



JEE MAIN SEP 2020 (MEMORY BASED) | 5th Sep. SHIFT-1

Note: The answers are based on memory based questions which may be incomplete and incorrect.

1. The volume of the parallelepiped, whose 3 coterminus edges are $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + n\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - n\hat{k}$ and $\vec{c} = \hat{i} + n\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$, is 158, then find the value of $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Ans. 8

Sol. Volume of parallelepiped = $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & n \\ 2 & 4 & -n \\ 1 & n & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 158.$

$$\Rightarrow |1(12 + n^2) - 1(6 + n) + n(2n - 4)| = 158$$

$$\Rightarrow |3n^2 - 5n + 6| = 158$$

$$\Rightarrow 3n^2 - 5n + 6 = 158 \quad \text{or} \quad -158$$

$$\Rightarrow 3n^2 - 5n - 152 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 3n^2 - 5n + 164 = 0$$

The second equation has no real roots.

$$3n^2 - 24n + 19n - 152 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3n(n - 8) + 19(n - 8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3n + 19)(n - 8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 8 \quad \text{or} \quad -\frac{19}{3}$$

Since n is a natural number, so $n = 8$

2. The mean of 7 observations 2, 4, 10, 12, 14, x , y is 8 and their variance is 16, then find the value of $|x - y|$.

Ans. 2

Sol. Mean = $\frac{2 + 4 + 10 + 12 + 14 + x + y}{7} = 8$

$$\Rightarrow 42 + x + y = 56 \Rightarrow x + y = 14 \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

$$\text{Variance} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^7 x_i^2}{7} - (\bar{x})^2 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2^2 + 4^2 + 10^2 + 12^2 + 14^2 + x^2 + y^2}{7} - (8)^2 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow 460 + x^2 + y^2 = 560 \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 100 \dots\dots\dots (2)$$



$$(1)^2 - 2 \Rightarrow 2xy = 196 - 100 = 96$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = 48 \dots\dots\dots (3)$$

From (1) and (3)

$$x + \frac{48}{x} = 14 \Rightarrow x^2 - 14x + 48 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 6 \text{ and } y = 8 \text{ or } x = 8 \text{ and } y = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow |x - y| = 2$$

3. If $\int (e^{2x} + 2e^x - e^{-x} - 1)(e^{e^x+e^{-x}}) dx = g(x) \cdot e^{(e^x+e^{-x})} + C$, then $g(0) =$

Ans. 2

Sol.
$$\int (e^{2x} + 2e^x - e^{-x} - 1)(e^{e^x+e^{-x}}) dx$$

$$= \int (e^x - e^{-x})e^{e^x+e^{-x}} dx + \int (e^{2x} - e^x - 1)e^{e^x+e^{-x}} dx = I_1 + I_2$$

