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PART - I (PHYSICS)

- Two beams of light will not give rise to an 1. interference patern, if
 - (a) they are coherent
 - (b) they have the same wavelength
 - (c) they are linearly polarized perpendicular to each other
 - (d) they are not monochromatic
- A slit of width 'a' is illuminated with a monochromatic light of wavelength λ from a distant source and the diffraction pattern is observed on a screen placed at a distance 'D' from the slit. To increase the width of the central maximum one should
 - (a) decrease D
 - (b) decrease a
 - (c) decrease λ
 - (d) the width cannot be changed
- A thin film of soap solution (n = 1.4) lies on the top of a glass plate (n = 1.5). When visible light is incident almost normal to the plate, two adjacent reflection maxima are observed at two wavelengths 420 and 630 nm. The minimum thickness of the soap solution is
 - (a) 420 nm
- (b) 450 nm
- (c) 630 nm
- (d) 1260 nm
- If the speed of a wave doubles as it passes from shallow water into deeper water, its wavelength will be
 - (a) unchanged
- (b) halved
- (c) doubled
- (d) quadrupled
- 5. A light whose frequency is equal to $6 \times 10^{14} \, \text{Hz}$ is incident on a metal whose work function is

$$2eV.$$
 $\left[h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}\right] \left[1eV = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}\right]$

The maximum energy of the electrons emitted will be

- (a) 2.49 eV
- (b) 4.49 eV
- (c) 0.49 eV
- (d) 5.49 eV

- 6. An electron microscope is used to probe the atomic arrangements to a resolution of 5Å. What should be the electric potential to which the electrons need to be accelerated?
 - (a) 2.5 V
- (b) 5V
- (c) 2.5 kV
- (d) 5kV
- 7. Which phenomenon best supports the theory that matter has a wave nature?
 - (a) Electron momentum
 - (b) Electron diffraction
 - (c) Photon momentum
 - (d) Photon diffraction
- 8. The radioactivity of a certain material drops to

of the initial value in 2 hours. The half life of

this radionuclide is

- (a) 10 min
- (b) 20 min
- (c) 30 min
- (d) 40min
- 9. An observer 'A' sees an asteroid with a radioactive element moving by at a speed = 0.3 c and measures the radioactivity decay time to be T_A. Another observer 'B' is moving with the asteroid and measures its decay time as T_B. Then T_A and T_B are related as below
 - (a) $T_B < T_A$ (b) $T_A = T_B$ (c) $T_B > T_A$

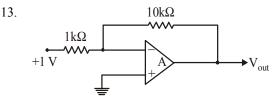
 - (d) Either (A) or (C) depending on whether the asteroid is approaching or moving away
- ²³⁴U has 92 protons and 234 nucleons total in its 10. nucleus. It decays by emitting an alpha particle. After the decay it becomes
 - ^{232}U (a)
- ²³²Pa (b)
- (c) 230Th
- (d) ²³⁰Ra
- K_{α} and K_{β} x-rays are emitted when there is a transition of electron between the levels
 - (a) n = 2 to n = 1 and n = 3 to n = 1 respectively
 - (b) n = 2 to n = 1 and n = 3 to n = 2 respectively
 - (c) n = 3 to n = 2 and n = 4 to n = 2 respectively
 - (d) n = 3 to n = 2 and n = 4 to n = 3 respectively



12. A certain radioactive material $_ZX^A$ starts emitting α and β particles successively such that the end

product is $~_{Z=3}\,Y^{A=8}$. The number of α and β particles emitted are

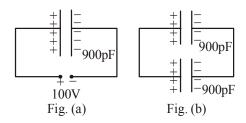
- (a) 4 and 3 respectively
- (b) 2 and 1 respectively
- (c) 3 and 4 respectively
- (d) 3 and 8 respectively



In the circuit shown above, an input of 1V is fed into the inverting input of an ideal Op-amp A. The output signal V_{out} will be

- (a) +10V
- (b) -10 V
- (c) 0V
- (d) infinity
- 14. When a solid with a band gap has a donor level just below its empty energy band, the solid is
 - (a) an insulator
 - (b) a conductor
 - (c) a p-type semiconductor
 - (d) an n-type semiconductor
- 15. A p-n junction has acceptor impurity concentration of 10^{17} cm⁻³ in the p-side and donor impurity concentration of 10^{16} cm⁻³ in the n-side. What is the contact potential at the junction (kT = thermal energy, intrinsic carrier concentration $n_i = 1.4 \times 10^{10}$ cm⁻³)?
 - (a) $(kT/e) \ln (4 \times 10^{12})$
 - (b) $(kT/e) \ln (2.5 \times 10^{23})$
 - (c) $(kT/e) \ln (10^{23})$
 - (d) $(kT/e) \ln (10^9)$
- 16. A Zener diode has a contact potential of 1V in the absence of biasing. It undergoes Zener breakdown for an electric field of 10⁶ V/m at the depletion region of p-n junction. If the width of the depletion region is 2.5 μm, what should be the reverse biased potential for the Zener breakdown to occur?
 - (a) 3.5 V
- (b) 2.5 V
- (c) 1.5 V
- (d) 0.5 V
- 17. In Colpitt oscillator the feedback network consists of
 - (a) two inductors and a capacitor
 - (b) two capacitors and an inductor
 - (c) three pairs of RC circuit
 - (d) three pairs of RL circuit

- 18. The reverse saturation of p-n diode
 - (a) depends on doping concentrations
 - (b) depends on diffusion lengths of carriers
 - (c) depends on the doping concentrations and diffusion lengths
 - (d) depends on the doping concentrations, diffusion length and device temperature
- A radio station has two channels. One is AM at 1020 kHz and the other FM at 89.5 MHz. For good results you will use
 - (a) longer antenna for the AM channel and shorter for the FM
 - (b) shorter antenna for the AM channel and longer for the FM
 - (c) same length antenna will work for both
 - (d) information given is not enough to say which one to use for which
- 20. The communication using optical fibers is based on the principle of
 - (a) total internal reflection
 - (b) Brewster angle
 - (c) polarization
 - (d) resonance
- 21. In nature, the electric charge of any system is always equal to
 - (a) half integral multiple of the least amount of charge
 - (b) zero
 - (c) square of the least amount of charge
 - (d) integral multiple of the least amount of charge
- 22. The energy stored in the capacitor as shown in Fig. (a) is 4.5×10^{-6} J. If the battery is replaced by another capacitor of 900 pF as shown in Fig. (b), then the total energy of system is



- (a) $4.5 \times 10^{-6} \,\mathrm{J}$
- (b) $2.25 \times 10^{-6} \text{ J}$
- (c) zero
- (d) $9 \times 10^{-6} \text{ J}$



- 23. Equal amounts of a metal are converted into cylindrical wires of different lengths (L) and cross-sectional area (A). The wire with the maximum resistance is the one, which has
 - (a) length = Land area = A
 - (b) length = $\frac{L}{2}$ and area = 2A
 - (c) length = 2L and area = $\frac{A}{2}$
 - (d) all have the same resistance, as the amount of the metal is the same
- 24. If the force exerted by an electric dipole on a charge q at a distance of 1m is F, the force at a point 2m away in the same direction will be
 - (a) $\frac{F}{2}$
- (b) $\frac{F}{4}$
- (c) $\frac{F}{6}$
- (d) $\frac{F}{8}$
- 25. A solid sphere of radius R₁ and volume charge

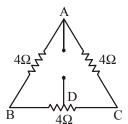
density $\rho = \frac{\rho_0}{r}$ is enclosed by a hollow sphere

of radius R_2 with negative surface charge density σ , such that the total charge in the system is zero. ρ_0 is a positive constant and r is the distance from the centre of the sphere. The ratio

$$\frac{R_2}{R_1}$$
 is

- (a) $\frac{\sigma}{\rho_0}$
- (b) $\sqrt{2\sigma/\rho_0}$
- (c) $\sqrt{\rho_0/(2\sigma)}$
- (d) $\frac{\rho_0}{\sigma}$
- 26. A solid spherical conductor of radius R has a spherical cavity of radius a (a < R) at its centre. A charge + Q is kept at the centre. The charge at the inner surface, outer surface and at a position r (a < r < R) are respectively
 - (a) +Q, -Q, 0
- (b) -Q, +Q, 0
- (c) 0, -Q, 0
- (d) +Q,0,0
- 27. A cylindrical capacitor has charge Q and length L. If both the charge and length of the capacitor are doubled, by keeping other parameters fixed, the energy stored in the capacitor
 - (a) remains same
 - (b) increases two times
 - (c) decreases two times
 - (d) increases four times

28. Three resistances of 4Ω each are connected as shown in figure. If the point D divides the resistance into two equal halves, the resistance between point A and D will be

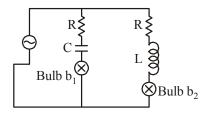


- (a) 12Ω
- (b) 6 Ω
- (c) 3 Ω
- (d) $\frac{1}{3}\Omega$
- 29. The resistance of a metal increases with increasing temperature because
 - (a) the collisions of the conducting electrons with the electrons increase
 - (b) the collisions of the conducting electrons with the lattice consisting of the ions of the metal increase
 - (c) the number of conduction electrons decreases
 - (d) the number of conduction electrons increases
- In the absence of applied potential, the electric current flowing through a metallic wire is zero because
 - (a) the electrons remain stationary
 - (b) the electrons are drifted in random direction with a speed of the order of 10⁻² cm/s
 - the electrons move in random direction with a speed of the order close to that of velocity of light
 - (d) electrons and ions move in opposite direction
- 31. A meter bridge is used to determine the resistance of an unknown wire by measuring the balance point length *l*. If the wire is replaced by another wire of same material but with double the length and half the thickness, the balancing point is expected to be
 - (a) $\frac{1}{80}$
- (b) $\frac{1}{4\ell}$
- (c) 8\ell
- (d) 16ℓ



- Identify the INCORRECT statement regarding a 32. superconducting wire
 - (a) transport current flows through its surface
 - (b) transport current flows through the entire area of cross-section of the wire
 - (c) it exhibits zero electrical resistivity and expels applied magnetic field
 - (d) it is used to produce large magnetic field
- 33. A sample of HCl gas is placed in an electric field 3×10⁴ NC⁻¹. The dipole moment of each HCl molecule is 6×10^{-30} cm. The maximum torque that can act on a molecule is
 - (a) $2 \times 10^{-34} \,\mathrm{C}^2 \mathrm{Nm}^{-1}$ (b) $2 \times 10^{-34} \,\mathrm{Nm}$

 - (c) $18 \times 10^{-26} \,\text{Nm}$ (d) $0.5 \times 10^{34} \,\text{C}^{-2} \,\text{Nm}^{-1}$
- When a metallic plate swings between the poles of a magnet
 - (a) no effect on the plate
 - (b) eddy currents are set up inside the plate and the direction of the current is along the motion of the plate
 - (c) eddy currents are set up inside the plate and the direction of the current oppose the motion of the plate
 - (d) eddy currents are set up inside the plate
- 35. When an electrical appliance is switched on, it responds almost immediately, because
 - (a) the electrons in the connecting wires move with the speed of light
 - (b) the electrical signal is carried by electromagnetic waves moving with the speed of light
 - the electrons move with the speed which is close to but less than speed of light
 - (d) the electrons are stagnant.
- Two identical incandescent light bulbs are connected as shown in the Figure. When the circuit is an AC voltage source of frequency f, which of the following observations will be correct?



