

## FINAL JEE-MAIN EXAMINATION – JUNE, 2022

(Held On Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June, 2022)

TIME : 9 : 00 AM to 12 : 00 PM

MATHEMATICS	TEST PAPER WITH SOLUTION
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SECTION-A</b></p> <p><b>1. Question ID: 101761</b>  The probability that a randomly chosen <math>2 \times 2</math> matrix with all the entries from the set of first 10 primes, is singular, is equal to :  (A) <math>\frac{133}{10^4}</math>      (B) <math>\frac{18}{10^3}</math>  (C) <math>\frac{19}{10^3}</math>      (D) <math>\frac{271}{10^4}</math></p> <p><b>Official Ans. by NTA (C)</b>  <b>Ans. (C)</b></p> <p><b>Sol.</b> Let matrix A is singular then <math> A  = 0</math>  Number of singular matrix = All entries are same + only two prime number are used in matrix  <math>= 10 + 10 \times 9 \times 2</math>  <math>= 190</math>  Required probability = <math>\frac{190}{10^4} = \frac{19}{10^3}</math></p> <p><b>2. Question ID: 101762</b>  Let the solution curve of the differential equation  <math>x \frac{dy}{dx} - y = \sqrt{y^2 + 16x^2}</math>, <math>y(1) = 3</math> be <math>y = y(x)</math>.  Then <math>y(2)</math> is equal to :  (A) 15      (B) 11  (C) 13      (D) 17</p> <p><b>Official Ans. by NTA (A)</b>  <b>Ans. (A)</b></p> <p><b>Sol.</b> <math>y = vx \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx}</math>  <math>\Rightarrow x \frac{dv}{dx} = \sqrt{v^2 + 16}</math>  <math>\Rightarrow \int \frac{dv}{\sqrt{v^2 + 16}} = \int \frac{dx}{x}</math>  <math>\Rightarrow \ln  v + \sqrt{v^2 + 16}  = \ln x + \ln C</math>  <math>\Rightarrow y + \sqrt{y^2 + 16x^2} = Cx^2</math>  As <math>y(1) = 3 \Rightarrow C = 8</math>  <math>\Rightarrow y(2) = 15</math></p>	<p><b>3. Question ID: 101763</b>  If the mirror image of the point <math>(2, 4, 7)</math> in the plane <math>3x - y + 4z = 2</math> is <math>(a, b, c)</math>, the <math>2a + b + 2c</math> is equal to :  (A) 54      (B) 50  (C) -6      (D) -42</p> <p><b>Official Ans. by NTA (C)</b>  <b>Ans. (C)</b></p> <p><b>Sol.</b> <math>\frac{a-2}{3} = \frac{b-4}{-1} = \frac{c-7}{4} = \frac{-2(6-4+28-2)}{3^2+1^2+4^2}</math>  <math>\Rightarrow a = \frac{-84}{13} + 2, b = \frac{28}{13} + 4, c = \frac{-112}{13} + 7</math>  <math>\Rightarrow 2a + b + 2c = -6</math></p> <p><b>4. Question ID: 101764</b>  Let <math>f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}</math> be a function defined by :</p> $f(x) = \begin{cases} \max \{t^3 - 3t\}; & x \leq 2 \\ t \leq x \\ x^2 + 2x - 6; & 2 < x < 3 \\ [x-3] + 9; & 3 \leq x \leq 5 \\ 2x + 1; & x > 5 \end{cases}$ <p>Where <math>[t]</math> is the greatest integer less than or equal to <math>t</math>. Let <math>m</math> be the number of points where <math>f</math> is not differentiable and <math>I = \int_{-2}^2 f(x) dx</math>. Then the ordered pair <math>(m, I)</math> is equal to :  (A) <math>\left(3, \frac{27}{4}\right)</math>      (B) <math>\left(3, \frac{23}{4}\right)</math>  (C) <math>\left(4, \frac{27}{4}\right)</math>      (D) <math>\left(4, \frac{23}{4}\right)</math></p> <p><b>Official Ans. by NTA (C)</b>  <b>Ans. (C)</b></p>