For I_1 , $e^x + e^{-x} = t$; $(e^x - e^{-x}) dx = dt$

$$I_1 = \int e^t dt = e^t + C = e^{e^x+e^{-x}} + C$$

$$I_2 = \int e^x (e^x - e^{-x} + 1)e^{e^x+e^{-x}} dx$$

$$\int (e^x - e^{-x} + 1)e^{e^x+e^{-x}+x} dx$$

Let $e^x + e^{-x} + x = u$; $(e^x - e^{-x} + 1) dx = du$

$$\text{So, } I_2 = \int e^u du = e^u + C = e^{e^x+e^{-x}+x} + C$$

$$I = I_1 + I_2 = e^{e^x+e^{-x}} (e^x + 1) + C$$

$$g(x) = e^x + 1$$

$$g(0) = 2$$



4. Find the sum of the series $\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{13} + \dots + 10$ terms .

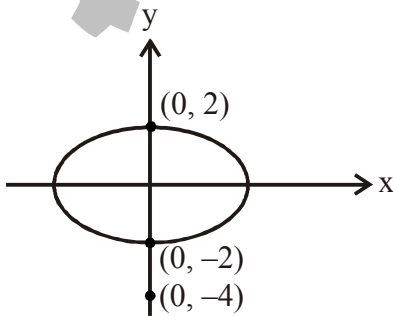
Ans. $\tan^{-1} 11 - \frac{\pi}{4}$

Sol.
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sum} &= \sum_{n=1}^{10} \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{1+n(n+1)} = \sum_{n=1}^{10} \tan^{-1} \frac{(n+1) - (n)}{1+n(n+1)} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{10} [\tan^{-1}(n+1) - \tan^{-1}(n)] \\ &= (\tan^{-1} 2 - \tan^{-1} 1) + (\tan^{-1} 3 - \tan^{-1} 2) + \dots + (\tan^{-1} 11) - (\tan^{-1} 10) \\ &= \tan^{-1} 11 - \tan^{-1} 1 \\ &= \tan^{-1} 11 - \frac{\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

5. Let Q be the point (0, -4) and P be a point lying on the curve $\frac{x^2}{5} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$. Find the maximum value of (PQ)².

Ans. 36

Sol. The longest distance of point Q from the curve will be along the normal.



Since the point Q lies on minor-axis, the normal will be the y-axis.

From the figure, the furthest point will be P(0, 2)

$$PQ_{\max} = 6 \text{ units}$$

$$(PQ)^2 = 36$$



6. The common tangent to parabolas $y^2 = 4x$ and $x^2 = 4y$ is also the common tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$; then $c =$

Ans. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Sol. Tangent to $y^2 = 4x$ will be

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m} = mx + \frac{1}{m}$$

Tangent to $x^2 = 4y$ will be

$$y = mx - am^2 = mx - m^2$$

Comparing constant term

$$\frac{1}{m} = -m^2 \Rightarrow m = -1$$

Tangent : $y = -x - 1$

If this is tangent to $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$, distance of tangent from center will be equal to radius.

$$\Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

7. Function $f(x) = \begin{cases} k_1(x - \pi)^2 - 1, & x \leq \pi \\ k_2 \cos x, & x > \pi \end{cases}$ is a twice differentiable function. The ordered pair (k_1, k_2) is :

Ans. $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$

Sol. Function must be continuous at $x = \pi$.

$$\Rightarrow f(\pi^-) = f(\pi^+)$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 = -k_2 \Rightarrow k_2 = 1$$

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2k_1(x - \pi) & , x \leq \pi \\ -k_2 \sin x = -\sin x & , x > \pi \end{cases}$$

For $f'(x)$ to exist, $f'(\pi^-) = f'(\pi^+) = 0$

$$f''(x) = \begin{cases} 2k_1 & , x \leq \pi \\ -k_2 \cos x & , x > \pi \end{cases}$$



$$f''(\pi^-) = f''(\pi^+) \Rightarrow 2k_1 = k_2$$

$$\Rightarrow k_1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

8. If the distance of line $2x - y + 3 = 0$ from lines $4x - 2y + p = 0$ and $6x - 3y + r = 0$ is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ and $\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$ respectively, then p and r are :

Ans. $p = 4$ or 8 and $r = 3$ or 15

Sol. Distance between $2x - y + 3 = 0$ and $2x - y + \frac{p}{2} = 0$ is

$$\left| \frac{\frac{p}{2} - 3}{\sqrt{5}} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\Rightarrow p - 6 = \pm 2$$

$$\Rightarrow p = 4 \text{ or } 8.$$

Distance between $2x - y + 1 = 0$ and $2x - y + \frac{r}{3} = 0$ is

$$\left| \frac{\frac{r}{3} - 1}{\sqrt{5}} \right| = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\Rightarrow r - 3 = \pm 6$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 3 \text{ or } 15$$



9. If the coefficient of x in the expansion of $\left(x^m + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^{22}$ is 1540, $m \in \mathbb{N}$. Find m .

Ans. 13

Sol. General term $T_{r+1} = {}^{22}C_r (x^m)^{22-r} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right)^r$

$$= {}^{22}C_r x^{22m-mr-2r}$$

$$22m - mr - 2r = 1 \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

$$\text{and } {}^{22}C_r = 1540$$

$${}^{22}C_3 = \frac{22 \times 21 \times 20}{3 \times 2 \times 1} = 1540$$

So $r = 3$ or 19 .

$$\text{If } r = 3, 22m - 3m - 6 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{7}{19} \text{ (not an integer)}$$

$$\text{If } r = 19, 22m - 19m - 38 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 13$$

10. If (a, b, c) is the image of the point $(1, 2, -3)$ in the line $\frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{-2} = \frac{z}{-1}$, then find the value of $(a+b+c)$.

