

FINAL JEE-MAIN EXAMINATION – APRIL, 2019

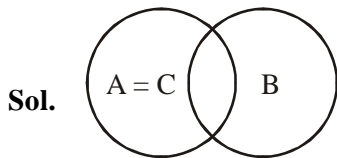
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MATHEMATICS

TEST PAPER WITH ANSWER & SOLUTION

1. Let A, B and C be sets such that $\phi \neq A \cap B \subseteq C$. Then which of the following statements is not true?
 (1) If $(A - C) \subseteq B$, then $A \subseteq B$
 (2) $(C \cup A) \cap (C \cup B) = C$
 (3) If $(A - B) \subseteq C$, then $A \subseteq C$
 (4) $B \cap C \neq \phi$

Official Ans. by NTA (1)



for $A = C$, $A - C = \phi$
 $\Rightarrow \phi \subseteq B$
 But $A \not\subseteq B$
 \Rightarrow option 1 is **NOT** true
 Let $x \in (C \cup A) \cap (C \cup B)$
 $\Rightarrow x \in (C \cup A)$ and $x \in (C \cup B)$
 $\Rightarrow (x \in C \text{ or } x \in A)$ and $(x \in C \text{ or } x \in B)$
 $\Rightarrow x \in C \text{ or } x \in (A \cap B)$
 $\Rightarrow x \in C \text{ or } x \in C$ (as $A \cap B \subseteq C$)
 $\Rightarrow x \in C$
 $\Rightarrow (C \cup A) \cap (C \cup B) \subseteq C$ (1)
 Now $x \in C \Rightarrow x \in (C \cup A)$ and $x \in (C \cup B)$
 $\Rightarrow x \in (C \cup A) \cap (C \cup B)$
 $\Rightarrow C \subseteq (C \cup A) \cap (C \cup B)$ (2)
 \Rightarrow from (1) and (2)
 $C = (C \cup A) \cap (C \cup B)$
 \Rightarrow option 2 is true
 Let $x \in A$ and $x \notin B$
 $\Rightarrow x \in (A - B)$
 $\Rightarrow x \in C$ (as $A - B \subseteq C$)
 Let $x \in A$ and $x \in B$
 $\Rightarrow x \in (A \cap B)$
 $\Rightarrow x \in C$ (as $A \cap B \subseteq C$)

Hence $x \in A \Rightarrow x \in C$
 $\Rightarrow A \subseteq C$
 \Rightarrow Option 3 is true
 as $C \supseteq (A \cap B)$
 $\Rightarrow B \cap C \supseteq (A \cap B)$
 as $A \cap B \neq \phi$
 $\Rightarrow B \cap C \neq \phi$
 \Rightarrow Option 4 is true.

2. If ${}^{20}C_1 + (2^2) {}^{20}C_2 + (3^2) {}^{20}C_3 + \dots + (20^2) {}^{20}C_{20} = A(2^\beta)$, then the ordered pair (A, β) is equal to:
 (1) (420, 18) (2) (380, 19)
 (3) (380, 18) (4) (420, 19)

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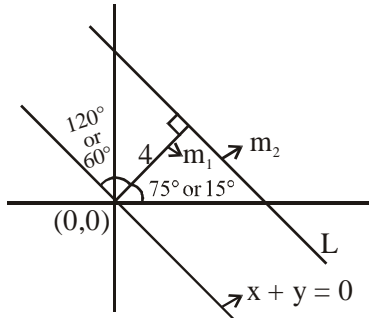
Sol. $(1+x)^n = {}^nC_0 + {}^nC_1x + {}^nC_2x^2 + \dots + {}^nC_nx^n$
 Diff. w.r.t. x
 $\Rightarrow n(1+x)^{n-1} = {}^nC_1 + {}^nC_2(2x) + \dots + {}^nC_n n(x)^{n-1}$
 Multiply by x both side
 $\Rightarrow nx(1+x)^{n-1} = {}^nC_1x + {}^nC_2(2x^2) + \dots + {}^nC_n(n x^n)$
 Diff w.r.t. x
 $\Rightarrow n [(1+x)^{n-1} + (n-1)x(1+x)^{n-2}] = {}^nC_1 + {}^nC_2 2^2x + \dots + {}^nC_n (n^2)x^{n-1}$
 Put $x = 1$ and $n = 20$
 $\Rightarrow {}^{20}C_1 + 2^2 {}^{20}C_2 + 3^2 {}^{20}C_3 + \dots + (20)^2 {}^{20}C_{20} = 20 \times 2^{18} [2 + 19] = 420 (2^{18}) = A(2^\beta)$

