

# JEE Advanced Exam 2023 (Paper & Solution)

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## PAPER-2

### MATHEMATICS

#### SECTION – 1 (Maximum Mark : 12)

- This section contains **FOUR (04)** questions.
- Each question has four options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **Only one** of these four option is the correct answer.
- For each question, choose the option corresponding to the correct answer.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
  - Full Marks : +3 If **ONLY** the correct option is chosen;
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  - Negative Marks : -1 In all other cases.

**Q.1** Let  $f : [1, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable function such that  $f(1) = \frac{1}{3}$  and  $3 \int_1^x f(t) dt = xf(x) - \frac{x^3}{3}, x \in [1, \infty)$ .

Let  $e$  denote the base of the natural logarithm. Then the value of  $f(e)$  is

- (A)  $\frac{e^2 + 4}{3}$                       (B)  $\frac{\log_e 4 + e}{3}$                       (C)  $\frac{4e^2}{3}$                       (D)  $\frac{e^2 - 4}{3}$

**Ans.** [C]

**Sol.**  $3 \int_1^x f(t) dt = xf(x) - \frac{x^3}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow 3f(x) = f(x) + xf'(x) - x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow xf'(x) - 2f(x) = x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) - \frac{2}{x}f(x) = x \Rightarrow \text{(Linear differential equation)}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow y \left( \frac{1}{x^2} \right) = \int x \times \frac{1}{x^2} dx = \ln x + C$$

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

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = x^2 (\ln x + C)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1) = 1 (0 + C) \Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(e) = e^2 \left( \ln e + \frac{1}{3} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(e) = \frac{4e^2}{3}$$

**Q.2** Consider an experiment of tossing a coin repeatedly until the outcomes of two consecutive tosses are same. If the probability of a random toss resulting in head is  $\frac{1}{3}$ , then the probability that the experiment stops with head is

- (A)  $\frac{1}{3}$                       (B)  $\frac{5}{21}$                       (C)  $\frac{4}{21}$                       (D)  $\frac{2}{7}$

**Ans. [B]**

**Sol.**  $P(H) = \frac{1}{3}$

$$P(T) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$P(E) = P(HH) + P(THH) + P(HTHH) + P(THTHH) + P(HTHTHH) + P(THTHTHH) + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{2}{3^3} + \frac{2}{3^4} + \frac{4}{3^5} + \frac{4}{3^6} + \frac{8}{3^7} + \frac{8}{3^8} + \dots$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{2}{3^4} + \frac{4}{3^6} + \dots \right) + \left( \frac{2}{3^3} + \frac{4}{3^5} + \frac{8}{3^7} + \dots \right)$$

$$P(E) = \frac{1}{7} + \frac{2}{21} = \frac{5}{21}$$

**Q.3** For any  $y \in \mathbb{R}$ , let  $\cot^{-1}(y) \in (0, \pi)$  and  $\tan^{-1}(y) \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ . Then the sum of all the solutions of the

equation  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) + \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{9-y^2}{6y}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  for  $0 < |y| < 3$ , is equal to

- (A)  $2\sqrt{3} - 3$                       (B)  $3 - 2\sqrt{3}$                       (C)  $4\sqrt{3} - 6$                       (D)  $6 - 4\sqrt{3}$

**Ans. [C]**

**Sol.**  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) + \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{9-y^2}{6y}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$   $0 < |y| < 3 \Rightarrow y \in (-3, 3) - \{0\}$

Case -I:  $\frac{6y}{9-y^2} > 0 \Rightarrow y > 0$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \frac{6y}{9-y^2} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 6y = 9\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{3}y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}y^2 + 6y - 9\sqrt{3} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}y^2 + 9y - 3y - 9\sqrt{3} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}y(y + 3\sqrt{3}) - 3(y + 3\sqrt{3}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y + 3\sqrt{3}) - (\sqrt{3}y - 3) = 0$$

$$y \neq -3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore y = \sqrt{3} \text{ as } y \in (0, 3)$$

$$\text{Case - II: } \frac{6y}{9-y^2} < 0 \Rightarrow y < 0$$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) + \pi + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6y}{9-y^2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{6y}{9-y^2} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 6\sqrt{3}y = -9 + y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 6\sqrt{3}y - 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{6\sqrt{3} \pm \sqrt{108+36}}{2} = \frac{6\sqrt{3} \pm 12}{2} = 3\sqrt{3} \pm 6 \text{ as } y \in (-3, 0)$$

$$\therefore y = 3\sqrt{3} - 6$$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of solutions} = \sqrt{3} + (3\sqrt{3} - 6) = 4\sqrt{3} - 6$$

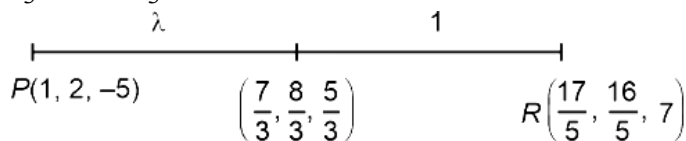
**Q.4** Let the position vectors of the points P, Q, R and S be  $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = 3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{c} = \frac{17}{5}\hat{i} + \frac{16}{5}\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{d} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$ , respectively. Then which of the following statements is true?

- (A) The points P, Q, R and S are NOT coplanar  
 (B)  $\frac{\vec{b} + 2\vec{d}}{3}$  is the position vector of a point which divides PR internally in the ratio 5 : 4  
 (C)  $\frac{\vec{b} + 2\vec{d}}{3}$  is the position vector of a point which divides PR externally in the ratio 5 : 4  
 (D) The square of the magnitude of the vector  $\vec{b} \times \vec{d}$  is 95

**Ans. [B]**

**Sol.**  $P(1, 2, -5)$ ,  $Q(3, 6, 3)$ ,  $R\left(\frac{17}{5}, \frac{16}{5}, 7\right)$ ,  $S(2, 1, 1)$

$$\frac{\vec{b} + 2\vec{d}}{3} = \frac{7\hat{i} + 8\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}}{3}$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{17\lambda}{5} + 1 = \frac{7}{3}(\lambda + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 51\lambda + 15 = 35\lambda + 35$$

$$\Rightarrow 16\lambda = 20 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{5}{4}$$

**SECTION – 2 (Maximum Mark : 12)**

- This section contains **THREE (03)** questions
- Each question has **FOUR** options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **ONE OR MORE THAN ONE** of these four option(s) is (are) correct answer(s).
- For each question, choose the option(s) corresponding to (all) the correct answer(s).
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
  - Full Marks : +4 **ONLY** If (all) the correct option(s) is (are) chosen.
  - Partial Marks : +3 If all the four options are correct but **ONLY** three options are chosen.
  - Partial Marks : +2 If three or more options are correct but **ONLY** two options are chosen, both of which are correct.
  - Partial Marks : +1 If two or more options are correct but **ONLY** one option is chosen and it is a correct option.
  - Zero Marks : 0 If unanswered;
  - Negative Marks : -2 In all other cases.
- For example, in a question, if (A), (B) and (D) are the **ONLY** three options corresponding to correct answers, than
  - choosing **ONLY** (A), (B) and (D) will get +4 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) and (B) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) and (D) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (B) and (D) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing **ONLY** (B) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing **ONLY** (D) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing no option(s) (i.e. the question is unanswered) will get 0 marks and choosing any other option(s) will get -2 marks.

