

MATHEMATICS

General Instructions:

SECTION 1 (Maximum Marks: 12)

- This section contains **FOUR (04)** questions.
- Each question has **FOUR** options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **ONLY ONE** of these four options is the correct answer.
- For each question, choose the option corresponding to the correct answer.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated **according to the following marking scheme:**

Full Marks	:	+3 If ONLY the correct option is chosen;
Zero Marks	:	0 If none of the options is chosen (i.e. the question is unanswered);
Negative Marks	:	-1 in all other cases.

1. Let x_0 be the real number such that $e^{x_0} + x_0 = 0$. For a given real number α , define

$$g(x) = \frac{3xe^2 + 3x - \alpha e^x - \alpha x}{3(e^x + 1)}$$

for all real numbers x .

Then which one of the following statements is TRUE?

(A) For $\alpha = 2$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \left| \frac{g(x) + e^{x_0}}{x - x_0} \right| = 0$

(B) For $\alpha = 2$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \left| \frac{g(x) + e^{x_0}}{x - x_0} \right| = 1$

(C) For $\alpha = 3$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \left| \frac{g(x) + e^{x_0}}{x - x_0} \right| = 0$

(D) For $\alpha = 3$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \left| \frac{g(x) + e^{x_0}}{x - x_0} \right| = \frac{2}{3}$

2. Let \mathbb{R} denote the set of all real numbers. Then the area of the region

$$\left\{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} : x > 0, y > \frac{1}{x}, 5x - 4y - 1 > 0, 4x + 4y - 17 < 0 \right\} \text{ is:}$$

(A) $\frac{17}{16} - \log_e 4$ (B) $\frac{33}{8} - \log_e 4$

(C) $\frac{57}{8} - \log_e 4$ (D) $\frac{17}{2} - \log_e 4$

3. The total number of real solutions of the equation

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(2 \tan \theta) - \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{6 \tan \theta}{9 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) \text{ is}$$

(Here, the inverse trigonometric functions $\sin^{-1} x$ and $\tan^{-1} x$ assume values in $\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$ and $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$, respectively).

(A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 5

4. Let S denote the locus of the point of intersection of the pair of lines

$$4x - 3y = 12\alpha$$

$$4\alpha x + 3\alpha y = 12$$

where α varies over the set of non-zero real numbers. Let T be the tangent to S passing through the points $(p, 0)$ and $(0, q)$, $q > 0$, and parallel to the line $4x - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}y = 0$. Then the value pq is:

(A) $-6\sqrt{2}$ (B) $-3\sqrt{2}$ (C) $-9\sqrt{2}$ (D) $-12\sqrt{2}$

General Instructions:

SECTION 2 (Maximum Marks: 16)

- This section contains **FOUR (04)** questions.
- Each question has **FOUR** options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **ONLY OR MORE THAN ONE** of these four options is (are) the 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 ONLY if (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 correct option;
Zero Marks	:	0 If none of the options is chosen (i.e., the question is unanswered);
Negative Marks	:	-2 In all other cases.
- For example, in a question, if (A), (B) and (D) are the **ONLY** three 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 (i.e., the question is unanswered) will get 0 marks; and
 - choosing any other combination of options will get -2 marks.

5. Let $I = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $P = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$. Let $Q = \begin{pmatrix} x & y \\ z & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ for some non-zero real numbers x, y and z , for which there is 2×2 matrix R with all entries being non-zero real numbers, such that $QR = RP$.
Then which of the following statements is (are) TRUE?
(A) The determinant of $Q - 2I$ is zero
(B) The determinant of $Q - 6I$ is 12
(C) The determinant of $Q - 3I$ is 15
(D) $yz = 2$
6. Let S denote the locus of the mid-points of those chords of the parabola $y^2 = x$, such that the area of the region enclosed between the parabola and the chord is $4/3$. Let R denote the region lying in the first quadrant, enclosed by the parabola $y^2 = x$, the curve S , and the lines $x = 1$ and $x = 4$.
Then which of the following statements is (are) TRUE?
(A) $(4, \sqrt{3}) \in S$
(B) $(5, \sqrt{2}) \in S$
(C) Area of R is $\frac{14}{3} - 2\sqrt{3}$
(D) Area of R is $\frac{14}{3} - \sqrt{3}$
7. Let $P(x_1, y_1)$ and $Q(x_2, y_2)$ be two distinct points on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ such that $y_1 > 0$, and $y_2 > 0$. Let C denote the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$, and M be the point $(3, 0)$.

