

QUESTIONS & KEYS FOR JEE (ADVANCED)-2021 (PAPER 2)

[MATHEMATICS]

SECTION 1

- This section contains **SIX (06)** question.
- Each question has **FOUR** options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **ONE OR MORE THAN ONE** of these four option(s) is (are) correct answer(s).
- For each question, choose the option(s) corresponding to (all) the correct answer(s).
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme.
 - Full Marks** : +4 If only (all) the correct option(s) is (are) chosen;
 - Partial Marks** : +3 If all the four options are correct but **ONLY** three options are chosen;
 - Partial Marks** : +2 If three or more options are correct but **ONLY** two options are chosen, both of which are correct.
 - Partial Marks** : +1 If two or more options are correct but **ONLY** one option is chosen and it is a correction option.
 - Zero Marks** : 0 If unanswered;
 - Negative Marks** : -2 In all other cases.
- For example, in a question, if (A), (B) and (D) are the **ONLY** options corresponding to correct answers, then
 - Choosing **ONLY** (A), (B) and (D) will get +4 marks;
 - Choosing **ONLY** (A) and (B) will get +2 marks;
 - Choosing **ONLY** (A) and (D) will get +2 marks;
 - Choosing **ONLY** (B) and (D) will get +2 marks;
 - Choosing **ONLY** (A) will get +1 mark;
 - Choosing **ONLY** (B) will get +1 mark;
 - Choosing **ONLY** (D) will get +1 mark;
 - Choosing no option(s) (i.e., the questions is unanswered) will get 0 marks and choosing any other option(s) will get -2 marks.

Q.1 Let

$$S_1 = \{(i, j, k) : i, j, k \in \{1, 2, \dots, 10\}\},$$

$$S_2 = \{(i, j) : 1 \leq i < j + 2 \leq 10, i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, 10\}\},$$

$$S_3 = \{(i, j, k, l) : 1 \leq i < j < k < l, i, j, k, l \in \{1, 2, \dots, 10\}\}$$

and

$$S_4 = \{(i, j, k, l) : i, j, k \text{ and } l \text{ are distinct elements in } \{1, 2, \dots, 10\}\}.$$

If the total number of elements in the set S_r is n_r , $r = 1, 2, 3, 4$, then which of the following statements is (are) **TRUE** ?

(A) $n_1 = 1000$ (B) $n_2 = 44$ (C) $n_3 = 220$ (D) $\frac{n_4}{12} = 420$

Answer Key (A, B, D)

Sol: $n_1 = 10 \times 10 \times 10 = 1000$

For s_2

If $i = 1, 2$ then $j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 8 \Rightarrow 2 \times 8 = 16$ cases

If $i = 3$ then $j = 2, 3, \dots, 8 \Rightarrow 7$ cases

If $i = 4$ then $j = 3, 4, \dots, 8 \Rightarrow 6$ cases

If $i = 9$ then $j = 1 \Rightarrow 1$ case

$$\therefore n_2 = (1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 8) + 8 = 44$$

For s_3

$$n_3 = {}^{10}C_4 = 210$$

For s_4

$$n_4 = {}^{10}P_4 = 12 \times {}^{10}C_4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n_4}{12} = 420$$

Q.2 Consider a triangle PQR having sides of lengths p, q and r opposite to the angles P, Q and R , respectively. Then which of the following statements is (are) **TRUE** ?

(A) $\cos P \geq 1 - \frac{p^2}{2qr}$

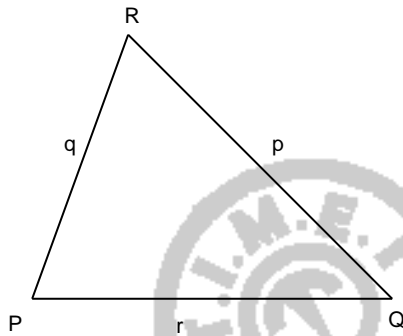
(B) $\cos R \geq \left(\frac{q-r}{p+q}\right) \cos P + \left(\frac{p-r}{p+q}\right) \cos Q$

(C) $\frac{q+r}{p} < 2 \frac{\sqrt{\sin Q \sin R}}{\sin P}$

(D) If $p < q$ and $p < r$, then $\cos Q > \frac{p}{r}$ and $\cos R > \frac{p}{q}$

Answer Key (A, B)

