

PART : MATHEMATICS

1. If α, β are real roots of $ax^2 + bx + 1 = 0$ then $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{\alpha}} \left(\frac{1 - \cos(x^2 + bx + a)}{2(ax - 1)^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = k \left(\frac{1}{\beta} - \frac{1}{\alpha} \right)$ then k is
(where $\alpha > \beta > 0$)

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

Ans. (2)

Sol. Equations whose roots are $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}$ is $x^2 + bx + 1 = \left(x - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right)\left(x - \frac{1}{\beta}\right)$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{\alpha}} \left(\frac{1 - \cos\left(x - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right)\left(x - \frac{1}{\beta}\right)}{2\alpha^2 \left(x - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right)^2 \left(x - \frac{1}{\beta}\right)^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \times \left|x - \frac{1}{\beta}\right| = \left(\frac{1}{2 \cdot 2\alpha^2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left|\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\beta}\right| = \frac{1}{2\alpha} \left(\frac{1}{\beta} - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right)$$

2. If f is a function defined from $A \rightarrow B$ such that $A = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$ and $B = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ then find number of onto function if $f(a) = 1$

Ans. (60)

Sol. Total no. of onto function

$$= {}^4C_1 \times 3! + \frac{4!}{2!2!} \times \frac{1}{2} \times 3$$

$$= 24 + 36$$

$$= 60$$

3. A be a set such that $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ and R be a relation on A such that $x + y = 7$ then relation R is
(1) Reflexive (2) Symmetric (3) Transitive (4) Equivalence

Ans. (2)

Sol. Reflexive :- $xRx \Rightarrow x + x = 7 \Rightarrow x \notin A, R$ is not reflexive.
Symmetric :- $xRy \Rightarrow x + y = 7 \Rightarrow y + x = 7 \Rightarrow yRx \Rightarrow R$ is symmetric
Transitive :- $1R6$ & $6R1$ but 1 is not related to 1 so not transitive

4. If $25^{100} - 19^{100} - 8^{100} + 2^{100}$ is divisible by
(1) By 14 but not by 34 (2) By 34 but not by 14
(3) Neither by 34 or 14 (4) Both by 14 & 34

Ans. (2)

Sol. $(25^{100} - 19^{100}) - (8^{100} - 2^{100})$ is divisible by 6.
 $(25^{100} - 8^{100}) - (19^{100} - 2^{100})$ is divisible by 17.
 $25^{100} - 8^{100}$ is not divisible by 7
but $19^{100} - 2^{100}$ is divisible by 7
So, $25^{100} - 19^{100} - 8^{100} + 2^{100}$ is divisible by 34 but not 14

5. Tangents OP and OQ are drawn from origin O to circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4y + 8 = 0$ if circumcircle of triangle OPQ passes through a point $P(\alpha, \frac{1}{2})$ then α can be.

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

Ans. (1)

Sol. Equation of circumcircle whose diametric end point is $(3, -2)$ & $(0,0)$

$$x(x-3) + y(y+2) = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 2y = 0$$

pt $(\alpha, \frac{1}{2})$ is on circle

$$\alpha^2 + \frac{1}{4} - 3\alpha + 1 = 0$$

$$\alpha^2 - 3\alpha + \frac{5}{4} = 0$$

$$4\alpha^2 - 12\alpha + 5 = 0$$

$$\alpha = \frac{10}{4}, \alpha = \frac{2}{4}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{5}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$$

6. The absolute difference of coefficient of x^7 and x^{10} in $(2x^2 + \frac{1}{2x})^{11}$ is

- (1) $12^3 - 12$ (2) $11^3 - 12$ (3) $13^3 - 13$ (4) $10^3 - 10$

Ans. (1)

Sol. $T_{r+1} = {}^{11}C_r (2x^2)^{11-r} (\frac{1}{2x})^r$

for coeff. x^7 put $22 - 2r - r = 7$

$$r = 5$$

and for coeff x^{10} put $22 - 3r = 10$

$$r = 4$$

$$\text{abs. diff.} = \left| {}^{11}C_5 \cdot \frac{2^6}{2^5} - {}^{11}C_4 \cdot \frac{2^7}{2^4} \right|$$

$$|924 - 2640| = 1716 = 12^3 - 12$$

7. $f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x^2 + k\sqrt{x+1}, & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ mx^2 - k^2, & x > 1 \end{cases}$ (where $k \neq 0$)

$f(x)$ is differential for $x > 0$, then $\frac{8.f(8)}{f\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)} = \dots\dots\dots$

Ans. (309)

Sol. $f(1^-) = f(1) = f(1^+)$

$3 + k\sqrt{2} = m + k^2$ -----(1)

$f'(1^-) = f'(1^+)$

$6 + \frac{k}{2\sqrt{2}} = 2m$ -----(2)

from (1) & (2)

$3 + k\sqrt{2} = 3 + \frac{k}{4\sqrt{2}} + k^2$

$k^2 + k\left(\frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}} - \sqrt{2}\right) = 0$