Suppose the line $x = x_1$ intersects C at R , and the line $x = x_2$ intersects C at S , such that the y -coordinates of R and S are positive. Let $\angle ROM = \frac{\pi}{6}$ and $\angle SOM = \frac{\pi}{3}$, where O denotes the origin $(0, 0)$. Let $|XY|$ denote the length of the line segment XY .

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

- (A) The equation of the line joining P and Q is $2x + 3y = 3(1 + \sqrt{3})$
(B) The equation of the line joining P and Q is $2x + y = 3(1 + \sqrt{3})$
(C) If $N_2 = (x_2, 0)$, then $3|N_2Q| = 2|N_2S|$
(D) If $N_1 = (x_1, 0)$, then $9|N_1P| = 4|N_1R|$
8. Let \mathbb{R} denote the set of all real numbers. Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{6x + \sin x}{2x + \sin x} & \text{if } x \neq 0, \\ \frac{7}{3} & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

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

- (A) The point $x = 0$ is a point of local maxima of f
(B) The point $x = 0$ is a point of local minima of f
(C) Number of points of local maxima of f in the interval $[\pi, 6\pi]$ is 3
(D) Number of points of local minima of f in the interval $[2\pi, 4\pi]$ is 1

General Instructions:

SECTION 3 (Maximum Marks: 32)

- This section contains **EIGHT (08)** questions.
 - The answer to each question is a **NUMERICAL VALUE**.
 - For each question, enter the correct answer using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.
 - 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:**
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| Full Marks | : | +4 If ONLY the correct numerical value is entered in the designated place, |
| Zero Marks | : | 0 In all other cases. |

9. Let $y(x)$ be the solution of the differential equation $x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + xy = x^2 + y^2$, $x > \frac{1}{e}$, satisfying $y(1) = 0$.
Then the value of $2 \frac{(y(e))^2}{y(e^2)}$ is:
10. Let a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{23} be real numbers such that $\left(1 + \frac{2}{5}x\right)^{23} = \sum_{i=0}^{23} a_i x^i$ for every real number x . Let a_r be the largest among the numbers a_j for $0 \leq j \leq 23$.
Then the value of r is
11. A factory has a total of three manufacturing units, M_1 , M_2 , and M_3 , which produce bulbs independent of each other. The units M_1 , M_2 and M_3 produce bulbs in the proportions of 2:2:1, respectively. It is known that 20% of the bulbs produced in the factory are defective. It is also known that, of all the bulbs produced by M_1 , 15% are defective. Suppose that, if a randomly chosen bulb

produced in the factory is found to be defective, the probability that it was produced by M_2 is $\frac{2}{5}$.

If a bulb is chosen randomly from the bulbs produced by M_3 , then the probability that it is defective is

12. Consider the vectors $\vec{x} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$, $\vec{y} = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$, and $\vec{z} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$.
For two distinct positive real numbers α and β , define $\vec{X} = \alpha\vec{x} + \beta\vec{y} - \vec{z}$, $\vec{Y} = \alpha\vec{y} + \beta\vec{z} - \vec{x}$, and $\vec{Z} = \alpha\vec{z} + \beta\vec{x} - \vec{y}$.
If the vectors added from source lie in a plane, then the value of $\alpha + \beta - 3$ is
13. For a non-zero complex number z , let $\arg(z)$ denote the principal argument of z , with $-\pi < \arg(z) \leq \pi$. Let ω be the cube root of unity for which $0 < \arg(\omega) < \pi$. Let