Ans. 2

Sol. Let Q be the foot of perpendicular from $P(1, 2, -3)$ on the line is $Q(2k-1, -2k+3, -k)$.

$$\overrightarrow{PQ} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2k-2) \cdot 2 + (-2k+3) \cdot (-2) + (-k+3) \cdot (-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9k = 9 \Rightarrow k = 1$$

So Q is $(1, 1, -1)$

If R is the image, coordinates of R are $(2 \times (1) - 1, 2 \times (1) - 2, 2 \times (-1) + 3) = (1, 0, 1)$

$$a + b + c = 2$$



11. If $I = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{1+e^{\sin x}} dx$, then value of I is :

Ans. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Sol. $I = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{1+e^{\sin x}} dx$ (1)

Using $I(a+b-x) = I(x)$;

$$I = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{dx}{1+e^{-\sin x}} = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{e^{\sin x}}{1+e^{\sin x}} dx$$
(2)

(1) + (2)

$$\Rightarrow 2I = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1+e^{\sin x}}{1+e^{\sin x}} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow 2I = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} dx = \pi$$

$$2\sqrt{2}$$

12. Find the product of roots of the equation $9x^2 - 18|x| + 5 = 0$.

Ans. $\frac{25}{81}$

Sol. Let $|x| = t$

$$\Rightarrow 9t^2 - 18t + 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9t^2 - 15t - 3t + 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3t - 5)(3t - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{1}{3} \text{ or } \frac{5}{3} = |x|$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm \frac{1}{3} \text{ or } \pm \frac{5}{3}$$

$$\text{Product} = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)\left(-\frac{5}{3}\right) = \frac{25}{81}$$



13. The vertices of a square of side 4 units are $z, \bar{z}, \bar{z} - 2\text{Re}(\bar{z})$ and $z - 2\text{Re}(z)$. Find the value of $|z|$.

Ans. $2\sqrt{2}$

Sol. Let $z = x + iy, \bar{z} = x - iy$

$$\bar{z} - 2\text{Re}(\bar{z}) = x - iy - 2x = -x - iy$$

$$z - 2\text{Re}(z) = x + iy - 2x = -x + iy$$

$$|z - \bar{z}| = |2iy| = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm 2$$

$$|z - (z - 2\text{Re}(z))| = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow |2x| = 4 \Rightarrow x = \pm 2$$

$$|z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \sqrt{4 + 4} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

14. If $3^{2\sin 2\theta - 1}, 14$ and $3^{4 - 2\sin 2\theta}$ are first 3 terms of an arithmetic progression, then 6th term of the A.P. is :

Ans. 66

Sol. Let $\sin 2\theta = x$

$$\frac{3^{2x-1} + 3^{4-2x}}{2} = 14$$

$$\text{Let } 3^{2x} = y$$

$$\frac{y}{3} + \frac{81}{y} = 28$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 84y + 243 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 81y - 3y + 243 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 81)(y - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 81 \text{ or } y = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^{2x} = 81 \text{ or } 3^{2x} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 4 \text{ or } 2x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \text{ or } x = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\Rightarrow \sin 2\theta = 2 \text{ (Not possible) or } \sin 2\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Frist term } a = 3^{1-1} = 1$$

$$\text{Common difference } d = 14 - 1 = 13$$

$$6^{\text{th}} \text{ term} = a + 5d = 1 + 5 \times 13 = 66$$

15. If α is the possible root of the equation $x^2 - x - 2 = 0$; then the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \alpha^+} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos(x^2 - x - 2)}}{x - 2} =$

Ans. $\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}$

Sol. $x^2 - x - 2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2)(x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \text{ or } -1$$

Out of which 2 is the positive root

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 2$$

$$\text{Limit } L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos(x - 2)(x + 1)}}{x - 2}$$

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

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

For $x \rightarrow 2^+$; $x^2 - x - 2 \rightarrow 0^+$.