**Q.5** Let  $M = (a_{ij})$ ,  $i, j \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ , be the  $3 \times 3$  matrix such that  $a_{ij} = 1$  if  $j + 1$  is divisible by  $i$ , otherwise  $a_{ij} = 0$ . Then which of the following statements is(are) true?  
(A)  $M$  is invertible

(B) There exists a nonzero column matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{pmatrix}$  such that  $M \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -a_1 \\ -a_2 \\ -a_3 \end{pmatrix}$

(C) The set  $\{X \in \mathbb{R}^3 : MX = 0\} \neq \{0\}$ , where  $0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

(D) The matrix  $(M - 2I)$  is invertible, where  $I$  is the  $3 \times 3$  identity matrix

**Ans.** [B, C]

**Sol.**  $M = (a_{ij})$ ,  $i, j \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,

$$a_{ij} = 1 \text{ if } j + 1 \text{ is divisible by } i \text{ otherwise } a_{ij} = 0 \quad M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|M| = 1(-1) - 1(-1) = -1 + 1 = 0$$

$M$  is not invertible

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1 \\ -a_2 \\ -a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 + a_2 + a_3 \\ a_1 + a_3 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1 \\ -a_2 \\ -a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 + a_2 + a_3 &= -a_1 & a_1 + a_3 &= -a_2 & a_2 &= -a_3 \\ & & a_1 + a_2 + a_3 &= 0 & a_2 + a_3 &= 0 \\ & \downarrow & & & & \\ & a_1 = 0 & \& & a_2 + a_3 = 0 & \end{aligned}$$

⇒ There exist a column matrix (infinite Possibilities)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} x + y + z &= 0 \\ x + z &= 0 \quad \text{Yes it is possible} \\ y &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$|M-2I| = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -1(3) - 1(-2-1) = -3 + 3 = 0$$

- Q.6** Let  $f: (0,1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be the function defined as  $f(x) = [4x] \left(x - \frac{1}{4}\right)^2 \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)$ , where  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ . Then which of the following statements is (are) true?
- (A) The function  $f$  is discontinuous exactly at one point in  $(0, 1)$   
 (B) There is exactly one point in  $(0, 1)$  at which the function  $f$  is continuous but NOT differentiable  
 (C) The function  $f$  is NOT differentiable at more than three points in  $(0, 1)$   
 (D) The minimum value of the function  $f$  is  $-\frac{1}{512}$

**Ans.** [A, B]

**Sol.**  $f: (0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$f(x) = [4x] \left(x - \frac{1}{4}\right)^2 \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \text{Critical point} = \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}$$

Discontinuity at  $x = \frac{3}{4}$

Continuous and differentiable at  $x = \frac{1}{4}$

Continuous but non-differentiable at  $x = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{LHD}\left(\text{at } x = \frac{1}{4}\right)$$

$$\text{RHD}\left(\text{at } x = \frac{1}{4}\right)$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{0-0}{-h} = 0$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{h^2 \left(-\frac{1}{2} + h\right)}{h} = 0$$

$$\text{LHD}\left(\text{at } x = \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{RHD}\left(\text{at } x = \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{4} - h\right)^2 (-h) - 0}{-h} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{2\left(\frac{1}{4} + h\right)^2 h - 0}{h} = \frac{1}{8}$$

Minimum -ve value will exist between  $\frac{1}{4}$  &  $\frac{1}{2}$

$$f(x) = \left(x - \frac{1}{4}\right)^2 \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) \quad \frac{1}{4} \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$f'(x) = \left(x - \frac{1}{4}\right) \left(3x - \frac{5}{4}\right) \Rightarrow \text{minima at } x = \frac{5}{12}$$

$$f\left(\frac{5}{12}\right) = \frac{1}{36} \times \frac{-1}{12} = \frac{-1}{432}$$

- Q.7** Let S be the set of all twice differentiable functions f from R to R such that  $\frac{d^2f}{dx^2}(x) > 0$  for all  $x \in (-1, 1)$ . For  $f \in S$ , let  $X_f$  be the number of points  $x \in (-1, 1)$  for which  $f(x) = x$ . Then which of the following statements is (are) true?
- (A) There exists a function  $f \in S$  such that  $X_f = 0$
  - (B) For every function  $f \in S$ , we have  $X_f \leq 2$
  - (C) There exists a function  $f \in S$  such that  $X_f = 2$
  - (D) There does NOT exist any function f in S such that  $X_f = 1$

**Ans.** [A, B, C]

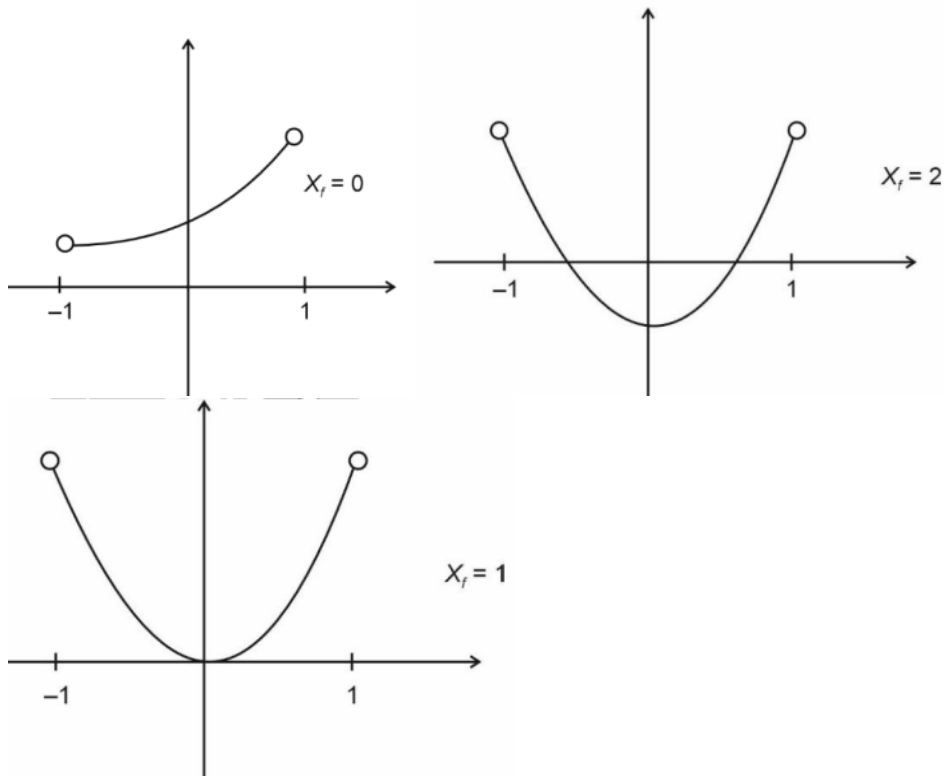
**Sol.**  $f''(x) > 0$ ;  $f(x) - x = 0$

Number of solutions = ?