$$\alpha = \arg \left(\sum_{n=1}^{2025} (-\omega)^n \right).$$

Then the value of $\frac{3\alpha}{\pi}$ is

14. Let \mathbb{R} denote the set of all real numbers. Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (0, 4)$ be functions defined by

$$f(x) = \log_e(x^2 + 2x + 4), \text{ and } g(x) = \frac{4}{1 + e^{-2x}}$$

Define the composite function $f \circ g^{-1}$ by $(f \circ g^{-1})(x) = f(g^{-1}(x))$, where g^{-1} is the inverse of the function g .

Then the value of the derivative of the composite function $f \circ g^{-1}$ at $x = 2$ is _____.

15. Let $\alpha = \frac{1}{\sin 60^\circ \sin 61^\circ} + \frac{1}{\sin 62^\circ \sin 63^\circ} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sin 118^\circ \sin 119^\circ}$.

Then the value of $\left(\frac{\operatorname{cosec} 1^\circ}{\alpha}\right)^2$ is _____.

16. If

$$\alpha = \int_{1/2}^2 \frac{\tan^{-1} x}{2x^2 - 3x + 2} dx,$$

then the value of $\sqrt{7} \tan\left(\frac{2\alpha\sqrt{7}}{\pi}\right)$ is _____.

(Here, the inverse trigonometric function $\tan^{-1} x$ assumes values in $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$.)

Answer Key

Q.No.	Answer key	Topic name	Chapter name
1	(C)	Basic limit	Limit continuity and differentiability
2	(B)	Area	Area
3	(C)	Basic identities	Inverse trigonometric function
4	(A)	Tangent	Hyperbola
5	(A, B)	Product of matrices	Matrix
6	(A, C)	Area between chord and parabola	Area
7	(A, C)	Chord equation	Ellipse
8	(B, C, D)	Local maxima or minima	Application of derivative
9	[0.7 to 0.8]	First-order differential equation	Differential equation
10	6	Numerically greatest term	Binomial theorem
11	[0.27 to 0.33]	Total probability	Probability
12	-2	Co-planar vector	Vector
13	-2	Argument	Complex number
14	0.2 to 0.3	Derivative of inverse function	Differentiation
15	3	Basic identities	Trigonometric ratio and identities
16	21	Properties of definite integration	Definite integration

ANSWERS WITH EXPLANATIONS

1. Correct option is (C).

$$g(x) = \frac{3xe^x + 3x - \alpha e^x - \alpha x}{3(e^x + 1)} \text{ and } e^{x_0} + x_0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = \frac{3x(e^x + 1) - \alpha(e^x + x)}{3(e^x + 1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = x - \frac{\alpha(e^x + x)}{3(e^x + 1)}$$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{g(x) + e^{x_0}}{x - x_0}$$

$$\text{Let } x - x_0 = h$$

$$x \rightarrow x_0 \Rightarrow h \rightarrow 0$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(h + x_0) + e^{x_0}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h + x_0 - \frac{\alpha(e^{h+x_0} + h + x_0)}{3(e^{h+x_0} + 1)} + e^{x_0}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(1 - \frac{\alpha(e^{h+x_0} + h + x_0)}{3h(e^{h+x_0} + 1)} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{3(e^{x_0+h} + 1)} \left(\frac{e^{x_0}(e^h - 1)}{h} + 1 \right) \right)$$

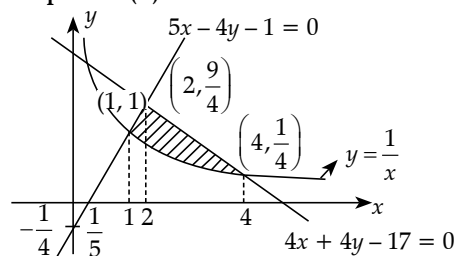
$$= 1 - \frac{\alpha}{3(e^{x_0} + 1)}(e^{x_0} + 1)$$

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

For $\alpha = 2$, the required limit is $1 - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$.