**Sol.**  $a_2 = 1, a_3 = 3, a_4 = 6$

$$a_n = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$$

$$S = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n(n-1)}{2(7^n)}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{7^2} + \frac{3}{7^3} + \frac{6}{7^4} + \frac{10}{7^5} + \frac{15}{7^6} + \dots$$

$$\frac{S}{7} = \frac{1}{7^3} + \frac{3}{7^4} + \frac{6}{7^5} + \frac{10}{7^6} + \dots$$

$$6 \cdot \frac{S}{7^2} = \frac{1}{7^2} + \frac{2}{7^3} + \frac{3}{7^4} + \frac{4}{7^5} + \dots$$

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$$6 \cdot \frac{S}{7} \cdot \frac{6}{7} = \frac{1}{7^2} + \frac{1}{7^3} + \dots = \frac{1/7^2}{1 - 1/7}$$

$$6 \times 6 \cdot \frac{S}{7^2} = \frac{1}{7 \times 6}$$

$$S = \frac{7}{6^3} = \frac{7}{216}$$

**Alternate**

$$a_{n+2} = 2a_{n+1} - a_n + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_{n+2}}{7^{n+2}} = \frac{2}{7} \frac{a_{n+1}}{7^{n+1}} - \frac{1}{49} \frac{a_n}{7^n} + \frac{1}{7^{n+2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{a_{n+2}}{7^{n+2}} = \frac{2}{7} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{7^{n+1}} - \frac{1}{49} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{7^n} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{7^{n+2}}$$

$$\text{Let } \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{7^n} = p$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( p - \frac{a_2}{7^2} - \frac{a_3}{7^3} \right) = \frac{2}{7} \left( p - \frac{a_2}{7^2} \right) - \frac{1}{49} p + \frac{1/7^4}{1 - \frac{1}{7}}$$

$$\because a_2 = 1, a_3 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow p - \frac{1}{49} - \frac{3}{343} = \frac{2}{7} p - \frac{2}{7^3} - \frac{p}{49} + \frac{1}{6 \cdot 7^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{7}{216}$$

**13. Question ID: 101773**

The distance between the two points A and A' which lie on  $y = 2$  such that both the line segments AB and A' B (where B is the point (2, 3)) subtend angle  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  at the origin, is equal to :

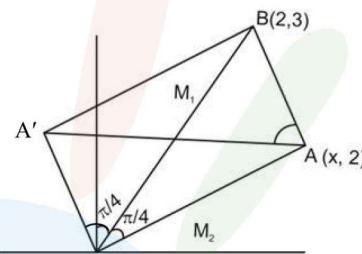
$$(A) 10 \quad (B) \frac{48}{5}$$

$$(C) \frac{52}{5} \quad (D) 3$$

**Official Ans. by NTA (C)**

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.**



$$M_1 = 3/2 \quad M_2 = 2/x$$

$$\tan \pi/4 = \left| \frac{3/2 - 2/x}{1 + 6/2x} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = 10, \quad x_2 = -2/5$$

$$\Rightarrow AA' = 52/5$$

**14. Question ID: 101774**

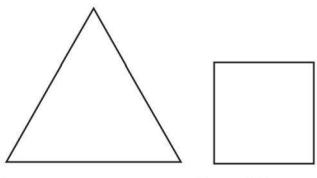
A wire of length 22 m is to be cut into two pieces. One of the pieces is to be made into a square and the other into an equilateral triangle. Then, the length of the side of the equilateral triangle, so that the combined area of the square and the equilateral triangle is minimum, is :

$$(A) \frac{22}{9+4\sqrt{3}} \quad (B) \frac{66}{9+4\sqrt{3}}$$

$$(C) \frac{22}{4+9\sqrt{3}} \quad (D) \frac{66}{4+9\sqrt{3}}$$

**Official Ans. by NTA (B)**

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.**

$$3a = x$$

$$4b = 22 - x$$

$$a = 2/13$$

$$A_T = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a^2 + b^2$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} x^2 / 9 + \frac{(22-x)^2}{16}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow x \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2 \times 9} + \frac{1}{8} \right) - \frac{22}{8} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x \left( \frac{4\sqrt{3} + 9}{36} \right) = \frac{11}{2}$$

$$a = x/3$$

$$a = \left( \frac{11/2}{4\sqrt{3} + 9} \right) \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) = \frac{66}{4\sqrt{3} + 9}$$

