

**FINAL JEE-MAIN EXAMINATION – APRIL, 2024**

**(Held On Saturday 06<sup>th</sup> April, 2024)**

**TIME : 3 : 00 PM to 6 : 00 PM**

**MATHEMATICS**

**TEST PAPER WITH SOLUTION**

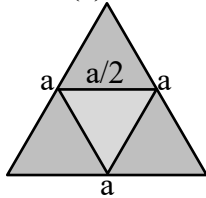
**SECTION-A**

1. Let ABC be an equilateral triangle. A new triangle is formed by joining the middle points of all sides of the triangle ABC and the same process is repeated infinitely many times. If P is the sum of perimeters and Q is be the sum of areas of all the triangles formed in this process, then:

(1)  $P^2 = 36\sqrt{3}Q$                       (2)  $P^2 = 6\sqrt{3}Q$   
(3)  $P = 36\sqrt{3}Q^2$                       (4)  $P^2 = 72\sqrt{3}Q$

Ans. (1)

Sol.



Area of first  $\Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}a^2}{4}$

Area of second  $\Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}a^2}{4} \cdot \frac{a^2}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{3}a^2}{16}$

Area of third  $\Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}a^2}{64}$

sum of area =  $\frac{\sqrt{3}a^2}{4} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{16} + \dots \right)$

$Q = \frac{\sqrt{3}a^2}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{3}}$

perimeter of 1<sup>st</sup>  $\Delta = 3a$

perimeter of 2<sup>nd</sup>  $\Delta = \frac{3a}{2}$

perimeter of 3<sup>rd</sup>  $\Delta = \frac{3a}{4}$

$P = 3a \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots \right)$

$P = 3a \cdot 2 = 6a$

$a = \frac{P}{6}$

$Q = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{P^2}{36}$

$P^2 = 36\sqrt{3}Q$

2. Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ . Let R be a relation on A defined by  $xRy$  if and only if  $4x \leq 5y$ . Let m be the number of elements in R and n be the minimum number of elements from  $A \times A$  that are required to be added to R to make it a symmetric relation.

Then  $m + n$  is equal to:

(1) 24    (2) 23  
(3) 25    (4) 26

Ans. (3)

Sol. Given :  $4x \leq 5y$

then

$R = \{(1,1), (1,2), (1,3), (1,4), (1,5), (2,2), (2,3), (2,4), (2,5), (3,3), (3,4), (3,5), (4,4), (4,5), (5,4), (5,5)\}$

i.e. 16 elements.

i.e.  $m = 16$

Now to make R a symmetric relation add

$\{(2,1)(3,2)(4,3)(3,1)(4,2)(5,3)(4,1)(5,2)(5,1)\}$

i.e.  $n = 9$

So  $m + n = 25$

3. If three letters can be posted to any one of the 5 different addresses, then the probability that the three letters are posted to exactly two addresses is:

(1)  $\frac{12}{25}$     (2)  $\frac{18}{25}$   
(3)  $\frac{4}{25}$     (4)  $\frac{6}{25}$

Ans. (1)

Sol. Total method =  $5^3$

favorable =  ${}^5C_2 (2^3 - 2) = 60$

probability =  $\frac{60}{125} = \frac{12}{25}$

4. Suppose the solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(2 + \alpha)x - \beta y + 2}{\beta x - 2\alpha y - (\beta\gamma - 4\alpha)}$  represents a circle passing through origin. Then the radius of this circle is :

- (1)  $\sqrt{17}$  (2)  $\frac{1}{2}$   
(3)  $\frac{\sqrt{17}}{2}$  (4) 2

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.**  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(2 + \alpha)x - \beta y + 2}{\beta x - y(2\alpha + \beta) + 4\alpha}$

$$\beta x dy - (2\alpha + \beta)y dy + 4\alpha dy = (2 + \alpha)x dx - \beta y dx + 2 dx$$

$$\beta(x dy + y dx) - (2\alpha + \beta)y dy + 4\alpha dy = (2 + \alpha)x dx + 2 dx$$

$$\beta xy - \frac{(2\alpha + \beta)y^2}{2} + 4\alpha y = \frac{(2 + \alpha)x^2}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = 0 \text{ for this to be circle}$$

$$(2 + \alpha)\frac{x^2}{2} + \alpha y^2 + 2x - 4\alpha y = 0$$

coeff. of  $x^2 = y^2 \Rightarrow 2 + \alpha = 2\alpha$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha = 2}$$

i.e.  $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 2x - 8y = 0$

$$x^2 + y^2 + x - 4y = 0$$

$$rd = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + 4} = \frac{\sqrt{17}}{2}$$

5. If the locus of the point, whose distances from the point (2, 1) and (1, 3) are in the ratio 5 : 4, is  $ax^2 + by^2 + cxy + dx + ey + 170 = 0$ , then the value of  $a^2 + 2b + 3c + 4d + e$  is equal to:

- (1) 5 (2) -27  
(3) 37 (4) 437

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.** let P(x, y)

$$\frac{(x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2}{(x-1)^2 + (y-3)^2} = \frac{25}{16}$$

$$9x^2 + 9y^2 + 14x - 118y + 170 = 0$$

$$a^2 + 2b + 3c + 4d + e$$

$$= 81 + 18 + 0 + 56 - 118$$

$$= 155 - 118$$

$$= 37$$

6.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(1^2 - 1)(n-1) + (2^2 - 2)(n-2) + \dots + ((n-1)^2 - (n-1)) \cdot 1}{(1^3 + 2^3 + \dots + n^3) - (1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2)}$

is equal to:

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

**Ans. (2)**

**Sol.**  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sum_{r=1}^{n-1} (r^2 - r)(n-r)}{\sum_{r=1}^n r^3 - \sum_{r=1}^n r^2}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sum_{r=1}^{n-1} (-r^3 + r^2(n+1) - nr)}{\left(\frac{n(n+1)}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(\frac{(n-1)n}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{(n+1)(n-1)n(2n-1)}{6} - \frac{n^2(n-1)}{2}}{\frac{n(n+1)}{2} \left(\frac{n(n+1)}{2} - \frac{2n+1}{3}\right)}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{n(n-1)}{2} \left(\frac{-n(n-1)}{2} + \frac{(n+1)(2n-1)}{3} - n\right)}{\frac{n(n+1)}{2} \frac{3n^2 + 3n - 4n - 2}{6}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n-1)(-3n^2 + 3n + 2(2n^2 + n - 1) - 6)}{(n+1)(3n^2 - n - 2)}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n-1)(n^2 + 5n - 8)}{(n+1)(3n^2 - n - 2)} = \frac{1}{3}$$

7. Let  $0 \leq r \leq n$ . If  ${}^{n+1}C_{r+1} : {}^nC_r : {}^{n-1}C_{r-1} = 55 : 35 : 21$ , then  $2n + 5r$  is equal to:

- (1) 60 (2) 62  
(3) 50 (4) 55

**Ans. (3)**

**Ans.**  $\frac{{}^{n+1}C_r}{{}^nC_r} = \frac{55}{35}$

$$\frac{(n+1)!}{(r+1)!(n-r)!} \cdot \frac{r!(n-r)!}{n!} = \frac{11}{7}$$

$$\frac{(n+1)}{r+1} = \frac{11}{7}$$



**Sol.**  $|(\vec{a} \times \vec{b} \times \vec{c})| = |\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| |\vec{c}| \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

$$|\vec{c} - \vec{a}| = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$|c|^2 + |a|^2 - 2\vec{c} \cdot \vec{a} = 8$$

$$|z|^2 + 38 - 12|z| = 8$$

$$|z|^2 - 12|z| + 30 = 0$$

$$|z| = \frac{12 \pm \sqrt{144 - 120}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{12 \pm 2\sqrt{6}}{2}$$

$$|z| = 6 + \sqrt{6}$$

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 6 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$$

$$|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \sqrt{27}$$

$$|(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{z}| = \sqrt{27}(6 + \sqrt{6}) \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\frac{9}{2}(6 + \sqrt{6})$$

**12.** If all the words with or without meaning made using all the letters of the word "NAGPUR" are arranged as in a dictionary, then the word at 315<sup>th</sup> position in this arrangement is :

- (1) NRAGUP                      (2) NRAGPU  
 (3) NRAPGU                    (4) NRAPUG

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.** NAGPUR

$$A \rightarrow 5! = 120$$

$$G \text{ @ } 5! = 120 \quad 240$$

$$NA \text{ @ } 4! = 24 \quad 264$$

$$NG \text{ @ } 4! = 24 \quad 288$$

$$NP \text{ @ } 4! = 24 \quad 312$$

$$NRAGPU = 1 \quad 313$$

$$NRAGUP = 314$$

$$NRAPGU = 315$$

**13.** Suppose for a differentiable function h,  $h(0) = 0$ ,  $h(1) = 1$  and  $h'(0) = h'(1) = 2$ . If  $g(x) = h(e^x) e^{h(x)}$ , then  $g'(0)$  is equal to:

- (1) 5                                      (2) 3  
 (3) 8                                      (4) 4