For $\alpha = 3$, the required limit is $1 - \frac{3}{3} = 0$.

2. Correct option is (B).



$$\therefore \begin{aligned} xy &= 1 & \dots(i) \\ 5x - 4y &= 1 & \dots(ii) \end{aligned}$$

$$4x + 4y = 17$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$\begin{aligned} 5x - \frac{4}{x} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow 5x^2 - 4 &= x \\ \Rightarrow 5x^2 - x - 4 &= 0 \\ \therefore x &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (iii), we get,

$$\begin{aligned} 4x + \frac{4}{x} &= 17 \\ \Rightarrow 4x^2 + 4 &= 17x \\ \Rightarrow 4x^2 - 17x + 4 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 4, \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Solving Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get,

$$\begin{aligned} 9x &= 18 \\ x &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Required Area} &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{13}{4} \times 1 + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{10}{4} \times 2 - \int_1^4 \frac{1}{x} dx \\ &= \frac{33}{8} - \ln 4 \end{aligned}$$

3. **Correct option is (C).**

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= \tan^{-1}(2 \tan \theta) - \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{6 \tan \theta}{9 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \theta &= \tan^{-1}(2 \tan \theta) - \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{2 \left(\frac{\tan \theta}{3} \right)}{1 + \left(\frac{\tan \theta}{3} \right)^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}(2 \tan \theta) - \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1}(\sin 2\alpha)$$

$$\left\{ \text{Let } \tan \alpha = \frac{\tan \theta}{3}, \sin 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 + \tan^2 A} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}(2 \tan \theta) - \frac{1}{2} \times 2\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta + \alpha = \tan^{-1}(2 \tan \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan(\theta + \alpha) = 2 \tan \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan \theta + \tan \alpha}{1 - \tan \theta \tan \alpha} = 2 \tan \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan \theta + \frac{\tan \theta}{3}}{1 - \tan \theta \cdot \frac{\tan \theta}{3}} = 2 \tan \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4 \tan \theta}{3} = 2 \tan \theta \left(1 - \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{3} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \tan \theta = 6 \tan \theta - 2 \tan^3 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \tan^3 \theta - 2 \tan \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta (\tan^2 \theta - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = 0, 1, -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 0, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{-\pi}{4}$$

4. **Correct option is (A).**

$$4x - 3y = 12\alpha \quad \dots(i)$$

$$4\alpha x + 3\alpha y = 12 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$(4x - 3y)(4\alpha x + 3\alpha y) = 12\alpha \cdot 12$$

$$16x^2 - 9y^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

$$T \text{ is parallel to } 4x - \frac{3y}{\sqrt{2}} = 0$$

...(iii)

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{4}{3/\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

\therefore Equation of tangent,

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2} \\ \Rightarrow y &= \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}x + \sqrt{9 + \frac{16 \times 2}{9}} - 16 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}x + 4$$

It passes through $(p, 0)$.

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}p + 4$$

$$p = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{2}}$$

It also pass through $(0, q)$.

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} q &= 0 + 4 \\ q &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore p \cdot q = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{2}} \times 4 = -6\sqrt{2}$$

5. **Correct options are (A, B).**

Given, $QR = RP$

Subtracting $2R$ on both sides,

$$\begin{aligned} QR - 2R &= RP - 2R \\ \Rightarrow (Q - 2I)R &= R(P - 2I) \end{aligned} \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\therefore P = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow P - 2I = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow P - 2I = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|P - 2I| = 0$$

\therefore From Eq. (i), we get,

$$|Q - 2I||R| = |R||P - 2I|$$

$$|Q - 2I||R| = |R| \times 0$$

$$|Q - 2I| = 0$$

Now,

$$QR = RP$$

Subtracting $6R$ on both side,

$$\begin{aligned} QR - 6R &= RP - 6R \\ \Rightarrow (Q - 6I)R &= R(P - 6I) \end{aligned} \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow P - 6I &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore |P - 6I| = 12$$