Let  $g(x) = f(x) - x \Rightarrow g'(x) = f'(x) - 1$

$g''(x) = f''(x) > 0 \Rightarrow$  Concave

Possibilities



**SECTION – 3 (Maximum Marks: 24)**

- This section contains **SIX (06)** questions.
- The answer to each question is a **NON-NEGATIVE INTERGER**.
- For each question, enter the correct integer corresponding to the answer using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

Full Marks	: +4	If <b>ONLY</b> the correct integer is entered;
Zero Marks	: 0	In all other cases.

**Q.8** For  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , let  $\tan^{-1}(x) \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ . Then the minimum value of the function  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by

$$f(x) = \int_0^{x \tan^{-1} x} \frac{e^{(t-\cos t)}}{1+t^{2023}} dt \text{ is}$$

**Ans. [0]**

**Sol.** 
$$f(x) = \frac{e^{[x \tan^{-1} x - \cos(x \tan^{-1} x)]}}{1 + (x \tan^{-1} x)^{2023}} \times \left( \frac{x}{1+x^2} + \tan^{-1} x \right)$$

$$f'(x) = g(x) \cdot h(x)$$

$$\text{where } g(x) = \frac{e^{[x \tan^{-1} x - \cos(x \tan^{-1} x)]}}{1 + (x \tan^{-1} x)^{2023}} > 0 \forall x$$

$$\text{and } h(x) = \frac{x}{1+x^2} + \tan^{-1} x < 0 \text{ for } x < 0$$

$$= 0 \text{ at } x = 0 > 0 \text{ for } x > 0$$

$\therefore f(x)$  has minimum at  $x = 0$

$$\text{And } f(x)_{\min} = f(0) = 0$$

**Q.9** For  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , let  $y(x)$  be a solution of the differential equation

$$(x^2 - 5) \frac{dy}{dx} - 2xy = -2x(x^2 - 5)^2 \text{ such that } y(2) = 7.$$

Then the maximum value of the function  $y(x)$  is

**Ans. [16]**

**Sol.** 
$$(x^2 - 5) \frac{dy}{dx} - 2xy = -2x(x^2 - 5)^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \left( \frac{-2x}{x^2 - 5} \right) y = -2x(x^2 - 5)$$

$$\text{I.F.} = \frac{1}{|x^2 - 5|}$$

$$\text{Solution of D. E. is } y \cdot \frac{1}{|x^2 - 5|} = \int -2x \cdot \frac{x^2 - 5}{|x^2 - 5|} dx \Rightarrow \frac{y}{|x^2 - 5|} = \frac{x^2 - 5}{|x^2 - 5|} (-x^2) + C$$

$$\therefore y(2) = 7 \Rightarrow C = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -x^2(x^2 - 5) + 3|x^2 - 5| \Rightarrow y = f(x) \text{ is even function}$$

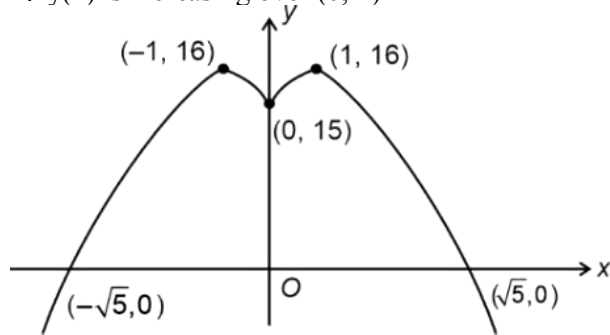
$$\text{If } 0 < x < \sqrt{5}, y = -x^4 + 5x^2 - 3x^2 + 15 = -x^4 + 2x^2 + 15$$

$$\text{For increasing function } \frac{dy}{dx} > 0 \Rightarrow x < 1$$

If  $x > \sqrt{5}$ ,  $y = -x^4 + 5x^2 + 3x^2 - 15$

For increasing function  $\frac{dy}{dx} > 0 \Rightarrow x = \phi$

$\Rightarrow y(x)$  is increasing over  $(0, 1)$



$\Rightarrow f(x)_{\max} = 16$

**Q.10** Let  $X$  be the set of all five digit numbers formed using 1,2,2,2,4,4,0. For example, 22240 is in  $X$  while 02244 and 44422 are not in  $X$ . Suppose that each element of  $X$  has an equal chance of being chosen. Let  $p$  be the conditional probability that an element chosen at random is a multiple of 20 given that it is a multiple of 5. Then the value of  $38p$  is equal to

**Ans.** [31]

**Sol.** Number of five-digit numbers divisible by 5 (\_\_\_\_\_0)

$$\underbrace{\quad\quad\quad}_0$$

2224  $\rightarrow$  4

2244  $\rightarrow$  6

2221  $\rightarrow$  4

2241  $\rightarrow$  12

2441  $\rightarrow$   $\frac{12}{38}$

Number of five-digit numbers divisible by 5 but 'not' by 20

$$\underbrace{\quad\quad\quad}_1 \quad \frac{0}{\quad}$$

222  $\rightarrow$  1

224  $\rightarrow$  3

244  $\rightarrow$   $\frac{3}{7}$

Number of five-digit numbers divisible by 5 'and' 20 =  $38 - 7 = 31$

$P = \frac{31}{38}$

$38p = 31$

**Q.11** Let  $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_8$  be the vertices of a regular octagon that lie on a circle of radius 2. Let  $P$  be a point on the circle and let  $PA_i$  denote the distance between the points  $P$  and  $A_i$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 8$ . If  $P$  varies over the circle, then the maximum value of the  $PA_1 \cdot PA_2 \cdot \dots \cdot PA_8$ , is

**Ans.** [512]

**Sol.**  $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_8$  vertices of a regular octagon lying on a circle of radius 2.

Let say,  $Z = (2) (1)^{1/8}$

$\Rightarrow Z^8 = 2^8 \times 1$



$$\Rightarrow Z^8 - 2^8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow Z = 2, 2\alpha, 2\alpha^2, 2\alpha^3, \dots, 2\alpha^7; \alpha = e^{i\frac{2\pi}{8}}$$

$$\Rightarrow Z^8 - 2^8 = (Z - 2)(Z - 2\alpha)(Z - 2\alpha^2)(Z - 2\alpha^3) \dots (Z - 2\alpha^7)$$

$$\Rightarrow |Z^8 - 2^8| = |Z - 2||Z - 2\alpha| \dots |Z - 2\alpha^7|$$

But  $|Z^8 + (-2^8)| \leq |Z|^8 + 2^8$

$$\Rightarrow |Z - 2||Z - 2\alpha| \dots |Z - 2\alpha^7| \leq |Z|^8 + 2^8$$

$$\leq 2^8 + 2^8$$

$$\leq 2^9$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Max}(PA_1.PA_2 \dots PA_8) = 2^9$$