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol.**  $g(x) = h(e^x) \cdot e^{h(x)}$

$$g'(x) = h(e^x) \cdot e^{h(x)} \cdot h'(x) + e^{h(x)} h'(e^x) \cdot e^x$$

$$g'(0) = h(1)e^{h(0)}h'(0) + e^{h(0)}h'(1)$$

$$= 2 + 2 = 4$$

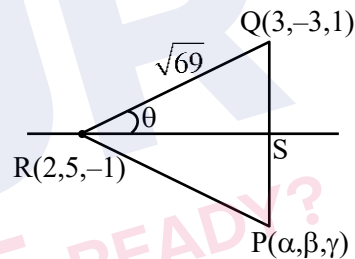
**14.** Let P ( $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ ) be the image of the point Q(3, -3, 1) in the line  $\frac{x-0}{1} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-1}{-1}$  and R be the point

(2, 5, -1). If the area of the triangle PQR is  $\lambda$  and  $\lambda^2 = 14K$ , then K is equal to:

- (1) 36                                      (2) 72  
 (3) 18                                      (4) 81

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol.**



$$RQ = \sqrt{1 + 64 + 4} = \sqrt{69}$$

$$\vec{RQ} = \hat{i} - 8\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{RS} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{\vec{RQ} \cdot \vec{RS}}{|\vec{RQ}| |\vec{RS}|} = \frac{|1 - 8 - 2|}{\sqrt{69} \sqrt{3}} = \frac{9}{3\sqrt{23}}$$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{3}{\sqrt{23}} = \frac{RS}{RQ} = \frac{RS}{\sqrt{69}}$$

$$RS = 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{\sqrt{14}}{\sqrt{23}} = \frac{QS}{\sqrt{69}}$$

$$QS = \sqrt{42}$$

$$\text{area} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2QS \cdot RS = \sqrt{42} \cdot 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\lambda = 9\sqrt{14}$$

$$\lambda^2 = 81 \cdot 14 = 14k$$

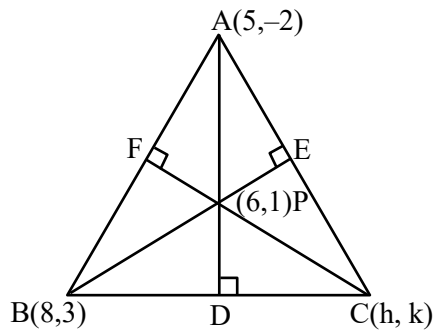
$$k = 81$$

15. If P(6, 1) be the orthocentre of the triangle whose vertices are A(5, -2), B(8, 3) and C(h, k), then the point C lies on the circle.

(1)  $x^2 + y^2 - 65 = 0$       (2)  $x^2 + y^2 - 74 = 0$   
(3)  $x^2 + y^2 - 61 = 0$       (4)  $x^2 + y^2 - 52 = 0$

Ans. (1)

Sol.



Slope of AD = 3

Slope of BC =  $-\frac{1}{3}$

equation of BC =  $3y + x - 17 = 0$

slope of BE = 1

Slope of AC = -1

equation of AC is  $x + y - 3 = 0$

point C is (-4, 7)

16. Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{7 - \sin 5x}$  be a function defined on R.

Then the range of the function f(x) is equal to:

(1)  $\left[\frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{5}\right]$       (2)  $\left[\frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{6}\right]$

(3)  $\left[\frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{5}\right]$       (4)  $\left[\frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{6}\right]$

Ans. (4)

Sol.  $\sin 5x \in [-1, 1]$

$-\sin 5x \in [-1, 1]$

$7 - \sin 5x \in [6, 8]$

$\frac{1}{7 - \sin 5x} \in \left[\frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{6}\right]$

17. Let  $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = ((\vec{a} \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j})) \times \hat{i}) \times \hat{i}$ .

Then the square of the projection of  $\vec{a}$  on  $\vec{b}$  is :

(1)  $\frac{1}{5}$       (2) 2

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

Ans. (2)

Sol.  $\vec{a} \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j}) = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$

$= \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$

$(\vec{a} \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j})) \times \hat{i} = \hat{k} + \hat{j}$

$((\vec{a} \times (\hat{i} + \hat{j})) \times \hat{i}) \times \hat{i} = \hat{j} - \hat{k}$

projection of  $\vec{a}$  on  $\hat{b} = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{b}|}$

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

18. If the area of the region

$\{(x, y) : \frac{a}{x^2} \leq y \leq \frac{1}{x}, 1 \leq x \leq 2, 0 < a < 1\}$  is

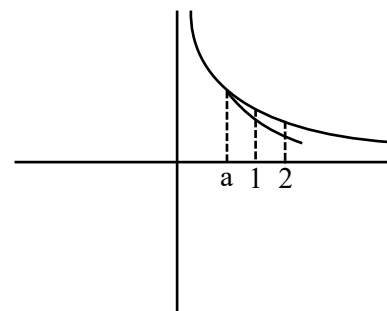
$(\log_e 2) - \frac{1}{7}$  then the value of  $7a - 3$  is equal to:

(1) 2      (2) 0

(3) -1      (4) 1

Ans. (3)

Sol.



$$\text{area} \int_1^2 \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{a}{x^2} \right) dx$$

$$\left[ \ln x + \frac{a}{x} \right]_1^2$$

$$\ln 2 + \frac{a}{2} - a = \log_e 2 - \frac{1}{7}$$

$$\frac{-a}{2} = -\frac{1}{7}$$

$$a = \frac{2}{7}$$

$$7a = 2$$

$$7a - 3 = -1$$

19. If  $\int \frac{1}{a^2 \sin^2 x + b^2 \cos^2 x} dx = \frac{1}{12} \tan^{-1}(3 \tan x) +$

constant, then the maximum value of  $a \sin x + b \cos x$ , is :

(1)  $\sqrt{40}$

(2)  $\sqrt{39}$

(3)  $\sqrt{42}$

(4)  $\sqrt{41}$

Ans. (1)

Sol.  $\int \frac{\sec^2 x dx}{a^2 \tan^2 x + b^2}$

let  $\tan x = t$

$\sec^2 x dx = dt$

$$\int \frac{dt}{a^2 t^2 + b^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{a^2} \int \frac{dt}{t^2 + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{a^2} \frac{1}{b} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{t}{\frac{b}{a}} \right) + c$$

$$\frac{1}{ab} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\alpha}{b} \tan x \right) + c$$

on comparing  $\frac{a}{b} = 3$

$ab = 12$

$a = 6, b = 2$

maximum value of

$6 \sin x + 2 \cos x$  is  $\sqrt{40}$

20. If A is a square matrix of order 3 such that

$\det(A) = 3$  and

$\det(\text{adj}(-4 \text{adj}(-3 \text{adj}(3 \text{adj}((2A)^{-1})))))) = 2^m 3^n$ ,

then  $m + 2n$  is equal to:

(1) 3

(2) 2

(3) 4

(4) 6

Ans. (3)

Sol.  $|A| = 3$

$$\left| \text{adj}(-4 \text{adj}(-3 \text{adj}(3 \text{adj}((2A)^{-1})))) \right|$$

$$\left| -4 \text{adj}(-3 \text{adj}(3 \text{adj}(2A)^{-1})) \right|^2$$

$$4^6 \left| \text{adj}(-3 \text{adj}(3 \text{adj}(2A)^{-1})) \right|^2$$

$$2^{12} \cdot 3^{12} \left| 3 \text{adj}(2A)^{-1} \right|^8$$

$$2^{12} \cdot 3^{12} \cdot 3^{24} \left| \text{adj}(2A)^{-1} \right|^8$$

$$2^{12} \cdot 3^{36} \left| (2A)^{-1} \right|^{16}$$

$$2^{12} \cdot 3^{36} \frac{1}{|2A|^{16}}$$

$$2^{12} \cdot 3^{36} \frac{1}{2^{48} |A|^{16}}$$

$$2^{12} \cdot 3^{36} \frac{1}{2^{48} \cdot 3^{16}}$$

$$\frac{3^{20}}{2^{36}} = 2^{-36} \cdot 3^{20}$$

$m = -36 \quad n = 20$

$m + 2n = 4$

**SECTION-B**

21. Let  $[t]$  denote the greatest integer less than or equal to  $t$ . Let  $f: [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a function defined by  $f(x) = \left[ \frac{x}{2} + 3 \right] - [\sqrt{x}]$ . Let  $S$  be the set of all points in the interval  $[0, 8]$  at which  $f$  is not continuous. Then  $\sum_{a \in S} a$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans. (17)**

**Sol.**  $\left[ \frac{x}{2} + 3 \right]$  is discontinuous at  $x = 2, 4, 6, 8$

$\sqrt{x}$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1, 4$

$F(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 1, 2, 6, 8$

$$\sum a = 1 + 2 + 6 + 8 = 17$$

22. The length of the latus rectum and directrices of a hyperbola with eccentricity  $e$  are 9 and  $x = \pm \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$ ,

respectively. Let the line  $y - \sqrt{3}x + \sqrt{3} = 0$  touch this hyperbola at  $(x_0, y_0)$ . If  $m$  is the product of the focal distances of the point  $(x_0, y_0)$ , then  $4e^2 + m$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**NTA Ans. (61)**

**Ans. (Bonus)**

**Sol.** Given  $\frac{2b^2}{a} = 9$  and  $\frac{a}{e} = \pm \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$

equation of tangent  $y - \sqrt{3}x + \sqrt{3} = 0$

by equation of tangent

$$\text{Let slope} = S = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{Constant} = -\sqrt{3}$$

By condition of tangency

$$\Rightarrow 6 = 6a^2 - 9a$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2, b^2 = 9$$

Equation of Hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1 \text{ and for tangent}$$

Point of contact is  $(4, 3\sqrt{3}) = (x_0, y_0)$

$$\text{Now } e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{9}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{13}}{2}$$

Again product of focal distances

$$m = (x_0 e + a)(x_0 e - a)$$

$$m + 4e^2 = 20e^2 - a^2$$

$$= 20 \times \frac{13}{4} - 4 = 61$$

(There is a printing mistake in the equation of directrix  $x = \pm \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$ .