3. A straight line L at a distance of 4 units from the origin makes positive intercepts on the coordinate axes and the perpendicular from the origin to this line makes an angle of 60° with the line $x + y = 0$. Then an equation of the line L is :
 (1) $(\sqrt{3} + 1)x + (\sqrt{3} - 1)y = 8\sqrt{2}$
 (2) $(\sqrt{3} - 1)x + (\sqrt{3} + 1)y = 8\sqrt{2}$
 (3) $\sqrt{3}x + y = 8$
 (4) $x + \sqrt{3}y = 8$

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

ALLEN Ans. (1) or (2)

Sol.



$$m_1 = \tan 75^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1}$$

$$\text{or } m = \tan 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}+1}$$

$$m_2 = \frac{-1}{m_1} = \frac{-(\sqrt{3}-1)}{\sqrt{3}+1}$$

$$\text{or } m_2 = \frac{-1}{m_1} = \frac{-(\sqrt{3}+1)}{\sqrt{3}-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = m_2x + C \Rightarrow y = \frac{-(\sqrt{3}-1)x}{\sqrt{3}+1} + C \Rightarrow L$$

$$\text{or } y = \frac{-(\sqrt{3}+1)x}{\sqrt{3}-1} + C \Rightarrow L$$

Distance from origin = 4

$$\therefore \left| \frac{C}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{(\sqrt{3}-1)^2}{(\sqrt{3}+1)^2}}} \right| = 4 \quad \text{or} \quad \left| \frac{C}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{(\sqrt{3}+1)^2}{(\sqrt{3}-1)^2}}} \right| = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{(\sqrt{3}+1)} \quad \text{or} \quad C = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{(\sqrt{3}-1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sqrt{3}-1)y + (\sqrt{3}+1)x = 8\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{or } (\sqrt{3}-1)x + (\sqrt{3}+1)y = 8\sqrt{2}$$

4. A value of $\theta \in (0, \pi/3)$, for which

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 + \cos^2 \theta & \sin^2 \theta & 4 \cos 6\theta \\ \cos^2 \theta & 1 + \sin^2 \theta & 4 \cos 6\theta \\ \cos^2 \theta & \sin^2 \theta & 1 + 4 \cos 6\theta \end{vmatrix} = 0, \text{ is :}$$

- (1) $\frac{7\pi}{24}$ (2) $\frac{\pi}{18}$ (3) $\frac{\pi}{9}$ (4) $\frac{7\pi}{36}$

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Sol. $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ \cos^2 \theta & 1 + \sin^2 \theta & 4 \cos 6\theta \\ \cos^2 \theta & \sin^2 \theta & 1 + 4 \cos 6\theta \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_3$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ \cos^2 \theta & \sin^2 \theta & 1 + 4 \cos 6\theta \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + 4 \cos 6\theta) + \sin^2 \theta + 1 (\cos^2 \theta) = 0$$

$$1 + 2 \cos 6\theta = 0 \Rightarrow \cos 6\theta = -1/2$$

$$6\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{9}$$

5. If $[x]$ denotes the greatest integer $\leq x$, then the system of linear equations $[\sin \theta]x + [-\cos \theta]y = 0$

$$[\cot \theta]x + y = 0$$

(1) have infinitely many solutions if

$$\theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \cup \left(\pi, \frac{7\pi}{6} \right)$$