**15. Question ID: 101775**

The domain of the function  $\cos^{-1} \left( \frac{2\sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{4x^2-1} \right)}{\pi} \right)$

is :

- (A)  $R - \left\{ -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\}$
- (B)  $(-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty) \cup \{0\}$
- (C)  $(-\infty, \frac{-1}{2}) \cup (\frac{1}{2}, \infty) \cup \{0\}$
- (D)  $(-\infty, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}] \cup [\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \infty) \cup \{0\}$

**Official Ans. by NTA (D)**

**Ans. (D)**

$$\text{Sol. } -1 \leq \frac{2\sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{4x^2-1} \right)}{\pi} \leq 1$$

$$-\pi/2 \leq \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{4x^2-1} \leq \pi/2$$

$$\text{Always } -1 \leq \frac{1}{4x^2-1} \leq 1$$

$$x \in \left( \infty, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \cup \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \infty \right)$$

**16. Question ID: 101776**

If the constant term in the expansion of  $\left( 3x^3 - 2x^2 + \frac{5}{x^5} \right)^{10}$  is  $2^k$ , where  $k$  is an odd integer, then the value of  $k$  is equal to :

- (A) 6
- (B) 7
- (C) 8
- (D) 9

**Official Ans. by NTA (D)**

**Ans. (D)**

**Sol.** General term

$$T_{r+1} = \frac{10}{|r_1|r_2|r_3|} (3)^{r_1} (-2)^{r_2} (5)^{r_3} (x)^{3r_1+2r_2-5r_3}$$

$$3r_1 + 2r_2 - 5r_3 = 0 \quad \dots(1)$$

$$r_1 + r_2 + r_3 = 10 \quad \dots(2)$$

from equation (1) and (2)

$$r_1 + 2(10 - r_3) - 5r_3 = 0$$

$$r_1 + 20 = 7r_3$$

$$(r_1, r_2, r_3) = (1, 6, 3)$$

$$\text{constant term} = \frac{10}{|1|6|3|} (3)^1 (-2)^6 (5)^3$$

$$= 2^9 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^4 \cdot 7^1$$

$$l = 9$$

**17. Question ID: 101777**

$$\int_0^5 \cos \left( \pi(x - \left[ \frac{x}{2} \right]) \right) dx,$$

Where  $[t]$  denotes greatest integer less than or equal to  $t$ , is equal to :

- (A) -3
- (B) -2
- (C) 2
- (D) 0

**Official Ans. by NTA (D)**

**Ans. (D)**

$$\text{Sol. } I = \int_0^5 \cos \left( \pi x - \pi \left[ \frac{x}{2} \right] \right) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \int_0^2 \cos(\pi x) dx + \int_2^4 \cos(\pi x - \pi) dx + \int_4^5 \cos(\pi x - 2\pi) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \left[ \frac{\sin \pi x}{\pi} \right]_0^2 + \left[ \frac{\sin(\pi x - \pi)}{\pi} \right]_2^4 + \left[ \frac{\sin(\pi x - 2\pi)}{\pi} \right]_4^5$$

$$\Rightarrow I = 0$$

**18. Question ID: 101778**

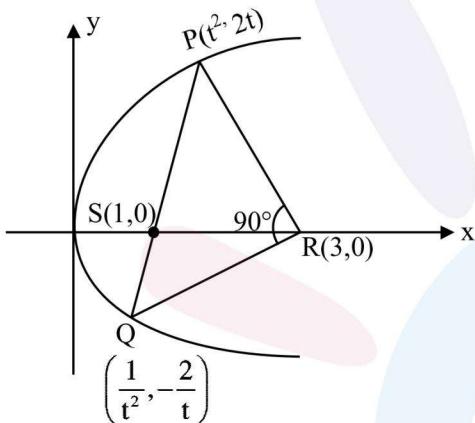
Let PQ be a focal chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  such that it subtends an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  at the point (3, 0). Let the line segment PQ be also a focal chord of the ellipse  $E: \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, a^2 > b^2$ . If e is the eccentricity of the ellipse E, then the value of  $\frac{1}{e^2}$  is equal to :

