

# JEE-MAINS - MATHEMATICS

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1. The value of constant  $a > 0$  such that  $\int_0^a [\tan^{-1} \sqrt{x}] dx = \int_0^a [\cos^{-1} \sqrt{x}] dx$  is denotes G.I.F.

(A)  $\frac{2(3+\cos 4)}{1-\cos 4}$

(B)  $\frac{(3-\cos 4)}{1+\cos 4}$

(C)  $\frac{2(3+\cos 4)}{1+\cos 4}$

(D)  $\frac{(3+\cos 4)}{1-\cos 4}$

**Chapter Name :** DEFINITE INTEGRALS AND AREA

**Topic Name :** PROPERTIES OF DEFINITE INTEGRALS  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (A)**

$$\text{Given, } \int_0^{\tan^2 1} 0 \, dx + \int_{\tan^2 1}^a 1 \, dx = \int_0^{\cot^2 1} 1 \, dx + \int_{\cot^2 1}^a 0 \, dx$$

$$a - \tan^2 1 = \cot^2 1 \Rightarrow a = \frac{\sin^4 1 + \cos^4 1}{\sin^2 1 + \cos^2 1}$$

$$= \frac{4[1 - 2\sin^2 1 + \cos^2 1]}{\sin^2 2}$$

$$= \frac{4\left[1 - \frac{1}{2}\sin^2 2\right]}{\frac{1 - \cos 4}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{4\left[2 - \frac{1 - \cos 4}{2}\right]}{1 - \cos 4}$$

2. The value of  $({}^{21}C_1 - {}^{10}C_1) + ({}^{21}C_2 - {}^{10}C_2) - ({}^{21}C_3 - {}^{10}C_3) + ({}^{21}C_4 - {}^{10}C_4) + \dots + ({}^{21}C_{10} - {}^{10}C_{10})$  is

- (A)  $2^{20} - 2^{10}$
- (B)  $2^{21} - 2^{11}$
- (C)  $2^{21} - 2^{10}$
- (D)  $2^{20} - 2^9$

**Chapter Name :** BINOMIAL THEOREM

**Topic Name :** FINDING REMAINDER, DOUBLE SUMMATION, VANDER WAALS THEOREM, DIVISIBILITY PROBLEMS (APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (A)**

$$\begin{aligned} & ({}^{21}C_1 + {}^{21}C_2 + {}^{21}C_3 - {}^{21}C_4 + \cdots + {}^{21}C_{10}) - ({}^{10}C_1 + {}^{10}C_2 + {}^{10}C_3 + \cdots + {}^{10}C_{10}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(2^{21} - 2) - (2^{10} - 1) = (2^{20} - 2) - (2^{10} - 1) \\ &= (2^{20} - 2^{10}) \end{aligned}$$

3. Let E and F be two independent events. The probability that exactly one of them occurs is  $\frac{11}{25}$  and the probability of none of them occurring is  $\frac{2}{25}$ . If P(T) denotes the probability of occurrence of the event T, then.

**(A)**  $P(E) = \frac{4}{5}, P(F) = \frac{3}{5}$

**(B)**  $P(E) = \frac{1}{5}, P(F) = \frac{2}{5}$

**(C)**  $P(E) = \frac{2}{5}, P(F) = \frac{1}{5}$

**(D)**  $P(E) = \frac{3}{5}, P(F) = \frac{6}{5}$

**Chapter Name :** PROBABILITY

**Topic Name :** CONDITIONAL PROBABILITY AND INDEPENDENT  
EVENTS  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (A)**

Let  $P(E) = e$  &  $P(F) = f$

$$P(e \cup f) - P(e \cap f) = \frac{11}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow e + f - 2ef = \frac{11}{25} \quad \dots (i)$$

$$P(\bar{e} \cap \bar{f}) = \frac{2}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - e)(1 - f) = \frac{2}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - e - f + ef = \frac{2}{25} \quad \dots (ii)$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$ef = \frac{12}{25} \text{ and } e + f = \frac{7}{5}$$

Solving we get ,  $e = \frac{4}{5}, f = \frac{3}{5}$  Or  $e = \frac{3}{5}, f = \frac{4}{5}$



4. If  $\log(a + c), \log(a + b), \log(b + c)$  are in A.P. and  $A, B, C$  are in H.P. then the value of  $a + b$  is given ( $a, b, c > 0$ )

(A)  $2c$

(B)  $3c$

(C)  $4c$

(D)  $6c$

**Chapter Name :** SEQUENCES AND SERIES, QUADRATIC EQUATIONS

**Topic Name :** ARITHMETIC PROGRESSION (A.P.), FINDING ROOTS , NATURE OF ROOTS , FORMATION OF QUADRATIC EQUATION, HARMONIC PROGRESSION (H.P.) & ARITHMETICO-GEOMETRIC PROGRESSION (A.G.P.) (APPLICATION, LINKAGE)