Sol:



$$\cos p = \frac{q^2 + r^2 - p^2}{2qr} = \frac{q^2 + r^2}{2qr} - \frac{p^2}{2qr}$$

We know that $q^2 + r^2 \geq 2qr$

$$\left[(q-r)^2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow q^2 + r^2 - 2qr \geq 0 \Rightarrow q^2 + r^2 \geq 2qr \right]$$

$$\cos p = \frac{q^2 + r^2}{2qr} - \frac{p^2}{2qr} \geq 1 - \frac{p^2}{2qr}$$

\therefore A is correct

Let us consider (B),

$$(B) \Rightarrow (p+q) \cos R \geq (q-r) \cos P + (p-r) \cos Q$$

$$\Rightarrow (p \cos R + r \cos P) + (q \cos R + r \cos Q) \geq q \cos P + p \cos Q$$

$$\therefore p+q \geq r$$

Which is always true.

\therefore (B) is correct

Let us consider (C),

$$\frac{q+r}{p} = \frac{k \sin Q + k \sin R}{k \sin P} \geq \frac{2\sqrt{\sin Q \sin R}}{\sin P}$$

\therefore C is not correct

Let us consider (D),

$$\cos Q > \frac{p}{r} \Rightarrow \cos Q > \frac{k \sin P}{k \sin R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin R \cos Q > \sin P$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [\sin(R+Q) + \sin(R-Q)] > \sin P$$

$$\sin(180 - P) + \sin(R-Q) > 2 \sin P$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin P + \sin(R-Q) > 2 \sin P$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin(R-Q) > \sin P$$

Which is not always true.

Q.3 Let $f: \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a continuous function such that

$$f(0) = 1 \text{ and } \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} f(t) dt = 0$$

Then which of the following statements is (are) **TRUE** ?

- (A) The equation $f(x) - 3 \cos 3x = 0$ has at least one solution in $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$
- (B) The equation $f(x) - 3 \sin 3x = -\frac{6}{\pi}$ has at least one solution in $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$
- (C) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \int_0^x f(t) dt}{1 - e^{x^2}} = -1$
- (D) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x \int_0^x f(t) dt}{x^2} = -1$

Answer Key (A, B, C)

Sol: Let $g(x) = f(x) - 3 \cos 3x$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/3} g(x) dx &= \int_0^{\pi/3} (f(x) - 3 \cos 3x) dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/3} f(x) dx - 3 \int_0^{\pi/3} \cos 3x dx \\ &= 0 - \frac{3}{3} [\sin 3x]_0^{\pi/3} = 0 - 0 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore y = g(x)$ crosses x axis at some point in the interval $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

$\therefore g(x) = 0$ has a root in $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

\therefore A is correct

Let us consider (B)

$$\text{Let } g(x) = f(x) - 3 \sin 3x + \frac{6}{\pi}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/3} g(x) dx &= \int_0^{\pi/3} \left(f(x) - 3 \sin 3x + \frac{6}{\pi} \right) dx = \int_0^{\pi/3} f(x) dx - \int_0^{\pi/3} 3 \sin 3x dx + \frac{6}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/3} 1 dx \\ &= 0 + [\cos 3x]_0^{\pi/3} + \frac{6}{\pi} \cdot \frac{\pi}{3} = -1 - 1 + 2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let us consider (C)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \int_0^x f(t) dt}{1 - e^{x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left[\int_0^x f(t) dt \right] / x}{\left[(1 - e^{x^2}) / x^2 \right]} = -1 \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{1} = -1$$

\therefore C is correct

Let us consider (D)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x \int_0^x f(t) dt}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{\sin x}{x} \cdot \frac{\int_0^x f(t) dt}{x} \right] = 1 \times \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{1} = 1$$

Q.4 For any real numbers α and β , let $y_{\alpha,\beta}(x)$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, be the solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \alpha y = x e^{\beta x}, \quad y(1) = 1.$$

Let $S = \{y_{\alpha,\beta}(x) : \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}\}$. Then which of the following functions belong(s) to the set S ?