- (a) both bulbs will glow alternatively
- (b) both bulbs will glow with same brightness provided frequency $f = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{(1/LC)}}$
- (c) bulb b₁ will light up initially and goes off, bulb b₂ will be ON constantly
- (d) bulb b₁ will blink and bulb b₂ will be ON constantly
- A transformer rated at 10 kW is used to connect 37. a 5kV transmission line to a 240V circuit. The ratio of turns in the windings of the transformer is
 - (a) 5
- (b) 20.8
- (c) 104
- (d) 40
- 38. Three solenoid coils of same dimension, same number of turns and same number of layers of winding are taken. Coil 1 with inductance L_1 was wound using a Mn wire of resistance $11 \Omega / m$; Coil 2 with inductance L_2 was wound using the similar wire but the direction of winding was reversed in each layer; Coil 3 with inductance L₃ was wound using a superconducting wire. The self inductance of the coils L_1 , L_2 , L_3 are
 - (a) $L_1 = L_2 = L_3$
- (b) $L_1 = L_2; L_3 = 0$
- (c) $L_1 = L_3$; $L_2 = 0$ (d) $L_1 > L_2 > L_3$
- Light travels with a speed of 2×10^8 m/s in crown glass of refractive index 1.5. What is the speed of light in dense flint glass of refractive index 1.8?
 - (a) $1.33 \times 10^8 \,\text{m/s}$
- (b) $1.67 \times 10^8 \,\text{m/s}$
- (c) $2.0 \times 10^8 \,\text{m/s}$
- (d) $3.0 \times 10^8 \,\text{m/s}$
- 40. A parallel beam of fast moving electrons is incident normally on a narrow slit. A screen is placed at a large distance from the slit. If the speed of the electrons is increased, which of the following statement is correct?
 - diffraction pattern is not observed on the screen in the case of electrons
 - (b) the angular width of the central maximum of the diffraction pattern will increase
 - the angular width of the central maximum will decrease
 - (d) the angular width of the central maximum will remain the same



PART - II (CHEMISTRY)

41.	$CH_3CH_3 + HNO_3 -$	675 K	,
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- (a) CH₃CH₂NO₂
- (b) $CH_3CH_2NO_2 + CH_3NO_2$
- (c) $2CH_3NO_2$
- (d) $CH_2 = CH_2$
- 42. When acetamide is hydrolysed by boiling with acid, the product obtained is:
 - (a) acetic acid
- (b) ethyl amine
- (c) ethanol
- (d) acetamide
- 43. Which will not go for diazotization?
 - (a) $C_6H_5NH_2$
- (b) $C_6H_5CH_2NH_2$
- $\begin{array}{ccc} \text{(c)} & \text{H}_2\text{N} \\ & \text{H}_3\text{C} \end{array} \hspace{-0.5cm} \begin{array}{c} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 \end{array}$
- (d) H_2N C_6H
- 44. Secondary nitroalkanes can be converted into ketones by using Y. Identify the Y from the following

$$\underset{R}{\overset{R}{\nearrow}} CHNO_2 + Y \xrightarrow{\qquad \qquad } \underset{R}{\overset{R}{\nearrow}} C = O$$

- (a) Aqueous HCl
- (b) Aqueous NaOH
- (c) KMnO₄
- (d) CO
- 45. Alkyl cyanides undergo Stephen reduction to produce
 - (a) aldehyde
- (b) secondary amine
- (c) primary amine
- (d) amide
- 46. The continuous phase contains the dispersed phase throughout, Example is
 - (a) Water in milk
 - (b) Fat in milk
 - (c) Water droplets in mist
 - (d) Oil in water
- 47. The number of hydrogen atoms present in 25.6 g of sucrose (C₁₂H₂₂O₁₁) which has a molar mass of 342.3 g is
 - (a) 22×10^{23}
- (b) 9.91×10^{23}
- (c) 11×10^{23}
- (d) 44×10^{23}
- 48. Milk changes after digestion into:
 - (a) cellulose
- (b) fructose
- (c) glucose
- (d) lactose
- 49. Which of the following sets consists only of essential amino acids?
 - (a) Alanine, tyrosine, cystine
 - (b) Leucine, lysine, tryptophane
 - (c) Alanine, glutamine, lycine
 - (d) Leucine, proline, glycine

- 50. Which of the following is ketohexose?
 - (a) Glucose
- (b) Sucrose
- (c) Fructose (d) Ribose The oxidation number of oxygen in KO₃, Na₂O₂ is
 - (a) 3,2
- (b) 1,0
- (c) 0, 1
- (d) -0.33, -1
- 52. Reaction of PCl₃ and PhMgBr would give
 - (a) bromobenzene
 - (b) chlorobenzene
 - (c) triphenylphosphine
 - (d) dichlorobenzene
- 53. Which of the following is not a characteristic of transition elements?
 - (a) Variable oxidation states
 - (b) Formation of colored compounds
 - (c) Formation of interstitial compounds
 - (d) Natural radioactivity
- 54. Cl P Cl bond angles in PCl₅ molecule are
 - (a) 120° and 90°
- (b) 60° and 90°
- (c) 60° and 120°
- (d) 120° and 30°
- 55. The magnetic moment of a salt containing Zn²⁺ ion is
 - (a) 0
- (b) 1.87 (d) 2
- (c) 5.92
- 56. The number of formula units of calcium flouride CaF₂ present in 146.4 g of CaF₂ are (molar mass of CaF₂ is 78.08 g/mol)
 - (a) $1.129 \times 10^{24} \text{ CaF}_2$ (b) $1.146 \times 10^{24} \text{ CaF}_2$
 - (c) $7.808 \times 10^{24} \text{CaF}_2$ (d) $1.877 \times 10^{24} \text{ CaF}_2$
- 57. The IUPAC name of the given compound

$$\lceil \text{Co(NH}_3)_5 \text{Cl} \rceil \text{Cl}_2 \text{ is}$$

- (a) pentaamino cobalt chloride chlorate
- (b) cobalt pentaamine chloro chloride
- (c) pentaamine chloro cobalt (III) chloride
- (d) pentaamino cobalt (III) chlorate
- 58. When SCN⁻ is added to an aqueous solution containing Fe(NO₃)₃, the complex ion produced is

(a)
$$\left[\text{Fe} \left(\text{OH}_2 \right)_2 \left(\text{SCN}^- \right) \right]^{2+}$$

(b)
$$\left[\text{Fe} \left(\text{OH}_2 \right)_5 \left(\text{SCN}^- \right) \right]^{2+}$$

(c)
$$\left[\text{Fe} \left(\text{OH}_2 \right)_8 \left(\text{SCN}^- \right) \right]^{2+}$$

(d)
$$\left[\text{Fe}(\text{OH}_2) \left(\text{SCN}^- \right) \right]^{6+}$$



- 59. Hair dyes contain
 - (a) copper nitrate
- (b) gold chloride
- (c) silver nitrate
- (d) copper sulphate
- Schottky defects occurs mainly in electrovalent compounds where
 - (a) positive ions and negative ions are of different size
 - positive ions and negative ions are of same
 - (c) positive ions are small and negative ions are big
 - (d) positive ions are big and negative ions are
- The number of unpaired electrons calculated in

$$\left\{ \text{Co}\big(\text{NH}_3\big)_6 \right\}^{3+}$$
 and $\left\{ \text{Co}\big(\text{F}_6\big) \right\}^{3-}$ are

- (b) 0 and 2
- (c) 2 and 4
- (d) 0 and 4
- The standard free energy change of a reaction is $\Delta G^{\circ} = -115 kJ$ at 298 K. Calculate the equilibrium constant k_p in $log k_p$

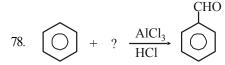
$$(R = 8.314 \text{ Jk}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}).$$
(a) 20.16 (b) 2.303

- (a) 20.16
- (c) 2.016
- If an endothermic reaction occurs spontaneously at constant temperature T and P, then which of the following is true?
 - (a) $\Delta G > 0$
- (b) $\Delta H < 0$
- (c) $\Delta S > 0$
- (d) $\Delta S < 0$
- 64. If a plot of $log_{10}C$ versus t gives a straight line for a given reaction, then the reaction is
 - (a) zero order
- (b) first order
- (c) second order
- (d) third order
- 65. A spontaneous process is one in which the system suffers:
 - (a) no energy change
 - (b) a lowering of free energy
 - (c) a lowering of entropy
 - (d) an increase in internal energy
- The half life period of a first order reaction is 1 min 40 secs. Calculate its rate constant.
 - (a) $6.93 \times 10^{-3} \,\mathrm{min^{-1}}$ (b) $6.93 \times 10^{-3} \,\mathrm{sec^{-1}}$
 - (c) 6.93×10^{-3} sec (d) 6.93×10^{3} sec
- The molar conductivities of KCl, NaCl and KNO₂ are 152, 128 and 111 S cm² mol⁻¹ respectively. What is the molar conductivity of NaNO₃?
 - (a) $101 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ (b) $87 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$
 - (c) $-101 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ (d) $-391 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$

- The electrochemical cell stops working after sometime because:
 - electrode potential of both the electrodes becomes zero
 - electrode potential of both the electrodes becomes equal
 - one of the electrodes is eaten away
 - (d) the cell reaction gets reversed
- The amount of electricity required to produce one mole of copper from copper sulphate solution will be
 - (a) 1 Faraday
- (b) 2.33 Faraday
- (c) 2 Faraday
- (d) 1.33 Faraday
- Dipping iron article into a strongly alkaline solution of sodium phosphate
 - (a) does not affect the article
 - (b) forms Fe_2O_3 . xH_2O on the surface
 - (c) forms iron phosphate film
 - (d) forms ferric hydroxide
- Hydroboration oxidation of 4-methyl-octene would give
 - (a) 4-methyl octanol
 - (b) 2-methyl decane
 - (c) 4-methyl heptanol
 - (d) 4-methyl-2-octanone
- When ethyl alcohol is heated with conc. H₂SO₄, the product obtained is:
 - (a) CH₂COOC₂H₅
 - (c) C_2H_6
- (d) C_2H_4
- Anisole is the product obtained from phenol by the reaction known as
 - (a) coupling
- (b) etherification
- (c) oxidation
- (d) esterification
- Ethylene glycol gives oxalic acid on oxidation with
 - (a) acidified K₂Cr₂O₇
 - (b) acidified KMnO₁
 - (c) alkaline KMnO₄
 - (d) periodic acid
- Diamond is hard because
 - all the four valence electrons are bonded to each carbon atoms by covalent bonds
 - (b) it is a giant molecule
 - (c) it is made up of carbon atoms
 - (d) it cannot be burnt
- A wittig reaction with an aldehyde gives
 - (a) ketone compound
 - (b) a long chain fatty acid
 - (c) olefin compound
 - (d) epoxide



- Cannizaro reaction is given by
 - (a) HCHO
- (b) CH₃COCH₃
- (c) CH₃CHO
- (d) CH₃CH₂OH



Identify the reactant

- (a) H₂O
- (b) HCHO
- (c) CO
- (d) CH₂CHO
- Maleic acid and Fumaric acids are
 - (a) Position Isomers (b) Geometric Isomers
 - (c) Enentiomers
- (d) Functional Isomers
- The gas evolved on heating alkali formate with soda-lime is
 - (a) CO
- (c) Hydrogen
- (d) water vapor

PART - III (MATHEMATICS)

If $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ be three unit vectors such that $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = \frac{1}{2}\vec{b}, \vec{b}$ and \vec{c} being non-parallel. If

 $\theta_{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$ is the angle between $\,\vec{a}\,$ and $\,\vec{b}\,$ and $\theta_{\scriptscriptstyle 2}$ is the angle between \vec{a} and \vec{c} , then

(a)
$$\theta_1 = \frac{\pi}{6}, \theta_2 = \frac{\pi}{3}$$
 (b) $\theta_1 = \frac{\pi}{3}, \theta_2 = \frac{\pi}{6}$

(c)
$$\theta_1 = \frac{\pi}{2}, \theta_2 = \frac{\pi}{3}$$
 (d) $\theta_1 = \frac{\pi}{3}, \theta_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$

- The equation $\vec{r}^2 2\vec{r}.\vec{c} + h = 0, |\vec{c}| > \sqrt{h}$, represents
 - (a) circle
- (b) ellipse
- (c) cone
- (d) sphere
- The simplified expression of $\sin(\tan^{-1} x)$, for any real number x is given by
 - (a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$ (b) $\frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$
 - (c) $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$ (d) $-\frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$
- 84. If $\left| \frac{z 25}{z 1} \right| = 5$, the value of |z|
- (c) 5
- (d) 6

- Argument of the complex number $\left(\frac{-1-3i}{2+i}\right)$ is
 - (a) 45°
- (c) 225°
- (d) 240°
- In a triangle ABC, the sides b and c are the roots 86. of the equation $x^2 - 61x + 820 = 0$ and

$$A = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{4}{3} \right)$$
, then a^2 is equal to

- (a) 1098
- (b) 1096
- (c) 1097
- (d) 1095
- The shortest distance between the straight lines through the points $A_1 = (6, 2, 2)$ and $A_2 = (-4, 0, -1)$, in the directions of (1, -2, 2) and (3, -2, -2) is
 - (a) 6
- (b) 8
- (c) 12
- (d) 9
- The center and radius of the sphere 88. $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 3x - 4z + 1 = 0$ are