**Explanation : (A)**

$$\log(a + c) + \log(b + c) = 2\log(a + b)$$

$$(a + c)(b + c) = (a + b)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow ab + c(a + b) + c^2 = (a + b)^2$$

$$\text{also, } c = \frac{2ab}{a+b} \Rightarrow 2ab = c(a + b)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2ab + 2c(a + b) + 2c^2 = 2(a + b)^2 \dots\dots(2)$$

From (1) and (2),

$$c(a + b) + 2c(a + b) + 2c^2 = 2(a + b)^2$$

$$2(a + b)^2 - 3c(a + b) - 2c^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore a + b = \frac{3c \pm \sqrt{9c^2 + 16c^2}}{4} = \frac{3c \pm 5c}{4} = 2c \text{ or } -\frac{c}{2}$$

$$\therefore a + b = 2c \quad (\because a, b, c > 0)$$

5. Matrix A such that  $A^2 = 2A - I$ , where I is the identity matrix, Then for  $n \geq 2$ ,  $A^n$  is equal to

(A)  $2^{n-1}A - (n - 1)I$

(B)  $2^{n-1}A - I$

(C)  $nA - (n - 1)I$

(D)  $nA - I$

**Chapter Name :** MATRICES

**Topic Name :** TYPES AND ALGEBRA OF MATRICES, TRANSPOSE AND SPECIAL TYPES OF MATRICES (APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (C)**

$$\text{Given, } A^2 = 2A - I$$

$$\text{Now, } A^3 = A(A^2)$$

$$= A(2A - I)$$

$$= 2A^2 - A$$

$$= 2(2A - I) - A = 3A - 2I$$

$$A^4 = A(A^3)$$

$$= A(3A - 2I)$$

$$= 3A^2 - 2A$$

$$= 3(2A - I) - 2A = 4A - 3I$$

Following this, we can say  $A^n = nA - (n - 1)I$ .

6. The position vectors of the vertices A,B,C of a triangle are  $\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$ ,  $2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$  and  $-5\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 6\vec{k}$  respectively. The length of the bisector AD of the angle BAC where D is on the line segment BC, is

- (A)  $\frac{15}{2}$
- (B)  $\frac{1}{4}$
- (C)  $\frac{11}{2}$
- (D) None of these

**Chapter Name :** VECTOR ALGEBRA

**Topic Name :** ADDITION, SUBTRACTION, SCALAR MULTIPLICATION,  
POSITION VECTORS, SECTION FORMULA, ANGULAR-BISECTORS.  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (A)**

$$\vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA} = (2\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 2\vec{k}) - (\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}.$$

$$\vec{AC} = \vec{OC} - \vec{OA} = (-5\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 6\vec{k}) - (\vec{i} - \vec{j} - 3\vec{k}) = -6\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}.$$

A vector along the bisector of the angle BAC

$$= \frac{\vec{AB}}{|\vec{AB}|} + \frac{\vec{AC}}{|\vec{AC}|} = \frac{\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}}{\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 1^2}} + \frac{-6\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}}{\sqrt{(-6)^2 + 3^2 + 3^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}) + \frac{1}{3\sqrt{6}}(-6\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) = \frac{1}{3\sqrt{6}}(-3\vec{i} + 9\vec{j} + 6\vec{k}) = \frac{-\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}}{\sqrt{10}}$$

$$\therefore \text{The unit vector along AD} = \frac{-\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}}{\sqrt{10}}.$$

$$\therefore \vec{AD} = \frac{-\vec{i} + 3\vec{j}}{10} AD.$$

As D is on BC,  $\vec{BD} = t\vec{BC}$ .

$$\therefore \vec{BA} + \vec{AD} = t(\vec{BA} + \vec{AC})$$

$$\text{Or } -\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} - \vec{k} + \frac{-\vec{i} + 3\vec{j}}{10} AD = t\{-\vec{i} - 2\vec{j} - \vec{k} - 6\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}\} = t(-7\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 4\vec{k})$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 - \frac{AD}{10} = -7t, -2 + \frac{3}{10}AD = t, -1 = -4t.$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore -1 - \frac{AD}{10} = -\frac{7}{4} \text{ or } \frac{AD}{10} = \frac{3}{4} \therefore AD = \frac{15}{2}.$$



7. The coordinates of the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the origin to the line joining the points  $(-9,4,5)$  and  $(10,1,-1)$  will be