(A) $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{2} e^{-x} + \left(e - \frac{1}{2}\right) e^{-x}$

(B) $f(x) = -\frac{x^2}{2} e^{-x} + \left(e + \frac{1}{2}\right) e^{-x}$

(C) $f(x) = \frac{e^x}{2} \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) + \left(e - \frac{e^2}{4}\right) e^{-x}$

(D) $f(x) = \frac{e^x}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} - x\right) + \left(e + \frac{e^2}{4}\right) e^{-x}$

Answer Key (A, C)

Sol: I.F = $e^{\int \alpha dx} = e^{\alpha x}$

$$\therefore y e^{\alpha x} = \int x \cdot e^{\beta x} \cdot e^{\alpha x} = \int x e^{(\alpha+\beta)x} dx$$

Let $\alpha + \beta = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y e^{\alpha x} = \int x e^{0x} dx = \int x dx = \frac{x^2}{2} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow y e^{\alpha x} = \frac{x^2}{2} + C$$

Since $y(1) = 1$, $C = e^\alpha - \frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore y e^{\alpha x} = \frac{x^2 - 1}{2} + e^\alpha$$

If $\alpha = 1$,

$$y = \frac{x^2}{2} e^{-x} + \left(e - \frac{1}{2}\right) e^{-x}$$

\therefore A is correct

If $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow y e^{\alpha x} = \frac{x \cdot e^{(\alpha+\beta)x}}{\alpha + \beta} - \frac{1}{\alpha + \beta} \int e^{(\alpha+\beta)x} dx$$

$$\therefore y e^{\alpha x} = \frac{x \cdot e^{(\alpha+\beta)x}}{\alpha + \beta} - \frac{e^{(\alpha+\beta)x}}{(\alpha + \beta)^2}$$

$$\therefore C = e^\alpha - \frac{e^{\alpha+\beta}}{\alpha + \beta} - \frac{e^{\alpha+\beta}}{(\alpha + \beta)^2}$$

If $\alpha = \beta = 1$,

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

$$\therefore y = \frac{e^x}{2} \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) + e^{-x} \left(e - \frac{e^2}{4}\right)$$

\therefore C is correct

Q.5 Let O be the origin and $\vec{OA} = 2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$, $\vec{OB} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ and $\vec{OC} = \frac{1}{2}(\vec{OB} - \lambda\vec{OA})$ for some $\lambda > 0$. If $|\vec{OB} \times \vec{OC}| = \frac{9}{2}$, then which of the following statements is (are) **TRUE** ?

(A) Projection of \vec{OC} on \vec{OA} is $-\frac{3}{2}$

(B) Area of the triangle OAB is $\frac{9}{2}$

(C) Area of the triangle ABC is $\frac{9}{2}$

(D) The acute angle between the diagonals of the parallelogram with adjacent sides \vec{OA} and \vec{OC} is $\frac{\pi}{3}$

Answer Key (A, B, C)

Sol:
$$\vec{OB} \times \vec{OC} = \frac{1}{2} \vec{OB} \times (\vec{OB} - \lambda \vec{OA}) = \frac{1}{2} [(\vec{OB} \times \vec{OB}) - \lambda(\vec{OB} \times \vec{OA})]$$

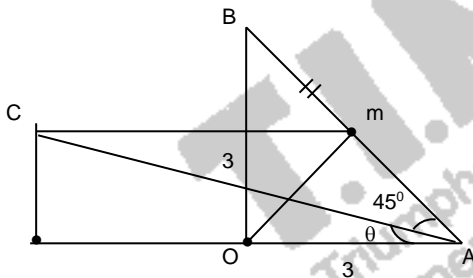
$$= \frac{1}{2} [0 - \lambda(\vec{OB} \times \vec{OA})]$$

$$\therefore \vec{OB} \times \vec{OC} = \frac{\lambda}{2} (\vec{OB} \times \vec{OA})$$

Taking modulus both sides,

$$\frac{9\lambda}{2} = \frac{9}{2} \Rightarrow \lambda = 1$$

$$\vec{OC} = \frac{\vec{OB} - \vec{OA}}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \vec{AB}$$



$$\text{Projection of } \vec{OC} \text{ on } \vec{OA} = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABC = \frac{9}{2}$$