- (A)  $1 + \sqrt{2}$       (B)  $3 + 2\sqrt{2}$   
(C)  $1 + 2\sqrt{3}$       (D)  $4 + 5\sqrt{3}$

**Official Ans. by NTA (B)**

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** PQ is focal chord



$$m_{PR} \cdot m_{PQ} = -1$$

$$\frac{2t}{t^2-3} \times \frac{-2/t}{1/t^2-3} = -1$$

$$(t^2-1)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 1$$

$\Rightarrow$  P & Q must be end points of latus rectum:

$$P(1, 2) \text{ & } Q(1, -2)$$

$$\therefore \frac{2b^2}{a} = 4 \text{ & } ae = 1$$

$\because$  We know that  $b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2)$

$$\therefore a = 1 + \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore e^2 = 1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

$$\therefore e^2 = 3 - 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{e^2} = 3 + 2\sqrt{2}$$

**19. Question ID: 101779**

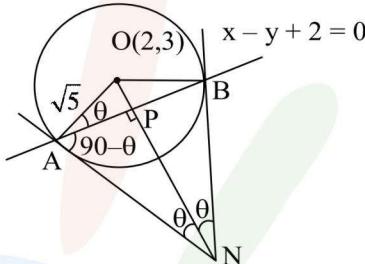
Let the tangent to the circle  $C_1 : x^2 + y^2 = 2$  at the point M(-1, 1) intersect the circle  $C_2 : (x - 3)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 5$ , at two distinct points A and B. If the tangents to  $C_2$  at the points A and B intersect at N, then the area of the triangle ANB is equal to :

- (A)  $\frac{1}{2}$       (B)  $\frac{2}{3}$   
(C)  $\frac{1}{6}$       (D)  $\frac{5}{3}$

**Official Ans. by NTA (C)**

**Ans. (C)**

**Sol.**  $OP = \left| \frac{2-3+2}{\sqrt{2}} \right|$



$$OP = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$AP = \sqrt{OA^2 - OP^2} \\ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\tan \theta = 3$$

$$\therefore \sin \theta = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} = \frac{AP}{AN}$$

$$\Rightarrow AN = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} = BN$$

$$\text{Area of } \triangle ANB = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (AN^2) \sin 2\theta = \frac{1}{6}$$

**20. Question ID: 101780**

Let the mean and the variance of 5 observations

$$x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5 \text{ be } \frac{24}{5} \text{ and } \frac{194}{25} \text{ respectively.}$$

If the mean and variance of the first 4 observation are

$$\frac{7}{2} \text{ and } a \text{ respectively, then } (4a + x_5) \text{ is equal to:}$$

- (A) 13      (B) 15  
(C) 17      (D) 18

**Official Ans. by NTA (B)**

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.**  $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x_i}{5} = \frac{24}{5} \Rightarrow \sum x_i = 24$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum x_i^2}{5} - \left(\frac{24}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{194}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum x_i^2 = 154$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 14$$

$$\Rightarrow x_5 = 10$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2}{4} - \frac{49}{4} = a$$

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 = 4a + 49$$

$$x_5^2 = 154 - 4a - 49$$

$$\Rightarrow 100 = 105 - 4a \Rightarrow 4a = 5$$

$$4a + x_5 = 15$$

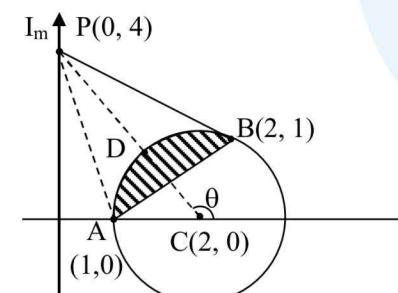
### SECTION-B

#### 1. Question ID: 101781

Let  $S = \{z \in C : |z - 2| \leq 1, z(1+i) + \bar{z}(1-i) \leq 2\}$ . Let  $|z - 4i|$  attains minimum and maximum values, respectively, at  $z_1 \in S$  and  $z_2 \in S$ . If  $5(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2) = \alpha + \beta\sqrt{5}$ , where  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are integers, then the value of  $\alpha + \beta$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_. Official Ans. by NTA (26)