$k = 0, k = \frac{7}{4\sqrt{2}}$

If $k = \frac{7}{4\sqrt{2}}, m = 3 + \frac{7}{32} = \frac{103}{32}$

$f(x) = \frac{6x + \frac{k}{2\sqrt{x+1}}}{2mx}$

$f(8) = \frac{103}{2}$

$f\left(\frac{1}{8}\right) = \frac{6}{8} + \frac{k \cdot 2\sqrt{2}}{2 \cdot 1} = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{2}k}{3} = \frac{4}{3}$

now $\frac{8.f(8)}{f\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)} = 309$

8. If $x > y > z > 0, \frac{1}{x}, \frac{1}{y}, \frac{1}{z}$ are in A.P., $x, \sqrt{2}y, z$ are in G.P. and $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$ then

Ans. (150)

Sol. $\frac{2}{y} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{z}$ -----(1)

$\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \frac{3}{y} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$

$y = \sqrt{2}$ -----(2)

$x, \sqrt{2}y, z$ are in G.P.

$2y^2 = xz$

$xz = 4$ -----(3)

from (1) $x + z = \sqrt{2} \cdot xz$

$x + z = 4\sqrt{2}$

now $3(x + y + z)^2 = 3(4\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2})^2 = 150$

9. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \lambda \\ 5 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$ for which $A^{-1} = \alpha A + \beta I$ and $\alpha + \beta = 2$ the value of $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \lambda^2 =$

- (1) $\frac{346}{25}$ (2) $\frac{147}{25}$ (3) $\frac{11}{25}$ (4) $\frac{354}{25}$

Ans. (2)

Sol. $|A - xI| = 0$ $|A| \neq 0 \Rightarrow \lambda \neq 2$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-x & \lambda \\ 5 & 10-x \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$x^2 - 11x + (10 - 5\lambda) = 0$$

$$\therefore A^2 - 11A + (10 - 5\lambda)I = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A - 11I + (10 - 5\lambda)A^{-1} = 0$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{(5\lambda - 10)}A + \frac{-11}{(5\lambda - 10)}I$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{5\lambda - 10}, \beta = \frac{-11}{5\lambda - 10}$$

$$\alpha + \beta = 2 \Rightarrow \frac{-10}{5\lambda - 10} = 2$$

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$\alpha = -\frac{1}{5} \qquad \beta = \frac{11}{5}$$

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \lambda^2 = \frac{1}{25} + \frac{121}{25} + 1 = \frac{147}{25}$$

10. Probability distribution of variable 'x' is given by $P(X = x) = K(1 + x) \cdot 3^{-x}$, $x = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, \infty$ then $P(x \geq 2) =$

- (1) 28 (2) $\frac{7}{27}$ (3) $\frac{9}{28}$ (4) $\frac{11}{27}$

Ans. (2)

Sol. $P(x = 0) + P(x = 1) + p(x = 2) + p(x = 3) + \dots = 1$

$$\frac{K}{3^0} + \frac{2K}{3^1} + \frac{3K}{3^2} + \frac{4K}{3^3} + \dots = 1$$

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

Now

$$\text{Let } S = 1 + \frac{2}{3} + \frac{3}{3^2} + \frac{4}{3^3} + \dots$$

$$\frac{S}{3} = 0 + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3^2} + \frac{3}{3^3} + \dots$$

$$\frac{2S}{3} = 1 + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{3^3} + \dots$$

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

$$S = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{3}{2} = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$\text{Now } K \cdot \frac{9}{4} = 1$$

$$K = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$\text{Now } P(x \geq 2) = P(2) + P(3) + \dots \infty$$

$$= 1 - P(0) - P(1)$$

$$= 1 - \left(\frac{K}{1} + \frac{2K}{3} \right) = 1 - \frac{5K}{3}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{20}{27} = \frac{7}{27}$$

11. $\int_0^{2.4} [x^2] dx$

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

Ans. (1)

$$\text{Sol. } = \int_0^1 0 dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} 1 dx + \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{3}} 2 dx + \int_{\sqrt{3}}^2 3 dx + \int_2^{\sqrt{5}} 4 dx + \int_{\sqrt{5}}^{2.4} 5 dx$$

$$= (x)_1^{\sqrt{2}} + 2(x)_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{3}} + 3(x)_{\sqrt{3}}^2 + 4(x)_2^{\sqrt{5}} + 5(x)_{\sqrt{5}}^{2.4}$$

$$= (\sqrt{2} - 1) + 2(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2}) + 3(2 - \sqrt{3}) + 4(\sqrt{5} - 2) + 5(2.4 - \sqrt{5})$$

$$= -1 - \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} - 2 + 12 - \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 9 - \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5}$$

12. The mean and variance of 12 observations are $\frac{9}{2}$ and 4 respectively. Two observations 7 & 14 are misread as 9 & 10. The correct value is m/n then $m + n$ is equal to

