$\lambda = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Projection of } \vec{b} \text{ on } \vec{c} = |\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c}|$$

$$= \left| (-\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) \frac{(5\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 3\hat{k})}{5\sqrt{2}} \right| = \frac{6}{5}$$

16. Given  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x}(1 + xy^2(1 + \ln x))$ . If  $y(1) = 3$ , then the value of  $\frac{y^2(3)}{9}$  is:

- A.  $-\frac{1}{43+27 \ln 3}$   
 B.  $\frac{1}{43+27 \ln 3}$   
 C.  $\frac{1}{59-162(1+\ln 3)}$   
 D.  $\frac{1}{27-43 \ln 3}$

**Answer (B)****Solution:**

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{y}{x} = y^3(1 + \ln x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y^3} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{xy^2} = (1 + \ln x)$$

Taking  $\frac{1}{y^2} = t$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{2}{y^3} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\therefore -\frac{1}{2} \frac{dt}{dx} - \frac{t}{x} = (1 + \ln x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dt}{dx} + \frac{2t}{x} = -2(1 + \ln x)$$

$$\text{I.F.} = e^{\int \frac{2}{x} dx} = x^2$$

$$\therefore tx^2 = \int -2(1 + \ln x)x^2 dx$$

$$\Rightarrow tx^2 = -2 \left[ \frac{(1 + \ln x)x^3}{3} - \int \frac{x^2}{3} dx \right] + c$$

$$\frac{x^2}{y^2} = -2 \left[ \frac{x^3}{3} (1 + \ln x) - \frac{x^3}{9} \right] + c \dots (i)$$

$$y(1) = 3 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{9} = -2 \left( \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{9} \right) + c$$

$$\therefore c = \frac{5}{9}$$

Now putting  $x = 3$ ,  $c = \frac{5}{9}$  in (i)

$$\frac{9}{y^2} = -2(9(1 + \ln 3) - 3) + \frac{5}{9}$$

$$= \frac{59}{9} - 18(1 + \ln 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y^2}{9} = \frac{9}{59 - 162(1 + \ln 3)}$$

17. If  $a, b \in [1, 25]$ ,  $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $a + b$  is multiple of 5, then the number of ordered pair  $(a, b)$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Answer (125)****Solution:**

TYPE	NUMBERS
$5k$	5, 10, 15, 20, 25
$5k + 1$	1, 6, 11, 16, 21
$5k + 2$	2, 7, 12, 17, 22
$5k + 3$	3, 8, 13, 18, 23
$5k + 4$	4, 9, 14, 19, 24

$(a, b)$  can be selected as

I. 1 of  $5k + 1$  and 1 of  $5k + 4 = 2 \times 25 = 50$

II. 1 of  $5k + 2$  and 1 of  $5k + 3 = 2 \times 25 = 50$

III. Both of the type  $5k = 25$

Total = 125

18. If  $\log_2(9^{2\alpha-4} + 13) - \log_2\left(3^{2\alpha-4} \cdot \frac{5}{2} + 1\right) = 2$ , then maximum integral value of  $\beta$  for which equation,  $x^2 - ((\sum \alpha)^2 x) + \sum (\alpha + 1)^2 \beta = 0$  has real roots is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Answer (6)**

**Solution:**

$$\log_2(9^{2\alpha-4} + 13) - \log_2\left(3^{2\alpha-4} \cdot \frac{5}{2} + 1\right) = 2$$

$$\therefore \frac{9^{2\alpha-4} + 13}{3^{2\alpha-4} \cdot \frac{5}{2} + 1} = 4$$

$$\text{Let } 3^{2\alpha-4} = t$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 + 13 = 10t + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 - 10t + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 9, 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 3, 2$$

Now equation will become:

$$x^2 - 25x + 25\beta = 0 \text{ has real roots}$$

$$\therefore D \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 25^2 - 4 \cdot 25\beta \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta \leq \frac{25}{4}$$

Maximum integral value = 6