Ans. (26)

**Sol.**  $|z - 2| \leq 1$



$$(x-2)^2 + y^2 \leq 1 \dots\dots (1)$$

&

$$z(1+i) + \bar{z}(1-i) \leq 2$$

Put  $z = x + iy$

$$\therefore x - y \leq 1 \dots\dots (2)$$

$$PA = \sqrt{17}, PB = \sqrt{13}$$

Maximum is PA & Minimum is PD

Let  $D(2 + \cos\theta, 0 + \sin\theta)$

$$\therefore m_{op} = \tan\theta = -2$$

$$\cos\theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \sin\theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\therefore D\left(2 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 = \left(2 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right) + \frac{2i}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$|z_1| = \frac{25 - 4\sqrt{5}}{5} \& z_2 = 1$$

$$\therefore |z_2|^2 = 1$$

$$\therefore 5(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2) = 30 - 4\sqrt{5}$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 30$$

$$\beta = -4$$

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta = 26$$

#### 2. Question ID: 101782

Let  $y = y(x)$  be the solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{\sqrt{2}y}{2\cos^4 x - \cos 2x} = xe^{\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2}\cot 2x)}, 0 < x <$$

$$\pi/2 \text{ with } y\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{\pi^2}{32}.$$

If  $y\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\pi^2}{18} e^{-\tan^{-1}(\alpha)}$ , then the value of  $3\alpha^2$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_. Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Ans. (2)

**Sol.**  $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2\cos^4 x - \cos 2x} y = xe^{\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2}\cot 2x)}$

$$\int \frac{dx}{2\cos^4 x - \cos 2x}$$

$$= \int \frac{dx}{\cos^4 x + \sin^4 x} = \int \frac{\operatorname{cosec}^4 x dx}{1 + \cot^4 x}$$

$$= - \int \frac{t^2 + 1}{t^4 + 1} dt = - \int \frac{\left(1 + \frac{1}{t^2}\right)}{\left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 + 2} dt = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{t - \frac{1}{t}}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$\operatorname{Cot} x = t$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} (\sqrt{2} \cot 2x)$$

$$\therefore \text{IF} = e^{-\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2} \cot 2x)}$$

$$ye^{-\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2} \cot 2x)} = \int x dx$$

$$ye^{-\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2} \cot 2x)} = \frac{x^2}{2} + c$$

$$y\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{\pi^2}{32} + c \Rightarrow c = 0$$

$$y = \frac{x^2}{2} e^{\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2} \cot 2x)}$$

$$y\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\pi^2}{18} e^{\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2} \cot \frac{2\pi}{3})}$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{18} e^{-\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}})}$$

$$\alpha = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \Rightarrow 3\alpha^2 = 2$$

### 3. Question ID: 101783

Let  $d$  be the distance between the foot of perpendiculars of the points  $P(1, 2, -1)$  and  $Q(2, -1, 3)$  on the plane  $-x + y + z = 1$ . Then  $d^2$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (26)**

**Ans. (26)**

**Sol.** Points  $P(1, 2, -1)$  and  $Q(2, -1, 3)$  lie on same side of the plane.

Perpendicular distance of point  $P$  from plane is

$$\left| \frac{-1+2-1-1}{\sqrt{1^2+1^2+1^2}} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Perpendicular distance of point  $Q$  from plane is

$$= \left| \frac{-2-1+3-1}{\sqrt{1^2+1^2+1^2}} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$\Rightarrow \overrightarrow{PQ}$  is parallel to given plane. So, distance between  $P$  and  $Q$  = distance between their foot of perpendiculars.