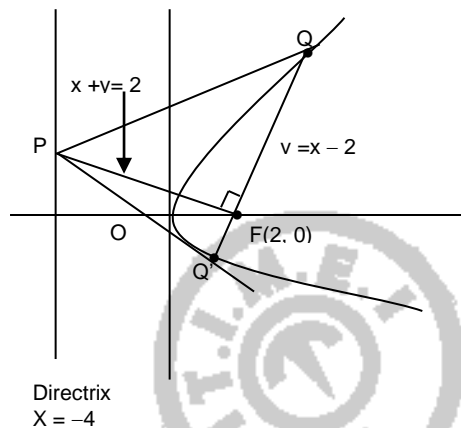
$$\text{Acute angle between diagonals} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1 + \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{3}} \right) = \tan^{-1} 2$$

Q.6 Let E denote the parabola $y^2 = 8x$. Let $P = (-2, 4)$, and let Q and Q' be two distinct points on E such that the lines PQ and PQ' are tangents to E . Let F be the focus of E . Then which of the following statements is (are) **TRUE** ?

- (A) The triangle PFQ is a right-angled triangle
- (B) The triangle $PP'Q'$ is a right-angled triangle
- (C) The distance between P and F is $5\sqrt{2}$
- (D) F lies on the line joining Q and Q'

Answer Key (A, B, D)

Sol:



SECTION 2

- This section contains **THREE (03)** questions stems.
- There are **TWO (02)** questions corresponding to each question stem.
- The answer to each question is a **NUMERICAL VALUE**.
- For each question, enter the correct numerical value corresponding to the answer designated place using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad.
- If the numerical value has more than two decimal places, **truncate / round-off** the value to **TWO** decimal places.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme.

Full Marks	:	+2	If ONLY the correct numerical value is entered at the designated place;
Zero Marks	:	0	In all other cases.

Question Stem for Question No. 7 and 8

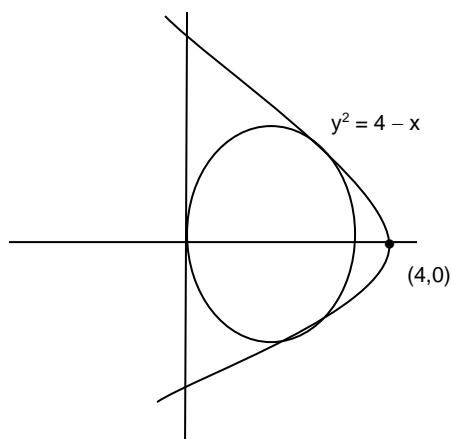
Question Stem

Consider the region $R = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} : x \geq 0 \text{ and } y^2 \leq 4 - x\}$. Let \mathcal{F} be the family of all circles that are contained in R and have centers on the x -axis. Let C be the circle that has largest radius among the circles in \mathcal{F} . Let (α, β) be a point where the circle C meets the curve $y^2 = 4 - x$.

Q.7 The radius of the circle C is ____ .

Answer Key (1.5)

Sol:



The circle passes through origin and centre lies on axis

$$\therefore \text{circle} \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + ax = 0$$

$$\text{Parabola} \Rightarrow y^2 = 4 - x$$

$$\text{Solving, } x^2 + x(a-1) + 4 = 0$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0 \Rightarrow (a-1)^2 - 16 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -3$$

$$\therefore x^2 + y^2 - 3x = 0 \Rightarrow r = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5$$

Q.8 The value of α is ____ .

Answer Key (2.00)

Sol: $x^2 - 4x + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2$
 $\therefore \alpha = 2$

Question Stem for Question No. 9 and 10

Question Stem

Let $f_1: (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $f_2: (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by

$$f_1(x) = \int_0^x \prod_{j=1}^{21} (t-j)^j dt, \quad x > 0$$

and

$$f_2(x) = 98(x-1)^{50} - 600(x-1)^{49} + 2450, \quad x > 0,$$

where, for any positive integer n and real numbers a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n , $\prod_{i=1}^n a_i$ denotes the product of a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n . Let m_i and n_i , respectively, denote the number of points of local minima and the number of points of local maxima of function f_i , $i = 1, 2$, in the interval $(0, \infty)$.

Q.9 The value of $2m_1 + 3n_1 + m_1n_1$ is ____ .