**Q.12** Let  $R = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & 3 & b \\ c & 2 & d \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} : a, b, c, d \in \{0, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19\} \right\}$ . Then the number of invertible matrices in R is

**Ans.** [3780]

**Sol.**  $|R| = -5 \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix}$

|R| can be zero in following cases:

(i) Two of a, b, c, d are zeroes which can be (a and b), (b and d), (d and c) or (c and a)

$$\rightarrow 4 \times 7^2 \text{ ways} = 196$$

(ii) Any three of a, b, c, d are zeroes

$$\rightarrow {}^4C_3 \times 7 = 28$$

(iii) All four of a, b, c, d are zeroes

$$\rightarrow 1$$

(iv) All four of a, b, c, d are non-zero but same number

$$\rightarrow 7$$

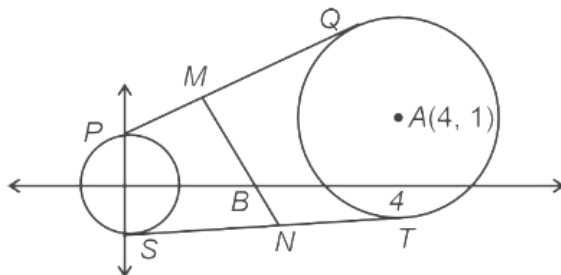
(v) When two are alike and 2 other are alike (non-zero)  $\rightarrow 7C_2 \times 2 \times 2 = 84$

$$\text{Number of invertible matrices} = 8^4 - 196 - 28 - 1 - 7 - 84 = 3780$$

**Q.13** Let  $C_1$  be the circle of radius 1 with center at the origin. Let  $C_2$  be the circle of radius r with center at the point  $A = (4, 1)$ , where  $1 < r < 3$ . Two distinct common tangents PQ and ST of  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are drawn. The tangent PQ touches  $C_1$  at P and  $C_2$  at Q. The tangent ST touches  $C_1$  at S and  $C_2$  at T. Mid points of the line segments PQ and ST are joined to form a line which meets the x-axis at a point B. If  $AB = \sqrt{5}$ , then the value of  $r^2$  is

**Ans.** [2]

**Sol.**



Let M and N be midpoints of PQ and ST respectively.

$\Rightarrow$  MN is a radical axis of two circles

$$C_1 : x^2 + y^2 = 1 \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

$$C_2 : (x - 4)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 2y + 17 - r^2 = 0 \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

From (i) and (ii);

$$\text{Equation of MN} : 8x + 2y - 18 + r^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{B is on x-axis} \Rightarrow \text{B} \left( \frac{18 - r^2}{8}, 0 \right)$$

$$AB = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\sqrt{\left( \frac{18 - r^2}{8} - 4 \right)^2 + 1} = \sqrt{5} \quad \text{(By distance formula)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{On solving } r^2 = 2$$

### SECTION – 4 (Maximum Marks: 12)

- This section contains **TWO (02)** paragraphs.
- Based on each paragraph, there are TWO (02) questions.
- The answer to each question is a **NUMERICAL VALUE**.
- For each question, enter the correct numerical value of the answer using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.
- If the numerical value has more than two decimal places, **truncate/round-off** the value to **TWO** decimal places.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

Full Marks	: +3	f <b>ONLY</b> the correct numerical value is entered in the designated place;
Zero Marks	: 0	In all other cases.

#### PARAGRAPH "I" (Q.14 to Q.15)

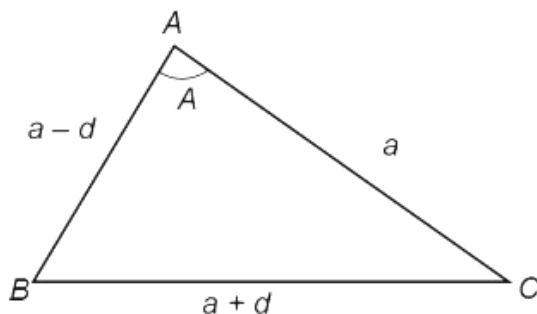
Consider an obtuse angled triangle ABC in which the difference between the largest and the smallest angle is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  and whose sides are in arithmetic progression. Suppose that the vertices of this triangle lie on a circle of radius 1.

(There are two questions based on PARAGRAPH "I", the question given below is one of them)

**Q.14** Let a be the area of the triangle ABC. Then the value of  $(64a)^2$  is

**Ans.** [1008]

**Sol.**



Let sides be  $a - d, a, a + d$

$$A - C = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$R = 1$$

Now

$$\frac{a+d}{\sin A} = \frac{a}{\sin B} = \frac{a-d}{\sin C} = 2$$

$$\therefore A = \frac{\pi}{2} + C$$

$$\sin A = \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + C \right)$$

$$\sin A = \cos C$$

$$\frac{a+d}{2} = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 C}$$

$$\left( \frac{a+d}{2} \right)^2 = 1 - \left( \frac{a-d}{2} \right)^2$$

$$\frac{2(a^2 + d^2)}{4} = 1$$

$$a^2 + d^2 = 2 \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{Now } \cos B = \frac{(a-d)^2 + (a+d)^2 - a^2}{2(a^2 - d^2)}$$

$$\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 B} = \frac{2(a^2 + d^2) - a^2}{2(a^2 - d^2)}$$

$$\sqrt{1 - \frac{a^2}{4}} = \frac{4 - a^2}{2(a^2 - d^2)} \quad (\because a^2 + d^2 = 2)$$

$$(a^2 - d^2)^2 = 4 - a^2$$

From (1) & (2)

$$a^2 = \frac{7}{4}, d^2 = \frac{1}{4} \quad \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Area of triangle

$$\Delta = \frac{a(a^2 - d^2)}{4}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2} \times \frac{6}{4 \times 4}$$

$$(64 \alpha)^2 = 1008$$

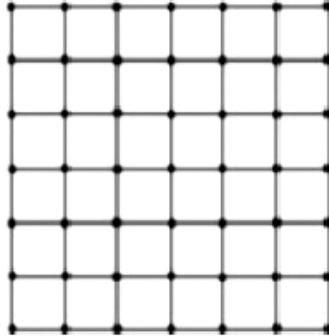
**Q.15** Then the inradius of the triangle ABC is

**Ans.** [0.25]

**Sol.** 
$$r = \frac{\Delta}{S} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{7}}{2} \times \frac{6}{16}}{\frac{3}{2} \times \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}} = \frac{4}{16} = \frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$

**PARAGRAPH "II"(Q.16 to Q.17)**

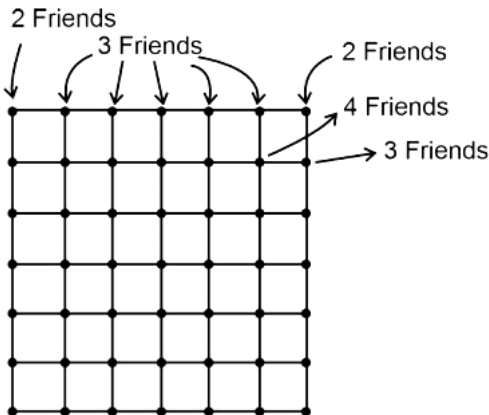
Consider the  $6 \times 6$  square in the figure. Let  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_{49}$  be the points of intersections (dots in the picture) in some order. We say that  $A_i$  and  $A_j$  are friends if they are adjacent along a row or along a column. Assume that each point  $A_i$  has an equal chance of being chosen.