(a)
$$\left(-\frac{3}{2},0,-2\right);\frac{\sqrt{21}}{2}$$

(b)
$$\left(\frac{3}{2},0,2\right);\sqrt{21}$$

(c)
$$\left(-\frac{3}{2},0,2\right);\frac{\sqrt{21}}{2}$$

(d)
$$\left(-\frac{3}{2},2,0\right);\frac{21}{2}$$

- Let A and B are two fixed points in a plane then locus of another point C on the same plane such that CA + CB = constant, (> AB) is
 - (a) circle
- (b) ellipse
- (c) parabola
- (d) hyperbola
- The directrix of the parabola $y^2 + 4x + 3 = 0$ is
 - (a) $x \frac{4}{3} = 0$ (b) $x + \frac{1}{4} = 0$

 - (c) $x \frac{3}{4} = 0$ (d) $x \frac{1}{4} = 0$
- If g(x) is a polynomial satisfying g(x)g(y) = g(x) + g(y) + g(xy) - 2

for all real x and y and g (2) = 5 then Lt $_{x \to 3}$ g(x) is

- (a) 9
- (b) 10
- (c) 25
- (d) 20



- 92. The value of f(0) so that $\frac{(-e^x + 2^x)}{x}$ may be continuous at x = 0 is
 - (a) $\log\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$
- (b) 0
- (c) 4
- (d) $-1 + \log 2$
- 93. Let [] denote the greatest integer function and $f(x) = [\tan^2 x]$. Then
 - (a) $\lim_{x\to 0} f(x)$ does not exist
 - (b) f(x) is continuous at x = 0
 - (c) f(x) is not differentiable at x = 0
 - (d) f(x) = 1
- 94. A spherical balloon is expanding. If the radius is increasing at the rate of 2 centimeters per minute, the rate at which the volume increases (in cubic centimeters per minute) when the radius is 5 centimetres is
 - (a) 10π
- (b) 100π
- (c) 200π
- (d) 50π
- 95. The length of the parabola $y^2 = 12x$ cut off by the latus-rectum is
 - (a) $6(\sqrt{2} + \log(1 + \sqrt{2}))$
 - (b) $3(\sqrt{2} + \log(1 + \sqrt{2}))$
 - (c) $6(\sqrt{2} \log(1 + \sqrt{2}))$
 - (d) $3\left(\sqrt{2} \log(1+\sqrt{2})\right)$
- 96. If $I = \int \frac{x^5}{\sqrt{1+x^3}} dx$, then I is equal to
 - (a) $\frac{2}{9}(1+x^3)^{\frac{5}{2}} + \frac{2}{3}(1+x^3)^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$
 - (b) $\log \left| \sqrt{x} + \sqrt{1 + x^3} \right| + C$
 - (c) $\log \left| \sqrt{x} \sqrt{1 + x^3} \right| + C$
 - (d) $\frac{2}{9}(1+x^3)^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{2}{3}(1+x^3)^{\frac{1}{2}} + C$

97. Area enclosed by the curve

$$\pi \left\lceil 4\left(x - \sqrt{2}\right)^2 + y^2 \right\rceil = 8 i_S$$

- (a) π
- (b) 2
- (c) 3π
- (d) 4
- 98. The value of $\int_{0}^{a} \sqrt{\frac{a-x}{x}} dx$ is
 - (a) $\frac{a}{2}$
- (b) $\frac{a}{4}$
- (c) $\frac{\pi a}{2}$
- (d) $\frac{\pi a}{4}$
- 99. Let y be the number of people in a village at time t. Assume that the rate of change of the population is proportional to the number of people in the village at any time and further assume that the population never increases in time. Then the population of the village at any fixed time t is given by
 - (a) $y = e^{kt} + c$, for some constants $c \le 0$ and $k \ge 0$
 - (b) $y = ce^{kt}$, for some constants $c \ge 0$ and $k \le 0$
 - (c) $y = e^{ct} + k$, for some constants c < 0 and k > 0
 - (d) $y = ke^{ct}$, for some constants c > 0 and k < 0
- 100. The differential equation of all straight lines touching the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ is

(a)
$$\left(y - \frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = a^2 \left[1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\right]$$

(b)
$$\left(y - x \frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = a^2 \left[1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\right]$$

(c)
$$\left(y - x\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = a^2 \left[1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)\right]$$

(d)
$$\left(y - \frac{dy}{dx}\right) = a^2 \left[1 - \frac{dy}{dx}\right]$$

- 101. The differential equation $\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right| + |y| + 3 = 0$
 - admits
 - (a) infinite number of solutions
 - (b) no solution
 - (c) a unique solution
 - (d) many solutions



102. Solution of the differential equation

$$xdy - ydx - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}dx = 0$$
 is

(a)
$$y - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = Cx^2$$

(b)
$$y + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = Cx^2$$

(c)
$$x + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = Cy^2$$

(d)
$$x - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = Cy^2$$

- 103. Let P, Q, R and S be statements and suppose that $P \to Q \to R \to P$. if $\sim S \to R$, then
 - (a) $S \rightarrow \sim Q$
- (b) $\sim Q \rightarrow S$
- (c) $\sim S \rightarrow \sim Q$
- (d) $Q \rightarrow \sim S$
- 104. In how many number of ways can 10 students be divided into three teams, one containing four students and the other three?
 - (a) 400
- (c) 1050
- (d) 2100
- 105. If R be a relation defined as a R b iff |a b| > 0, then the relation is
 - (a) reflexive (b) symmetric
 - (c) transitive
 - (d) symmetric and transitive
- 106. Let S be a finite set containing n elements. Then the total number of commutative binary operation on S is
- (c) $n^{(n^2)}$
- (d) $_{2}(n^{2})$
- 107. A manufacturer of cotter pins knows that 5% of his product is defective. He sells pins in boxes of 100 and guarantees that not more than one pin will be defective in a box. In order to find the probability that a box will fail to meet the guaranteed quality, the probability distribution one has to employ is
 - (a) Binomial
- (b) Poisson
- (c) Normal
- (d) Exponential
- 108. The probability that a certain kind of component

will survive a given shock test is $\frac{3}{4}$. The probability that exactly 2 of the next 4 components tested survive is

- 109. Mean and standard deviation of marks obtained in some particular subject by four classes are given below. Report the class with best performance
 - (a) 80, 18
- (b) 75,5
- (c) 80, 21
- (d) 76,7
- 110. A random variable X follows binomial distribution with mean α and variance β . Then
 - (a) $0 < \alpha < \beta$
- (b) $0 < \beta < \alpha$
- (c) $\alpha < 0 < \beta$
- (d) $\beta < 0 < \alpha$
- 111. The system of equations

$$x+y+z=0$$

$$2x+3y+z=0$$

$$x+2y=0$$

has

- (a) a unique solution; x = 0, y = 0, z = 0
- (b) infinite solutions
- (c) no solution
- (d) finite number of non-zero solutions

112.
$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & a \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix}^4 = 1$$
, then

- (a) a = 1 = 2b
- (b) a = b
- (c) $a = b^2$
- (d) ab = 1
- 113. If $D = \text{diag}(d_1, d_2, ..., d_n)$ where $d_1 \neq 0$, for i = 1, 2, ..., n, then D^{-1} is equal to
 - (a) D^T
 - (b) D
 - (c) Adj (D)
- (d) diag $(d_1^{-1}, d_2^{-1}, ... d_n^{-1})$ 114. If x, y, z are different from zero and

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a & b-y & c-z \\ a-x & b & c-z \\ a-x & b-y & c \end{vmatrix} = 0 \text{ then the value of}$$

the expression $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{v} + \frac{c}{z}$ is

- (a) 0
- (c) 1
- (d) 2
- 115. Probability of getting positive integral roots of the equation $x^2 - n = 0$ for the integer n, $1 \le n \le 40$



116. The number of real roots of the equation

$$x^4 + \sqrt{x^4 + 20} = 22$$
 is

- (c) 0
- (d) 1
- 117. Let α , β be the roots of the equation

 $x^{2} - ax + b = 0$ and $A_{n} = \alpha^{n} + \beta^{n}$. Then $A_{n+1} - aA_{n} + bA_{n-1}$ is equal to (a) -a (b) b

- 118. If the sides of a right-angle triangle form an A.P., the 'Sin' of the acute angles are
 - (a) $\left(\frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5}\right)$
 - (b) $\left(\sqrt{3}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$
 - (c) $\left(\sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}}, \sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}}\right)$
 - (d) $\left(\sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2}}, \sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2}}\right)$

119. The plane through the point (-1, -1, -1) and containing the line of intersection of the planes

$$\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0$$
 and $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 0$ is

- (a) $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} 3\hat{k}) = 0$
- (b) $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 0$
- (c) $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} 5\hat{k}) = 0$
- (d) $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) = 0$
- 120. $\vec{a} = \hat{i} \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ are one of the sides and medians respectively, of a triangle through the same vertex, then area of the triangle
 - (a) $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{83}$ (b) $\sqrt{83}$
 - (c) $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{85}$ (d) $\sqrt{86}$



SOLUTIONS

PART - I (PHYSICS)

1. (d) Two beams of light give rise to an interference pattern if they are coherent, they have same wavelength/frequency in same phase or having a constant phase difference and same state of polarisation.

Interference pattern can not be obtained if the two beams are not mono chromatic.

2. (b) By the theory of diffraction at a single slit, the width of the central maximum is given by

$$W = \frac{2D\lambda}{a} \Rightarrow W \propto D,$$

$$W \propto \lambda \text{ and } W \propto \frac{1}{a}$$

Therefore, to increase the width of the central maximum a should be decreased.

3. (b) R₁ and R₂ are the two rays considered for interference. R₁ is the result of reflection at denser medium; hence it suffers an additional

path difference of $\frac{\lambda}{2}$. Ray R_2 originates after reflection at narer medium.

Net path difference =
$$2\mu t + \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

where t is the thickness of the soap solution. For constructive interference,

$$2\mu t + \frac{\lambda}{2} = m\lambda$$
, where m = 0, 1, 2.....

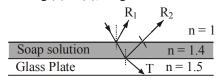
Let the two adjacent reflection maxima be observed at m and m-1. Then

$$2\mu t + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} = m\lambda_1$$

or
$$2\mu t = \left(m - \frac{1}{2}\right)\lambda_1$$
 ... (1)

Similarly,
$$2\mu t = \left(m - \frac{3}{2}\right)\lambda_2$$
 ...(2)

Solving (1) & (2), we get



$$2\mu t = \left(\frac{\lambda_2}{\frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1} - 1}\right)$$

Putting, $\lambda_1 = 420 \text{ nm}$, $\lambda_2 = 630 \text{ nm}$, $\mu = 1.4$ We get, t = 450 nm

4. (c) We have,

speed = frequency × wavelength Also, when a wave passes from one medium to the other, its frequency remains constant. ∴ speed ∞ wavelength

Therefore, when the speed of a wave doubles, its wavelength also doubles.

5. (c) Here,

Frequency,
$$v = 6 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$$

Work-function, $\phi = 2eV = 2 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$
= $3.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$

Maximum energy, T_{max} = ? By Einstein's photo electric equation, we have

$$hv = \phi + T_{max}$$

$$\Rightarrow T_{max} = hv - \phi$$

$$= (6.63 \times 10^{-34} \times 6 \times 10^{14}) - (3.2 \times 10^{-19})$$

$$= (3.97 \times 10^{-19}) - (3.2 \times 10^{-19})$$

$$= 0.77 \times 10^{-19} J$$

$$= \frac{0.77 \times 10^{-19}}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}} eV = 0.49 eV$$

(b) We have, $d \sin \varphi = n\lambda$

For
$$\phi = 90^{\circ}$$
 and $n = 1$, we get $d = \lambda$

But
$$\lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2meV}} = \sqrt{\frac{h^2}{2meV}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{(6.63 \times 10^{-34})^2}{2 \times 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times V}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1.5}{V} \times 10^{-9} \text{m}} \quad \therefore \text{d} = \sqrt{\frac{1.5}{V}} \times 10^{-9}$$
or $5 \times 10^{-10} = \sqrt{\frac{1.5}{V}} \times 10^{-9}$ or $0.5 = \sqrt{\frac{1.5}{V}}$
or $0.5 \times 0.5 = \frac{1.5}{V} \implies V = \frac{1.5}{0.5 \times 0.5} = 6V$



No option is matching with the exact answer. But 5V is approximately equal to the exact potential. Therefore, option (b) should be the correct option.