From Eq. (ii), we get,

$$|Q - 6I||R| = |R||P - 6I|$$

$$|Q - 6I| = 12$$

Now,

$$QR = RP$$

Subtracting $3R$ on both sides,

$$\begin{aligned} QR - 3R &= RP - 3R \\ (Q - 3I)R &= R(P - 3I) \end{aligned} \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$P - 3I = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P - 3I = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|P - 3I| = 0$$

From Eq. (iii), we get,

$$|Q - 3I| |R| = |R| |P - 3I|$$

$$|Q - 3I| |R| = |R| \times 0$$

$$|Q - 3I| = 0$$

6. Correct options are (A, C).

$$\begin{aligned} y^2 &= x \\ \text{Let point } p &= (h, k) \end{aligned}$$

$$T: ky - \frac{x+h}{2}$$

$$S_1 = k^2 - h$$

Equation of chord with point p as mid-point $\Rightarrow T = S_1$

$$ky - \left(\frac{x+h}{2} \right) = k^2 - h$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2ky + 2k^2 - h = 0$$

...(i)

Solving Eq. (i) with $y^2 = x$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 2ky + 2k^2 - h = 0$$

Let the roots be y_1 and y_2 .

$$\therefore y_1 + y_2 = 2k$$

$$\& y_1 y_2 = 2k^2 - h$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1^2 + y_2^2 = 4k^2 - 2(2k^2 - h) = 2h$$

$$\text{Now, } \int_{y_1}^{y_2} (2ky - 2k^2 + h - y^2) dy = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\left(ky^2 - 2k^2 y + hy - \frac{y^3}{3} \right) \Big|_{y_1}^{y_2} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$k(y_2^2 - y_1^2) - 2k^2(y_2 - y_1) + h(y_2 - y_1) - \frac{y_2^3 - y_1^3}{3} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$(y_2 - y_1) \{ 3k(y_1 + y_2) - 6k^2 + 3h - (y_1^2 + y_2^2 + y_1 y_2) \} = 4$$

$$(y_2 - y_1) \{ 6k^2 - 6k^2 + 3h - (2k^2 + h) \} = 4$$

$$(y_2 - y_1) (2h - 2k^2) = 4$$

$$\sqrt{4h - 4k^2} (2h - 2k^2) = 4$$

$$\therefore h - k^2 = 1$$

$$\text{Now, } \begin{aligned} h &= x, k = y \\ y^2 &= x - 1 \end{aligned}$$

(A) $(4, \sqrt{3})$ lies on S is correct.

(B) $(5, \sqrt{2})$ lies on S is wrong.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of region } R &= \int_1^4 (\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{x-1}) dx \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \{ x^{3/2} - (x-1)^{3/2} \} \Big|_1^4 \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \{ 8 - 3\sqrt{3} - 1 \} = \frac{2}{3} (7 - 3\sqrt{3}) = \frac{14}{3} - 2\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

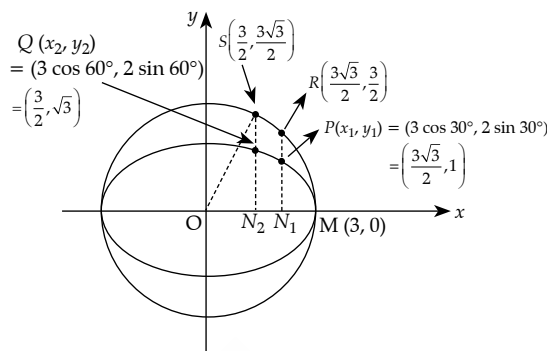
7. Correct options are (A, C).

$$\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 9 \quad \dots(2)$$

$$m_{PQ} = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\frac{3}{2}(1-\sqrt{3})}$$

$$\Rightarrow m_{PQ} = -\frac{2}{3}$$



Equation of line PQ ,

$$y - \sqrt{3} = \frac{-2}{3} \left(x - \frac{3}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y - 3\sqrt{3} = -2x + 3$$