$$\Rightarrow |\overrightarrow{PQ}| = \sqrt{(1-2)^2 + (2+1)^2 + (-1-3)^2}$$

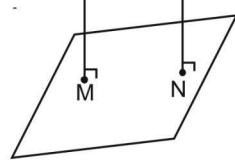
$$= \sqrt{26}$$

$$|\overrightarrow{PQ}|^2 = 26 = d^2$$

**Alternate**

$$-x + y + z - 1 = 0$$

$P(1, 2, -1)$   $Q(2, -1, 3)$



$M(x_1, y_1, z_1)$

$$\frac{x_1 - 1}{-1} = \frac{y_1 - 2}{1} = \frac{z_1 + 1}{1} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$x_1 = \frac{2}{3}, y_1 = \frac{7}{3}, z_1 = \frac{-2}{3}$$

$$M\left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{7}{3}, \frac{-2}{3}\right)$$

$N(x_2, y_2, z_2)$

$$\frac{x_2 - 2}{-1} = \frac{y_2 + 1}{1} = \frac{z_2 - 3}{1} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$x_2 = \frac{5}{3}, y_2 = \frac{-2}{3}, z_2 = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$N\left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{-2}{3}, \frac{10}{3}\right)$$

$$d^2 = 1^2 + 3^2 + 4^2 = 26$$

### 4. Question ID: 101784

The number of elements in the set  $S = \{\theta \in [-4\pi, 4\pi] : 3\cos^2 2\theta + 6\cos 2\theta - 10\cos^2 \theta + 5 = 0\}$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (32)**

**Ans. (32)**

$$\begin{aligned} 3\cos^2 2\theta + 6\cos 2\theta - 10\cos^2 \theta + 5 &= 0 \\ 3\cos^2 2\theta + 6\cos 2\theta - 5(1 + \cos 2\theta) + 5 &= 0 \\ 3\cos^2 2\theta + \cos 2\theta &= 0 \\ \cos 2\theta = 0 \text{ OR } \cos 2\theta &= -1/3 \\ \theta \in [-4\pi, 4\pi] & \\ 2\theta = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2} & \\ \therefore \theta = \pm\pi/4, \pm 3\pi/4, \dots, \pm 15\pi/4 & \\ \text{Similarly } \cos 2\theta = -1/3 \text{ gives 16 solution} & \end{aligned}$$

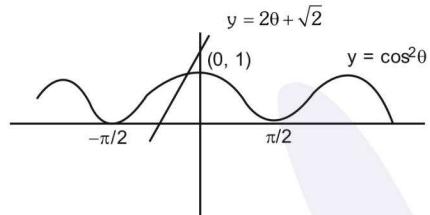
**5. Question ID: 101785**

The number of solutions of the equation  $2\theta - \cos^2\theta + \sqrt{2} = 0$  is R is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (1)**

**Ans. (1)**

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Sol. } & 2\theta - \cos^2\theta + \sqrt{2} = 0 \\ & \Rightarrow \cos^2\theta = 2\theta + \sqrt{2} \\ & y = 2\theta + \sqrt{2}\end{aligned}$$



Both graphs intersect at one point.

**6. Question ID: 101786**

$$50 \tan\left(3\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 2\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)\right) + 4\sqrt{2} \tan\left(\frac{1}{2}\tan^{-1}(2\sqrt{2})\right) \text{ is equal to _____.}$$

**Official Ans. by NTA (29)**

**Ans. (29)**

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Sol. } & 50 \tan\left(3\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{2} + 2\cos^{-1}\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right) \\ & + 4\sqrt{2} \tan\left(\frac{1}{2}\tan^{-1}2\sqrt{2}\right) \\ & = 50 \tan\left(\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{2} + 2(\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{2} + \tan^{-1}2)\right) \\ & + 4\sqrt{2} \tan\left(\frac{1}{2}\tan^{-1}2\sqrt{2}\right) \\ & = 50 \tan\left(\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{2} + 2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 4\sqrt{2} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ & = 50 \left(\tan \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{2}\right) + 4 \\ & = 25 + 4 = 29\end{aligned}$$

**7. Question ID: 101787**

Let  $c, k \in \mathbb{R}$ . If  $f(x) = (c+1)x^2 + (1-c^2)x + 2k$  and  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y) - xy$ , for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ , then the value of  $|2(f(1) + f(2) + f(3) + \dots + f(20))|$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (3395)**