- 7. (b) Davison and Germer performed an experiment to prove that matter has a wave nature. The experiment was based on electron diffraction.
- (c) We have, $N_t = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{t}{T_1/2}}$,

 N_t = number of atoms present after time t N_0 = initial number of atoms $T_{1/2}$ = half life of the nuclide

$$\therefore \frac{N_t}{N_0} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{t}{T_{1/2}}} \quad \text{or } \frac{1}{16} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{2}{T_{1/2}}}$$

or
$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{2}{T_{1/2}}} \implies 4 = \frac{2}{T_{1/2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow T_{1/2} = \frac{2}{4} Hr = \frac{1}{2} Hr \quad \therefore T_{1/2} = 30 \text{ min.}$$

(c) Due to time dilation the interval between two events at the same point in a moving frame appears to be longer by a factor

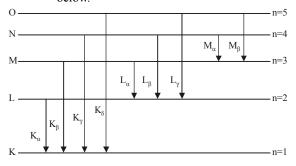
$$\gamma\!\!\left(\!\frac{1}{\sqrt{1\!-\!\frac{v^2}{c^2}}}\right)$$
 to an observer in a stationary

Time dilation is independent of the direction of velocity and depends only on its magnitude.

10. (c) The α - decay in the case of ²³⁴U takes place as follows:

$$^{234}_{92}$$
 U \longrightarrow $^{230}_{90}$ Th $+^{4}_{2}$ He

11. (a) When electron jumps from the level n = 2 to the level n = 1, K_{α} x - rays are emitted. Similarly, K_{β} x-rays are emitted when there is atransition of electron from the level n=3 to the level n = 1. X-ray spectra has been shown below.



(b) Let the number of α and β particles emitted be m and n respectively. Then

$$A-4m=A-8 \Rightarrow m=2$$

[: the mass number of a radioactive nuclide decreases by 4 due to emission of one α -

Again,

$$(Z-2m)+n=Z-3$$

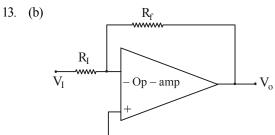
[: the atomic number decreases by 2 due toemission of 1 α -particle but increases by 1 due to emission of 1 β - particle]

or
$$-2m + n = -3$$

or
$$2m-n=3$$

or
$$(2 \times 2) - n = 3$$
 (: m=2)

$$\Rightarrow$$
 n = 1



For the Op-amp shown above, we have

$$\frac{V_o}{V_I} = -\frac{R_f}{R_I}$$

Comparing this circuit with the given one, We get $V_1 = 1V$, $R_f = 10k\Omega = 10 \times 10^3 \Omega$ $R_r = 1k\Omega = 1 \times 10^3 \Omega$

$$\therefore \frac{V_o}{1} = -\frac{10 \times 10^3}{1 \times 10^3} \Rightarrow V_o = -10 \text{ V}$$

14. (d) The solid is an n-type semiconductor. In an n-type semiconductor, the impurity is pentavalent which is also called the Donar impurity because one impurity atom generate one electron. The Donor energy level lies just below the conduction band as shown in the figure.

Conduction band	_
Donor levels	_
Valence band	_

15. (a) We have, $I_D = I_S(e^{V_D/V_T} - 1)$ where, $V_T = \frac{kT}{R}$



$$\therefore \left(\frac{I_D}{I_S} + 1\right) = e^{\left(\frac{V_0}{V_T}\right)} \text{ or } \ln\left(1 + \frac{I_D}{I_S}\right) = \frac{V_D}{nV_T}$$

$$\therefore V_D = nV_T \, ln \Bigg(1 + \frac{I_D}{I_S} \Bigg) \, = \, V_T \, ln \Bigg(1 + \frac{I_D}{I_S} \Bigg)$$

$$= V_T \, ln \! \left(\frac{I_{majority}}{I_S} \right)$$

Here,
$$n_e = (10^{17} - 10^{16}) \text{cm}^{-3}$$

= $10^{16} (10 - 1) \text{cm}^{-3} = 9 \times 10^{16} \text{cm}^{-3}$

We know that, $n_e \times n_h = n_i^2$

$$\therefore n_h = \frac{n_i^2}{n_e} = \frac{(1.4 \times 10^{10})^2}{9 \times 10^{16}} \text{cm}^3$$

Also,
$$\frac{I_{\text{majority}}}{I_{\text{S}}} \propto \frac{n_{e}}{n_{h}}$$

$$\therefore V_{D} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left[\frac{9 \times 10^{16}}{\frac{(1.4 \times 10^{10})^{2}}{9 \times 10^{16}}} \right]$$

$$=\frac{kT}{e}\ln(4\times10^{12})$$

 $=\frac{kT}{e}ln(4\times10^{12})$ 16. (c) Here, electric field, E = 10 6 V/mwidth of depletion region,

 $d = 2.5 \mu m = 2.5 \times 10^{-6} m$

.. Potential required for breakdown $(V) = Ed = (10^6 \times 2.5 \times 10^{-6}) V = 2.5 V$

Contact Potential = 1.0 V

- :. Reverse biased potential for zener breakdown = (2.5-1.0) V = 1.5 V
- (b) In a colpitt oscillator, the feed-back network consists of two capacitors and one inductor.
- (d) The reverse saturation of p-n diode depends on the doping concentrations, diffusion length and device temperature.
- 19. (a) Antenna length = $\frac{\lambda}{4} \propto \lambda$

 $\therefore \lambda \propto \frac{1}{\lambda}$ for cosntant velocity,

 \therefore Antenna length $\propto \frac{1}{...}$

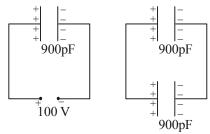
Here, $v_{AM} < v_{FM}$

:. Antenna length for AM should be longer than that of FM.

20. (a) The principle of communication using optical fibers is based on the principle of total internal reflection.



- 21. (d) According to quantization of charge, the charge of any system is an integral multiple of the charge of electron which is the least amount of charge on any system.
- (b) The charge on the capacitor when connected to the battery is given by



 $Q = CV = (900 \times 10^{-12} \,\text{F}) \times 100 \,\text{V} = 9 \times 10^{-8} \,\text{C}$ When the battery is replaced by another capacitor of 900 pF capacitance, the charge of 9×10^{-8} C is distributed on both. Let Q_1 and Q, be the charge on each of them.

$$\therefore Q = Q_1 + Q_2$$
= $C_1V + C_2V$, where V is the common potential.

or V =
$$\frac{Q}{C_1 + C_2}$$

As the two capacitors are in parallel, the equivalent capacitance is given by $C = C_1 + C_2$

 \therefore Total energy of the capacitors = $\frac{1}{2}$ CV²

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \left(C_1 + C_2\right) \times \frac{Q^2}{\left(C_1 + C_2\right)^2} = \frac{Q^2}{2(C_1 + C_2)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(9 \times 10^{-8}\right)^2}{2(900 \times 10^{-12} + 900 \times 10^{-12})}$$

$$=\frac{(9)^2 \times 10^{-16}}{2 \times 2 \times 9 \times 10^{-10}} = 2.25 \times 10^{-6} \,\mathrm{J}$$

23. (c) We know that $R = \rho \frac{l}{\Delta}$

$$\therefore \text{ For } l = L \text{ and } A = A; R_1 = \rho \frac{L}{A}$$

For
$$l = \frac{L}{2}$$
 and $A = 2A$;



$$R_2 = \rho \frac{\left(\frac{L}{2}\right)}{2A} = \frac{1}{4} \left(\rho \frac{L}{A}\right) = \frac{1}{4} R_1$$

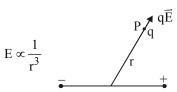
For
$$l = 2L$$
 and $A = \frac{A}{2}$;

$$R_3 = \rho \frac{2L}{\left(\frac{A}{2}\right)} = 4\left(\rho \frac{L}{A}\right) = 4R_1$$

Thus $R_3 > R_1 > R_2$ Therefore, the wire having length 2L and area

$$\frac{A}{2}$$
 has the maximum resistance.

24. (d) We know that the electric field at any point due to an electric dipole varies inversely with the cube of the distance of the point from the centre of the dipole, that is,



Also, force on a charge (q) is given by

$$F = qE \implies F \propto \frac{1}{r^3}$$

When the distance of the charge becomes 2m, i.e. double of its initial value, then new force (F') will become

$$F' = \frac{1}{(2)^3} \cdot F = \frac{F}{8}$$

25. (c) Let us first calculate the total charge on the soild sphere.

> Let us consider a concentric sphere of radius r and thickness dr.

> Then volume of the sphere, $dV = 4\pi r^2 dr$ Given, the volume charge density of the

sphere =
$$\rho = \frac{\rho_0}{r}$$



:. Charge on this sphere,

$$dQ = \rho.dV = \frac{\rho_0}{r}.4\pi r^2 dr = 4\pi \rho.r dr.$$

:. Total charge on the whole solid sphere,

$$Q_{s} = \int_{0}^{R_{1}} dQ = 4\pi \rho_{0} \int_{0}^{R_{1}} r dr$$

$$= 4\pi\rho_0 \frac{R_1^2}{2} = 2\pi\rho_0 R_1^2$$

$$\therefore Q_S = 2\pi\rho_0 R_1^2 \qquad ...(1)$$

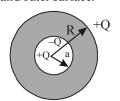
Now, the total charge on the hollow sphere,

Vow, the total energy of
$$Q_h = -(4\pi R_2^2) \sigma$$

By question, $Q_s + Q_h = 0$
 $\Rightarrow 2\pi \rho_0 R_1^2 = 4\pi R_2^2 \sigma$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{R_2}{R_1}\right)^2 = \frac{\rho_0}{2\sigma} \Rightarrow \frac{R_2}{R_1} = \sqrt{\frac{\rho_0}{2\sigma}}$$

(b) A charge Q will be induced on the inner 26 surface of the solid spherical conductor. An equal but opposite charge will be induced on the outer surface of the conductor. There will be no charge at a position between the inner and outer surface.



(b) The energy stored in a capacitor is given by

$$E = \frac{Q^2}{2C}$$

Here,
$$C = \frac{2\pi \in_0 L}{\ln\left(\frac{R_2}{R_1}\right)}$$
, where

L = length of the cylindrical conductor

 $R_1 = inner radius$ $R_2 = outer radius$

$$\therefore C \propto L \implies E \propto \frac{Q^2}{L}$$

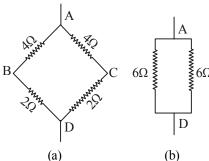
When both Q and L are doubled, by keeping other parameters fixed, the energy stored (E') becomes

$$E' \propto \frac{(2Q)^2}{2I}$$

$$\propto \frac{2Q^2}{I}$$



(c) Redrawing the figure, we get



The 4Ω and 2Ω resistors are in series and the same is the case with another 4Ω and 2Ω resistors. So, the four resistors are equivalent to following two resistors.

Now, in fig (b) these two 6Ω resistors are in parallel.

∴ Equivalent resistance,
$$R = \frac{6 \times 6}{6 + 6} = \frac{36}{12}$$

= 3Ω.

- 29. (b) In a conductor, the charge carriers are electrons. As the temperature is increased, the collisions of these conduction electrons with the fixed ions of the lattice of the metal increases and hence the resistance of the conductor also increases.
- 30. (b) If there is no potential difference through a metallic wire, the current is zero because the electrons drift in a random direction with a speed of the order of 10⁻² cm/s so that the net charge crossing a particular cross-section in a given time is zero.
- If the wire is replaced by another wire of same 31. material but with double the length and half the thickness, the resistance of the wire as a whole will change. Let us calculate this

Initial resistance,
$$R = \rho \frac{L}{A} = \rho \frac{L}{\pi r^2}$$

Fubak resistance, R'=
$$\rho \frac{2L}{A'} = \rho \frac{2L}{\pi \left(\frac{r}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$=\rho\frac{8L}{\pi r^2}=8\bigg(\rho\frac{L}{\pi r^2}\bigg)\!=\!8R$$

Therefore, the resistance will increase by eight times.

In a meter-bridge, we have

$$\frac{R}{S} = \frac{l}{100 - l}$$

where R = unknown resistorS = known resistor

l =balancing length

$$\therefore l = \frac{100R}{S + R}$$

When the resistance of the new wire is 8R then the new balancing length will be

$$l = \frac{100 \times 8R}{S + 8R} = \frac{100 \times 8R}{(S + R) + 7R}$$

$$= \frac{100 \times 8R}{\left(\frac{100R}{l}\right) + 7R} \quad \therefore l' = \frac{800l}{100 + 7l}.$$

No option is correct

The transport current flows through the surface of the superconducting wire and not through the entire area of cross-section of the wire.