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

$$\therefore |N_2Q| = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{and } |N_2S| = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore 3|N_2Q| = 2|N_2S|$$

$$|N_1P| = 1$$

$$\text{and } |N_1R| = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\therefore |3N_1P| = 2|N_1R|$$

8. Correct answer is [B, C, D].

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{6x + \sin x}{2x + \sin x} & \text{if } x \neq 0, \\ \frac{7}{3} & \text{if } x = 0. \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{6x + \sin x}{2x + \sin x} \right) \\ &= \left(\frac{6 + \frac{\sin x}{x}}{2 + \frac{\sin x}{x}} \right) = \frac{6+1}{2+1} = \frac{7}{3} = f(0) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is continuous at $x = 0$.

$$f'(x) = \frac{(2x + \sin x)(6 + \cos x) - (2 + \cos x)(6x + \sin x)}{(2x + \sin x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{4(\sin x - x \cos x)}{(2x + \sin x)^2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{4 \cos x (\tan x - x)}{(2x + \sin x)^2}$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \text{ at } \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \alpha_4, \alpha_5$$

$$\pi < \alpha_1 < \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$2\pi < \alpha_2 < \frac{5\pi}{2}$$

$$3\pi < \alpha_3 < \frac{7\pi}{2}$$

$$4\pi < \alpha_4 < \frac{9\pi}{2}$$

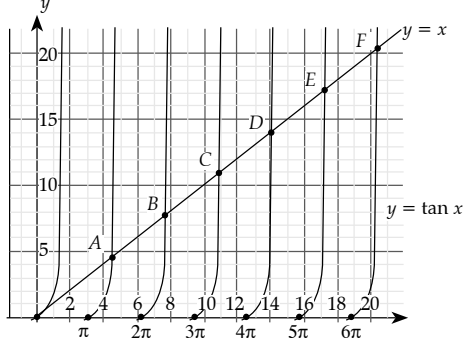
$$5\pi < \alpha_5 < \frac{11\pi}{2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{4 \cos x (\tan x - x)}{(2x + \sin x)^2}$$

$$f'(\alpha_1^-) = \frac{4(-ve)(-ve)}{(+ve)} > 0$$

$$f'(\alpha_1^+) = \frac{4(-ve)(+ve)}{(+ve)} < 0$$

$\therefore x = \alpha_1$ is point of local maxima



Similarly $x = \alpha_2$ is point of minima & so on.

So $[\pi, 6\pi]$ points of local maxima are A, C, E \rightarrow 3 Points & $[2\pi, 4\pi]$ points of local minima are B only \rightarrow 1 Point.

9. Correct answer is [0.75].

$$x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + xy = x^2 + y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + y^2 - xy$$

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

Let $y = vx$.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx}$$

then

$$\Rightarrow v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = 1 + \frac{v^2 x^2 - vx^2}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = 1 + v^2 - v$$

$$\Rightarrow x \frac{dv}{dx} = 1 + v^2 - 2v$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-1}{v-1} = \ln x + \ln c \quad (\because x > 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-1}{\frac{y}{x} - 1} = \ln cx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{x-y} = \ln cx$$

$$\therefore y(1) = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{1-0} = \ln c$$

$$\Rightarrow c = e$$

$$\therefore \frac{x}{x-y} = \ln xe$$

Let $x = e$,

$$\frac{e}{e-y} = \ln e^2$$

\therefore

$$e = 2e - 2y$$

$$y = \frac{e}{2}$$

Now, let

$$x = e^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{e^2}{e^2 - y} = \ln e^3$$

$$\Rightarrow e^2 = 3e^2 - 3y$$

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

$$\therefore \frac{2(y(e))^2}{y(e^2)} = \frac{2 \times \left(\frac{e}{2}\right)^2}{\frac{2e^2}{3}} = \frac{3}{4} = 0.75$$