(1) 314 (2) 315 (3) 316 (4) 317

Ans. (317)

$$\text{Sol. } \frac{\sum x_i}{12} = \frac{9}{2} \Rightarrow \sum x_i = 54$$

$$\text{correct } \sum x_i = 54 + 7 + 14 - 9 - 10 = 56$$

$$\text{correct } \bar{x}_i = \frac{56}{12} = \frac{14}{3}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum x_i^2}{12} - \left(\frac{14}{3} \right)^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sum x_i^2}{12} = \frac{97}{4} \Rightarrow \sum x_i^2 = 291$$

$$\text{corr. } \sum x_i^2 = 291 + 64 = 355$$

$$\text{corr } \sigma^2 = \frac{\sum x^2}{12} - (\bar{x})^2$$

$$= \frac{355}{12} - \left(\frac{14}{3}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{281}{36} = \frac{m}{n}$$

$$m + n = 281 + 36 = 317$$

13. $\vec{V}_1 = a\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$

$$\vec{V}_2 = \hat{i} + b\hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{V}_3 = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + c\hat{k}$$

are coplanar and vector

$$\vec{u}_1 = (a+b)\hat{i} + c\hat{j} + c\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{u}_2 = a\hat{i} + (b+c)\hat{j} + a\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{u}_3 = b\hat{i} + b\hat{j} + (a+c)\hat{k}$$

are also coplanar then the value of $6(a+b+c)$

Ans. 12

Sol. $\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & b & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$

$$abc + 2 - a - b - c = 0$$

$$\& \begin{vmatrix} a+b & c & c \\ a & b+c & a \\ b & b & a+c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - (R_1 + R_2)$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a+b & c & c \\ a & b+c & a \\ -2a & -2c & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$-2ac^2 - 2a^2c - 2ac(b+c) - 2ac(a+b) = 0$$

$$ac^2 + a^2c - abc - ac^2 - a^2c - abc = 0$$

$$-2abc = 0$$

$$abc = 0$$

$$2 - a - b - c = 0$$

$$a + b + c = 12$$

$$6(a + b + c) = 12$$

14. Negation of $(p \wedge \sim q) \vee (\sim p)$ is.

- (1) $p \wedge q$ (2) $\sim(p \wedge q)$ (3) $p \wedge \sim q$ (4) $p \vee q$

Ans. (1)

Sol. $\sim \{(p \wedge \sim q) \vee (\sim p)\}$

$$= \sim \{(p \wedge \sim q) \wedge (p)\}$$

$$= (\sim p \vee q) \wedge (p) = (\sim p \wedge p) \vee (q \wedge p)$$

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

15. The number of words with or without meaning can be formed from the word "MATHEMATICS" where C and S are not together is $k \times 6!$ then k is

- (1) 5670 (2) 818 (3) 1638 (4) 409

Ans. (1)

Sol. Required no. of ways = $\frac{11!}{2!2!2!} - \frac{10!}{2!2!2!} \times 2$

$$= \frac{9 \times 10!}{11}$$

now $\frac{9 \times 10!}{11} = k \times 6!$

$$k = \frac{9 \times 9 \times 10 \times 7}{11} = 5670$$

16. Find area included by lines $x + y = 2$, $x = 0$, $y = 0$ and $f(x) = \min \left\{ x^2 + \frac{3}{4}, 1 + [x] \right\}$, where $[.]$ is greatest

integral part.

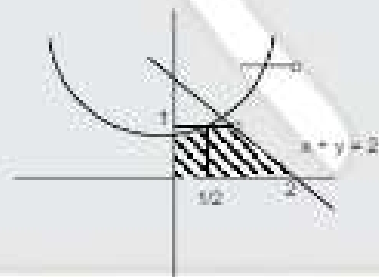
- (1) $\frac{17}{12}$ (2) $\frac{19}{12}$ (3) $\frac{23}{12}$ (4) $\frac{25}{12}$

Ans. (1)

Sol. $A = \int_0^1 \left(x^2 + \frac{3}{4} \right) dx + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right)^2$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{3} + \frac{3}{4} \right] + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$12A = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2} + 12 = 17$$



17. Let $a_n = 5 + 8 + 14 + 23 + \dots$ upto n terms. If $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n a_k$, then

$S_{20} - 2a_{20}$ is equal to

- (1) 78025 (2) 11290 (3) 12390 (4) 13490

Ans. (2)

Sol. $T_n = An^2 + Bn + C$

$$T_1 = A + B + C = 5$$

$$T_2 = 4A + 2B + C = 8$$

$$T_3 = 9A + 3B + C = 14$$

$$\Rightarrow A+B = 3 - \frac{9}{2} - \frac{-3}{1}$$

$$C = 5$$

$$a_n = T_n = \frac{3n^2}{2} - \frac{3n}{2} + 5$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_{40} &= \frac{3 \times 40^2}{2} - \frac{3 \times 40}{2} + 5 \\ &= 2400 - 60 + 5 \\ &= 2345 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_{30} &= \frac{3}{2} \sum n^2 - \frac{3}{2} \sum n + \sum 5 \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{30 \times 31 \times 61}{6} - \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{30 \times 31}{2} + 150 \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \times 5 \times 1891 - \frac{1395}{2} + 150 \\ &= \frac{28365 - 1395 + 300}{2} \\ &= 13635 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } S_{30} - a_{40} = 13635 - 2345 = 11290$$