33. (c) Here,
$$E = 3 \times 10^4 \text{ NC}^{-1}$$

 $p = 6 \times 10^{-30} \text{ Cm}$
 $\Gamma_{\text{max}} = ?$

We have,

torque acting on a dipole $\Gamma = pE \sin\theta$

The maximum value of
$$\Gamma$$
, i.e. $\Gamma_{max} = pE$

$$\therefore \Gamma_{max} = (3 \times 10^4 \times 6 \times 10^{-30}) \text{ Nm}$$

$$= 18 \times 10^{-26} \text{ Nm}$$

- 34. (c) When a metallic plate swings between the poles of a magnet, eddy currents are set up inside the plate. These currents set up their own magnetic field which opposes the magnetic field of the poles. Thus, the direction of the current opposes the motion of the plate.
- 35. (b) When an electrical appliance is switched on, the electrons in the conducting wires move with their drift speed which is very less than the speed of light. But as soon as the switch is on, an electromagnetic wave is set up inside the conductor and the electrical signal is carried by them. The speed of electromagnetic wave is, of course, equal to the speed of light and hence the appliance responds almost immediately after the switch is made on.
- The circuit shown is a parallel resonant

circuit. The frequency is $f = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{LC}}$ at



resonance. Also, at resonance, the capacitative reactance is equal to the inductive reactance. Therefore, equal current will flow through both the bulbs b_1 and b_2 . So, both will glow with same brightness.

37. (b) In a transformer, the ratio of turns in the windings is given by

$$\frac{N_{P}}{N_{S}} = \frac{V_{P}}{V_{S}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{N_{P}}{N_{S}} = \frac{5kV}{240V} = \frac{5000V}{240V} = 20.8$$

38. (a) Self-inductance (L) of a solenoid = $\frac{\mu_0 N^2 A}{l}$

where μ_0 = absolute permittivily of space/air

N = number of turns in the coil A = area of cross-section of the solenoid

l =length of solenoid.

This expression shows that for all three solenoids, the self-inductances will be equal.

39. (b) We know that the refractive index of a medium is given by

$$\mu = \frac{c_o}{c}$$

Where c = velocity of light in the medium $c_o = velocity$ of light in vacuum For crown glass,

$$1.5 = \frac{c_0}{2 \times 10^8} \qquad ...(1)$$

For flint glass, $1.8 = \frac{c_0}{c}$...(2)

Dividing (2) by (1), we get $\frac{2 \times 10^8}{c} = \frac{1.8}{1.5}$

or
$$c = \frac{1.5 \times 2 \times 10^8}{1.8} \, \text{m/s} = 1.67 \times 10^8 \, \text{m/s}$$

40. (c) Fast moving electrons create electromagnetic waves. So, the diffraction pattern will be observed. Also, the angular width of the central maximum is given by

$$W = \frac{2\lambda}{a}$$
, where $a = width of the slit$

 λ = wavelength of the light. When the speed of electrons will increase, the frequency will increase which will result in decreasing the wavelength as the speed of light is a constant. Therefore, the angular width will decrease.

PART - II (CHEMISTRY)

41. (b) Aliphatic nitro compounds are prepared by vapour phase nitration of alkanes at 693-793K, under pressure. Alkanes though less reactive do undergo nitration to give a mixture of nitro alkanes resulting through cleavage of carbon-carbon bond alongwith oxidation product like CO₂, NO₂, H₂O etc.

$$CH_3CH_3 + HNO_3 \xrightarrow{675K} CH_3CH_2NO_2 + \\ (fuming) \xrightarrow{(80\%)}$$

42. (a) Amides are hydrolysed rapidly by acids to produce carboxylic acid and ammonium salt;

$$RCONH_2 \xrightarrow{H_3O^+} RCOOH + NH_4^+$$

Hence acetamide will give acetic acid on hydrolysis.

- 43. (b) Diazotisation reactions are shown by primary aromatic amine only as the arene diazonium salt formed is stable at 273-278 K. Compound C₆H₅CH₂NH₂ is not an aromatic amine, hence will not give the test/reaction.
- (a) Secondary nitro alkanes upon hydrolysis with boiling HCl gives a ketone & nitrous oxide.

$$2R_2CHNO_2 \xrightarrow{HCl} 2R_2CO + N_2O + H_2O$$

45. (a) Stephen reduction is partial reduction of alkyl or aryl cyanides to give corresponding aldehydes with a suspension of anhydrous stannous chloride in ether.

$$SnCl_2 + 2HCl \longrightarrow SnCl_4 + 2[H]$$

$$CH_3C \equiv N + 2[H] + HCl$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Ether}} \text{CH}_3\text{CH} = \text{NH.HCl}$$
diamine hydrochloride

$$\frac{\text{hydrolysis}}{\text{boiling H}_2\text{O}} \cdot \text{CH}_3\text{CHO} + \text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$$

46. (a) In a colloidal system, the substance present in large amount in the mixture is called the dispersed medium & the solute is called dispersed phase. In case of milk and water solution the dispersed phase is milk protein & fat and water is dispersed medium.



47. (b) No. of moles of a compound

$$= \frac{\text{given mass (gm)}}{\text{Molar mass (gm)}}$$

i.e.
$$\frac{25.6}{342.3} = 0.0748$$
 moles.

1 mole of sucrose (C $_{12}\rm{H}_{22}\rm{O}_{11}$) contains 6.022×10^{23} molecules of it.

Hence 0.0748 moles contains

$$= 6.022 \times 10^{23} \times 0.0748$$

= 0.4504×10^{23} molecules.

1 molecule of sucrose by formula is having 22 atoms of hydrogen.

∴
$$0.4504 \times 10^{23} \times 10^{23} \times 22 = 9.91 \times 10^{23}$$
 atoms of hydrogen.

- 48. (c) Milk contains lactose as milk sugar. After digestion of milk lactose is broken down by enzymes lactase to form glucose and galactose before it enter the blood stream.
- 49. (b) Out of 20 amino acids, the 10 amino acids which human body cannot synthesize are called essential amino acids. The ten essential amino acids are:
 - 1) Valine 2) Leucine 3) Isolucine 4) Histidine 5) Phenylanaline 6) Methionine 7) Tryptophan 8) Lysine 9) Arginine 10) Threonine.
- 50. (c) Among the given examples, glucose is an alcohexose, sucrose is a disaccharide, fructose is a ketohexose while ribose is a aldopentose.
- 51. (d) To find the oxidation number of a given compound we have to equate the charge on the overall compound with the charge on individual atom of which the compound is made of.

In KO₃. K is an alkali metal. hence its oxidation number is +1.

$$(+1) + 3 \times (x) = 0$$
 or $x = \frac{-1}{3} \approx -0.33$

hence oxidation number of oxygen i.e. x = -0.33.

In Na₂ O₂, again Na is an alkali metal. Hence $2 \times (+1) + 2 \times x = 0$

$$x = \frac{-2}{2} = -1$$

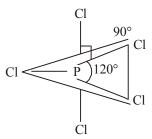
52. (c) In a reaction the alkyl part of grignard reagent acts as a nucleophile as carbon is more electronegative than magnesium. Hence the alkyl part will get attached to the electron deficient species.

In PCl₃, chlorine is more electronegative than phosphorous.

Hence the Ph⁻ will attack the phosphorous in PCl₃ to form organic phosphine with formula Ph₃P.

- 53. (d) Transition elements or d-block elements have variable oxidation states, they form coloured compounds because of partially filled dorbitals and also because of small size they form interstitial compounds. They are stable elements and does not show radio activity.
- 54. (a) In PCl₅, phosphorous undergoes sp³d hybridization and has trigonal bipyramidal geometry. It has two axial chlorine atoms & three equatorial chlorine atoms bonded to the central P.

Hence bond angles for axial are 90°, Cl–P–Cl & for equatorial Cl–P–Cl it is 120°.



55. (a) Magnetic moment of a salt depends upon the number of unpaired d-electrons. In Zn²⁺ salt configuration of cation is 4s⁰3d¹⁰. Hence total no. of unpaired electron, n is zero. So magnetic moment i.e.

$$B.M. = \sqrt{n(n+2)} = 0.$$

56. (a) Formula unit = no. of molecules of CaF_2 .

Moles =
$$\frac{\text{mass in gm}}{\text{molar mass}} = \frac{146.4 \text{ gm}}{78.08 \text{ gm}} = 1.875$$

Molecules = Mole × 6.022 × 10²³
= 1.875 × 6.022 × 10²³
= 1.129 × 10²⁴ units of CaF₂

57. (c) For writing IUPAC name of a co-ordination compound we first write the name of (+) ive complex here. [Co(NH₃)₅Cl]²⁺

The names of ligands will come first in alphabatical order, followed by metal ion with its oxidation state written in bracket or parentheis in Roman number i.e. Co (III) here. IUPAC name for cationic complex

→ Pentaamine chloro cobalt (III). This will follow the name of anion with a gap. i.e. Pentaamine chloro cobalt (III) chloride.



- (b) Fe (III) ion from ferric nitrate will react with thiocyanate, SCN- ion to form a blood red complex i.e. FeSCN²⁺. But in presence of water it forms a complex containing five water molecules. i.e. $[Fe(H_2O)_5(SCN^-)]^{2+}$.
- 59. (c) Silver nitrate has been used since the begining of nineteenth century to dye hair. Silver salts darken when exposed to light and silver combines with protein yeilding a dark coloured proteinate.
- 60. (b) Schottky defect is generally shown by compounds which have ionic nature and small difference in the size of cations & anions.

In this defect equal no. of cations & anions

hence it forms an outer orbital complex with

- is found missing from their lattice sites.

 61. (d) In $[Co(NH_3)_6]^{3+}$ and $\{CoF_6\}^{3-}$ both the oxidation state of cobalt ion is +3. In first case NH₃ is the neutral ligand which is a strong field ligand. hence the electrons in Co (+III) i.e. $4s^03d^6$ get paired to form inner orbital complex. Hence no unpaired electron. On the other hand F⁻ is a weak field ligand
- 4 unpaired electrons. 62. (a) $\Delta G^{\circ} = -115 \text{ kJ at } 298 \text{ K}.$ Now, $\Delta G^{\circ} = -2.303 \text{ RT log k}_{p}$ $R = 8.314 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1} \& T = 298 \text{K}.$

$$\log k_p = \frac{-115 \times 10^3}{-2.303 \times 8.314 \times 298} = 20.155$$
$$= 20.16$$

 $\Delta G^{\circ} = -2.303 \times 8.314 \times 298 \times \log k_{p}$

- 63. (c) For a reaction to take place spontaneously the value of ΔG must be negative i.e. $\Delta G < 0$. Now, $\Delta G = \Delta H - T \Delta S$. As the reaction is endothermic, so value of ΔH must be positive, i.e. $\Delta H > 0$. Hence to have a negative ΔG . $\Delta H < T \Delta S$. As T & P are constant. $T\Delta S$ must be positive to give the total value a negative sign.
- Hence $\Delta S > 0$. 64. (b) Any first order reaction follows the equation

$$log [A] = \frac{-k}{2.303}t + log [A]_o$$
∴ it resembles equation of straight line $y = mx + C$
 $y = log [A] i.e. log_{10} C$

$$m = \frac{-k}{2.303}$$
 if $x = t & C = log [A]_0$

hence the plot is for a 1st order reaction.

- (b) The driving forces which are responsible for a process to be spontaneous are:
 - i) Tendency for minimizing energy
 - ii) Tendency for maximum randomness. i.e. maximum entropy
- 66. (b) For 1st order reaction.

$$t_{1/2}(\text{half life time}) = \frac{0.693}{K}$$

Hence K =
$$\frac{0.693}{t^{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{(60+40)\sec} = 0.693 \times 0.693$$

$$10^{-2} \, \text{sec}^{-1} = 6.93 \times 10^{-3} \, \text{sec}^{-1}$$

67. (b) Since NaNO₃ is formed by the reaction $Nacl + KNO_3 \rightarrow NaNO_3 + KCl$ hence, using Kohlrausch's law

$$\overset{\circ}{\wedge}_{m_{NaNO_3}} = \overset{\circ}{\wedge}_{NaC1} + \overset{\circ}{\wedge}_{KNO_3} - \overset{\circ}{\wedge}_{KC1}$$

$$= 128 + 111 - 152 = 87 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

(c) As we know that 68.

$$\Delta E_{\text{cell}} = E_{\text{cathode}} - E_{\text{anode}}$$
when $E_{\text{cathode}} = E_{\text{anode}}$

$$\Delta E_{\text{cell}} = 0$$
If $\Delta E_{\text{cell}} = 0$, no per recovery

no net reaction occurs. The reactants and products are at equilibrium and no current will flow.