Corrected equation is  $x = \pm \frac{4}{\sqrt{13}}$  for directrix, as

eccentricity must be greater than one, so question must be bonus)

23. If  $S(x) = (1+x) + 2(1+x)^2 + 3(1+x)^3 + \dots + 60(1+x)^{60}$ ,  $x \neq 0$ , and  $(60)^2 S(60) = a(b)^b + b$ , where  $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $(a+b)$  equal to \_\_\_\_\_

**Ans. (3660)**

**Sol.**

$$S(x) = (1+x) + 2(1+x)^2 + 3(1+x)^3 + \dots + 60(1+x)^{60}$$

$$(1+x)S = (1+x)^2 + \dots + 59(1+x)^{60} + 60(1+x)^{61}$$

$$-xS = \frac{(1+x)(1+x)^{60} - 1}{x} - 60(1+x)^{61}$$

Put  $x = 60$

$$-60S = \frac{61((61)^{60} - 1)}{60} - 60(61)^{61}$$

on solving 3660

24. Let  $[t]$  denote the largest integer less than or equal to  $t$ . If

$$\int_0^3 \left( [x^2] + \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right] \right) dx = a + b\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5} + c\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{7},$$

where  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$ , then  $a + b + c$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_

**Ans. (23)**

$$\text{Sol. } \int_0^3 [x^2] dx + \int_0^3 \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right] dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 0 dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} 1 dx + \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{3}} 2 dx$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & + \int_{\sqrt{3}}^2 3 dx + \int_2^{\sqrt{5}} 4 dx + \int_{\sqrt{5}}^{\sqrt{6}} 5 dx \\
 & + \int_{\sqrt{6}}^{\sqrt{7}} 6 dx + \int_{\sqrt{7}}^{\sqrt{8}} 7 dx + \int_{\sqrt{8}}^3 8 dx \\
 & + \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} 0 dx + \int_{\sqrt{2}}^2 1 dx \\
 & + \int_2^{\sqrt{6}} 2 dx + \int_{\sqrt{6}}^{\sqrt{8}} 3 dx + \int_{\sqrt{8}}^3 4 dx = 31 - 6\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5} \\
 & - 2\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{7}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$a = 31 \quad b = -6 \quad c = -2$$

$$a + b + c = 31 - 6 - 2 = 23$$

25. From a lot of 12 items containing 3 defectives, a sample of 5 items is drawn at random. Let the random variable X denote the number of defective items in the sample. Let items in the sample be drawn one by one without replacement. If variance of X is  $\frac{m}{n}$ , where  $\gcd(m, n) = 1$ , then  $n - m$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans. (71)**

**Sol.**  $a = 1 - \frac{{}^3C_5}{{}^{12}C_5}$

$$b = 3 \cdot \frac{{}^9C_4}{{}^{12}C_5}$$

$$c = 3 \cdot \frac{{}^9C_3}{{}^{12}C_5}$$

$$d = 1 \cdot \frac{{}^9C_2}{{}^{12}C_5}$$

$$u = 0.a + 1.b + 2.c + 3.d = 1.25$$

$$\sigma^2 = 0.a + 1.b + 4.c + 9d - u^2$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{105}{176}$$

**Ans. 176 - 105 = 71**

26. In a triangle ABC,  $BC = 7$ ,  $AC = 8$ ,  $AB = \alpha \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\cos A = \frac{2}{3}$ . If  $49\cos(3C) + 42 = \frac{m}{n}$ , where  $\gcd(m, n) = 1$ , then  $m + n$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_

**Ans. (39)**

26. In a triangle ABC,  $BC = 7$ ,  $AC = 8$ ,  $AB = \alpha \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\cos A = \frac{2}{3}$ . If  $49\cos(3C) + 42 = \frac{m}{n}$ , where  $\gcd(m, n) = 1$ , then  $m + n$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_

**Ans. (39)**

**Sol.**  $\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$

$$\frac{2}{3} = \frac{8^2 + c^2 - 7^2}{2 \times 8 \times c}$$

$$C = 9$$

$$\cos C = \frac{7^2 + 8^2 - 9^2}{2 \times 7 \times 8} = \frac{2}{7}$$

$$49 \cos 3C + 42$$

$$49(4 \cos^3 C - 3 \cos C) + 42$$

$$49 \left( 4 \left( \frac{2}{7} \right)^3 - 3 \left( \frac{2}{7} \right) \right) + 42$$

$$= \frac{32}{7}$$

$$m + n = 32 + 7 = 39$$

27. If the shortest distance between the lines  $\frac{x-\lambda}{3} = \frac{y-2}{-1} = \frac{z-1}{1}$  and  $\frac{x+2}{-3} = \frac{y+5}{2} = \frac{z-4}{4}$  is  $\frac{44}{\sqrt{30}}$ , then the largest possible value of  $|\lambda|$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans. (43)**

**Sol.**  $\vec{a}_1 = \lambda \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$

$$\vec{a}_2 = -2\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{p} = 3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{q} = -3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$$

$$(\lambda + 2)\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} - 3\hat{k} = \vec{a}_1 - \vec{a}_2$$

$$\vec{p} \times \vec{q} = -6\hat{i} - 15\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$$



$$\frac{44}{\sqrt{30}} = \frac{|-6\lambda - 12 - 105 - 9|}{\sqrt{(-6)^2 + (-15)^2 + 3^2}}$$

$$\frac{44}{\sqrt{30}} = \frac{|6\lambda + 126|}{3\sqrt{30}}$$

$$132 = |6\lambda + 126|$$

$$\lambda = 1, \lambda = -43$$

$$|\lambda| = 43$$

28. Let  $\alpha, \beta$  be roots of  $x^2 + \sqrt{2}x - 8 = 0$ .

$$\text{If } U_n = \alpha^n + \beta^n, \text{ then } \frac{U_{10} + \sqrt{12}U_9}{2U_8}$$

is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol.** 
$$\frac{\alpha^{10} + \beta^{10} + \sqrt{2}(\alpha^9 + \beta^9)}{2(\alpha^8 + \beta^8)}$$

$$\frac{\alpha^8(\alpha^2 + \sqrt{2}\alpha) + \beta^8(\beta^2 + \sqrt{2}\beta)}{2(\alpha^8 + \beta^8)}$$

$$\frac{8\alpha^8 + 8\beta^8}{2(\alpha^8 + \beta^8)} = 4$$

29. If the system of equations

$$2x + 7y + \lambda z = 3$$

$$3x + 2y + 5z = 4$$

$$x + \mu y + 32z = -1$$

has infinitely many solutions, then  $(\lambda - \mu)$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_ :

**Ans. (38)**

**Sol.**  $D = D_1 = D_2 = D_3 = 0$

$$D_3 = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & \mu & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow \mu = -39$$

$$D = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & \lambda \\ 3 & 2 & 5 \\ 1 & -39 & 32 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = -1$$

$$\lambda - \mu = 38$$

30. If the solution  $y(x)$  of the given differential equation  $(e^y + 1) \cos x \, dx + e^y \sin x \, dy = 0$  passes through the point  $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, 0\right)$ , then the value of  $e^{y\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)}$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.**  $(e^y + 1) \cos x \, dx + e^y \sin x \, dy = 0$

$$\Rightarrow d\left((e^y + 1)\sin x\right) = 0$$

$$(e^y + 1)\sin x = C$$

It passes through  $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, 0\right)$

$$\Rightarrow C = 2$$

Now,  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$

$$\Rightarrow e^y = 3$$

**PHYSICS**

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**SECTION-A**

- 31.** The longest wavelength associated with Paschen series is : (Given  $R_H = 1.097 \times 10^7$  SI unit)
- (1)  $1.094 \times 10^{-6}$  m      (2)  $2.973 \times 10^{-6}$  m  
(3)  $3.646 \times 10^{-6}$  m      (4)  $1.876 \times 10^{-6}$  m

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol.** For longest wavelength in Paschen's series:

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[ \frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

For longest  $n_1 = 3$   
 $n_2 = 4$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[ \frac{1}{(3)^2} - \frac{1}{(4)^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[ \frac{1}{9} - \frac{1}{16} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[ \frac{16-9}{16 \times 9} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{16 \times 9}{7R} = \frac{16 \times 9}{7 \times 1.097 \times 10^7}$$

$$\lambda = 1.876 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

- 32.** A total of 48 J heat is given to one mole of helium kept in a cylinder. The temperature of helium increases by  $2^\circ\text{C}$ . The work done by the gas is : (Given,  $R = 8.3 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ .)
- (1) 72.9 J      (2) 24.9 J  
(3) 48 J      (4) 23.1 J