- (A)  $(-3,2,1)$
- (B)  $(1,2,2)$
- (C)  $(4,5,3)$
- (D) None of these

**Chapter Name :** THREE DIMENSIONAL GEOMETRY

**Topic Name :** STRAIGHT LINE IN SPACE

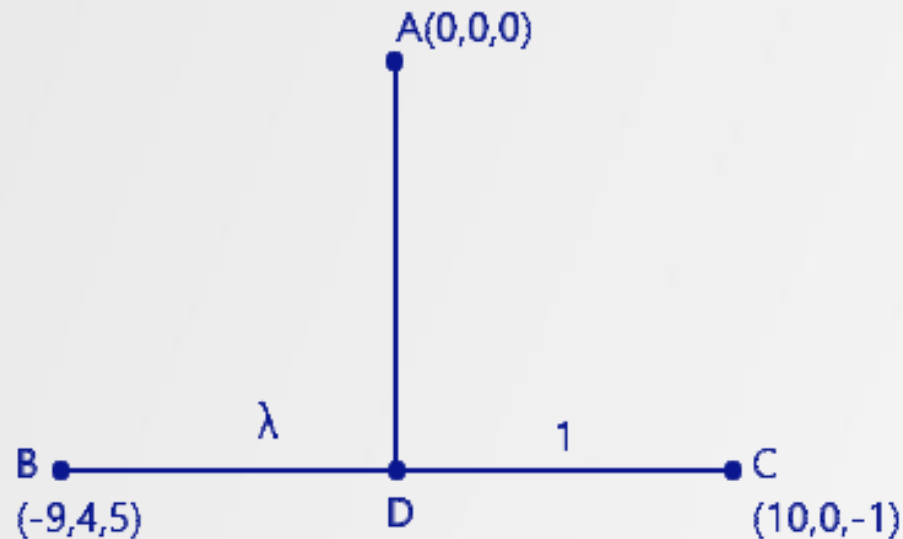
(APPLICATION)



**Explanation : (D)**

Let AD be the perpendicular and D be the foot of the perpendicular which

Divides BC in the ratio  $\lambda : 1$ , then  $D\left(\frac{10\lambda-9}{\lambda+1}, \frac{4}{\lambda+1}, \frac{-\lambda+5}{\lambda+1}\right)$



The direction ratios of AD are  $\frac{10\lambda-9}{\lambda+1}$ ,  $\frac{4}{\lambda+1}$  and  $\frac{-\lambda+5}{\lambda+1}$  and direction ratios of BC

are 19, -4 and -6

Since  $AD \perp BC$ , we get

$$19 \left( \frac{10\lambda-9}{\lambda+1} \right) - 4 \left( \frac{4}{\lambda+1} \right) - 6 \left( \frac{-\lambda+5}{\lambda+1} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{31}{28}$$

Hence, on putting the value of  $\lambda$  in (i),  
we get required foot of the perpendicular,

$$\text{i.e., } \left( \frac{58}{59}, \frac{112}{59}, \frac{109}{59} \right)$$

8. The solution of differential equation  $(1 + y^2) + (x + e^{\tan^{-1}y}) \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

(A)  $2xe^{\tan^{-1}y} = e^{2\tan^{-1}y} + c$

(B)  $2xe^{\tan^{-1}y} = e^{\tan^{-1}y} + c$

(C)  $xe^{\tan^{-1}y} = e^{\tan^{-1}y} + c$

(D)  $xe^{\tan^{-1}y} = e^{\tan^{-1}x} + c$

**Chapter Name :** DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

**Topic Name :** LINEAR , BERNOULLIOUS EQUATIONS , ORTHOGONAL  
TRAJECTORIES  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (A)**

Given equation can be rewritten as

$$\frac{dx}{dy} + \frac{1}{(1+y^2)}x = \frac{e^{\tan^{-1}y}}{(1+y^2)}$$

$$\text{So IF} = e^{\int \frac{dy}{(1+y^2)}} = e^{\tan^{-1}y}$$

$$\therefore \text{ Required solution is : } xe^{\tan^{-1}y} = \int \frac{e^{\tan^{-1}y} e^{\tan^{-1}y}}{1+y^2} dy$$

$$\text{Put } e^{\tan^{-1}y} = t \Rightarrow e^{\tan^{-1}y} \frac{dy}{(1+y^2)} = dt$$

$$\therefore xe^{\tan^{-1}y} = \int t dt = \frac{t^2}{2} + c$$

$$\Rightarrow 2xe^{\tan^{-1}y} = e^{2\tan^{-1}y} + c$$

9. In any  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $b^2 \sin 2C + c^2 \sin 2B$

- (A)  $\Delta$
- (B)  $2\Delta$
- (C)  $3\Delta$
- (D)  $4\Delta$

**Chapter Name :** TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

**Topic Name :** TRIGONOMETRIC RATIOS, MULTIPLES AND SUB-MULTIPLE ANGLES, PROPERTIES OF TRIANGLE (APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (D)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} & b^2 \sin 2C + c^2 \sin 2B \\ &= b^2 \cdot (2 \sin C) + c^2 \cdot (2 \sin B \cos B) \\ &= 2(b \sin C)(b \cos C) + 2(c \sin B)(c \cos B) \\ &= 2(c \sin B)(b \cos C) + 2(c \sin B)(c \cos B) \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[ \because \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C} \right]$$

$$= 2 c \sin B (b \cos C + c \cos B) = 4\Delta$$

10. If the straight line  $x - 2y + 1 = 0$  intersects the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  in points P and Q then the coordinates of the point of intersection tangents drawn at P and Q to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  are