Note that it is only possible to obtain electrical work from a system that is not at equilibrium. In order for current to flow, there must be a net reaction occurring. As the oxidation- reduction reaction proceeds toward equilibrium, and the concentrations of the reacting species approach their equilibrium values, the EMF of the cell decreases to zero. When the system is at equilibrium, the cell potential is zero and we have a dead battery.

- 69. (c) In CuSO₄ solution, oxidation state of Cu is +2. Hence one mole of copper sulphate will require charge equal to two moles of electrons to form metallic Cu. Mole charge = IF. Hence 2 Faraday is required.
- 70. (c) Rusting of iron is generally promoted in an acidic aqueous medium. Alkaline medium prevents availability of H⁺ ions. Sodium phosphate will cause formation of a protective film of iron phosphate on the iron preventing rusting. These solutions are used in car radiators to prevent rusting of iron parts.



71. (a) Hydroboration-oxidation of alkenes give alcohols containing same number of carbon atoms. The addition follow anti-Markowi Koff's rule. Boron atom act as an electrophile. Main two steps re involved. Reagent used BH₃ & NaOH/H₂O₂.

$$3H_{3}C - C - C - C - C - C - C - C - C = CH_{2} + BH_{3}$$

$$H \quad H \quad H \quad H \quad H \quad H$$

$$4 - \text{methyl octene}$$

$$\xrightarrow{}$$
 R $_3$ B where R=4-methyl octyl

$$\xrightarrow{\text{H}_2\text{O}_2} \text{3CH}_3 (\text{CH}_2)_3 - \text{CH} - (\text{CH}_2)_3 - \text{OH}$$

$$\text{Me}$$

$$\text{4-Methyloctanol}$$

 (d) Ethyl alcohol on treating with conc. H₂SO₄ undergoes dehydration to form alkene i.e. ethylene

$$C_2H_5OH \xrightarrow{Conc} C_2H_4 + H_2O$$

$$QCH_3$$

73. (b) Anisole is O, Phenyl methyl ether. It can be prepared by treating phenol first with a base like NaOH to form phenoxide ion. The phenoxide ion will then substitute the halide of an R-X molecule, to form methyl phenyl ether.

$$C_6H_5ONa + CH_3 - Cl \rightarrow CH_3 - O - C_6H_5$$
Anisole

 (c) Alkaline Potassium permanganate is a strong oxidising agent. It oxidises ethylene glycol to oxalic acid.

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_2\text{OH} \\ | \\ \text{CH}_2\text{OH} \\ \text{Ethylene} \\ \text{glycol} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\text{alk.}} \begin{array}{c} \text{COOH} \\ | \\ \text{COOH} \\ \text{acid} \end{array}$$

75. (a) In the structure of diamond each carbon atom in sp³ hybridised & is covalently bonded with four other carbon atom held at the corners of a regular tetrahedron by covalent bonds. This results in a very big three dimensional polymeric structure in which C – C distance is 154 pm and bond angle is 109.5°. Owing to very strong covalent bonds by which atoms are held to gether diamond is the hardest substance known.

76. (c) The witting reaction is a chemical reaction of an aldehyde or ketone with triphenyl phosphonium ylide to give an alkene and triphenyl phosphine oxide.

Triphenyl phosphine oxide.

$$C = O + (C_6 H_5)_3 P = C$$

$$OR$$

$$C(C_6 H_5)_3 P^+ - \overline{C}$$

$$Phosphorus ylide$$

$$R'$$

$$C = C < R$$

$$R' + O = P(C_6 H_5)_3$$

$$Triphenyl phosphin oxide$$

77. (a) Cannizaro's reaction is for those aldehydes which does not contain α- hydrogen atom. This is also called self oxidation - reduction reaction. Among the given carbonyl compounds only HCHO does not have α-hydrogen.

78. (c)
$$O + CO \xrightarrow{AlCl_3} O$$

When a mixture of CO and HCl gas is passed through benzene in presence of catalyst consisting anhydrous AlCl₃, benzaldehyde is formed.

$$CO + HCl \rightarrow HOCl$$
 formyl chloride

$${\rm C_6H_6 + HOCl} \xrightarrow{\quad AlCl_3 \quad} {\rm C_6H_5CHO + HCl}$$

79. (b) Maleic acid & fumaric acid are both the isomers of butene dioic acid. Maleic acid is the cis isomer & fumaric is the trans-isomer.

80. (c) Alkali formate i.e. HCOONa with soda-lime i.e. NaOH + CaO will react to give Na₂CO₃ and hydrogen gas is liberated.

$$\mathsf{HCOONa} + \mathsf{NaOH} \xrightarrow{\quad \mathsf{CaO} \quad} \mathsf{Na_2CO_3} + \mathsf{H_2} \uparrow$$



PART - III (MATHS)

81. (c)
$$\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = \frac{1}{2}\vec{b}$$

$$(\vec{a}.\vec{c})\vec{b} - (\vec{a}.\vec{b})\vec{c} = \frac{1}{2}\vec{b}$$
 [Vector triple product]

$$(\left|\vec{a}\right|.\left|\vec{c}\right|\cos\theta_2)\vec{b} - (\left|\vec{a}\right|.\left|\vec{b}\right|\cos\theta_1)\vec{c} = \frac{1}{2}\vec{b}$$

$$[\because |\vec{a}| |\vec{b}| = |\vec{c}| = 1]$$

Equating the coefficients of \vec{b} and \vec{c} on both sides, we get

$$\cos \theta_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$
 and $-\cos \theta_1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta_2 = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ and } \cos \theta_1 = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta_2 = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ and } \theta_1 = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

82. (d) Vector equation of a sphere in central form with centre having position vector \vec{c} and radius R is

$$\left| \vec{r} - \vec{c} \right| = R \implies \left| \vec{r} - \vec{c} \right|^2 = R^2$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $(\vec{r} - \vec{c}) \cdot (\vec{r} - \vec{c}) = R^2$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{r} \cdot \vec{r} - \vec{r} \cdot \vec{c} - \vec{c} \cdot \vec{r} + \vec{c} \cdot \vec{c} = R^2$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $|\vec{r}|^2 - 2(\vec{r}.\vec{c}) + |\vec{c}|^2 = R^2$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{r}|^2 - 2(\vec{r}.\vec{c}) + |\vec{c}|^2 - R^2 = 0$$

If
$$h = |\vec{c}|^2 - R^2$$
 i.e. $|\vec{c}| > \sqrt{h}$, then

$$\left|\vec{\mathbf{r}}\right|^2 - 2(\vec{\mathbf{r}}.\vec{\mathbf{c}}) + \mathbf{h} = 0$$

Hence, the given equation represents a sphere.

83. (b) Let
$$\tan^{-1} x = \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta} = \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(1-\sin^2\theta) = \sin^2\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \sin^2 \theta (1 + x^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \theta = \frac{x^2}{1+x^2} \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} x = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

Now,
$$\sin(\tan^{-1}x) = \sin\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}\right)$$

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

84. (c) Given that

$$\left| \frac{z - 25}{z - 1} \right| = 5 \Rightarrow \left| Z - 25 \right| = 5 \left| Z - 1 \right|$$

Let
$$Z = x + iy$$
, then

$$|x + iy - 25| = 5|x + iy - 1|$$

$$\Rightarrow |(x-25)+iy|=5|(x-1+iy)|$$

Squaring both sides, we get $(x-25)^2 + y^2 = 25 \{(x-1)^2 + y^2\}$

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

 $\Rightarrow x^2 - 50x + 625 + y^2$

$$= 25x^2 - 50x + 25 + 25y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 24x^2 + 24y^2 - 600 = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 25 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x² + y² - 25 = 0

$$\Rightarrow$$
 |x + iy|²= 25 \Rightarrow |Z|² = 5²

$$\Rightarrow |Z| = 5$$

85. (c) We have,

$$\frac{-1-3i}{2+i} = \frac{-1-3i}{2+i} \times \frac{2-i}{2-i} = \frac{-2-5i+3i^2}{4-i^2}$$

$$=-1-i$$

Now, let us put $-1 = r \cos\theta$, $-1 = r \sin\theta$

Squaring and adding, $r^2 = 2$ i.e., $r = \sqrt{2}$

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

Therefore, $\theta = 225^{\circ}$

Thus, argument is 225°.

86. (c) Since b and C are the roots of $x^2 - 61x + 820 = 0$, so

$$b + c = 61$$
, $bc = 820$

$$A = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{3}\right) \Rightarrow \tan A = \frac{4}{3} \Rightarrow \cos A = \frac{3}{5}$$

Now, using the formula,

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



$$\Rightarrow a^{2} = b^{2} + c^{2} - 2bc \cos A$$

$$= (b + c)^{2} - 2bc - 2bc \cos A$$

$$= (b + c)^{2} - 2bc (1 + \cos A)$$

$$= (61)^{2} - 2 \times 820 \left(1 + \frac{3}{5}\right)$$

$$= 3721 - 2624 = 1097$$

87. (d) Equation of first line,

$$\frac{x-6}{1} = \frac{y-2}{-2} = \frac{z-2}{2} = k(say)$$

$$\therefore x = k+6, y = -2k+2, z = 2k+2$$
Hence, general point on the first line, $P = (k+6, -2k+2, 2k+2)$
Equation of second line,

$$\frac{x+4}{3} = \frac{y}{-2} = \frac{Z+1}{-2} = l \quad \text{(say)}$$

$$\therefore x = 3l-4, y = -2l, z = -2l-1$$
Hence, general point on the second line,
$$Q = (3l-4, -2l, -2l-1)$$
Direction ratios of PQ are

$$3l-4-k-6$$
, $-2l+2k-2$, $-2l-1-2k-2$
i.e. $3l-k-10$, $-2l+2k-2$, $-2l-2k-3$
Now $|PQ|$ will be the shortest distance

between the two lines if PQ is perpendicular to both the lines. Hence,

$$1(3l-k-10)+(-2)$$

 $(-2l+2k-2)+2(-2l-2k-3)=0$
and $3(3l-k-10)+(-2)(-2l+2k-3)=0$
 $+2k-2)+(-2)(-2l-2k-3)=0$
i.e. $3l-9k=12$ or $l-3k=4$...(i)
and $17l-3k=20$...(ii)
Subtracting equation (i) from (ii), we get
 $16l=16$.: $l=1$
Putting this value of 1 in equation (i), we get

Putting this value of I in equation (1), we get -3k=3, $\therefore k=-1$

$$P = (-1+6, -2(-1)+2, 2(-1)+2)$$

= (5, 4, 0)

Similarly, Q = (-1, -2, -3)

Hence, shortest distance, PQ,

$$= \sqrt{(-1-5)^2 + (-2-4)^2 + (-3-0)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-6)^2 + (-6)^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{36+36+9}$$
= 9 units

88. (c) Since the centre and radius of the sphere
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2ux + 2vy + 2wz + d = 0$$
 are $(-u, -v, -w)$ and $\sqrt{u^2 + v^2 + w^2 - d}$ respectively. So, for the sphere

$$x^{2} + y^{2} + z^{2} + 3x - 4z + 1 = 0,$$
Centre $\equiv \left(-\frac{3}{2}, 0, 2\right)$, and
$$Radius = \sqrt{\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)^{2} + 0^{2} + (2)^{2} - 1}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{9}{4} + 4 - 1} = \frac{\sqrt{21}}{2}$$

89. (b) Let two fixed points be A (ae, 0) and B (-ae, 0). Let C (x, y) be a moving point such that AC + CB = constant = 2a (say)

i.e. ,
$$\sqrt{(x-ae)^2+(y-0)^2}$$

$$+\sqrt{(x+ae)^2+(y-0)^2}=2a$$
 Or $\sqrt{x^2+y^2+a^2e^2-2aex}$

$$+\sqrt{x^2+y^2+a^2e^2+2aex} = 2a$$
 ...(1)

Or
$$l+m=2a$$
 ...(2)

Where,
$$l^2 = x^2 + y^2 + a^2e^2 - 2aex$$
 ...(3)

and
$$m^2 = x^2 + y^2 + a^2e^2 + 2aex$$
 ...(4)

From, (3) and (4)

or
$$m^2 - l^2 = 4aex$$

or $(m-l)(l+m) = 4aex$
 $2a(m-l) = 4aex$ [From (2)]

$$m-l=2ex$$
 ...(5)
Adding (2) and (5), we get

Adding (2) and (5), we get m=a+ex ...(6)

From (4) and (6),

$$a^{2} + e^{2} x^{2} + 2aex = x^{2} + y^{2} + a^{2}e^{2} + 2aex$$

 $\Rightarrow x^{2} (1 - e^{2}) + y^{2} = a^{2} (1 - e^{2})$

Dividing both sides by $a^2(1-e^2)$, we get

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

Or
$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$
, where $b^2 = a^2 (1 - e^2)$

This is the equation of ellipse.