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol.** 1<sup>st</sup> law of thermodynamics

$$\Delta Q = \Delta U + W$$

$$\Rightarrow +48 = nC_v \Delta T + W$$

$$\Rightarrow 48 = (1) \left( \frac{3R}{2} \right) (2) + W$$

$$\Rightarrow W = 48 - 3 \times R$$

$$\Rightarrow W = 48 - 3 \times (8.3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{W = 23.1 \text{ Joule}}$$

- 33.** In finding out refractive index of glass slab the following observations were made through travelling microscope 50 vernier scale division = 49 MSD; 20 divisions on main scale in each cm  
For mark on paper

$$\text{MSR} = 8.45 \text{ cm, VC} = 26$$

For mark on paper seen through slab

$$\text{MSR} = 7.12 \text{ cm, VC} = 41$$

For powder particle on the top surface of the glass slab

$$\text{MSR} = 4.05 \text{ cm, VC} = 1$$

(MSR = Main Scale Reading, VC = Vernier Coincidence)

Refractive index of the glass slab is:

- (1) 1.42      (2) 1.52  
(3) 1.24      (4) 1.35

**Ans. (1)**

**Sol.**  $1 \text{ MSD} = \frac{1 \text{ cm}}{20} = 0.05 \text{ cm}$

$$1 \text{ VSD} = \frac{49}{50} \text{ MSD} = \frac{49}{50} \times 0.05 \text{ cm} = 0.049 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{LC} = 1 \text{ MSD} - 1 \text{ VSD} = 0.001 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{For mark on paper, } L_1 = 8.45 \text{ cm} + 26 \times 0.001 \text{ cm} = 84.76 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{For mark on paper through slab, } L_2 = 7.12 \text{ cm} + 41 \times 0.001 \text{ cm} = 71.61 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{For powder particle on top surface, } Z = 4.05 \text{ cm} + 1 \times 0.001 \text{ cm} = 40.51 \text{ mm}$$

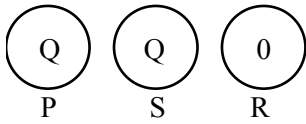
$$\therefore \text{ actual } L_1 = 84.76 - 40.51 = 44.25 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{actual } L_2 = 71.61 - 40.51 = 31.10 \text{ mm}$$

$$L_2 = \frac{L_1}{\mu}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = \frac{L_1}{L_2} = \frac{44.25}{31.10} = 1.42$$

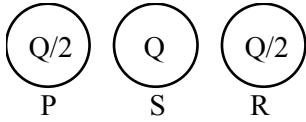




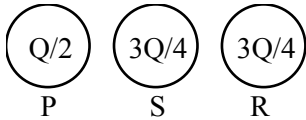
$$F_{PS} \propto Q^2$$

$$F_{PS} = 16 \text{ N}$$

Now If P & R are brought in contact then



Now If S & R are brought in contact then



New force between P & S is :

$$F_{PS} \propto \frac{Q}{2} \times \frac{3Q}{4}$$

$$F_{PS} \propto \frac{3Q^2}{8} = \frac{3}{8} \times 16 = 6\text{N}$$

39. In a coil, the current changes form  $-2 \text{ A}$  to  $+2\text{A}$  in  $0.2 \text{ s}$  and induces an emf of  $0.1 \text{ V}$ . The self-inductance of the coil is :

- (1)  $5 \text{ mH}$  (2)  $1 \text{ mH}$   
(3)  $2.5 \text{ mH}$  (4)  $4 \text{ mH}$

Ans. (1)

Sol.  $(\text{Emf})_{\text{induced}} = -L \frac{di}{dt}$

In magnitude form,

$$|\text{Emf}_{\text{ind}}| = \left| (-)L \frac{di}{dt} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.1 = \frac{(L)[+2 - (-2)]}{0.2}$$

$$\Rightarrow L = \frac{0.1 \times 0.2}{4} = 5\text{mH}$$

40. For the thin convex lens, the radii of curvature are at  $15 \text{ cm}$  and  $30 \text{ cm}$  respectively. The focal length the lens is  $20 \text{ cm}$ . The refractive index of the material is :

- (1)  $1.2$  (2)  $1.4$   
(3)  $1.5$  (4)  $1.8$

Ans. (3)

Sol.  $\frac{1}{f} = \left( \frac{\mu_{\text{lens}}}{\mu_{\text{air}}} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{+20} = \left( \frac{\mu}{1} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{1}{+15} - \frac{1}{(-30)} \right)$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{20} = (\mu - 1) \left( \frac{3}{30} \right)$   
 $\Rightarrow \mu - 1 = \frac{1}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow \mu = 1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5$

41. Energy of 10 non rigid diatomic molecules at temperature  $T$  is :

- (1)  $\frac{7}{2}RT$  (2)  $70 K_B T$   
(3)  $35 RT$  (4)  $35 K_B T$

Ans. (4)

Sol. Degree of freedom  $(f) = 5 + 2(3N - 5)$   
 $f = 5 + 2(3 \times 2 - 5) = 7$

energy of one molecule =  $\frac{f}{2} K_B T$

energy of 10 molecules

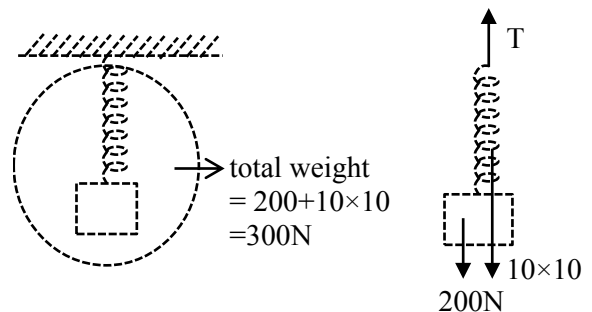
$$= 10 \left( \frac{f}{2} K_B T \right) = 10 \left( \frac{7}{2} K_B T \right) = 35 K_B T$$

42. A body of weight  $200 \text{ N}$  is suspended form a tree branch through a chain of mass  $10 \text{ kg}$ . The branch pulls the chain by a force equal to (if  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ ):

- (1)  $150 \text{ N}$  (2)  $300 \text{ N}$   
(3)  $200 \text{ N}$  (4)  $100 \text{ N}$

Ans. (2)

Sol.



Chain block system is in equilibrium so

$$T = 200 + 100 = 300 \text{ N.}$$

43. When UV light of wavelength 300 nm is incident on the metal surface having work function 2.13 eV, electron emission takes place. The stopping potential is : (Given  $hc = 1240 \text{ eV nm}$ )  
(1) 4 V (2) 4.1 V (3) 2 V (4) 1.5 V

Ans. (3)

Sol.  $\frac{hc}{\lambda} - \phi = e \cdot V_s$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1240}{300} \text{ eV} - 2.13 \text{ eV} = eV_s$$

$$\Rightarrow 4.13 \text{ eV} - 2.13 \text{ eV} = eV_s$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{So, } \boxed{V_s = 2 \text{ volt}}$$

44. The number of electrons flowing per second in the filament of a 110 W bulb operating at 220 V is : (Given  $e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ )

- (1)  $31.25 \times 10^{17}$  (2)  $6.25 \times 10^{18}$   
(3)  $6.25 \times 10^{17}$  (4)  $1.25 \times 10^{19}$

Ans. (1)

Sol. Power (P) = V.I

$$\Rightarrow 110 = (220) (I)$$

$$\Rightarrow I = 0.5 \text{ A}$$

Now,  $I = \frac{n \cdot e}{t}$

$$\Rightarrow 0.5 = \left( \frac{n}{t} \right) (1.6 \times 10^{-19})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n}{t} = \frac{0.5}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{n}{t} = 31.25 \times 10^{17}}$$

45. When kinetic energy of a body becomes 36 times of its original value, the percentage increase in the momentum of the body will be :

- (1) 500% (2) 600%  
(3) 6% (4) 60%

Ans. (1)

Sol. Kinetic energy (K) =  $\frac{p^2}{2m}$

$$\Rightarrow p = \sqrt{2mK}$$

If  $K_f = 36 K_i$

So,  $P_f = 6 P_i$

$$\% \text{ increase in momentum} = \frac{P_f - P_i}{P_i} \times 100\%$$

$$= \frac{6P_i - P_i}{P_i} \times 100\%$$

$$= 500\%$$

46. Pressure inside a soap bubble is greater than the pressure outside by an amount :

(given : R = Radius of bubble, S = Surface tension of bubble)

(1)  $\frac{4S}{R}$  (2)  $\frac{4R}{S}$

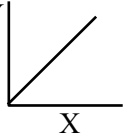
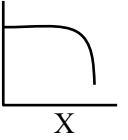
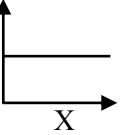
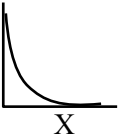
(3)  $\frac{S}{R}$  (4)  $\frac{2S}{R}$

Ans. (1)