**Ans. (3395)**

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Sol. } & f(x) = (c+1)x^2 + (1-c^2)x + 2k \quad \dots(1) \\ & \& f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y) - xy \quad \forall xy \in \mathbb{R}\end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+y) - f(x)}{y} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(y) - xy}{y} \Rightarrow f'(x) = f'(0) - x$$

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + f'(0).x + \lambda \quad \text{but } f(0) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 0$$

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + (1-c^2).x \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\therefore \text{as } f'(0) = 1-c^2$$

Comparing equation (1) and (2)

$$\text{We obtain, } c = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\therefore f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{5}{4}x$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Now } |2\sum_{x=1}^{20} f(x)| &= \sum_{x=1}^{20} x^2 + \frac{5}{2} \cdot \sum_{x=1}^{20} x \\ &= 2870 + 525 \\ &= 3395\end{aligned}$$

**8. Question ID: 101788**

Let  $H: \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ ,  $a > 0, b > 0$ , be a hyperbola such that the sum of lengths of the transverse and the conjugate axes is  $4(2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{14})$ . If the eccentricity H is  $\frac{\sqrt{11}}{2}$ , then value of  $a^2 + b^2$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (88)**

**Ans. (88)**

**Sol.**  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

Given  $e^2 = 1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2} \Rightarrow \frac{11}{4} = 1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2} \Rightarrow b^2 = \frac{7}{4}a^2$

$$\therefore \frac{x^2}{(a)^2} - \frac{y^2}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}a\right)^2} = 1 \text{ Now given}$$

$$2a + 2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{7}a}{2} = 4(2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{14})$$

$$a(2 + \sqrt{7}) = 4\sqrt{2}(2 + \sqrt{7})$$

$$a = 4\sqrt{2} \Rightarrow a^2 = 32$$

$$b^2 = \frac{7}{4} \times 16 \times 2 = 56$$

#### 9. Question ID: 101789

Let  $P_1 : \vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 4$  be a plane. Let  $P_2$  be another plane which passes through the points  $(2, -3, 2)$ ,  $(2, -2, -3)$  and  $(1, -4, 2)$ . If the direction ratios of the line of intersection of  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  be  $16, \alpha, \beta$ , then the value of  $\alpha + \beta$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (28)**

**Ans. (28)**

**Sol.**  $P_1 : \vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 4$

$$P_1 : 2x + y - 3z = 4$$

$$P_2 \begin{vmatrix} x-2 & y+3 & z-2 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -5x + 5y + z + 23 = 0$$

Let  $a, b, c$  be the d'rs of line of intersection

$$\text{Then } a = \frac{16\lambda}{15}; b = \frac{13\lambda}{15}; c = \frac{15\lambda}{15}$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 13 : \beta = 15$$

#### 10. Question ID: 101790

Let  $b_1 b_2 b_3 b_4$  be a 4-element permutation with  $b_i \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 100\}$  for  $1 \leq i \leq 4$  and  $b_i \neq b_j$  for  $i \neq j$ , such that either  $b_1, b_2, b_3$  are consecutive integers or  $b_2, b_3, b_4$  are consecutive integers.

Then the number of such permutations  $b_1 b_2 b_3 b_4$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (18915)**

**Ans. (18915)**

**Sol.**  $b_i \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 100\}$

Let  $A = \text{set when } b_1, b_2, b_3 \text{ are consecutive}$

$$n(A) = \frac{97 + 97 + \dots + 97}{98 \text{ times}} = 97 \times 98$$

Similarly when  $b_2, b_3, b_4$  are consecutive

$$N(A) = 97 \times 98$$

$$n(A \cap B) = \frac{97 + 97 + \dots + 97}{98 \text{ times}} = 97 \times 98$$

Similarly when  $b_1, b_2, b_4$  are consecutive

$$n(B) = 97 \times 98$$

$$n(A \cap B) = 97$$

$$n(A \cup B) = n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cap B)$$

$$\text{Number of permutation} = 18915$$