90. (d) The equation of the parabola is

$$y^2 + 4x + 3 = 0$$

or
$$y^2 = -4\left(x + \frac{3}{4}\right)$$
 ...(1)

The directrix of the parabola
$$Y^2 = -4aX$$
 ... (2) is $X = a$.



On comparing the equation (1) and (2), we

get
$$4a = 4$$
 and $X = x + \frac{3}{4}$

or
$$a = 1$$
 and $X = x + \frac{3}{4}$

Hence the directrix of the parabola (1) is

$$x + \frac{3}{4} = 1$$
 or $x - \frac{1}{4} = 0$.

91. (b)
$$g(x). g(y) = g(x) + g(y) + g(xy) - 2 ...(1)$$

Put $x = 1, y = 2$, then
 $g(1). g(2) = g(1) + g(2) + g(2) - 2$
 $5g(1) = g(1) + 5 + 5 - 2$
 $4g(1) = 8$ $\therefore g(1) = 2$

Put
$$y = \frac{1}{x}$$
 in equation (1), we get

$$g(x).g(\frac{1}{x}) = g(x) + g(\frac{1}{x}) + g(1) - 2$$

$$g(x).g\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = g(x) + g\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + 2 - 2$$

$$[: g(1) = 2]$$

This is valid only for the polynomial

$$\therefore \qquad g(x) = 1 + x^n \qquad \dots (2)$$

Now g (2) = 5 (Given)

$$\therefore 1 \pm 2^{n} = 5$$
 [Using equation]

:.
$$1 \pm 2^{n} = 5$$
 [Using equation (2)]
 $\pm 2^{n} = 4, \Rightarrow 2^{n} = 4, -4$

Since the value of 2ⁿ cannot be –Ve.

So,
$$2^n = 4$$
, $\Rightarrow n = 2$

Now, put n = 2 in equation (2), we get $g(x) = 1 + x^2$

$$\therefore \underset{x \to 3}{\text{Lt}} g(x) = \underset{x \to 3}{\text{Lt}} (1 \pm x^2) = 1 \pm (3)^2$$
$$= 1 \pm 9 = 10, -8$$

92. (d)
$$f(x) = \frac{-e^x + 2^x}{x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x} \left[-(1 + \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + ..) + 1 + \frac{\log 2}{1!} x + \right]$$

$$\frac{(\log 2)^2}{2!}x^2 + \frac{(\log 2)^3}{3!}x^3 + \dots$$

$$f(x) = \log 2 - 1 + \frac{x}{2!} \{ (\log 2)^2 - 1 \}$$

$$+\frac{x^2}{3!}\{(\log^2)^3-1\}+....$$

Putting x = 0, we get

$$f(0) = \log 2 - 1 + 0 + 0 + \dots = -1 + \log 2$$
.

93. (b) Check the continuity of the function $f(x) = [tan^2 x] at x = 0.$

L.H.L. (at
$$x=0$$
)

$$= \lim_{x \to 0^{-}} [\tan^{2} x] = \lim_{h \to 0} [\tan^{2} (0 - h)]$$

$$= \lim_{h \to 0} [\tan^2 h] = [\tan^2 0] = [0] = 0$$

R.H.L. (at
$$x = 0$$
)

$$= \lim_{x \to 0^{+}} [\tan^{2} x] = \lim_{h \to 0} [\tan^{2} (0+h)]$$

$$= \lim_{h \to 0} [\tan^2 h] = [\tan^2 0] = [0] = 0$$

Now, determine the value of f(x) at x = 0.

$$f(0) = [\tan^2 0] = [0] = 0$$

Hence, f(x) is continuous at x = 0.

(c) Let r and V be the respectively radius and volume of the balloon. Let t represents the time. The rate of increament in radius is

> $\frac{dr}{dt} = 2$ cm/minute. The volume of the balloon is given by

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$

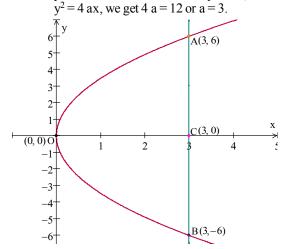
Differentiating w.r. to t, we get

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{4}{3}\pi(3r^2\frac{dr}{dt})$$

Substituting the values of and $\frac{dr}{dt}$, we get

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{4}{3}\pi(3\times5^2\times2) = 200\pi \,\text{cm}^3 \,/\,\text{minute}$$

95. (a) On comparing the equation of the parabola $y^2 = 12$ x with the standard equation,





Hence, the focus, point C will be at (3, 0) and the extremities of the latus-rectum AB will be at (a, 2a) and (a, -2a). So the coordinates of A and B are (3, 6) and (3, -6) respectively. Now we need to find the length (curve AOB) of the parabola. As it is not a straight line so we cannot directly find the length of this curve as we cannot directly apply Pythagorous theorem. Let us consider a small length ds on the parabola. Using pythagorous theorem for this length,

$$ds = \sqrt{(dx)^{2} + (dy)^{2}} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dy}\right)^{2} + 1} dy$$

$$\Rightarrow s = \int_{-6}^{6} \left[\sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dy}\right)^{2} + 1} \right] dy \qquad ...(1)$$
From $y^{2} = 12 x \Rightarrow x = \frac{y^{2}}{12}$

$$\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{2y}{12} = \frac{y}{6} \qquad \text{Putting in (1),}$$

$$s = \int_{-6}^{6} \left[\sqrt{\left(\frac{y}{6}\right)^{2} + 1} \right] dy = 2 \int_{0}^{6} \sqrt{\frac{y^{2} + 36}{36}} dy$$

$$= \frac{2}{6} \int_{0}^{6} \sqrt{y^{2} + 6^{2}} dy$$
Using $\int \sqrt{x^{2} + a^{2}} = \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{a^{2} + x^{2}}$

$$+ \frac{a^{2}}{2} \log\left(x + \sqrt{a^{2} + x^{2}}\right) + C$$
We get $s = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{y}{2} \sqrt{6^{2} + y^{2}} + \frac{6^{2}}{2} \right]$

$$\log\left(y + \sqrt{6^{2} + y^{2}}\right) + C \Big]_{0}^{6}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{6}{2} \sqrt{6^{2} + 6^{2}} + 18 \log\left(6 + \sqrt{6^{2} + 6^{2}}\right) + C \right]$$

$$+ C - 0 - 18 \log\left(0 + \sqrt{6^{2} + 0}\right) - C \Big]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left[3.6\sqrt{2} + 18\log(6 + 6\sqrt{2}) - 18\log 6 \right]$$
$$= 6\sqrt{2} + 6\log\frac{6(1+\sqrt{2})}{6}$$
$$= 6\left[(\sqrt{2} + \log(1+\sqrt{2})) \right]$$

96. (d)
$$I = \int \frac{x^5}{\sqrt{1+x^3}} dx = \int \frac{x^3 \cdot x^2}{\sqrt{1+x^3}} dx$$
Let $1 + x^3 = t^2$, so that $3x^2 dx = 2t dt$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 dx = \frac{2}{3} t dt$$

$$\therefore I = \int \frac{(t^2 - 1)\frac{2}{3}t dt}{t} = \frac{2}{3} \int t^2 - 1 dt$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{t^3}{3} - t\right) + C = \frac{2}{3} \left[\frac{(1+x^3)^{3/2}}{3} - (1+x^3)^{\frac{1}{2}}\right] + C$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} (1+x^3)^{3/2} - \frac{2}{3} (1+x^3)^{1/2} + C$$

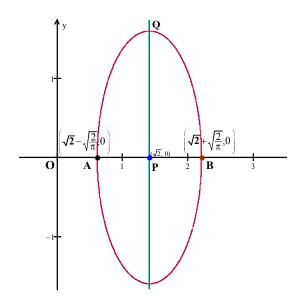
97. (d) The given curve is $\pi[4(x - \sqrt{2})^2 + y^2] = 8$ $4(x - \sqrt{2})^2 + y^2 = \frac{8}{\pi}$ $(x - \sqrt{2})^2 + \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{2}{\pi}$ $\frac{(x - \sqrt{2})^2}{\left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}\right)^2} + \frac{y^2}{\left(2\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}\right)^2} = 1 \dots (1)$

This is the equation of the ellipse having centre ($\sqrt{2}$,0).

Observe the figure of ellipse (1). The centre

P is
$$(\sqrt{2}, 0)$$
. A and B are $(\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}, 0)$ and $(\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}, 0)$ respectively.





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The required area =
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$$= 4 \times \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}} y dx$$

$$= 4 \times \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}} \sqrt{\frac{8}{\pi} - 4(x - \sqrt{2})^2} dx$$

$$= 4 \times 2 \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}} \sqrt{\left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}\right)^2 - (x - \sqrt{2})^2} dx$$

$$= 8 \left[\frac{x - \sqrt{2}}{2} \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi} - (x - \sqrt{2})^2} + \frac{2}{\pi} \right]_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}}$$

$$= \frac{(2/\pi)}{2} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x - \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2/\pi}} \right) \right]_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}}$$

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 $+\frac{1}{\pi}\sin^{-1}\left\{\frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}-\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}}\right\} - \left\{\frac{\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{2}}{2}\right\}$

 $\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi} - (\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2})^2} + \frac{1}{\pi} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2/\pi}} \right)$

$$=8\left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}(0) + \frac{1}{\pi}\sin^{-1}(1) - 0 - 0\right]$$
$$= 8\left(\frac{1}{\pi} \times \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 4 \text{ square units.}$$

98. (c) Let $x = \cos^2\theta$, so that $dx = -2a \sin \theta \cos \theta d\theta$

Now
$$\int_0^a \sqrt{\frac{a-x}{x}} dx = \int_{\frac{\pi}{2}}^0 \sqrt{\frac{a-a\cos^2\theta}{a\cos^2\theta}}$$
$$(-a\sin\theta\cos\theta)d\theta$$
$$[\because \theta = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ at } x = 0; \theta = 0 \text{ at } x = a]$$
$$= a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{\frac{1-\cos^2\theta}{\cos^2\theta}} 2\sin\theta\cos\theta d\theta$$

$$\left[\because \int_{t}^{0} f(x) dx = -\int_{0}^{t} f(x) dx\right]$$

$$= a \int_0^{\pi/2} 2 \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \cdot \sin \theta \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$= a \int_0^{\pi/2} 2 \sin^2 \theta d\theta = a \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 - \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$[\because \cos 2\theta = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta]$$

$$= a \left[\theta - \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right]_0^{\pi/2}$$

$$= a \left[\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\sin \pi}{2} \right) - (0 - 0) \right]$$

$$= a \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 0 \right) = \frac{a\pi}{2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} \propto y \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = ky$$

Separating the variables, we get $\frac{dy}{dt} = kdt$

Integrating both sides, we get $\int \frac{dy}{v} = \int k dt$

$$\begin{array}{l} log \; y = k \; t + M \; (as \; y \; cannot \; be \; -ve) \\ \Rightarrow y = e^{kt + M} \; \Rightarrow y = e^{M} \; . \; e^{kt} \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 y = $e^{Kt^{-1/4}}$ \Rightarrow y = e^{Kt} . e^{Kt}

Constant k cannot be positive because the population never increases in time. And



another constant C cannot be negative because of $e^M > 0$ always.

Hence $y = Ce^{kt}$, for some constants $C \ge 0$ and $k \le 0$.

100. (b) The given circle is, $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ Differentiating with respect to x, we get

$$2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \implies x + y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + y \frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = 0 \quad \text{(Squaring both sides)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2xy\frac{dy}{dx} + y^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $-2xy\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + y^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + x^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 - 2xy\frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$= x^2 + y^2 + x^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 + y^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2$$

(Adding
$$y^2 + x^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2$$
 both sides)

$$\Rightarrow \left(y - x \frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = a^2 \left[1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\right]$$

$$\left(:: x^2 + y^2 = a^2 \right)$$

101. (b)
$$\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right| + |y| + 3 = 0$$
 Since $\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right| \ge 0$, $|y| \ge 0$

$$\therefore \left| \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} \right| + \left| y \right| + 3 \ge 3$$

Hence
$$\left| \frac{dy}{dx} \right| + |y| + 3 = 0$$
 is not possible.