Sol. There are two liquid-air surfaces in bubble so

$$\Delta P = 2 \left( \frac{2S}{R} \right) = \frac{4S}{R}$$

47. Match List-I with List-II

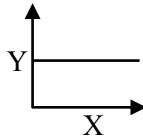
List-I (Y vs X)		List-II (Shape of Graph)	
(A)	Y = magnetic susceptibility X = magnetising field	(I)	
(B)	Y = magnetic field X = distance from centre of a current carrying wire for $x < a$ (where a = radius of wire)	(II)	
(C)	Y = magnetic field X = distance from centre of a current carrying wire for $x > a$ (where a = radius of wire)	(III)	
(D)	Y = magnetic field inside solenoid X = distance from center	(IV)	

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A)-(III), (B)-(I), (C)-(IV), (D)-(II)  
(2) (A)-(I), (B)-(III), (C)-(II), (D)-(IV)  
(3) (A)-(IV), (B)-(I), (C)-(III), (D)-(II)  
(4) (A)-(III), (B)-(IV), (C)-(I), (D)-(II)

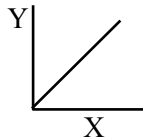
Ans. (4)

**Sol.** (A) Graph between Magnetic susceptibility and magnetising field is :



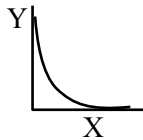
(B) magnetic field due to a current carrying wire for  $x < a$  :

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 i r}{2\pi a^2}$$

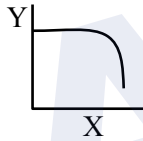


(C) magnetic field due to a current carrying wire for  $x > a$  :

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi a}$$



(D) magnetic field inside solenoid varies as:



**48.** In a vernier calliper, when both jaws touch each other, zero of the vernier scale shifts towards left and its 4<sup>th</sup> division coincides exactly with a certain division on main scale. If 50 vernier scale divisions equal to 49 main scale divisions and zero error in the instrument is 0.04 mm then how many main scale divisions are there in 1 cm ?

- (1) 40                                      (2) 5  
(3) 20                                      (4) 10

**NTA Ans. (3)**

**Sol.** 4<sup>th</sup> division coincides with 3<sup>rd</sup> division then

$$0.004 \text{ cm} = 4\text{VSD} - 3\text{MSD}$$

$$49\text{MSD} = 50 \text{ VSD}$$

$$1\text{MSD} = \frac{1}{N} \text{ cm}$$

$$0.004 = 4 \left\{ \frac{49}{50} \text{MSD} \right\} - 3\text{MSD}$$

$$0.004 = \left( \frac{196}{50} - 3 \right) \left( \frac{1}{N} \right)$$

$$N = \frac{46}{50} \times \frac{1000}{4} = \frac{46 \times 1000}{200} = 230$$

**49.** Given below are two statements :

**Statement (I) :** Dimensions of specific heat is  $[L^2 T^{-2} K^{-1}]$

**Statement (II) :** Dimensions of gas constant is  $[M L^2 T^{-1} K^{-1}]$

- (1) Statement (I) is incorrect but statement (II) is correct  
(2) Both statement (I) and statement (II) are incorrect  
(3) Statement (I) is correct but statement (II) is incorrect  
(4) Both statement (I) and statement (II) are correct

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.**  $\Delta Q = m\Delta T$

$$s = \frac{\Delta Q}{m\Delta T}$$

$$[s] = \left[ \frac{ML^2 T^{-2}}{MK} \right]$$

$$[s] = [L^2 T^{-2} K^{-1}]$$

Statement-(I) is correct

$$PV = nRT \Rightarrow R = \frac{PV}{nT}$$

$$[R] = \frac{[ML^{-1}T^{-2}][L^3]}{[mol][K]}$$

$$[R] = [ML^2 T^{-2} \text{ mol}^{-1} K^{-1}]$$

Statement-II is incorrect

**50.** A body projected vertically upwards with a certain speed from the top of a tower reaches the ground in  $t_1$ . If it is projected vertically downwards from the same point with the same speed, it reaches the ground in  $t_2$ . Time required to reach the ground, if it is dropped from the top of the tower, is :

(1)  $\sqrt{t_1 t_2}$                                       (2)  $\sqrt{t_1 - t_2}$

(3)  $\sqrt{\frac{t_1}{t_2}}$                                       (4)  $\sqrt{t_1 + t_2}$

**Ans. (1)**

**Sol.**  $t_1 = \frac{u + \sqrt{u^2 + 2gh}}{g}$   
 $t_2 = \frac{-u + \sqrt{u^2 + 2gh}}{g}$   
 $t = \frac{\sqrt{2gh}}{g}$   
 $t_1 t_2 = \frac{(u^2 + 2gh) - u^2}{g^2} = \frac{2gh}{g^2} = t^2$   
 $\Rightarrow t = \sqrt{t_1 t_2}$

**SECTION-B**

**51.** In Franck-Hertz experiment, the first dip in the current-voltage graph for hydrogen is observed at 10.2 V. The wavelength of light emitted by hydrogen atom when excited to the first excitation level is \_\_\_\_\_ nm.  
 (Given  $hc = 1245 \text{ eV nm}$ ,  $e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$ ).

**Ans. (122)**

**Sol.**  $10.2 \text{ eV} = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$   
 $\lambda = \frac{1245 \text{ eV} \cdot \text{nm}}{10.2 \text{ eV}} = 122.06 \text{ nm}$

**52.** For a given series LCR circuit it is found that maximum current is drawn when value of variable capacitance is 2.5 nF. If resistance of 200Ω and 100 mH inductor is being used in the given circuit. The frequency of ac source is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^3$  Hz.  
 (given  $\pi^2 = 10$ )

**Ans. (10)**

**Sol.** for maximum current, circuit must be in resonance.

$$f_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{L \times C}}$$

$$f_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{100 \times 10^{-3} \times 2.5 \times 10^{-9}}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{25 \times 10^{-11}}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi \times 5} \times 10^5 \times \sqrt{10} \text{ Hz}$$

$$= \frac{100}{10} \times 10^3 \text{ Hz}$$

$$f_0 = 10 \times 10^3 \text{ Hz}$$

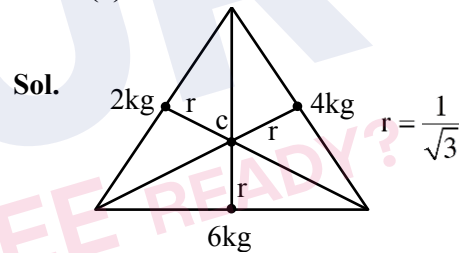
**53.** A particle moves in a straight line so that its displacement  $x$  at any time  $t$  is given by  $x^2 = 1 + t^2$ . Its acceleration at any time  $t$  is  $x^{-n}$  where  $n =$  \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.**  $x^2 = 1 + t^2$   
 $2x \frac{dx}{dt} = 2t$   
 $xv = t$   
 $x \frac{dv}{dt} + v \frac{dx}{dt} = 1$   
 $x \cdot a + v^2 = 1$   
 $a = \frac{1 - v^2}{x} = \frac{1 - t^2 / x^2}{x}$   
 $a = \frac{1}{x^3} = x^{-3}$

**54.** Three balls of masses 2kg, 4kg and 6kg respectively are arranged at centre of the edges of an equilateral triangle of side 2 m. The moment of inertia of the system about an axis through the centroid and perpendicular to the plane of triangle, will be \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{kg m}^2$ .

**Ans. (4)**



Moment of inertia about C and perpendicular to the plane is :

$$I = r^2 [2 + 4 + 6]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times 12$$

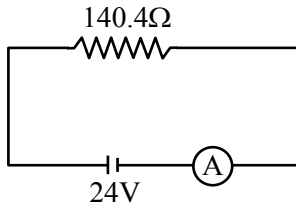
$$I = 4 \text{ kg-m}^2$$

**55.** A coil having 100 turns, area of  $5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$ , carrying current of 1 mA is placed in uniform magnetic field of 0.20 T such a way that plane of coil is perpendicular to the magnetic field. The work done in turning the coil through  $90^\circ$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $\mu\text{J}$ .

**Ans. (100)**

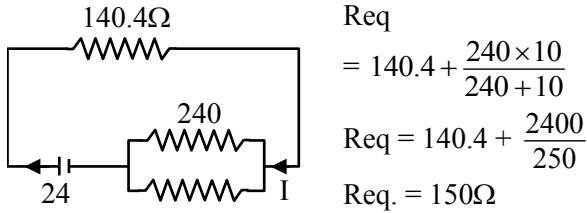
**Sol.**  $W = \Delta U = U_f - U_i$   
 $W = (-\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B})_f - (-\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B})_i$   
 $= 0 + (\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B})_i$   
 $= (100 \times 5 \times 10^{-3} \times 1 \times 10^{-3}) \times 0.2 \text{ J}$   
 $= 1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ J} = 100 \mu\text{J}$

56. In the given figure an ammeter A consists of a  $240\Omega$  coil connected in parallel to a  $10\Omega$  shunt. The reading of the ammeter is \_\_\_\_\_ mA.