(2) have infinitely many solutions if $\theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3} \right)$

and has a unique solution if $\theta \in \left(\pi, \frac{7\pi}{6} \right)$

(3) has a unique solution if $\theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3} \right)$ and

have infinitely many solutions if $\theta \in \left(\pi, \frac{7\pi}{6} \right)$

(4) has a unique solution if $\theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \cup \left(\pi, \frac{7\pi}{6} \right)$

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Sol. $[\sin \theta]x + [-\cos \theta]y = 0$ and $[\cos \theta]x + y = 0$ for infinite many solution

$$\begin{vmatrix} [\sin \theta] & [-\cos \theta] \\ [\cos \theta] & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{ie } [\sin \theta] = -[\cos \theta] [\cot \theta] \quad (1)$$

$$\text{when } \theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \Rightarrow \sin \theta \in \left(0, \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$-\cos \theta \in \left(0, \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\cot \theta \in \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, 0 \right)$$

when $\theta \in \left(\pi, \frac{7\pi}{6}\right) \Rightarrow \sin \theta \in \left(-\frac{1}{2}, 0\right)$

$$-\cos \theta \in \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, 1\right)$$

$$\cot \theta \in (\sqrt{3}, \infty)$$

when $\theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$ then equation (i) satisfied there fore infinite many solution.

when $\theta \in \left(\pi, \frac{7\pi}{6}\right)$ then equation (i) not satisfied there fore infinite unique solution.

6. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x + 2 \sin x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 2 \sin x + 1} - \sqrt{\sin^2 x - x + 1}}$ is :

- (1) 3 (2) 2 (3) 6 (4) 1

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Sol. Rationalize

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x + 2 \sin x) \left(\sqrt{x^2 + 2 \sin x + 1} + \sqrt{\sin^2 x - x + 1} \right)}{x^2 + 2 \sin x + 1 - \sin^2 x + x - 1}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x + 2 \sin x)(2)}{x^2 + 2 \sin x - \sin^2 x + x}$$

$\frac{0}{0}$ form using L' hospital

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 + 2 \cos x) \times 2}{2x + 2 \cos x - 2 \sin x \cos x + 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2 \times 3}{(2 + 1)} = 2$$

7. If a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots are in A.P. such that $a_1 + a_7 + a_{16} = 40$, then the sum of the first 15 terms of this A.P. is :

- (1) 200 (2) 280
(3) 120 (4) 150

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. $a_1 + a_7 + a_{16} = 40$
 $a + a + 6d + a + 15d = 40$

$$\Rightarrow 3a + 21d = 40 \quad \Rightarrow \boxed{a + 7d = \frac{40}{3}}$$

$$S_{15} = \frac{15}{2}(2a + 14d) = 15(a + 7d)$$

$$S_{15} = 15 \times \frac{40}{3} \Rightarrow 200 \quad \boxed{S_{15} = 200}$$

8. The length of the perpendicular drawn from the point (2, 1, 4) to the plane containing the lines

$$\vec{r} = (\hat{i} + \hat{j}) + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - \hat{k}) \text{ and}$$

$$\vec{r} = (\hat{i} + \hat{j}) + \mu(-\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) \text{ is :}$$

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

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. perpendicular vector to the plane

$$\vec{n} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -3\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$$

Eq. of plane

$$-3(x - 1) + 3(y - 1) + 3z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - y - z = 0$$

$$d_{(2,1,4)} = \frac{|2 - 1 - 4|}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2}} = \sqrt{3}$$

9. If α, β and γ are three consecutive terms of a non-constant G.P. such that the equations $\alpha x^2 + 2\beta x + \gamma = 0$ and $x^2 + x - 1 = 0$ have a common root, then $\alpha(\beta + \gamma)$ is equal to :

- (1) $\beta\gamma$ (2) 0 (3) $\alpha\gamma$ (4) $\alpha\beta$

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. $\alpha x^2 + 2\beta x + \gamma = 0$