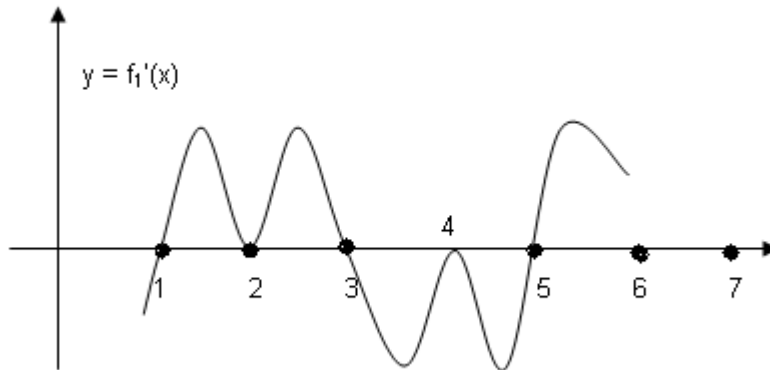
Answer Key (57.00)

Sol: $f_1(x) = \int_0^x \prod_{j=1}^{21} (t-j)^j dt$

$$f_1'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \int_0^x \prod_{j=1}^{21} (t-j)^j dt$$

$$\prod_{j=1}^{21} (x-j)^j$$

$$= (x-1)(x-2)^2(x-3)^3 \dots (x-21)^{21}$$



Clearly $m_1 = 6, n_1 = 5$
 $\therefore 2m_1 + 3n_1 + m_1n_1 = 57$

Q.10 The value of $6m_2 + 4n_2 + 8m_2n_2$ is ____.

Answer Key (6.00)

Sol: $f_2(x) = 98(x-1)^{50} - 600(x-1)^{49} + 2450$
 $f_2'(x) = (50)(98)(x-1)^{49} - (600)(49)(x-1)^{48}$
 $= 50 \times 2 \times 49 \times (x-1)^{48}(x-7)$ (after arrangement)
 $f_2'(7^+) > 0$ and $f_2'(7^-) < 0$
 \therefore point of minima = 7
 $\therefore m_2 = 1$
 No point of maxima $\Rightarrow n_2 = 0$
 $\therefore 6m_2 + 4n_2 + 8m_2n_2 = 6$

Question Stem for Question No. 11 and 12

Question Stem

Let $g_i: \left[\frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{3\pi}{8}\right] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, i = 1, 2$, and $f: \left[\frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{3\pi}{8}\right] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be functions such that

$$g_1(x) = 1, g_2(x) = |4x - \pi| \text{ and } f(x) = \sin^2 x, \text{ for all } x \in \left[\frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{3\pi}{8}\right]$$

Define

$$S_i = \int_{\frac{\pi}{8}}^{\frac{3\pi}{8}} f(x) \cdot g_i(x) dx, \quad i = 1, 2$$

Q.11 The value of $\frac{16S_1}{\pi}$ is ____ .

Answer Key (2.00)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol: } S_1 &= \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} f(x) dx = \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} \sin^2 x dx = \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} \sin^2 \left(\frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{3\pi}{8} - x \right) dx = \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} \cos^2 x dx \\ 2S_1 &= \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} (\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x) dx = [x]_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} = \frac{2\pi}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4} \\ \therefore \frac{16S_1}{\pi} &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Q.12 The value of $\frac{48S_2}{\pi^2}$ is ____ .

Answer Key (1.5)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol: } S_2 &= \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} \sin^2 x \cdot |4x - \pi| dx = \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} \sin^2 \left(\frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{3\pi}{8} - x \right) \cdot \left| 4 \left(\frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{3\pi}{8} - x \right) - \pi \right| dx \\ &= \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} \cos^2 x \cdot |\pi - 4x| dx \\ 2S_2 &= \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} |4x - \pi| (\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x) dx = \int_{\pi/8}^{3\pi/8} |4x - \pi| dx = \int_{\pi/8}^{\pi/4} (\pi - 4x) dx + \int_{\pi/4}^{3\pi/8} (4x - \pi) dx = \frac{\pi^2}{16} \\ \therefore \frac{48S_2}{\pi^2} &= \frac{3}{2} = 1.5 \end{aligned}$$

SECTION 3

- This section contains **TWO (02) paragraphs** Based on each paragraph, there are **TWO (02)** questions.
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 - For each question, choose the option corresponding to the correct answer.
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Negative Marks : -1 In all other cases.