- (A) (25,50)
- (B) (-25,-50)
- (C) (-25,50)
- (D) (25,-50)

**Chapter Name :** CONIC SECTIONS - CIRCLE

**Topic Name :** CHORD OF A CONTACT, CHORD BISECT AT A GIVEN POINT  
LENGTH OF CHORD, POLE - POLAR , CONJUGATE POINTS, LINES, INVERSE  
POINT  
(APPLICATION)



**Explanation : (C)**

Let  $R(h,k)$  be the point of intersection of tangents drawn at  $P$  and  $Q$  to the given circle.

Then,  $PQ$  is the chord of contact of tangents drawn from  $R$  to  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ .

So its equation is  $hx + ky - 25 = 0$  .....(i)

It is given that the equation of  $PQ$  is

$$x - 2y + 1 = 0 \text{ .....(ii)}$$

Since (i) and (ii) represent the same line

$$\therefore \frac{h}{1} = \frac{k}{-2} = -\frac{25}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = -25, k = 50$$

Hence, the required point is  $(-25, 50)$

11. If  $p$  and  $q$  are two propositions, then  $\sim(p \leftrightarrow q)$  is

- (A)  $\sim p \wedge \sim q$
- (B)  $\sim p \vee \sim q$
- (C)  $(p \wedge \sim q) \vee (\sim p \wedge q)$
- (D) None of these

**Chapter Name :** MATHEMATICAL REASONING

**Topic Name :** SPECIAL WORDS/PHRASES,BASIC LOGICAL CONNECTIVES ,  
NEGATION OF COMPOUND STATEMENTS TAUTOLOGIES AND  
CONTRADICTIONS  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (C)**

We know that

$$p \rightarrow q \cong \sim p \vee q \text{ and } q \rightarrow p \cong \sim q \vee p$$

$$\therefore p \leftrightarrow q \cong (\sim p \vee q) \wedge (\sim q \vee p)$$

$$\sim(p \leftrightarrow q) \cong \sim(\sim p \vee q) \vee \sim(\sim q \vee p)$$

$$\sim(p \leftrightarrow q) \cong (p \wedge \sim q) \vee (q \vee \sim p)$$

12. If  $Z + \frac{1}{Z} = 1$  and  $a = Z^{2017} + \frac{1}{Z^{2017}}$  and  $b$  is the last digit of the number  $2^{2^n} - 1$ , when the integer  $n > 1$ , then value of  $a^2 + b^2$  is

- (A) 23
- (B) 24
- (C) 26
- (D) 27

**Chapter Name :** COMPLEX NUMBERS

**Topic Name :** INTEGRAL POWER OF IOTA, ALGEBRAIC OPERATIONS,  
CONJUGATE OF A COMPLEX NUMBERS  
(APPLICATION)

Explanation : (C)

$$\because z + \frac{1}{z} = 1 \Rightarrow z^2 - z + 1 = 0$$

$$z = \frac{-(-1) \pm \sqrt{(1-4)}}{2}$$

$$= \omega, -\omega^2 [\omega \text{ is cube root of unity}]$$

$$z^{2017} = (-\omega)^{2017} = -\omega$$

$$z^{2017} = (-\omega^2)^{2017} = -\omega^2$$

$$\therefore a = z^{2017} + \frac{1}{z^{2017}}$$

$$-\left(\omega + \frac{1}{\omega}\right) = -(\omega + \omega^2) = 1 \text{ and } 2^{2^n} = 2^{4-2^{n-4}} = 16^{2^{n-4}} \text{ has last digit 6}$$

$$\therefore b = 6 - 1 = 5$$

$$\text{Hence, } a^2 + b^2 = 1^2 + 5^2 = 26$$

13. The sum of infinite terms of a decreasing GP is equal to the greatest value of the function  $f(x) = x^3 + 3x - 9$  in the interval  $[-2, 3]$  and the difference between the first two terms is  $f'(0)$ . Then the common ratio of the GP is

(A)  $-\frac{2}{3}$

(B)  $\frac{4}{3}$

(C)  $\frac{2}{3}$

(D)  $-\frac{4}{3}$

**Chapter Name :** SEQUENCES AND SERIES

**Topic Name :** GEOMETRIC PROGRESSION (G.P.)  
(APPLICATION)



## Explanation : (C)

Let the GP be  $a, ar, ar^2, \dots$  ( $0 < r < 1$ ). From the equation,

$$\frac{a}{1-r} = 3^2 + 3 \cdot 3 - 9$$

$\{ \because f'(x) = 3x^2 + 3 > 0; \text{ so, } f(x) \text{ is monotonically increasing;}$

$\therefore f(3) \text{ is the greatest value in } [-2, 3]. \}$

Also,  $f'(0) = 3$ . So,  $a - ar = 3$ .