**(There are two questions based on PARAGRAPH "II", the question given below is one of them)**

**Q.16** Let  $P_i$  be the probability that a randomly chosen point has  $i$  many friends,  $i = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$ . Let  $X$  be a random variable such that for  $i = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$ , the probability  $P(X = i) = p_i$ . Then the value of  $7E(X)$  is

**Ans.** [24]  
**Sol.**



- Number of points having 0 friend = 0
- Number of points having 1 friend = 0
- Number of points having 2 friends = 4
- Number of points having 3 friends =  $5 \times 4 = 20$
- Number of points having 4 friends =  $49 - 24 = 25$

$P_i$	0	0	$4/49$	$20/49$	$25/49$
$X_i$	0	1	2	3	4

$$7(E(X)) = 7 \left( 0 + 0 + \frac{4}{49} \times 2 + \frac{20}{49} \times 3 + \frac{25}{49} \times 4 \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{100 + 60 + 8}{49} \right)$$

$$= 24$$



**Q.17** Two distinct points are chosen randomly out of the points  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_{49}$ . Let P be the probability that they are friends. Then the value of 7 P is

**Ans.** [0.50]

**Sol.** Number of ways of selecting 2 adjacent dots in /row = 6

Similarly, number of ways of selecting 2 adjacent dots in I column = 6

$\therefore$  Number of ways of selecting 2 adjacent dots from the matrix =  $6 \times 7 + 6 \times 7 = 84$

$$\therefore P = \frac{84}{{}^{49}C_2} = \frac{84 \times 2}{49 \times 48}$$

$$7P = \frac{7 \times 84 \times 2}{49 \times 48} = \frac{1}{2}$$

0.50 is answer

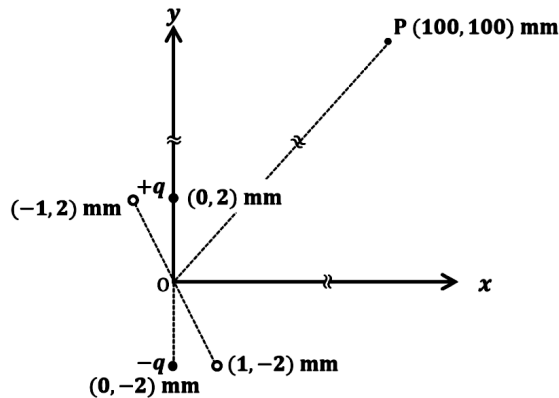
# PHYSICS

## SECTION – 1 (Maximum Mark : 12)

- This section contains **FOUR (04)** questions.
- Each question has four options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **Only one** of these four option is the correct answer.
- For each question, choose the option corresponding to the correct answer.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

Full Marks	: +3	If <b>ONLY</b> the correct option is chosen;
Zero Marks	: 0	If none of the option is chosen (i.e. the question is unanswered);
Negative Marks	: -1	In all other cases.

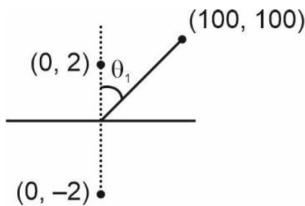
**Q.1** An electric dipole is formed by two charges  $+q$  and  $-q$  located in  $xy$ -plane at  $(0, 2)$  mm and  $(0, -2)$  mm, respectively, as shown in the figure. The electric potential at point P  $(100, 100)$  mm due to the dipole is  $V_0$ . The charges  $+q$  and  $-q$  are then moved to the points  $(-1, 2)$  mm and  $(1, -2)$  mm, respectively. What is the value of electric potential at P due to the new dipole?



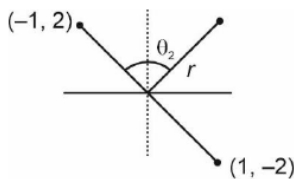
- (A)  $V_0 / 4$                       (B)  $V_0 / 2$                       (C)  $V_0 / \sqrt{2}$                       (D)  $3V_0 / 4$

**Ans. [B]**

**Sol.**  $V_1 \propto \frac{p_1 \cos \theta_1}{r_1^3}$



$V_2 \propto \frac{p_2 \cos \theta_2}{r_2^3}$



$$\frac{V_2}{V_1} = \frac{p_2 \cos \theta_2}{p_1 \cos \theta_1}$$

$$\frac{V_2}{V_1} = \frac{q(-2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}) \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j})}{q(0\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}) \cdot (\hat{i} + \hat{j})} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_2 = \frac{V_0}{2}$$

**Q.2** Young's modulus of elasticity  $Y$  is expressed in terms of three derived quantities, namely the gravitational constant  $G$ , Plank's constant  $h$  and the speed of light  $c$ , as  $Y = c^\alpha h^\beta G^\gamma$ . Which of the following is the correct option?

(A)  $\alpha = 7, \beta = -1, \gamma = -2$

(B)  $\alpha = -7, \beta = -1, \gamma = -2$

(C)  $\alpha = 7, \beta = -1, \gamma = 2$

(D)  $\alpha = -7, \beta = 1, \gamma = -2$

**Ans.** [A]

**Sol.**  $Y = c^\alpha h^\beta G^\gamma$

$$[M^1 L^{-1} T^{-2}] = [M^0 L^1 T^{-1}]^\alpha [M^1 L^2 T^{-1}]^\beta [M^{-1} L^3 T^{-2}]^\gamma$$

$$1 = \beta - \gamma$$

$$-1 = \alpha + 2\beta + 3\gamma$$

$$-2 = -\alpha - \beta - 2\gamma$$

Solving

$$\alpha = 7, \beta = -1, \gamma = -2$$

**Q.3** A particle of mass  $m$  is moving in the  $xy$ -plane such that its velocity at a point  $(x, y)$  is given as  $\vec{v} = \alpha(y\hat{x} + 2x\hat{y})$ , where  $\alpha$  is a non-zero constant. What is the force  $\vec{F}$  acting on the particle?

(A)  $\vec{F} = 2m\alpha^2(x\hat{x} + y\hat{y})$  (B)  $\vec{F} = m\alpha^2(y\hat{x} + 2x\hat{y})$  (C)  $\vec{F} = 2m\alpha^2(y\hat{x} + x\hat{y})$  (D)  $\vec{F} = m\alpha^2(x\hat{x} + 2y\hat{y})$

**Ans.** [A]

**Sol.**  $F = m \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt}$

$$\vec{v} = \alpha(y\hat{x} + 2x\hat{y})$$

$$\frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = \alpha \left( \frac{dy}{dt} \hat{x} + 2 \frac{dx}{dt} \hat{y} \right)$$

$$= \alpha(v_y \hat{x} + 2v_x \hat{y})$$

$$= \alpha[2x\alpha \hat{x} + 2\alpha y \hat{y}]$$

$$= 2\alpha^2[x\hat{x} + y\hat{y}]$$

$$\vec{F} = 2m\alpha^2[x\hat{x} + y\hat{y}]$$

**Q.4** An ideal gas is in thermodynamic equilibrium. The number of degrees of freedom of a molecule of the gas is  $n$ . The internal energy of one mole of the gas is  $U_n$  and the speed of sound in the gas is  $v_n$ . At a fixed temperature and pressure, which of the following is the correct option?