Paragraph

Let

$$M = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} : x^2 + y^2 \leq r^2\},$$

where $r > 0$. Consider the geometric progression $a_n = \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}, n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$. Let $S_0 = 0$ and, for $n \geq 1$, let S_n denote the sum of the first n terms of this progression. For $n \geq 1$, let C_n denote the circle with center $(S_{n-1}, 0)$ and radius a_n , and D_n denote the circle with center (S_{n-1}, S_{n-1}) and radius a_n .

Q.13 Consider M with $r = \frac{1025}{513}$. Let k be the number of all those circles C_n that are inside M . Let l be the maximum possible number of circles among these k circles such that no two circles intersect. Then

- (A) $k + 2l = 22$ (B) $2k + l = 26$ (C) $2k + 3l = 34$ (D) $3k + 2l = 40$

Answer Key (D)

Sol: $S_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \dots$ to 'n' terms $= \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2^n}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = 2 - \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}$

Centre $C_n : \left(2 - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}}, 0 \right)$ and $r = \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}$

Given $r = \frac{1025}{513} < 2$

$2 - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} < \frac{1025}{513}$

$\therefore k = 10, l = 5$

$3k + 2l = 40$

Q.14 Consider M with $r = \frac{(2^{199}-1)\sqrt{2}}{2^{198}}$. The number of all those circles D_n that are inside M is

- (A) 198 (B) 199 (C) 200 (D) 201

Answer Key (B)

Sol: $\sqrt{2}S_{n-1} < \frac{(2^{199}-1)\sqrt{2}}{2^{198}} \cdot \sqrt{2}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2^{n-2}} > \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2^{198}} + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}$

$\therefore n = 199$

Paragraph

Let $\psi_1: [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $\psi_2: [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $f: [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g: [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be functions such that $f(0) = g(0) = 0$,

$$\psi_1(x) = e^{-x} + x, \quad x \geq 0,$$

$$\psi_2(x) = x^2 - 2x - 2e^{-x} + 2, \quad x \geq 0,$$

$$f(x) = \int_{-x}^x (|t| - t^2)e^{-t^2} dt, \quad x > 0$$

and

$$g(x) = \int_0^{x^2} \sqrt{t} e^{-t} dt, \quad x > 0.$$

Q.15 Which of the following statements is **TRUE** ?

(A) $f(\sqrt{\ln 3}) + g(\sqrt{\ln 3}) = \frac{1}{3}$

(B) For every $x > 1$, there exists an $\alpha \in (1, x)$ such that $\psi_1(x) = 1 + \alpha x$

(C) For every $x > 0$, there exists a $\beta \in (0, x)$ such that $\psi_2(x) = 2x(\psi_1(\beta) - 1)$

(D) f is an increasing function on the interval $\left[0, \frac{3}{2}\right]$

Answer Key (C)

Sol: $f'(x) = e^{-x^2} \left(\frac{1}{x} - 2x \right) + \left(\frac{1}{x} - 2x \right) e^{-x^2} = 2 \left(\frac{1}{x} - x \right) e^{-x^2}$

$g'(x) = 2x^2 e^{-x^2}$

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

$\Rightarrow \int [f'(x) + g'(x)] dx = \int 2x e^{-x^2} dx$

$\Rightarrow f(x) + g(x) = -e^{-x^2} + C$

$f(x) + g(x) = -e^{-x^2} + 1$

$\Rightarrow f(\sqrt{\ln 3}) + g(\sqrt{\ln 3}) = -e^{-\ln 3} + 1 = 1 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$

A is not correct

Let $h(x) = \psi_1(x) - 1 - \alpha x$
 $= e^{-x} + x - (1 + \alpha x)$

$h(1) = e^{-1} + 1 - 1 - \alpha < 0$

$h'(x) = -e^{-x} - \alpha + 1 > 0$

$\therefore h(x)$ is strictly increasing

\therefore B is not correct

Let $\psi_2(x) = 2(\psi_1(\beta) - 1)$

Applying mean value theorem in $[0, x]$

$\psi_2'(\beta) = \frac{\psi_2(x) - \psi_2(0)}{x}$

$\Rightarrow 2\beta - 2 + 2e^{-\beta} = \frac{\psi_2(x) - \psi_2(0)}{x}$

$\therefore \psi_2(x) = 2x \cdot \psi_1(\beta - 1)$ has one solution

(C) is correct

Q.16 Which of the following statements is **TRUE** ?