Solving,  $a = 27(1-r)$  and  $a(1-r) = 3$

We get  $r = \frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{3}$ . But  $r < 1$ .



14. A man X has 7 friends, 4 of them are ladies and 3 are men. His wife Y also has 7 friends, 3 of them are ladies and 4 are men. Assume X and Y have no common friends. Then the total number of ways in which X and Y together can throw a party inviting 3 ladies and 3 men, so that 3 friends of each of X and Y are in this party, is

- (A) 484
- (B) 485
- (C) 468
- (D) 469

**Chapter Name :** PERMUTATIONS AND COMBINATIONS

**Topic Name :** COMBINATIONS WITH & WITHOUT REPETITIONS  
(CONCEPT)

Explanation : (B)



3	0	0	$3 = 4_{C_3} \times 3_{C_0} \times 3_{C_0} \times 4_{C_3} = 16$
2	1	1	$2 = 4_{C_2} \times 3_{C_1} \times 3_{C_1} \times 4_{C_2} = 324$
1	2	2	$1 = 4_{C_1} \times 3_{C_2} \times 3_{C_2} \times 4_{C_1} = 144$
0	3	3	$0 = 4_{C_0} \times 3_{C_3} \times 3_{C_3} \times 4_{C_0} = 1$

15. If  $2f(\sin x) + \sqrt{2} f(-\cos x) = -\tan x$ , then the value of  $f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$  is  $\left(x \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, 2\pi\right)\right)$

(A)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}-3}{\sqrt{6}}$

(B)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}+3}{\sqrt{6}}$

(C)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}-3}{\sqrt{5}}$

(D)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}+3}{\sqrt{5}}$

**Chapter Name :** RELATIONS AND FUNCTIONS, TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

**Topic Name :** FUNCTION, DOMAIN, CO-DOMAIN AND RANGE OF FUNCTION, TRANSFORMATION FORMULA AND IDENTITIES (CONCEPT, LINKAGE)

**Explanation : (A)**

Put  $x = \frac{5\pi}{6}$  and  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

$$2f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \sqrt{2}f\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \dots \dots \dots (i)$$

$$2f\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) + \sqrt{2}f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{3} \dots \dots (ii)$$

by equation (ii)  $(2) - \sqrt{2}(i)$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{2} - 3}{\sqrt{6}}$$

16. The mean of a certain number of observations is  $m$ . If each observation is divided by  $x (\neq 0)$  and increased by  $y$ , then mean of the new observations is

(A)  $mx + y$

(B)  $mx + \frac{y}{x}$

(C)  $\frac{m+xy}{x}$

(D)  $m + xy$

**Chapter Name :** STATISTICS

**Topic Name :** MEAN, MEDIAN AND MODE  
(CONCEPT)

Explanation : (C)

$$\text{Mean (m)} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n}$$

$$\text{New mean} = \frac{\left(\frac{x_1}{x} + y\right) + \left(\frac{x_2}{x} + y\right) + \dots + \left(\frac{n}{x} + y\right)}{n}$$

$$= \frac{m}{x} + y = \frac{m + xy}{x}$$

17. Let  $k$  be an integer such that the triangle with vertices  $(k, -3k)$ ,  $(5, k)$  and  $(-k, 2)$  has area 28 sq units. Then, the orthocenter of this triangle is at the point

- (A)  $\left(2, \frac{1}{2}\right)$
- (B)  $\left(2, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$
- (C)  $\left(1, \frac{3}{4}\right)$
- (D)  $\left(1, -\frac{3}{4}\right)$

**Chapter Name :** STRAIGHT LINES

**Topic Name :** AREA OF TRIANGLE ,QUADILATERAL, COLLINEARITY ,  
COORDINATES OF PARTICULAR POINTS  
(APPLICATION)



**Explanation : (A)**

Denote the points are  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$  and  $(x_3, y_3)$  from the matrix  $P = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - x_3 & y_1 - y_3 \\ x_2 - x_3 & y_2 - y_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -8 \\ 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{\vec{R_1}}{|\vec{P}|} \cdot \frac{\vec{R_2}}{|\vec{P}|} = \frac{28}{56} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\therefore$  Circumcentre of triangle is  $\left(\frac{7 + \frac{1}{2} \times -8}{2}, \frac{-4 \times \frac{1}{2} \times -3}{2}\right)$  or  $\left(\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{5}{4}\right)$  and centroid is  $\left(\frac{5}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}\right)$

then, orthocenter =  $\left(\frac{5}{3} \times 3 - 2 \times \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{2}{3} \times 3 + 2 \times \frac{5}{4}\right)$  Or  $\left(2, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