Let $\beta = \alpha t, \gamma = \alpha t^2$

$$\therefore \alpha x^2 + 2\alpha t x + \alpha t^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2t x + t^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + t)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -t$$

it must be root of equation $x^2 + x - 1 = 0$

$$\therefore t^2 - t - 1 = 0 \quad (1)$$

Now

$$\alpha(\beta + \gamma) = \alpha^2(t + t^2)$$

Option 1 $\beta\gamma = \alpha t \cdot \alpha t^2 = \alpha^2 t^3 = \alpha^2(t^2 + t)$

(from equation 1)

10. The term independent of x in the expansion of

$$\left(\frac{1}{60} - \frac{x^8}{81}\right) \cdot \left(2x^2 - \frac{3}{x^2}\right)^6$$
 is equal to :

- (1) 36 (2) - 108 (3) - 72 (4) - 36

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol. $\frac{1}{60} \left(2x^2 - \frac{3}{x^2}\right)^6 - \frac{1}{81} \cdot x^8 \left(2x^2 - \frac{3}{x^2}\right)^6$

its general term

$$\frac{1}{60} {}^6C_r 2^{6-r} (-3)^r x^{12-r} - \frac{1}{81} {}^6C_r 2^{6-r} (-3)^r 12^{20-4r}$$

for term independent of x , r for 1st expression is 3 and r for second expression is 5

\therefore term independent of $x = -36$

11. Let $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ and the three vectors

$$\vec{a} = \alpha \hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}, \quad \vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \alpha \hat{k} \quad \text{and}$$

$$\vec{c} = \alpha \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}. \text{ Then the set } S = \{\alpha : \vec{a}, \vec{b} \text{ and } \vec{c} \text{ are coplanar}\}$$

- (1) is singleton
 (2) Contains exactly two numbers only one of which is positive
 (3) Contains exactly two positive numbers
 (4) is empty

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol.
$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -4 \\ \alpha & -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\alpha^2 + 18 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \in \phi$$

12. A value of α such that

$$\int_{\alpha}^{\alpha+1} \frac{dx}{(x+\alpha)(x+\alpha+1)} = \log_e \left(\frac{9}{8}\right) \text{ is :}$$

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

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol.
$$\int_{\alpha}^{\alpha+1} \frac{(x+\alpha+1) - (x+\alpha)}{(x+\alpha)(x+\alpha+1)} dx = (\ln|x+\alpha| - \ln|x+\alpha+1|)_{\alpha}^{\alpha+1}$$

$$= \ln \left| \frac{2\alpha+1}{2\alpha+2} \times \frac{2\alpha+1}{2\alpha} \right| = \ln \frac{9}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = -2, 1$$

13. A triangle has a vertex at (1, 2) and the mid points of the two sides through it are (-1, 1) and (2,3). Then the centroid of this triangle is :

- (1) $\left(\frac{1}{3}, 1\right)$ (2) $\left(\frac{1}{3}, 2\right)$
 (3) $\left(1, \frac{7}{3}\right)$ (4) $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{5}{3}\right)$

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Sol. Let $B(\alpha, \beta)$ and $C(\gamma, \delta)$

$$\frac{\alpha+1}{2} = -1 \Rightarrow \alpha = -3$$

$$\frac{\beta+2}{2} = 1 \Rightarrow \beta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow B(-3, 0)$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{\gamma+1}{2} = 2 \Rightarrow \gamma = 3$$

$$\frac{\delta+2}{2} = 3 \Rightarrow \delta = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow C(3, 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{centroid of triangle is } G\left(\frac{1}{3}, 2\right)$$

14. Let $\alpha \in (0, \pi/2)$ be fixed. If the integral

$$\int \frac{\tan x + \tan \alpha}{\tan x - \tan \alpha} dx =$$

$A(x) \cos 2\alpha + B(x) \sin 2\alpha + C$, where C is a constant of integration, then the functions $A(x)$ and $B(x)$ are respectively :