(A) $\psi_1(x) \leq 1$, for all $x > 0$

(B) $\psi_2(x) \leq 0$, for all $x > 0$

(C) $f(x) \geq 1 - e^{-x^2} - \frac{2}{3}x^3 + \frac{2}{5}x^5$, for all $x \in \left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

(D) $g(x) \leq \frac{2}{3}x^3 - \frac{2}{5}x^5 + \frac{1}{7}x^7$, for all $x \in \left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

Answer Key (D)

Sol: Let $f(x) = g(x) - \frac{2}{3}x^3 + \frac{2}{5}x^5 - \frac{1}{7}x^7$, $x \in \left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

$$f'(x) = 2x^2(e^{-x^2}) - 2x^2 + 2x^4 - x^6 = 2x^2 \left[1 - \frac{x^2}{1!} + \frac{x^4}{2!} - \frac{x^6}{3!} + \dots \right] - 2x^2 + 2x^4 - x^6$$

$$= -\frac{x^8}{3} + \frac{x^{10}}{12} - \dots$$

$$\therefore f'(x) \leq 0$$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$ is strictly decreasing

$$\therefore f(x) \leq 0$$

SECTION 4

- This section contains **THREE (03)** questions.
- The answer to each question is a **NON-NEGATIVE INTEGER**.
- For each question, enter the correct integer corresponding to the answer using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme.
Full Marks : +4 If ONLY the correct integer is entered.
Zero Marks : 0 In all other cases.

Q.17 A number is chosen at random from the set $\{1, 2, 3, \dots, 2000\}$. Let p be the probability that the chosen number is a multiple of 3 or a multiple of 7. Then the value of $500p$ is ___ .

Answer Key (214)

Sol: $A = \{3, 6, 9, \dots, 1998\}$

$$n(A) = \frac{1998 - 3}{3} + 1 = 666$$

$$B = \{7, 14, 21, \dots, 1995\}$$

$$n(B) = \frac{1995 - 7}{7} + 1 = 285$$

$$A \cap B = \{21, 42, \dots, 1995\}$$

$$\Rightarrow n(A \cap B) = 95$$

$$\therefore n(A \cup B) = n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cap B) = 666 + 285 - 95 = 856$$

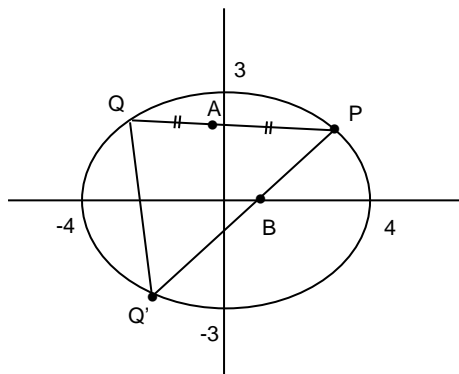
$$P = \frac{856}{2000} = 0.428$$

$$\Rightarrow 500P = 214$$

Q.18 Let E be the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$. For any three distinct points P, Q and Q' on E , let $M(P, Q)$ be the mid-point of the line segment joining P and Q , and $M(P, Q')$ be the mid-point of the line segment joining P and Q' . Then the maximum possible value of the distance between $M(P, Q)$ and $M(P, Q')$, as P, Q and Q' vary on E , is ___ .

Answer Key (4)

Sol:



Midpoint of PQ = A

Midpoint of PQ' = B

$$AB = \frac{1}{2} QQ'$$

$$AB_{\max} = \frac{8}{2} = 4$$

Q.19 For any real number x , let $[x]$ denote the largest integer less than or equal to x . If

$$I = \int_0^{10} \left[\sqrt{\frac{10x}{x+1}} \right] dx ,$$

then the value of $9I$ is ___ .

Answer Key (182)

Sol: $\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{10x}{x+1} \right] = \frac{10}{(x+1)^2} > 0 \forall x \in [0, 10]$

$\therefore \frac{10x}{x+1}$ is an increasing function

$$0 \leq f(x) \leq \sqrt{\frac{100}{11}}$$

$$I = \int_0^{1/9} f(x) dx + \int_{1/9}^{2/3} f(x) dx + \int_{2/3}^9 f(x) dx + \int_9^{10} f(x) dx = 0 + \int_{1/9}^{2/3} 1 dx + \int_{2/3}^9 2 dx + \int_9^{10} 3 dx = \frac{182}{9}$$

$$\therefore 9I = 182$$

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