18. If  $f(x + y) = 2 f(x)f(y)$ ,  $f'(5) = 1024 (\log 2)$  and  $f(2) = 8$  then the value of  $f'(3)$  is

- (A)  $64 (\log 2)$
- (B)  $128 (\log 2)$
- (C)  $256$
- (D)  $256 (\log 2)$

**Chapter Name :** DERIVATIVES

**Topic Name :** DERIVATIVE USING FUNCTIONAL EQUATION  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation : (A)**

$$f'(5) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(5+h) - f(5)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2f(5)f(h) - f(5)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2f(5) \left[ \frac{f(h) - \frac{1}{2}}{h} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow 1024 \log 2 = 2f(5)f'(0)$$

Again now,  $f(2+3) = 2f(2)f(3) \dots (i)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1024 \log 2}{2f'(0)} = 2 \times 8 \times f(3)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(3) = \frac{32 \log 2}{f'(0)} \dots (ii)$$

$$\therefore f'(3) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2f(3+h) - f(3)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2f(3)f(h) - f(3)}{h}$$

$$= 2f(3)f'(0)$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{32 \log 2 f'(0)}{f'(0)} = 64 \log 2 \quad [\text{from eq (ii)}]$$

19. The shortest distance between line  $y - x = 1$  and curve  $x = y^2$  is

(A)  $\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8}$

(B)  $\frac{8}{3\sqrt{2}}$

(C)  $\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$

(D)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

**Chapter Name :** CONIC SECTIONS \_ PARABOLA

**Topic Name :** CHORD OF CONTACT, MID POINT OF CHORD, PAIR OF TANGENT

(APPLICATION)

## Explanation : (A)

The shortest distance between  $y = x - 1$  and  $y = x^2$  is along the normal of  $y^2 = x$ .

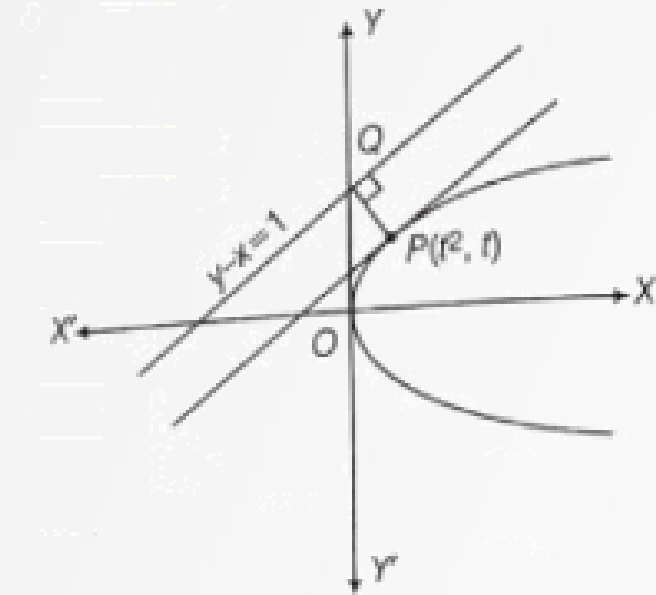
Let  $P(t^2, t)$  be any point on  $y^2 = x$ .

∴ Tangent at P is  $y = \frac{x}{2t} + \frac{t}{2}$

∴ Slope of tangent =  $\frac{1}{2t}$  and tangent at P is parallel to  $y - x = 1$

∴  $\frac{1}{2t} = 1 \Rightarrow t = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow P\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

Hence, shortest distance =  $PQ = \frac{\left|\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} - 1\right|}{\sqrt{1+1}} = \frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8}$



# JEE-MAINS-2021 Anticipated Questions

$$20. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \left\{ \tan^{-1} \frac{x+1}{x+2} - \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{x+2} \right\}$$

- (A) 1
- (B)  $-1$
- (C)  $\frac{1}{2}$
- (D)  $-\frac{1}{2}$

**Chapter Name :** INVERSE TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS,LIMITS

**Topic Name :** STANDARD LIMITS , ALGEBRA, TRIGNOMETRIC  
LIMITS, EXPONENTIAL , LOGARITHEMIC LIMITS,INVERSE  
TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS USING STANDARD FORMULAS  
(APPLICATION, LINKAGE)