(A)  $v_3 < v_6$  and  $U_3 > U_6$  (B)  $v_5 > v_3$  and  $U_3 > U_5$  (C)  $v_5 > v_7$  and  $U_5 < U_7$  (D)  $v_6 < v_7$  and  $U_6 < U_7$

**Ans.** [C]

**Sol.**  $U_n = \frac{1 \times n \times RT}{2} = \frac{nRT}{2}$

$$v_n = \sqrt{\frac{\gamma RT}{M}} = \sqrt{\frac{\left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right) RT}{M}}$$

$$\Rightarrow U_7 > U_5 \text{ and } U_7 > U_6$$

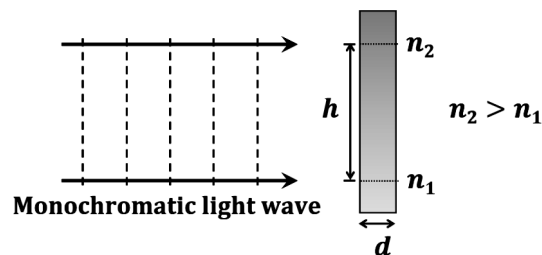
$$\text{and } v_5 > v_7$$

**SECTION – 2 (Maximum Mark : 12)**

- This section contains **THREE (03)** questions
- Each question has **FOUR** options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **ONE OR MORE THAN ONE** of these four option(s) is (are) correct answer(s).
- For each question, choose the option(s) corresponding to (all) the correct answer(s).
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

Full Marks	: +4	<b>ONLY</b> If (all) the correct option(s) is (are) chosen.
Partial Marks	: +3	If all the four options are correct but <b>ONLY</b> three options are chosen.
Partial Marks	: +2	If three or more options are correct but <b>ONLY</b> two options are chosen, both of which are correct.
Partial Marks	: +1	If two or more options are correct but <b>ONLY</b> one option is chosen and it is a correct option.
Zero Marks	: 0	If unanswered;
Negative Marks	: -2	In all other cases.
- For example, in a question, if (A), (B) and (D) are the **ONLY** three options corresponding to correct answers, than
  - choosing **ONLY** (A), (B) and (D) will get +4 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) and (B) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) and (D) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (B) and (D) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing **ONLY** (B) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing **ONLY** (D) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing no option(s) (i.e. the question is unanswered) will get 0 marks and choosing any other option(s) will get -2 marks.

- Q.5** A monochromatic light wave is incident normally on a glass slab of thickness  $d$ , as shown in the figure. The refractive index of the slab increases linearly from  $n_1$  to  $n_2$  over the height  $h$ . Which of the following statement(s) is(are) true about the light wave emerging out of the slab?



(A) It will deflect up by an angle  $\tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(n_2^2 - n_1^2)d}{2h} \right]$

(B) It will deflect up by an angle  $\tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(n_2 - n_1)d}{h} \right]$

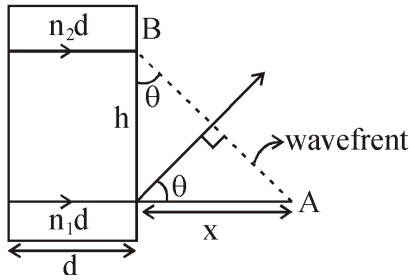
(C) It will not deflect.

(D) The deflection angle depends only on  $(n_2 - n_1)$  and not the individual values of  $n_1$  and  $n_2$ .

**Ans. [B.D]**



Sol.



Phase at A and B should be same, so equating optical path :

$$n_2 d = n_1 d + x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (n_2 - n_1) d$$

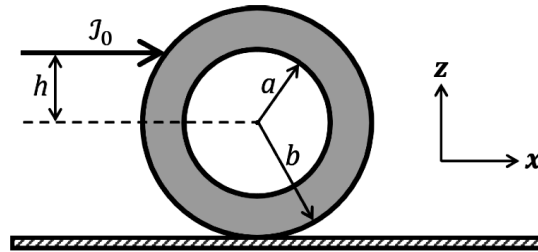
$$\tan \theta = \frac{x}{h} = \frac{(n_2 - n_1) d}{h} = \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{(n_2 - n_1) d}{h} \right\}$$

(B) is correct

$\theta$  depends upon  $(n_2 - n_1)$

So (D) is also correct

- Q.6** An annular disk of mass  $M$ , inner radius  $a$  and outer radius  $b$  is placed on a horizontal surface with coefficient of friction  $\mu$ , as shown in figure. At some time, an impulse  $J_0 \hat{x}$  is applied at a height  $h$  above the center of the disk. If  $h = h_m$  then the disk rolls without slipping along the  $x$ -axis. Which of the following statement(s) is(are) correct?



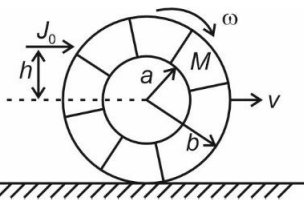
- (A) For  $\mu \neq 0$  and  $a \rightarrow 0$ ,  $h_m = b/2$ .
- (B) For  $\mu \neq 0$  and  $a \rightarrow 2b$ ,  $h_m = b$ .
- (C) For  $h = h_m$ , the initial angular velocity does not depend on the inner radius  $a$ .
- (D) For  $\mu = 0$  and  $h = 0$ , the wheel slides without rolling.

**Ans.** [A,B,C,D]

**Sol.**  $\vec{J} = \Delta \vec{p}$

$$\Rightarrow J_0 = MV \quad \dots(i)$$

About



$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{j} = \Delta \vec{L}$$

$$\Rightarrow J_0 \times h = \frac{M}{2} (a^2 + b^2) \omega \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{If } h = h_m \Rightarrow \omega = \frac{v}{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow J_0 \times h_m = \left(\frac{m}{2}\right)(a^2 + b^2) \frac{v}{b} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Equation (i) ÷ Equation (ii)

$$\Rightarrow h_m = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{2b}$$

If  $a \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow h_m = b/2$

If  $a \rightarrow b \Rightarrow h_m = b$

If  $h = h_m \Rightarrow \omega$  is independent of  $a$  (equation A)

If  $r = 0, h = 0 \Rightarrow$  always sliding

**Q.7** The electric field associated with an electromagnetic wave propagating in a dielectric medium is given

by  $\vec{E} = 30(2\hat{x} + \hat{y}) \sin \left[ 2\pi \left( 5 \times 10^{14} t - \frac{10^7}{3} z \right) \right] \text{ Vm}^{-1}$ . Which of the following option(s) is (are) correct?