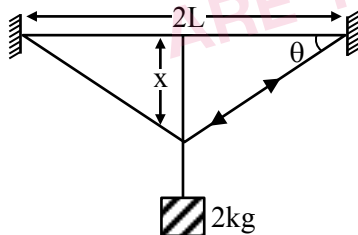
**Ans. (160)**

**Sol.**



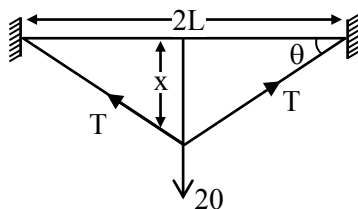
$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Current in ammeter} &= \frac{24}{150} \\ &= 160 \text{ mA} \end{aligned}$$

57. A wire of cross sectional area  $A$ , modulus of elasticity  $2 \times 10^{11} \text{ Nm}^{-2}$  and length  $2 \text{ m}$  is stretched between two vertical rigid supports. When a mass of  $2 \text{ kg}$  is suspended at the middle it sags lower from its original position making angle  $\theta = \frac{1}{100}$  radian on the points of support. The value of  $A$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$  (consider  $x \ll L$ ). (given :  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ )



**Ans. (1)**

**Sol.**



In vertical direction  
 $2T \sin\theta = 20$

using small angle approximation  $\sin\theta = \theta$

$$\theta = \frac{1}{100}$$

$$\therefore T = \frac{10}{\theta}$$

$$T = 1000 \text{ N}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Change in length } \Delta L &= 2\sqrt{x^2 + L^2} - 2L \\ &= 2L \left[ 1 + \frac{x^2}{2L^2} - 1 \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta L = \frac{x^2}{L}$$

$\therefore$  Modulus of elasticity =  $\frac{\text{stress}}{\text{strain}}$

$$2 \times 10^{11} = \frac{10^3}{A \times \frac{x^2}{L}} \times 2L$$

$$\therefore A = 1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$$

58. Two coherent monochromatic light beams of intensities  $I$  and  $4I$  are superimposed. The difference between maximum and minimum possible intensities in the resulting beam is  $xI$ . The value of  $x$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans. (8)**

**Sol.**  $I_{\max} = (\sqrt{I} + \sqrt{4I})^2 = 9I$

$$I_{\min} = (\sqrt{4I} - \sqrt{I})^2 = I$$

$$\therefore I_{\max} - I_{\min} = 8I$$

59. Two open organ pipes of length  $60 \text{ cm}$  and  $90 \text{ cm}$  resonate at  $6^{\text{th}}$  and  $5^{\text{th}}$  harmonics respectively. The difference of frequencies for the given modes is \_\_\_\_\_ Hz.

(Velocity of sound in air =  $333 \text{ m/s}$ )

**Ans. (740)**

**Sol.** The difference in frequency in open organ pipe =

$$f = \frac{nv}{2L}$$

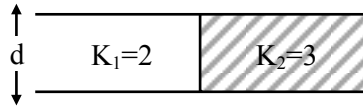
$$\Delta f = \frac{6v}{2 \times 0.6} - \frac{5v}{2 \times 0.9}$$

$$v = 333 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Delta f = 740 \text{ Hz}$$

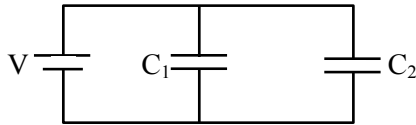


60. A capacitor of  $10 \mu\text{F}$  capacitance whose plates are separated by  $10 \text{ mm}$  through air and each plate has area  $4 \text{ cm}^2$  is now filled equally with two dielectric media of  $K_1 = 2$ ,  $K_2 = 3$  respectively as shown in figure. If new force between the plates is  $8 \text{ N}$ . The supply voltage is \_\_\_\_\_ V.



NTA Ans. (80)

Sol.



$$C_{\text{eq}} = C_1 + C_2$$

$$C_1 = \frac{2\epsilon_0 A}{2 \times d} = 10 \mu\text{F}$$

$$C_2 = \frac{3\epsilon_0 A}{2d} = 15 \mu\text{F}$$

$$C_{\text{eq}} = 25 \mu\text{F}$$

Now the charge on  $C_1 = 10V \mu\text{C}$   
 $C_2 = 1.5 V \mu\text{C}$ .

Now force between the plates  $\left[ F = \frac{Q^2}{2A \epsilon_0} \right]$

$$\frac{100V^2 \times 10^{-12}}{2 \times 2 \times 10^{-4} \epsilon_0} + \frac{225V^2 \times 10^{-12}}{2 \times 2 \times 10^{-4} \times \epsilon_0} = 8$$

$$325 V^2 = 8 \times 4 \times 10^{-4} \times 8.85$$

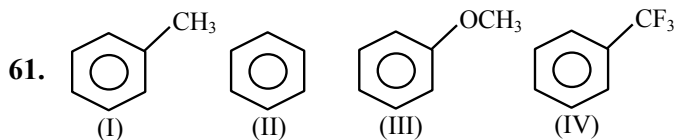
$$V^2 = \frac{32 \times 8.85 \times 10^{-4}}{325}$$

$$\therefore V = \sqrt{\frac{283.2 \times 10^{-4}}{325}}$$

$$\boxed{V = 0.93 \times 10^{-2}}$$

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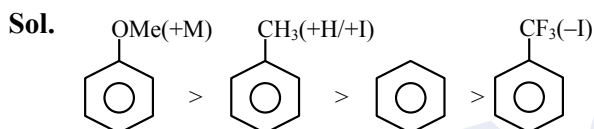
**SECTION-A**



The **correct** arrangement for decreasing order of electrophilic substitution for above compounds

- (1) (IV) > (I) > (II) > (III)
- (2) (III) > (I) > (II) > (IV)
- (3) (II) > (IV) > (III) > (I)
- (4) (III) > (IV) > (II) > (I)

**Ans. (2)**



62. Molality (m) of 3 M aqueous solution of NaCl is:  
(Given : Density of solution = 1.25 g mL<sup>-1</sup>, Molar mass in g mol<sup>-1</sup> : Na-23, Cl-35.5)

- (1) 2.90 m
- (2) 2.79 m
- (3) 1.90 m
- (4) 3.85 m

**Ans. (2)**

**Sol.** 3 moles are present in 1 litre solution

$$\text{molality} = \frac{3 \times 1000}{1.25 \times 1000 - [3 \times 58.5]} = 2.79 \text{ m}$$

63. The incorrect statements regarding enzymes are:

- (A) Enzymes are biocatalysts.
- (B) Enzymes are non-specific and can catalyse different kinds of reactions.
- (C) Most Enzymes are globular proteins.
- (D) Enzyme - oxidase catalyses the hydrolysis of maltose into glucose.

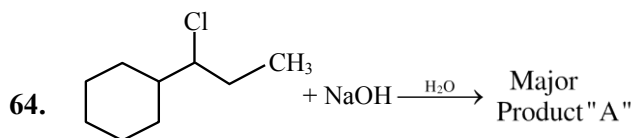
Choose the correct answer from the option given below:

- (1) (B) and (C)
- (2) (B), (C) and (D)
- (3) (B) and (D)
- (4) (A), (B) and (C)

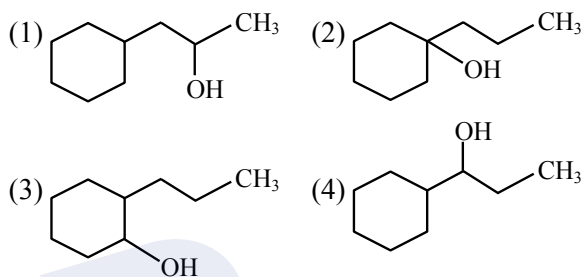
**Ans. (3)**

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**Sol.** Direct NCERT Based

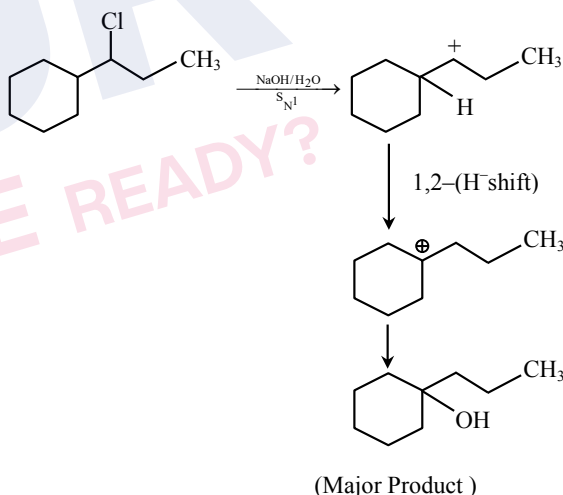


Consider the above chemical reaction. Product "A" is:



**Ans. (2)**

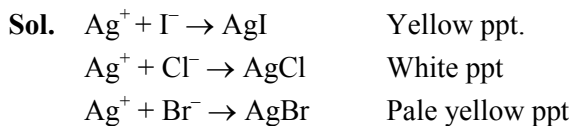
**Sol.**



65. During the detection of acidic radical present in a salt, a student gets a pale yellow precipitate soluble with difficulty in NH<sub>4</sub>OH solution when sodium carbonate extract was first acidified with dil. HNO<sub>3</sub> and then AgNO<sub>3</sub> solution was added. This indicates presence of:

- (1) Br<sup>-</sup>
- (2) CO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>
- (3) I<sup>-</sup>
- (4) Cl<sup>-</sup>

**Ans. (1)**



**66.** How can an electrochemical cell be converted into an electrolytic cell ?

- (1) Applying an external opposite potential greater than  $E_{\text{cell}}^0$
- (2) Reversing the flow of ions in salt bridge.
- (3) Applying an external opposite potential lower than  $E_{\text{cell}}^0$ .
- (4) Exchanging the electrodes at anode and cathode.