- (1) $x - \alpha$ and $\log_e |\cos(x - \alpha)|$
 (2) $x + \alpha$ and $\log_e |\sin(x - \alpha)|$
 (3) $x - \alpha$ and $\log_e |\sin(x - \alpha)|$
 (4) $x + \alpha$ and $\log_e |\sin(x + \alpha)|$

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Sol. $\int \frac{\tan x + \tan \alpha}{\tan x - \tan \alpha} dx = \int \frac{\sin(x + \alpha)}{\sin(x - \alpha)} dx$

Let $x - \alpha = t$

$\Rightarrow \int \frac{\sin(t + 2\alpha)}{\sin t} dt = \int \cos 2\alpha dt + \int \cot(t) \sin 2\alpha dt$

$= t \cdot \cos 2\alpha + \ln|\sin t| \cdot \sin 2\alpha + C$

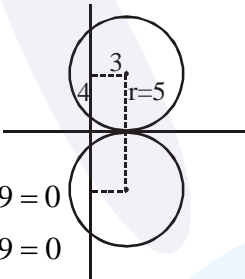
$= (x - \alpha) \cos 2\alpha + \ln|\sin(x - \alpha)| \cdot \sin 2\alpha + C$

- 15.** A circle touching the x-axis at (3, 0) and making an intercept of length 8 on the y-axis passes through the point :

- (1) (3, 10) (2) (2, 3) (3) (1, 5) (4) (3, 5)

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. Equation of circles are

$$\begin{cases} (x-3)^2 + (y-5)^2 = 25 \\ (x-3)^2 + (y+5)^2 = 25 \end{cases}$$


$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y + 9 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 10y + 9 = 0 \end{cases}$$

- 16.** For an initial screening of an admission test, a candidate is given fifty problems to solve. If the probability that the candidate can solve any

problem is $\frac{4}{5}$, then the probability that he is

unable to solve less than two problems is :

(1) $\frac{316}{25} \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{48}$ (2) $\frac{54}{5} \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{49}$

(3) $\frac{164}{25} \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^{48}$ (4) $\frac{201}{5} \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^{49}$

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Sol. Let X be random variable which denotes number of problems that candidate is unable to solve

$\therefore p = \frac{1}{5}$ and $X < 2$

$\Rightarrow P(X < 2) = P(X = 0) + P(X = 1)$

$= \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{50} + {}^{50}C_1 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{5}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{49}$

- 17.** The derivative of $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin x - \cos x}{\sin x + \cos x}\right)$, with

respect to $\frac{x}{2}$, where $\left(x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right)$ is :

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

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol. $f(x) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin x - \cos x}{\sin x + \cos x}\right)$

$= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\tan x - 1}{\tan x + 1}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\tan\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right)$

$\therefore x - \frac{\pi}{4} \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

$\therefore f(x) = x - \frac{\pi}{4}$

\Rightarrow its derivative w.r.t. $\frac{x}{2}$ is $\frac{1}{1/2} = 2$

- 18.** Let S be the set of all $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ such that the equation, $\cos 2x + \alpha \sin x = 2\alpha - 7$ has a solution.

Then S is equal to :

- (1) [2, 6] (2) [3, 7] (3) \mathbb{R} (4) [1, 4]

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. $\cos 2x + \alpha \sin x = 2\alpha - 7$

$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 x - \alpha \sin x + 2\alpha - 8 = 0$

$\sin^2 x - \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin x + \alpha - 4 = 0$

$\Rightarrow \sin x = 2$ (rejected) or $\sin x = \frac{\alpha - 4}{2}$

$\Rightarrow \left|\frac{\alpha - 4}{2}\right| \leq 1$

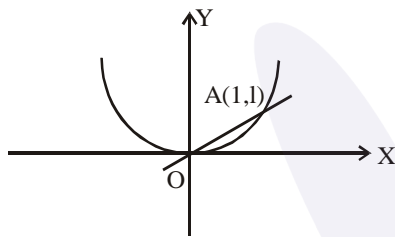
$\Rightarrow \alpha \in [2, 6]$

19. The tangents to the curve $y = (x - 2)^2 - 1$ at its points of intersection with the line $x - y = 3$, intersect at the point :