[Given: The speed of light in vacuum,  $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ ]

(A)  $B_x = -2 \times 10^{-7} \sin \left[ 2\pi \left( 5 \times 10^{14} t - \frac{10^7}{3} z \right) \right] \text{ Wb m}^{-2}$

(B)  $B_y = 2 \times 10^{-7} \sin \left[ 2\pi \left( 5 \times 10^{14} t - \frac{10^7}{3} z \right) \right] \text{ Wb m}^{-2}$

(C) The wave is polarized in the  $xy$ -plane with polarization angle  $30^\circ$  with respect to the  $x$ -axis.

(D) The refractive index of the medium is 2.

**Ans.** [A,D]

**Sol.** Speed of light in medium is  $V = \omega/k$

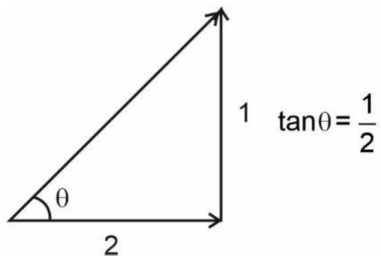
$$V = \frac{3 \times 5 \times 10^{14}}{10^7}$$

$$V = 1.5 \times 10^8$$

$$\text{Refractive index } \mu = \frac{C}{V} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{1.5 \times 10^8} = 2$$

$$\mu = 2$$

$$\text{Given } \vec{E} = 30(2\hat{x} + \hat{y}) \sin \left[ 2\pi \left( 5 \times 10^{14} t - \frac{10^7}{3} z \right) \right]^{1/m}$$



$$B_0 = \frac{E_0}{V} = \frac{30\sqrt{5}}{1.5 \times 10^8}$$

Direction of  $\vec{B}_0$  is  $(\vec{v} \times \vec{E})$

$$\vec{v} \times \vec{E} = \hat{k} \times \frac{(2\hat{i} + \hat{j})}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\left( \frac{-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j}}{\sqrt{5}} \right) \text{ put value } \vec{B}_0 = \frac{30\sqrt{5}}{1.5 \times 10^8} \times \left( \frac{-\hat{i} + 2\hat{j}}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$$

$$B_x = -2 \times 10^7$$

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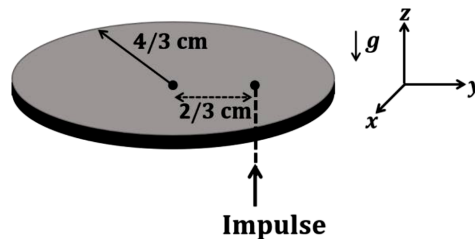
**SECTION – 3 (Maximum Marks: 24)**


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- This section contains **SIX (06)** questions.
  - The answer to each question is a **NON-NEGATIVE INTERGER**.
  - For each question, enter the correct integer corresponding to the answer using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.
  - Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

Full Marks	: +4	If <b>ONLY</b> the correct integer is entered;
Zero Marks	: 0	In all other cases.
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- Q.8** A thin circular coin of mass 5 gm and radius 4/3 cm is initially in a horizontal xy-plane. The coin is tossed vertically up (+z direction) by applying an impulse of  $\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \times 10^{-2}$  N-s at a distance 2/3 cm from its center. The coin spins about its diameter and moves along the +z direction. By the time the coin reaches back to its initial position, it completes n rotations. The value of n is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 [Given: The acceleration due to gravity  $g = 10 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ ]



**Ans.** [30]

**Sol.** By impulse – momentum theorem :

$$J = MV_{CM}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{CM} = \frac{J}{M} = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}}{100 \times \frac{5}{1000}} = \sqrt{2\pi} \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Total time of journey} = \frac{2}{g} \times \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta t = \frac{\sqrt{2\pi}}{5} \text{ sec}$$

Also, by angular impulse – momentum theorem:

$$J \times \frac{R}{2} = \left[ \frac{MR^2}{4} \right] \omega$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega = \frac{J \times \frac{R}{2}}{MR^2} = \frac{J}{MR} \times 2 = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{\pi/2} \times 2}{100}}{\frac{5}{1000} \times \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{1}{100}}$$

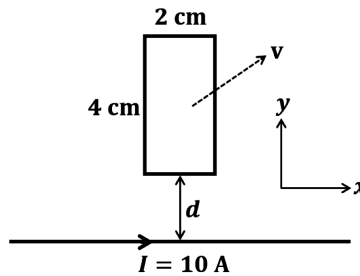
$$= 2 \times 75\sqrt{2\pi} \text{ rad/s}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Number of rotations} = \frac{\omega \cdot \Delta t}{2\pi} = \frac{2 \times 75\sqrt{2\pi} \times \frac{\sqrt{2\pi}}{5}}{2\pi} = 30$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 30$$

**Q.9** A rectangular conducting loop of length 4 cm and width 2 cm is in the xy-plane, as shown in the figure. It is being moved away from a thin and long conducting wire along the direction  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\hat{x} + \frac{1}{2}\hat{y}$  with a constant speed  $v$ . The wire is carrying a steady current  $I = 10$  A in the positive x-direction. A current of  $10\mu\text{A}$  flows through the loop when it is at a distance  $d = 4$  cm from the wire. If the resistance of the loop is  $0.1 \Omega$ , then the value of  $v$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{m s}^{-1}$ .

[Given: The permeability of free space  $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ NA}^{-2}$ ]



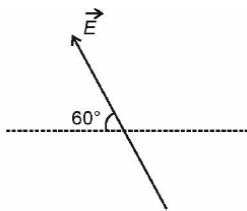
**Ans.** [4]

**Sol.** The two sides perpendicular to the wire would contribute net zero emf. For parallel sides :

$$\vec{E} = \vec{B} \times \vec{v}$$

$$= \frac{\mu_0 i}{2\pi x} \times v$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Net emf} = (E_1 \cos 60^\circ - E_2 \cos 60^\circ) \times \text{width}$$



$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{100} \times \frac{\mu_0 I v}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{4/100} - \frac{1}{8/100} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} \times 10^{-7} \times 2 \times 10 \times v \times 100 \times \frac{1}{8}$$

$$= 2.5v \times 10^{-7} = i \times R$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \frac{10 \times 10^{-6} \times 0.1}{2.5 \times 10^{-7}} = 4 \text{ m/s}$$

**Q.10** A string of length 1 m and mass  $2 \times 10^{-5}$  kg is under tension T. When the string vibrates, two successive harmonics are found to occur at frequencies 750 Hz and 1000 Hz. The value of tension T is \_\_\_\_\_ Newton.