So Mod will open with a positive sign

$$\text{So } L = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{\sqrt{2} \sin \frac{(x - 2)(x + 1)}{2}}{(x - 2) \frac{(x + 1)}{2}} \times \frac{(x + 1)}{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{2} \times \frac{2 + 1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}$$

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16. The number of four letter words, each consisting 2 distinct and two alike letters taken from the letters of the word 'SYLLABUS' is.

Ans. 240

Sol. A B L L S S O Y

2 alike can be chosen in ${}^2C_1 = 2$ ways

Rest 2 different letters can be chosen in ${}^5C_2 = 10$ ways

Permutations of 2 alike and 2 different letters = $\frac{4!}{2!} = 12$ ways

Total number of ways = $2 \times 10 \times 12 = 240$

17. If P is a point lying on $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ and A $(\sqrt{7}, 0)$, B $(-\sqrt{7}, 0)$ are two points, then PA + PB = ?

Ans. 8

Sol. Eccentricity = $\sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{16}} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}$

Foci $(\pm a e, 0) = \left(\pm 4 \times \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}, 0\right) = (\sqrt{7}, 0) \text{ and } (-\sqrt{7}, 0)$

So PA + PB = 2a = $2 \times 4 = 8$

18. $p \Leftrightarrow \sim q$ is equivalent to

(1) $(p \vee \sim q) \vee (p \vee q)$

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

(3) $(p \vee q) \wedge (q \vee p)$

(4) $p \Leftrightarrow q$

Ans. (2)

Sol. $p \Leftrightarrow \sim q = (p \Rightarrow \sim q) \wedge (\sim q \Rightarrow p)$

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

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



19. From a survey, 73% like coffee, 65% like tea and 55% like both coffee and tea, then how many person do not like both tea and coffee

Ans. 17%

Sol. $n(C) = 73\%$

$$n(T) = 65\%$$

$$n(T \cap C) = 55\%$$

$$n(T \cup C) = n(C) + n(T) - n(C \cap T)$$

$$= 73\% + 65\% - 55\%$$

$$= 83\%$$

$$n(\overline{T \cup C}) = n(U) - n(T \cup C)$$

$$= 100\% - 83\%$$

$$= 17\%$$

20. If $\frac{dy}{2+y} = \frac{e^x dx}{5+e^x}$, where $y(0) = 4$, then find $y(\ln 13)$

Ans 16

Sol. $\int \frac{dy}{y+2} = \int \frac{e^x}{e^x+5} dx$

$$= \ln(y+2) = \ln(e^x+5) + C$$

$$x=0, y=4 \Rightarrow \ln 6 = \ln 6 + C \Rightarrow C=0$$

$$\text{So } y+2 = e^x + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^x + 3$$

$$y(\ln 13) = e^{\ln 13} + 3$$

$$= 16$$



21. $2^{10} + 2^9 \cdot 3 + 2^8 \cdot 3^2 + \dots + 3^{10} =$

Ans. $3^{11} - 2^{11}$

Sol. This is a G.P. with First Term $a = 2^{10}$

$$\text{and } r = \frac{2^9 \cdot 3}{2^{10}} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{sum of 11 terms} = \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}$$

$$= 2^{10} \times \frac{\left(\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{11} - 1\right)}{\frac{3}{2} - 1}$$

$$= 2^{11} \times \left(\frac{3^{11} - 2^{11}}{2^{11}}\right)$$

$$= 3^{11} - 2^{11}$$

22. Four different dice are thrown independently 27 times, then find the expectation of number of times, if at least two of them show either 3 or 5.

Ans 11

Sol. $P(\text{at least two are 3 or 5}) = 1 - P(\text{No 3 or 5}) - P(\text{Exactly one 3 or 5})$

$$= 1 - \left(\frac{4}{6}\right)^4 - {}^4C_1 \frac{2}{6} \left(\frac{4}{6}\right)^3$$

$$= 1 - \frac{16}{81} - \frac{32}{81} = \frac{11}{27}$$

In binomial distribution, $n = 27$, $p = \frac{11}{27}$, $q = \frac{16}{27}$

Expected value = np

$$= 27 \times \frac{11}{27} = 11$$