**Ans. (1)**

**Sol.** Applied external potential should be greater than  $E_{\text{cell}}^0$  in opposite direction.

**67.** Arrange the following elements in the increasing order of number of unpaired electrons in it.

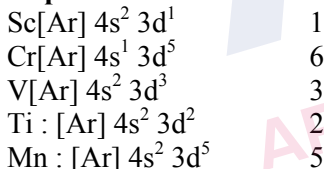
- (A) Sc                                      (B) Cr  
 (C) V                                        (D) Ti  
 (E) Mn

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) (C) < (E) < (B) < (A) < (D)
- (2) (B) < (C) < (D) < (E) < (A)
- (3) (A) < (D) < (C) < (B) < (E)
- (4) (A) < (D) < (C) < (E) < (B)

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol. Unpaired electron**



**68.** Match List-I with List-II.

List-I	List-II
Alkali Metal	Emission Wavelength in nm
(A) Li	(I) 589.2
(B) Na	(II) 455.5
(C) Rb	(III) 670.8
(D) Cs	(IV) 780.0

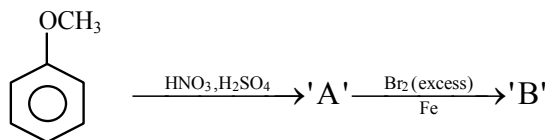
Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

- (1) (A)-(I), (B)-(IV), (C)-(III), (D)-(II)
- (2) (A)-(III), (B)-(I), (C)-(IV), (D)-(II)
- (3) (A)-(IV), (B)-(II), (C)-(I), (D)-(III)
- (4) (A)-(II), (B)-(IV), (C)-(III), (D)-(I)

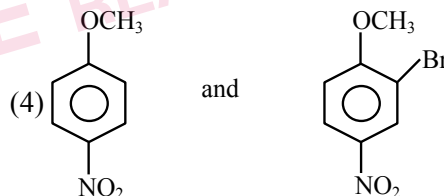
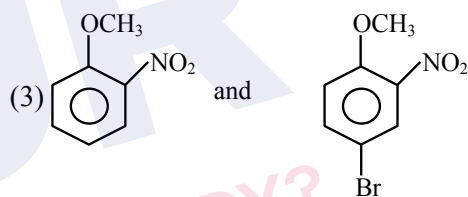
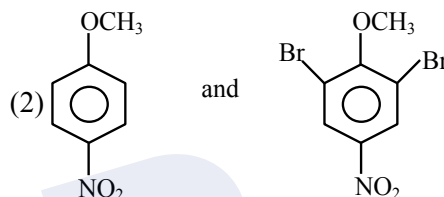
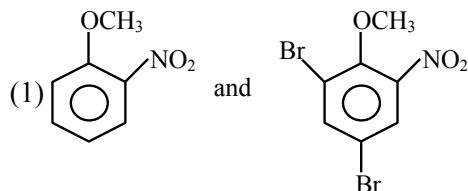
**Ans. (2)**

**Sol.** Fact Based

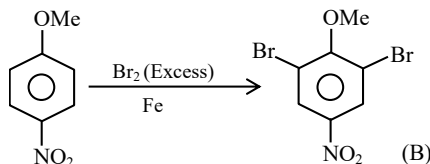
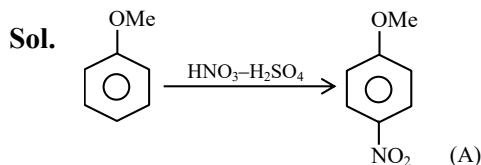
**69.** The major products formed:



A and B respectively are:



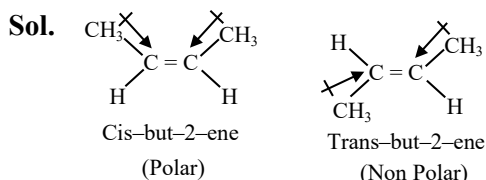
**Ans. (2)**



70. The incorrect statement regarding the geometrical isomers of 2-butene is:

- (1) cis-2-butene and trans-2-butene are not interconvertible at room temperature.
- (2) cis-2-butene has less dipole moment than trans-2-butene.
- (3) trans-2-butene is more stable than cis-2-butene.
- (4) cis-2-butene and trans-2-butene are stereoisomers.

Ans. (2)



Cis-but-2-ene has higher Dipole moment than trans-but-2-ene.

71. Given below are two statements:

**Statement I:**  $\text{PF}_5$  and  $\text{BrF}_5$  both exhibit  $\text{sp}^3\text{d}$  hybridisation.

**Statement II:** Both  $\text{SF}_6$  and  $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{3+}$  exhibit  $\text{sp}^3\text{d}^2$  hybridisation.

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (1) **Statement I** is true but **Statement II** is false
- (2) Both **Statement I** and **Statement II** are true
- (3) Both **Statement I** and **Statement II** are false
- (4) **Statement I** is false but **Statement II** is true

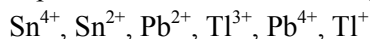
Ans. (3)

Sol.

	Hybridisation		Hybridisation
$\text{PF}_5$	$\text{sp}^3\text{d}$	$\text{SF}_6$	$\text{sp}^3\text{d}^2$
$\text{BrF}_5$	$\text{sp}^3\text{d}^2$	$[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{3+}$	$\text{d}^2\text{sp}^3$

Both Statement (1) and (2) are false.

72. The number of ions from the following that are expected to behave as oxidising agent is:

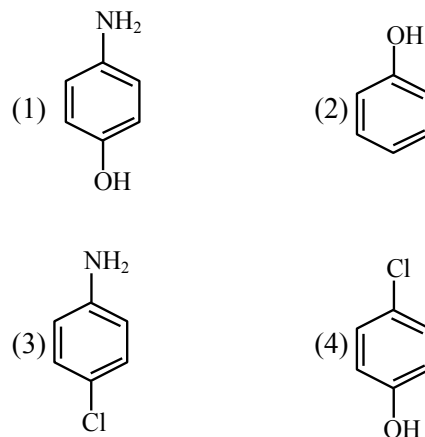
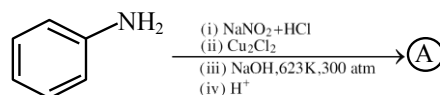


- (1) 3
- (2) 4
- (3) 1
- (4) 2

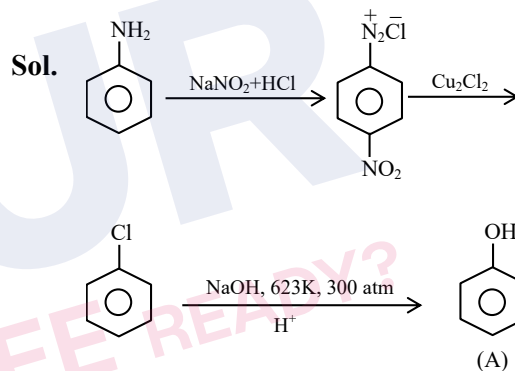
Ans. (4)

Sol. Due to inert pair effect;  $\text{Tl}^{3+}$  and  $\text{Pb}^{4+}$  can behave as oxidising agents.

73. Identify the product (A) in the following reaction.



Ans. (2)



74. The correct statements among the following, for a "chromatography" purification method is:

- (1) Organic compounds run faster than solvent in the thin layer chromatographic plate.
- (2) Non-polar compounds are retained at top and polar compounds come down in column chromatography.
- (3)  $R_f$  of a polar compound is smaller than that of a non-polar compound.
- (4)  $R_f$  is an integral value.

Ans. (3)

Sol. Non polar compounds are having higher value of  $R_f$  than polar compound.