**Explanation : (C)**

$$\tan^{-1} x - \tan^{-1} y = \tan^{-1} \frac{x-y}{1-xy}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{\tan^{-1} \frac{x+2}{2x^2+5x+4}}{\frac{x+2}{2x^2+5x+4}} \right) \left( \frac{x+2}{2x^2+5x+4} \right) x$$



21. Let  $f(x) = (x - a)(x - b)(x - c)(x - d)$ ;  $a < b < c < d$ . Then minimum number of roots of the equation  $f''(x) = 0$  is

**Answer : 2**

**Chapter Name :** MAXIMA AND MINIMA

**Topic Name :** LOCAL MIN MAX VALUES  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation :**

$$f(a) = f(b) = f(c) = f(d) = 0$$

$f(x) = 0$  (4 times). Graph of  $f(x)$  will intersect 4 times the  $x$  – axis.

So there will be minimum three turnings.

And  $f'(x) = 0$  minimum (3 times).

So,  $f''(x) = 0$  will be minimum (2 times)

22. If  $e$  is eccentricity of the hyperbola  $(5x - 10)^2 + (5y + 15)^2 = (12x - 5y + 1)^2$  then  $\frac{25e}{13}$  is equal to

**Answer : 5**

**Chapter Name :** CONIC SECTIONS \_ HYPERBOLA

**Topic Name :** DIFFERENT FORMS OF HYPERBOLA, POSITION OF POINT, POSITION OF THE W.R.T TO HYPERBOLA (CONCEPT)

**Explanation :**

Equation can be written as  $\sqrt{(x-2)^2 + (y+3)^2} = \frac{13}{5} \left| \frac{12x-5y+1}{13} \right|$

$$\text{So, } e = \frac{13}{5}$$

$$\frac{25e}{13} = 5$$

23. Tangents are drawn from points on the line  $x - y + 2 = 0$  to the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$ , then all the chords of contact pass through the point whose distance from  $\left(2, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  is

**Answer : 3**

**Chapter Name :** CONIC SECTIONS\_ELLIPSE

**Topic Name :** TANGENT & NORMAL, CHORD OF CONTACT,  
DIAMETERS OF ELLIPSE  
(APPLICATION)

## Explanation :

Consider any point  $(t, t + 2), t \in \mathbb{R}$  on the line  $x - y + 2 = 0$

The chord of contact of ellipse with respect to this point is  $x(t) + 2y(t + 2) - 2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (4y - 2) + t(x + 2y) = 0, y = \frac{1}{2}, x = -1$$

Hence, the point is  $\left(-1, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ , where distance from  $\left(2, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  is 3

24. If  $f(x), g(x) = e^x - 1$  and  $\int (f \circ g)(x) dx = A (f \circ g)(x) + B \tan^{-1} [(f \circ g)(x)] + C$  then  $A + B =$

**Answer : 0**

**Chapter Name :** INDEFINITE INTEGRALS  
**Topic Name :** METHODS OF INTEGRATION  
(APPLICATION)



**Explanation :**

$$(\text{fog})(x) = \sqrt{e^x - 1}$$

$$I = \int \sqrt{e^x - 1} \, dx = \int \frac{2t^2}{t^2 + 1} \, dt \quad \text{Where } e^x - 1 = t^2$$

$$I = 2t - 2 \tan^{-1} t + c = 2\sqrt{e^x - 1} - \tan^{-1} \sqrt{e^x - 1} + C$$

$$= 2 \text{ fog}(x) - 2 \tan^{-1} \text{ fog}(x) + c$$

$$A + B = 2 - 2 = 0$$

25. A possible value of 'K' for which the system of equations  $2x - 3y + 6z - 5t = 3$ ,  $y - 4z + t = 1$ ,  $4x - 5y + 8z - 9t = k$  in  $x, y, z$  has infinite number of solutions.

**Answer : 7**

**Chapter Name :** MATRICES

**Topic Name :** RANK OF MATRICES AND SOLUTIONS OF LINEAR  
SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS

(APPLICATION)

**Explanation :**

$$[AD] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 6 & 3+5t \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 1-t \\ 4 & -5 & 8 & k+9t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 - 2R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 6 & 3+5t \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 1-t \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & k-6-t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 - R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 6 & 3+5t \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 1-t \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & k-7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Infinite solutions  $\Rightarrow \text{Rank}(A) = \text{Rank}(AD) \neq 3$

$$\Rightarrow K = 7$$

26. There is a point  $(p, q)$  on the graph of  $f(x) = x^2$  and a point  $(r, s)$  on the graph of  $g(x) = \frac{-8}{x}$ , where  $p > 0$  and  $r > 0$ . If the line through  $(p, q)$  and  $(r, s)$  is also tangent to both the curves at these points, respectively, then the value of  $p + q$  is