10. Correct answer is [6].

$$\left(1 + \frac{2}{5}x\right)^{23} = \sum_{i=0}^{23} a_i x^i$$

Let $T_{r+1} = a_r x^r$

If T_{r+1} is numerically the greatest term, then,

$$r \geq \frac{(n+1)|x|}{|x|+1} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r \geq \frac{(23+1)\left|\frac{2x}{5}\right|}{1 + \left|\frac{2x}{5}\right|} - 1$$

We want to find the largest value of a_r ,

$$\therefore |x| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r \geq \frac{24 \times 2}{7} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r \geq 6.8 - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r \geq 5.8$$

$$\therefore r_{\min} = 6$$

$\Rightarrow T_7$ is the largest.

$\Rightarrow a_6$ is the largest

11. Correct answer is [0.3].

$$P(D) = P(M_1) \cdot P\left(\frac{D}{M_1}\right) + P(M_2) \cdot P\left(\frac{D}{M_2}\right) + P(M_3) \cdot P\left(\frac{D}{M_3}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{20}{100} = \frac{40}{100} \times \frac{15}{100} + \frac{40}{100} \times D_2 + \frac{20}{100} \times D_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{14}{100} = \frac{40}{100} D_2 + \frac{20}{100} D_3 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{and } P\left(\frac{M_2}{D}\right) = \frac{P(M_2) \cdot P\left(\frac{D}{M_2}\right)}{20\%}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{5} \times \frac{100}{20} = \frac{40}{100} \times D_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{8}{100} = \frac{40}{100} D_2$$

$$\Rightarrow D_2 = \frac{1}{5}$$

From Eq. (1), we get,

$$\frac{14}{100} = \frac{40}{100} \times \frac{1}{5} + \frac{20}{100} D_3$$

$$\Rightarrow 6 = 20 D_3$$

$$\Rightarrow D_3 = \frac{6}{20} = \frac{3}{10}$$

12. Correct answer is [-2].

$\vec{X}, \vec{Y}, \vec{Z}$ lie in a plane.

$$\therefore [\vec{X} \vec{Y} \vec{Z}] = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \beta & -1 \\ -1 & \alpha & \beta \\ \beta & -1 & \alpha \end{vmatrix} \times \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\alpha^3 + \beta^3 - 1 + 3\alpha\beta = 0$$

$$\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + (-1)^3 = 3\alpha\beta(-1)$$

$$\{ \text{if } A^3 + B^3 + C^3 = 3ABC \Rightarrow A = B = C \text{ Or, } A + B + C = 0$$

$$\therefore \alpha = \beta = -1 \text{ (Rejected)} \}$$

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta - 3 = -2$$

13. Correct answer is (-2).

$$\therefore S = \sum_{n=1}^{2025} (-\omega)^n = (-\omega) + (-\omega)^2 + (-\omega)^3 + \dots + (-\omega)^{2025}$$

Applying sum of G.P.,

$$(-\omega) \left(\frac{(-\omega)^{2025} - 1}{-\omega - 1} \right) = \omega \left(\frac{-\omega^{2025} - 1}{\omega + 1} \right) \begin{cases} \therefore 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0 \\ \omega^3 = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore S = \frac{-2\omega}{1 + \omega} = \frac{-2\omega}{-\omega^2} = \frac{2}{\omega} = 2\omega^2$$

$$\therefore \omega^{-1} = \omega^2, \text{ because } \omega \cdot \omega^2 = 1$$

$$S = -1 - \sqrt{3}i$$

$$\text{Arg}(S) = \arg(-1 - \sqrt{3}i)$$

$$\alpha = \frac{-2\pi}{3}$$

$$\therefore \frac{3\alpha}{\pi} = -2$$

14. Correct answer is (0.25).

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

$$\therefore g(0) = \frac{4}{1+1} = 2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow g^{-1}(2) = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (f(g^{-1}(x))) = f'(g^{-1}(x))(g^{-1}(x))'$$