Therefore, the given differential equation has no solution.

102. (b) The given differential equation is

$$xdy - ydx - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} dx = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow xdy = \left(y + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}\right) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(y + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2})}{2}$$

This is the linear differential equation.

Put
$$y = vx$$
, so that $\frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx}$. Then

$$v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{vx + \sqrt{x^2 + v^2x^2}}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow v + x \frac{dv}{dv} = v + \sqrt{1 + v^2}$$

$$\frac{dv}{\sqrt{1+v^2}} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

Integrating both sides, we get

$$\int \frac{dv}{\sqrt{1+v^2}} = \int \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(v + \sqrt{1 + v^2}) = \log x + \log C$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $v + \sqrt{1 + v^2} = Cx$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \frac{y}{x} + \sqrt{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}} = Cx \qquad [\because y = vx]$$

$$y + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = Cx^2$$

103. (b)
$$\sim Q \rightarrow S$$
 $\therefore \sim S \rightarrow Q$

But
$$\sim S \rightarrow R$$

$$\therefore Q \rightarrow R$$
, True [As $P \rightarrow Q \rightarrow R \rightarrow P$]

Hence $\sim Q \rightarrow S$ is true

104. (d) We know that the number of ways of dividing (m+n+p) things into three groups containing m, n and p things respectively

$$=\frac{(m+n+p)!}{m!n!n!}$$

Further if any two groups out of the three have same number of things then number of ways

$$=\frac{(m+n+p)!}{m!n!p!\times 2}$$

Hence number of ways to divide 10 students into three teams one containing four students and each remaining two teams contain three

$$= \frac{10!}{4! \ 3! \ 3! \times 2} = \frac{10 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7 \times 6 \times 5}{3 \times 2 \times 3 \times 2 \times 2} = 2100$$

105. (d) We observe the following properties:

Reflexivity - Let a be an arbitrary element. Then,

$$|a-a| = 0 \Rightarrow 0 \implies a \mathbb{R}$$
 a

This, R is not reflexive on R.



Symmetry – Let a and b be two distinct elements, then $(a, b) \in R$

$$\Rightarrow |a-b| > 0 \Rightarrow |b-a| > 0$$

$$(::|a-b|=|b-a|)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 (b,a) \in R

Thus, $(a, b) \in R \Rightarrow (b, a) \in R$. So, R is symmetric.

Transitivity – Let $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, c) \in R$. Then |a-b| > 0 and |b-c| > 0 $|a-c| > 0 \implies (a, c) \in R$

So, R is transitive.

106. (a) Let $S = \{a_i\}$ where i = 1, 2, ..., nFrom commutative operations,

$$a_i * a_j = a_j * a_i \dots (i) \quad \forall i, j = 1, 2, 3 \dots n$$

where * represents a binary operation \therefore Number of distinct elements in $S \times S$

i.e., $\{a_i\} \times \{a_i\}$ subject to the condition (i) i=1,2...n j=1,2...n

$$= n\{(a_1, a_1), (a_1, a_2), \dots, (a_1, a_n), a_n\}$$

$$(a_2, a_2), (a_2, a_3), (a_2, a_n),$$

$$...(a_{n-1}, a_{n-1}), (a_{n-1}, a_n), (a_n, a_n)$$

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

.. No. of commutative binary operations

= No. of functions $f: S \times S \rightarrow S$ subject to (i)

= n.n.n...
$$\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$
 times = $n^{\frac{n(n+1)}{2}}$

107. (b) Poisson distribution is a probability distribution which is obtained when the probability (p) of the happening of an event is same in all the trials and there are only two events in each trials generally says successes and failures probability (p) of the happening of the event in trial is very less but number of trials (n) is very large.

Here, $p = 5\% = \frac{5}{100} = \frac{1}{20}$ is very less and

n = 100, is very large. Hence, one has to employ the Poisson distribution in the given question.

108. (d) The probability that a component survives

is
$$p = \frac{3}{4}$$
. Then $q = 1 - p = 1 - \frac{3}{4} = \frac{1}{4}$

$$[\because p+q=1]$$

n takes the value 4 and r = 2. Hence the required probability is

$${}^{n}C_{r}p^{r}q^{n-r} = {}^{4}C_{2}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{2}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{2}$$

$$= 6 \times \frac{3 \times 3 \times 1}{4 \times 4 \times 4 \times 4} = \frac{27}{128}$$

109. (b) Performance of the class will be best if mean of the marks obtained is maximum but standard deviation of the marks obtained is minimum.

> Hence the class which has mean and standard deviation of the marks obtained as 75 and 5 respectively performs best.

Mean, $np = \alpha$; and variance, $npq = \beta$ where n = number of trials and p + q = 1.

So,
$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \Rightarrow q = \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \Rightarrow (1-p) = \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$$

$$0$$

$$\therefore -1 < -p < 0 \Rightarrow 0 < 1 - p < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < \frac{\beta}{\alpha} < 1 \Rightarrow 0 < \beta < \alpha$$

111. (b)
$$x+y+z=0$$
 ...(1)
 $2x+3y+z=0$...(2)
 $x+2y=0$...(3)
From equation (3), we have

$$x + 2y = 0$$

Putting this value of x in equations (1), we get $-2y+y+z=0 \Rightarrow y=z$ Hence x=-2z

$$get -2y + y + z = 0 \Rightarrow y = z$$

Hence
$$x = -2z$$

Thus, the solution of the given system of equations is (-2z, z, z), where z is a parameter $(Z \in R)$. Hence the system has infinite number of solutions including zero solution.

112. (d) Here,
$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & a \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix}^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix}^2$$

$$=\begin{bmatrix}0+ab&0+0\\0+0&ab+0\end{bmatrix}=\begin{bmatrix}ab&0\\0&ab\end{bmatrix}$$

Similarly,
$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & a \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix}^4 = \begin{bmatrix} ab & 0 \\ 0 & ab \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} ab & 0 \\ 0 & ab \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a^2b^2 + 0 & 0 + 0 \\ 0 + 0 & 0 + a^2b^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a^2b^2 & 0 \\ 0 & a^2b^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & a \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix}^4 = I \implies \begin{bmatrix} a^2b^2 & 0 \\ 0 & a^2b^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\Rightarrow a^2b^2 = 1 \Rightarrow ab = 1$$



113. (d)
$$D = diag(d_1, d_2, ..., d_n)$$

$$d^{-1} = \frac{1}{|D|} adj (D)$$

$$adj(D) = \frac{1}{d_1 d_2 d_3 d_n}$$

= diag
$$(d_1^{-1}, d_2^{-1}, ..., d_n^{-1})$$

114. (d)
$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b-y & c-z \\ a-x & b & c-z \\ a-x & b-y & c \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 a(bc-bc+bz+cy-yz)-(b-y)

$$(ac-cx-ac+az+cx-zx)+(c-z)$$

$$(ab - ay - bx + xy - ab + bx) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 abz + acy - ayz - abz + bzx + ayz -

$$xyz - acy + cxy + ayz - xyz = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 ayz + bzx + cxy - 2xyz = 0

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{v} + \frac{c}{z} - 2 = 0$$
 (Dividing by xyz)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 2$$

115. (c)
$$x^2 - n = 0 \implies x = \sqrt{n}$$

For each integral value of $x \in [1, 40]$, There is a positive root. Hence for 40 integral values of x from 1 to 40, there are 40 positive roots, out of which only six roots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 are positive integral roots. Hence, probability

of getting positive integral roots = $\frac{6}{40} = \frac{3}{20}$

 \therefore x⁴ = 16, 29 or x = \pm 2, \pm 2.31

116. (a)
$$x^{4} + \sqrt{x^{4} + 20} = 22$$
or
$$x^{4} - 22 = -\sqrt{x^{4} + 20}$$
Put $x^{4} = y$ and square both the sides.
$$(y - 22)^{2} = y + 20$$

$$y^{2} + 484 - 44y = y + 20$$

$$y^{2} - 45y + 464 = 0$$

$$y^{2} - 29y - 16y + 464 = 0$$

$$(y - 29)(y - 16) = 0$$

$$y = 16, 29$$



117. (c) Since α , β be the roots of the equation $x^2 - ax + b = 0$, so each of them must satisfy the equation. Therefore

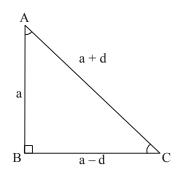
$$\begin{split} \alpha^2 - a \ \alpha + b &= 0 \dots (1) \ and \ \beta^2 - a \ \beta + b = 0 \\ & \dots (2) \\ Now, \ A_{n+1} - a \ A_n + b \ A_{n-1} &= \alpha^{n+1} + \beta^{n+1} \\ & - a \ (\alpha^n + \beta^n) + b \ (\alpha^{n-1} + \beta^{n-1}) \\ &= \alpha^{n-1} (\alpha^2 - a \ \alpha + b) + \beta^{n-1} (\beta^2 - a \ \beta + b) \\ &= \alpha^{n-1} (0) + \beta^{n-1} (0) = 0 \quad [From \ (1) \ \& \ (2)] \end{split}$$

118. (a) Let the sides of the triangle be a-d, a, a+d, where d is greater than zero. From the figure, it is clear that the angles A and C are acute angles. Now, by the theorem of Pythagorus, $AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2$

$$(a + d)^2 = a^2 + (a - d)^2$$

$$a^2 + d^2 + 2ad = a^2 + a^2 + d^2 - 2ad$$

$$4ad = a^2 \Rightarrow d = a/4$$



$$\sin A = \frac{a - d}{a + d} = \frac{a - \frac{a}{4}}{a + \frac{a}{4}} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\sin C = \frac{a}{a+d} = \frac{a}{a+\frac{a}{4}} = \frac{4}{5}$$

119. (a) The plane containing the line of intersection of the planes $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}) = 0$ and $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) = 0$ is $\vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}) + \lambda [\hat{r} \cdot (\hat{j} + 2\hat{k})] = 0$ $\Rightarrow \vec{r} \cdot [\hat{i} + (3 + \lambda)\hat{j} + (2\lambda - 1)\hat{k}] = 0 \quad ...(1)$ Since the plane (i) passes through the point (-1, -1, -1) or $(-\hat{i} - \hat{j} - \hat{k})$, so this point must satisfy (i). Hence,

$$(-\hat{\mathbf{i}} - \hat{\mathbf{j}} - \hat{\mathbf{k}}) \cdot [\hat{\mathbf{i}} + (3 \times \lambda)\hat{\mathbf{j}} + (2\lambda - 1)\hat{\mathbf{k}}] = 0$$

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

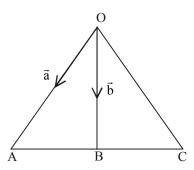
$$\Rightarrow -3\lambda - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = -1$$
Substituting this value for λ in (i), we get the required plane $\vec{\mathbf{r}} \cdot (\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 2\hat{\mathbf{j}} - 3\hat{\mathbf{k}}) = 0$

120. (d) In the figure, OAC is a triangle and OB is a median such that

$$\overrightarrow{OA} = \vec{a} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = \vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OC} = \vec{c} \text{ (say)}$$



$$\overrightarrow{OA} + \overrightarrow{OC} = 2\overrightarrow{OB}$$

$$\vec{a} + \vec{c} = 2\vec{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{c} = 2\vec{b} - \vec{a} = 2(2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) - (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k})$$

$$= (3\hat{i} + 9\hat{j} + 5\hat{k})$$

Now, the area of the triangle,

$$\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \Big| \overrightarrow{OA} \times \overrightarrow{OC} \Big| = \frac{1}{2} \Big| \vec{a} \times \vec{c} \Big|$$

Here

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{c} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & k \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 9 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \hat{i}(-5-9) - \hat{j}(5-3) + \hat{k}(9+3)$$

$$= -14\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 12\hat{k} = 2(-7\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 6\hat{k})$$

$$\therefore |\vec{a} \times \vec{c}| = 2\sqrt{(-7)^2 + (-1)^2 + (6)^2}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{49 + 1 + 36} = 2\sqrt{86}$$

$$\therefore \Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times 2\sqrt{86} = \sqrt{86}.$$