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

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Sol. Put $x - 2 = X$ & $y + 1 = Y$
 \therefore given curve becomes $Y = X^2$ and $Y = X$



tangent at origin is X-axis
 and tangent at A(1,1) is $Y + 1 = 2X$

\therefore their intersection is $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 0\right)$

$\therefore x - 2 = \frac{1}{2}$ & $y + 1 = 0$

therefore $x = \frac{5}{2}, y = -1$

20. A group of students comprises of 5 boys and n girls. If the number of ways, in which a team of 3 students can randomly be selected from this group such that there is at least one boy and at least one girl in each team, is 1750, then n is equal to :

- (1) 25 (2) 28 (3) 27 (4) 24

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. ${}^5C_1 \cdot {}^nC_2 + {}^5C_2 \cdot {}^nC_1 = 1750$
 $n^2 + 3n = 700$
 $\therefore n = 25$

21. The equation of a common tangent to the curves, $y^2 = 16x$ and $xy = -4$ is :

- (1) $x + y + 4 = 0$ (2) $x - 2y + 16 = 0$
 (3) $2x - y + 2 = 0$ (4) $x - y + 4 = 0$

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol. tangent to the parabola $y^2 = 16x$ is $y = mx + \frac{4}{m}$
 solve it by curve $xy = -4$

$$\text{i.e. } mx^2 + \frac{4}{m}x + 4 = 0$$

condition of common tangent is $D = 0$

$$\therefore m^3 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 1$$

\therefore equation of common tangent is $y = x + 4$

22. Let $z \in \mathbb{C}$ with $\text{Im}(z) = 10$ and it satisfies $\frac{2z-n}{2z+n} = 2i - 1$ for some natural number n .

Then :

- (1) $n = 20$ and $\text{Re}(z) = -10$
 (2) $n = 20$ and $\text{Re}(z) = 10$
 (3) $n = 40$ and $\text{Re}(z) = -10$
 (4) $n = 40$ and $\text{Re}(z) = 10$

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Sol. Put $z = x + 10i$
 $\therefore \frac{2(x + 10i) - n}{2(x + 10i) + n} = (2i - 1)$. $[2(x + 10i) + n]$
 compare real and imaginary coefficients
 $x = -10, n = 40$

23. The general solution of the differential equation $(y^2 - x^3) dx - xy dy = 0$ ($x \neq 0$) is :

(where c is a constant of integration)

- (1) $y^2 + 2x^3 + cx^2 = 0$
 (2) $y^2 + 2x^2 + cx^3 = 0$
 (3) $y^2 - 2x^3 + cx^2 = 0$
 (4) $y^2 - 2x^2 + cx^3 = 0$

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. $xy \frac{dy}{dx} - y^2 + x^3 = 0$

$$\text{put } y^2 = k \Rightarrow y \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{dk}{dx}$$

\therefore given differential equation becomes

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

$$\text{I.F.} = e^{\int \frac{-2}{x} dx} = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$\therefore \text{solution is } k \cdot \frac{1}{x^2} = \int -2x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{x^2} dx + \lambda$$

$$y^2 + 2x^3 = \lambda x^2$$

take $\lambda = -c$ (integration constant)

24. A person throws two fair dice. He wins Rs. 15 for throwing a doublet (same numbers on the two dice), wins Rs. 12 when the throw results in the sum of 9, and loses Rs. 6 for any other outcome on the throw. Then the expected gain/loss (in Rs.) of the person is :