$$\text{Put } x = 2$$

$$f'(g^{-1}(2)) \times (g^{-1}(2))'$$

$$f'(0) \times (g^{-1}(2))'$$

$$f(x) = \log_e(x^2 + 2x + 4)$$

$$\text{Now } f'(x) = \frac{2x+2}{x^2+2x+4}$$

$$f'(0) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$g^{-1}(g(x)) = x$$

$$(g^{-1}(g(x)))' = \frac{1}{g'(x)}$$

$$\text{Put } x = 0$$

$$(g^{-1}(g(0)))' = \frac{1}{g'(0)}$$

$$(g^{-1}(2))' = \frac{1}{g'(0)}$$

$$\text{Now } g'(x) = \frac{8e^{-2x}}{(1+e^{-2x})^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(0) = \frac{8}{4} = 2$$

From Eqs (1), (2) and (3), we get,

$$f'(0) \times (g^{-1}(2))' = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

15. Correct answer is [3].

$$\frac{\sin(A-B)}{\sin A \sin B} = \frac{\sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B}{\sin A \sin B} = \cot B - \cot A$$

$$\alpha \times \sin 1^\circ = \frac{\sin(61^\circ - 60^\circ)}{\sin 60^\circ \cdot \sin 61^\circ} + \frac{\sin(63^\circ - 62^\circ)}{\sin 62^\circ \cdot \sin 63^\circ} + \dots + \frac{\sin(119^\circ - 118^\circ)}{\sin 118^\circ \cdot \sin 119^\circ}$$

$$= (\cot 60^\circ - \cot 61^\circ) + (\cot 62^\circ - \cot 63^\circ) + \dots + (\cot 89^\circ - \cot 90^\circ) + (\cot 91^\circ - \cot 92^\circ)$$

$$+ \dots + (\cot 116^\circ - \cot 117^\circ) + (\cot 118^\circ - \cot 119^\circ)$$

$$= (\cot 60^\circ - \cot 90^\circ) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \left(\frac{\alpha}{\operatorname{cosec} 1^\circ} \right)^{-2} = \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^{-1} = 3$$

16. Correct answer is [21].

$$\alpha = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^2 \frac{\tan^{-1} x}{2x^2 - 3x + 2} dx \quad \dots (1)$$

$$\text{Let } x = \frac{1}{t}$$

$$\Rightarrow dx = \frac{1}{t^2} dt$$

$$\therefore \alpha = - \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{t} \right)}{\frac{2}{t^2} - \frac{3}{t} + 2} \cdot \frac{dt}{t^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^2 \frac{\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{t} \right)}{2 - 3t + 2t^2} dt \quad \dots (2)$$

Adding Eqs (1) and (2), we get,

$$2\alpha = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^2 \frac{\tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{x} \right)}{2x^2 - 3x + 2} dx \quad \left(\because \tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{x} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

$$2\alpha = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^2 \frac{\frac{\pi}{2}}{(2x^2 - 3x + 2)} dx$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\pi}{8} \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^2 \frac{dx}{\frac{1}{2} \left(x - \frac{3}{4} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{7}}{4} \right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{8} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}} \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{4x-3}{\sqrt{7}} \right) \right]_{\frac{1}{2}}^2$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{7}} \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{7}} \right) - \tan^{-1} \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{7}} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{7}} \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{7}} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{7}} \right) \right]$$

$$\left\{ \because \tan^{-1} A + \tan^{-1} B = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{A+B}{1-AB} \right) \text{ If } 1-AB > 0 \right\}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{7}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{5}{\sqrt{7}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{7}}}{1 - \frac{5}{7}} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{7}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{7}} \times \frac{7}{2} \right)$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{7}} \tan^{-1}(3\sqrt{7}) \Rightarrow \sqrt{7} \tan \left(\frac{2\alpha\sqrt{7}}{\pi} \right)$$

$$= \sqrt{7} \tan(\tan^{-1} 3\sqrt{7}) = 21$$