75. Evaluate the following statements related to group 14 elements for their correctness.
- (A) Covalent radius decreases down the group from C to Pb in a regular manner.
- (B) Electronegativity decreases from C to Pb down the group gradually.
- (C) Maximum covalence of C is 4 whereas other elements can expand their covalence due to presence of d orbitals.
- (D) Heavier elements do not form  $p\pi-p\pi$  bonds.
- (E) Carbon can exhibit negative oxidation states.
- Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

- (1) (C), (D) and (E) Only (2) (A) and (B) Only  
 (3) (A), (B) and (C) Only (4) (C) and (D) Only

**Ans. (1)**

- Sol.** (A) Down the group; radius increases  
 (B) EN does not decrease gradually from C to Pb.  
 (C) Correct.  
 (D) Correct.  
 (E) Range of oxidation state of carbon ; -4 to +4

76. Match List-I with the List-II

List-I Reaction	List-II Type of redox reaction
(A) $N_{2(g)} + O_{2(g)} \rightarrow 2NO_{(g)}$	(I) Decomposition
(B) $2Pb(NO_3)_{2(s)} \rightarrow 2PbO_{(s)} + 4NO_{2(g)} + O_{2(g)}$	(II) Displacement
(C) $2Na_{(s)} + 2H_2O_{(l)} \rightarrow 2NaOH_{(aq)} + H_{2(g)}$	(III) Disproportionation
(D) $2NO_{2(g)} + 2OH_{(aq)}^- \rightarrow NO_{2(aq)}^- + NO_{3(aq)}^- + H_2O_{(l)}$	(IV) Combination

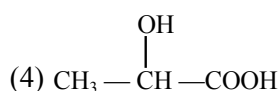
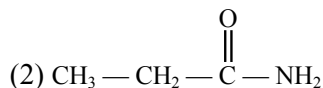
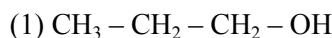
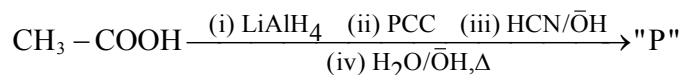
Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

- (1) (A)-(I), (B)-(II), (C)-(III), (D)-(IV)  
 (2) (A)-(III), (B)-(II), (C)-(I), (D)-(IV)  
 (3) (A)-(II), (B)-(III), (C)-(IV), (D)-(I)  
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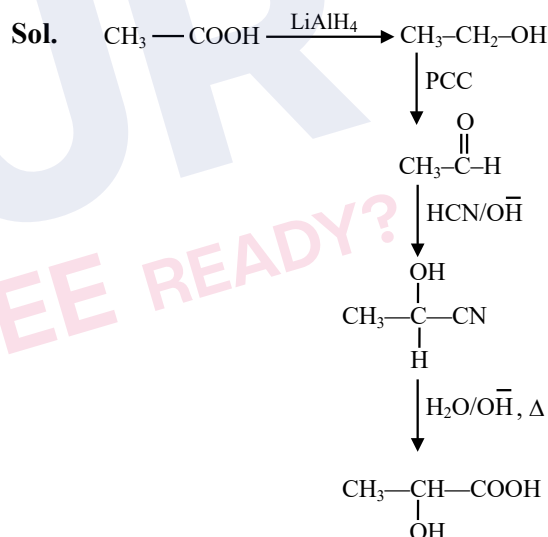
**Ans. (4)**

- Sol.** A  $\rightarrow$  (IV)  
 B  $\rightarrow$  (I)  
 C  $\rightarrow$  (II)  
 D  $\rightarrow$  (III)

77. Consider the given reaction, identify the major product P.



**Ans. (4)**



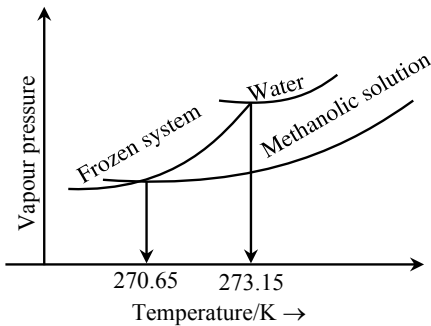
78. The correct IUPAC name of  $[PtBr_2(PMe_3)_2]$  is:
- (1) bis(trimethylphosphine)dibromoplatinum(II)  
 (2) bis[bromo(trimethylphosphine)]platinum(II)  
 (3) dibromobis(trimethylphosphine)platinum(II)  
 (4) dibromodi(trimethylphosphine)platinum(II)

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.** Dibromo bis(trimethylphosphine) platinum (II)



83. When 'x' × 10<sup>-2</sup> mL methanol (molar mass = 32 g; density = 0.792 g/cm<sup>3</sup>) is added to 100 mL water (density = 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>), the following diagram is obtained.



x = ..... (nearest integer)

[Given: Molal freezing point depression constant of water at 273.15 K is 1.86 K kg mol<sup>-1</sup>]

Ans. (543)

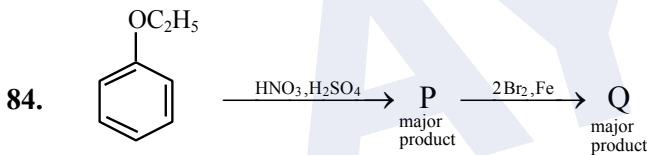
Sol.  $\Delta T_f = 273.15 - 270.65 = 2.5 \text{ K}$

$$\Delta T_f = K_f m \Rightarrow 2.5 = 1.86 \times \frac{n}{0.1}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 0.1344 \text{ moles}$$

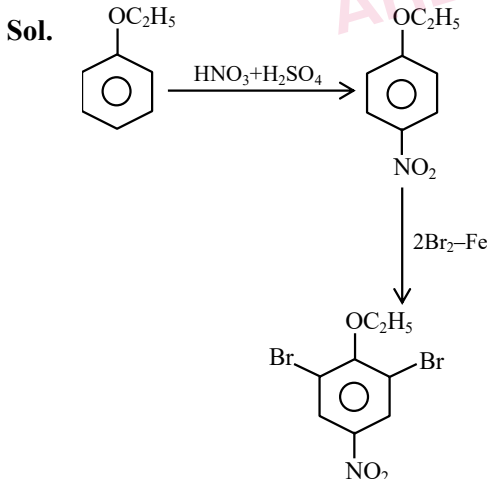
$$\Rightarrow w = 0.1344 \times 32 = 4.3 \text{ g}$$

$$\text{Volume} = \frac{4.3}{0.792} = 5.43 \text{ ml} = 543 \times 10^{-2} \text{ ml}$$

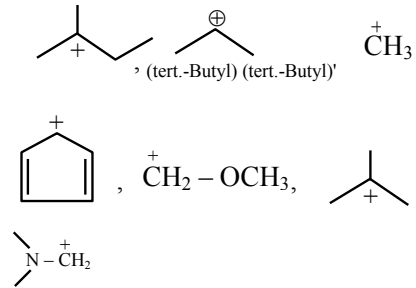


The ratio of number of oxygen atoms to bromine atoms in the product Q is \_\_\_\_\_ × 10<sup>-1</sup>.

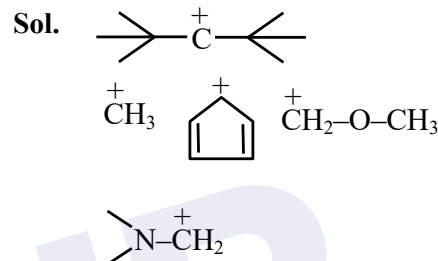
Ans. (15)



85. Number of carbocation from the following that are **not** stabilized by hyperconjugation is.....



Ans. (5)



86. For the reaction at 298 K,  $2A + B \rightarrow C$ .  $\Delta H = 400 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$  and  $\Delta S = 0.2 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ . The reaction will become spontaneous above \_\_\_\_\_ K.

Ans. (2000)

Sol.  $\Delta G = 0$

$$T = \frac{\Delta H}{\Delta S} = \frac{400}{0.2} = 2000 \text{ K}$$

87. Total number of species from the following with central atom utilising 2p<sup>2</sup> hybrid orbitals for bonding is.....

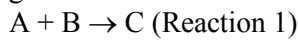
NH<sub>3</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, SiO<sub>2</sub>, BeCl<sub>2</sub>, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>, BCl<sub>3</sub>, HCHO, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub>, BF<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

Ans. (6)

Sol. Central atom utilising sp<sup>2</sup> hybrid orbitals

SO<sub>2</sub>, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>, BCl<sub>3</sub>, HCHO, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub>, BF<sub>3</sub>

88. Consider the two different first order reactions given below



The ratio of the half life of Reaction 1 : Reaction 2 is 5 : 2. If  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  represent the time taken to

complete  $\frac{2}{3}^{\text{rd}}$  and  $\frac{4}{5}^{\text{th}}$  of Reaction 1 and

Reaction 2, respectively, then the value of the ratio  $t_1 : t_2$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-1}$  (nearest integer).

[Given:  $\log_{10}(3) = 0.477$  and  $\log_{10}(5) = 0.699$ ]

**Ans. (17)**

**Sol.** 
$$\frac{(t_{1/2})_I}{(t_{1/2})_{II}} = \frac{K_2}{K_1} = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\therefore K_1 t_1 = \ln \frac{1}{1 - \frac{2}{3}} = \ln 3$$

$$K_2 t_2 = \ln \frac{1}{1 - \frac{4}{5}} = \ln 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{K_1}{K_2} \times \frac{t_1}{t_2} = \frac{0.477}{0.699}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{t_1}{t_2} = \frac{0.477}{0.699} \times \frac{5}{2} = 1.7 = 17 \times 10^{-1}$$

89. For hydrogen atom, energy of an electron in first excited state is  $-3.4$  eV, K.E. of the same electron of hydrogen atom is  $x$  eV. Value of  $x$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-1}$  eV. (Nearest integer)

**Ans. (34)**

90. Among  $\text{VO}_2^+$ ,  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  and  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$ , the spin-only magnetic moment value of the species with least oxidising ability is.....BM (Nearest integer).

(Given atomic member V = 23, Mn = 25, Cr = 24)

**Ans. (0)**

**Sol.** For 3d transition series;

Oxidising power :  $\text{V}^{+5} < \text{Cr}^{+6} < \text{Mn}^{+7}$



Number of unpaired electron = 0

$$\mu = 0$$