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

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

- Sol.** win Rs.15 \rightarrow number of cases = 6
win Rs.12 \rightarrow number of cases = 4
loss Rs.6 \rightarrow number of cases = 26

$$p(\text{expected gain/loss}) = 15 \times \frac{6}{36} + 12 \times \frac{4}{36} -$$

$$6 \times \frac{26}{36} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

25. Let $f(x) = 5 - |x-2|$ and $g(x) = |x+1|$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$. If $f(x)$ attains maximum value at α and $g(x)$ attains minimum value at β , then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\alpha\beta} \frac{(x-1)(x^2-5x+6)}{x^2-6x+8} \text{ is equal to :}$$

- (1) 1/2 (2) -3/2 (3) 3/2 (4) -1/2

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

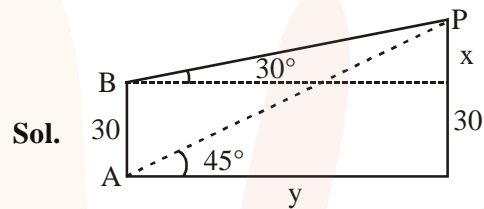
- Sol.** Maxima of $f(x)$ occurred at $x = 2$ i.e. $\alpha = 2$
Minima of $g(x)$ occurred at $x = -1$ i.e. $\beta = -1$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{(x-1)(x-2)(x-3)}{(x-2)(x-4)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

26. The angle of elevation of the top of vertical tower standing on a horizontal plane is observed to be 45° from a point A on the plane. Let B be the point 30 m vertically above the point A. If the angle of elevation of the top of the tower from B be 30° , then the distance (in m) of the foot of the tower from the point A is:

- (1) $15(3-\sqrt{3})$ (2) $15(3+\sqrt{3})$
(3) $15(1+\sqrt{3})$ (4) $15(5-\sqrt{3})$

Official Ans. by NTA (2)



$$\tan 45^\circ = 1 = \frac{x+30}{y} \Rightarrow x+30 = y \quad \text{(i)}$$

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{x}{y} \Rightarrow x = \frac{y}{\sqrt{3}} \quad \text{(ii)}$$

$$\text{from (i) and (ii) } y = 15(3+\sqrt{3})$$

27. The Boolean expression $\sim(p \Rightarrow (\sim q))$ is equivalent to :

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

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

- Sol.** $\sim(p \rightarrow (\sim q)) = \sim(\sim p \vee \sim q)$
 $= p \wedge q$

28. A plane which bisects the angle between the two given planes $2x - y + 2z - 4 = 0$ and $x + 2y + 2z - 2 = 0$, passes through the point:

- (1) (2,4,1) (2) (2, -4, 1)
(3) (1, 4, -1) (4) (1, -4, 1)

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

- Sol.** equation of bisector of angle

$$\frac{2x - y + 2z - 4}{3} = \pm \frac{x + 2y + 2z - 2}{3}$$

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

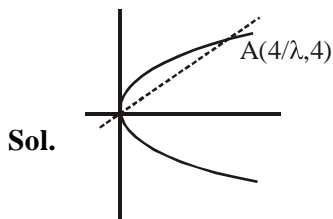
(-) gives $3x + y + 4z = 6$

therefore option (ii) satisfy

29. If the area (in sq. units) bounded by the parabola $y^2 = 4\lambda x$ and the line $y = \lambda x$, $\lambda > 0$, is $\frac{1}{9}$, then λ is equal to :

- (1) 24 (2) 48 (3) $4\sqrt{3}$ (4) $2\sqrt{6}$

Official Ans. by NTA (1)



$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{9} = \int_0^{\frac{4}{\lambda}} (\sqrt{4\lambda x} - \lambda x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 24$$

30. An ellipse, with foci at $(0, 2)$ and $(0, -2)$ and minor axis of length 4, passes through which of the following points ?

- (1) $(1, 2\sqrt{2})$
 (2) $(2, \sqrt{2})$
 (3) $(2, 2\sqrt{2})$
 (4) $(\sqrt{2}, 2)$

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol. given that $2c = 4$ and $2b = 4$
 (here $a < b$)
 $\therefore a^2 = b^2(1 - e^2)$
 $\therefore b^2 = 8$
 \therefore equation of ellipse $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{8} = 1$