**Answer : 5**

**Chapter Name :** TANGENT & NORMAL

**Topic Name :** EQUATION OF TANGENT ,NORMAL  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation :**

$$y = x^2 \text{ and } y = -\frac{8}{x}; q = p^2 \text{ and } s = -\frac{8}{r} \quad (1)$$

Equating  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at A and B, we get  $2p = \frac{8}{r^2}$

$$\Rightarrow pr^2 = 4 \quad (1)$$

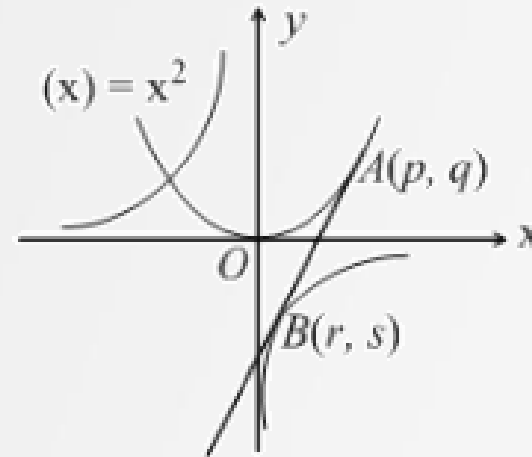
$$\text{Now, } m_{AB} = \frac{q-s}{p-r} \Rightarrow 2p = \frac{p^2 + \frac{8}{r}}{p-r}$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 = 2pr + \frac{8}{r} \Rightarrow p^2 = \frac{16}{r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{16}{r^4} = \frac{16}{r} \Rightarrow r = 1 \quad (r \neq 0) \Rightarrow p = 4$$

$$\therefore r = 1, p = 1$$

$$\text{Hence } p + r = 5$$



27. The value of the integral  $\int_{-\frac{3\pi}{4}}^{\frac{5\pi}{4}} \frac{\cos x + \sin x}{1 + e^{x\frac{\pi}{4}}} dx$  is

**Answer : 0**

**Chapter Name :** DEFINITE INTEGRALS AND AREA

**Topic Name :** PROPERTIES OF DEFINITE INTEGRALS  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation :**

$$\text{Use } I = \int_a^b f(x)dx = \int_a^b f(a + b - x)dx$$

$$2I = \int_{\frac{3x}{4}}^{\frac{5x}{4}} (\sin x + \cos x)dx = 0$$



28.  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+(\ln x)(\ln x) \dots \infty} \forall x \in [1, 3]$  is non-differentiable at  $x = k$ . Then the value of  $[k^2]$  is  
(where  $[.]$  represents greatest integer function)

**Answer : 7**

**Chapter Name :** CONTINUITY AND DIFFERENTIABILITY

**Topic Name :** CONTINUITY, DIFFERENTIABILITY

(APPLICATION)

**Explanation :**

Let  $g(x) = (\ln x) (\ln x) \dots \infty$

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & 1 < x < e \\ 1, & x = e \\ \infty, & e < x < 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Therefore } f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 1 < x < e \\ x/2, & x = e \\ 0, & e < x < 3 \end{cases}$$

29.  $\frac{1}{x} = \frac{2e}{3!} + \frac{4e}{5!} + \frac{6e}{7!} + \dots \infty$ , then  $\int_0^x f(y) \log_y x \, dy$ ,  $y > 1$

**Answer : 0**

**Chapter Name :** SEQUENCES AND SERIES  
**Topic Name :** SUM TO N TERMS OF SPECIAL SERIES  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation :**

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{x} &= 2e \left( \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{2}{5!} + \frac{3}{7!} + \dots \infty \right) \\ &= 2e \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{r}{(2r+1)!} = e \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2r+1)-1}{(2r+1)!} \\ &= e \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{(2r)!} - \frac{1}{(2r+1)!} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{x} = e \left( \frac{1}{2!} - \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{1}{4!} - \frac{1}{5!} + \dots \right) = \frac{1}{x} = e \cdot (e^{-1}) = x = 1 \\ \int_0^1 f(y) \cdot \log_y dy ; y > 1 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

30. The sides of triangle ABC satisfy the relations  $a + b - c = 2$  and  $2ab - c^2 = 4$ , then square of the area of triangle is \_\_\_\_\_

**Answer : 3**

**Chapter Name :** TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

**Topic Name :** PROPERTIES OF TRIANGLE  
(APPLICATION)

**Explanation :**

$$a + b - c = 2$$

$$\text{and } 2ab - c^2 = 4 \quad (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab - 2bc - 2ca = 4$$

$$= 2ab - c^2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow a = b = c$$

Triangle is equilateral

$$\Rightarrow a = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta = \sqrt{3}$$