**Ans.** [5]

**Sol.**  $\ell = 1\text{m}$ ,  $m = 2 \times 10^{-5}$  kg, T : Tension in the string.

$\therefore$  Successive frequencies are being given

$\therefore$  It is the case of both ends fixed.

$$\text{Now, } f_{n+1} - f_n = 1000 - 750$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(n+1)}{2\ell} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}} - \frac{n}{2\ell} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}} = 250$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2\ell} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}} = 250$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{T}{2 \times 10^{-5}}} = 250 \times 2 \times 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{T}{2 \times 10^{-5}} = 25 \times 10^4$$

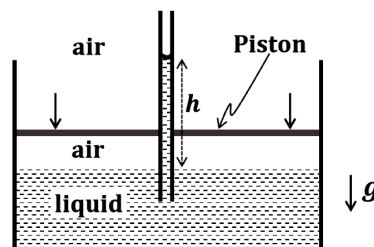
$$\Rightarrow T = 50 \times 10^{-1}$$

$$T = 5\text{N}$$

**Q.11** An incompressible liquid is kept in a container having a weightless piston with a hole. A capillary tube of inner radius 0.1 mm is dipped vertically into the liquid through the airtight piston hole, as shown in the figure. The air in the container is isothermally compressed from its original volume  $V_0$  to  $\frac{100}{101} V_0$

with the movable piston. Considering air as an ideal gas, the height (h) of the liquid column in the capillary above the liquid level in cm is \_\_\_\_\_.

[Given: Surface tension of the liquid is  $0.075 \text{ N m}^{-1}$ , atmospheric pressure is  $10^5 \text{ Nm}^{-2}$ , acceleration due to gravity (g) is  $10 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ , density of the liquid is  $10^3 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$  and contact angle of capillary surface with the liquid is zero]



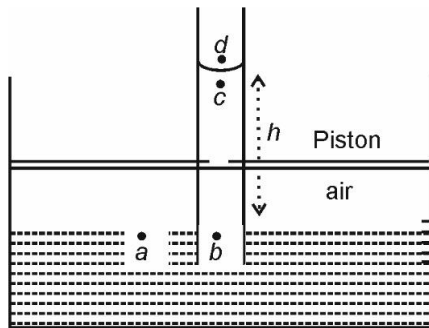
**Ans.** [25]

**Sol.** Let  $P_f$  be the air pressure

$$P_0 V_0 = P_f V_f$$

$$P_0 V_0 = P_f \left( \frac{100}{101} \right) V_0$$

$$P_f = 101 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa} \quad (\because P_0 = 10^5 \text{ Nm}^{-2})$$



Now, consider the 4 points shown in diagram

$$P_d - P_c = \frac{2T}{R} \quad (\because P_d = P_0)$$

$$\therefore P_c = P_0 - \frac{2T}{R}$$

Now,

$$P_a = P_b \quad (\text{also, } P_a = P_f)$$

$$P_f = \rho gh + P_c$$

$$101 \times 10^3 = (10^3 \times 10 \times h) + \left( 10^5 - \frac{2 \times 0.075}{0.1 \times 10^{-3}} \right)$$

$$h = \frac{1}{4} \text{ m} = 25 \text{ cm}$$

- Q.12** In a radioactive decay process, the activity is defined as  $A = -\frac{dN}{dt}$ , where  $N(t)$  is the number of radioactive nuclei at time  $t$ . Two radioactive sources  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  have same activity at time  $t = 0$ . At a later time, the activities of  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  are  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ , respectively. When  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  have just completed their 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> half lives, respectively, the ratio  $A_1/A_2$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans. [16]**

**Sol.**  $A_1 = A_0 e^{-\lambda_1 t_1}$

also  $A_2 = A_0 e^{-\lambda_2 t_2}$

at  $t_1 = \frac{3 \ln 2}{\lambda_1}$ ,

$$A_1 = A_0 e^{-\lambda_1 \frac{3 \ln 2}{\lambda_1}} = A_0 e^{-3 \ln 2}$$

Similarly, at

$$t_2 = \frac{7 \ln 2}{\lambda_2},$$

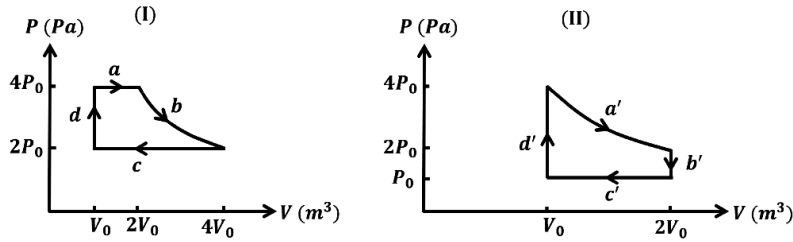
$$A_2 = A_0 e^{-\lambda_2 \frac{7 \ln 2}{\lambda_2}} = A_0 e^{-7 \ln 2} \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$\frac{A_1}{A_2} = \frac{A_0 e^{-3 \ln 2}}{A_0 e^{-7 \ln 2}} = \frac{2^{-3}}{2^{-7}} = \frac{1}{2^{-4}} = 2^4 = 16$$

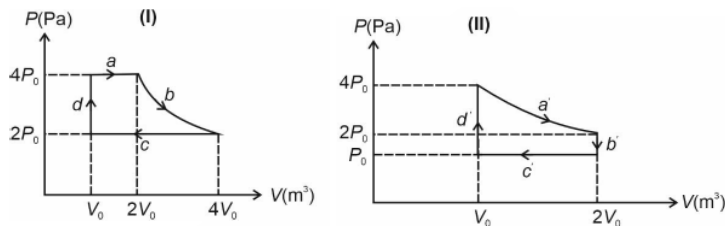
$$\therefore \frac{A_1}{A_2} = 16$$

**Q.13** One mole of an ideal gas undergoes two different cyclic processes I and II, as shown in the P-V diagrams below. In cycle I, processes a, b, c and d are isobaric, isothermal, isobaric and isochoric, respectively. In cycle II, processes a', b', c' and d' are isothermal, isochoric, isobaric and isochoric, respectively. The total work done during cycle I is  $W_I$  and the during cycle II is  $W_{II}$ . The ratio  $W_I/W_{II}$  is \_\_\_\_\_.



**Ans. [2]**

**Sol.**



$$W_I = W_a + W_b + W_c + W_d$$

$$= 4P_0(2V_0 - V_0) + nRT \ln \left( \frac{4V_0}{2V_0} \right) + 2P_0(V_0 - 4V_0) + 0$$

$$= 4P_0V_0 + nR \left( \frac{8P_0V_0}{nR} \right) \ln 2 - 6P_0V_0$$

$$= 8P_0V_0 \ln 2 - 2P_0V_0$$

$$W_{II} = W_{a'} + W_{b'} + W_{c'} + W_{d'}$$

$$= nRT \ln \left( \frac{2V_0}{V_0} \right) + 0 + P_0(V_0 - 2V_0) + 0$$

$$= nR \left( \frac{4P_0V_0}{nR} \right) \ln 2 - P_0V_0$$

$$= 4P_0V_0 \ln 2 - P_0V_0$$

$$\frac{W_I}{W_{II}} = \frac{8P_0V_0 \ln 2 - 2P_0V_0}{4P_0V_0 \ln 2 - P_0V_0} = 2$$

### SECTION – 4 (Maximum Marks: 12)

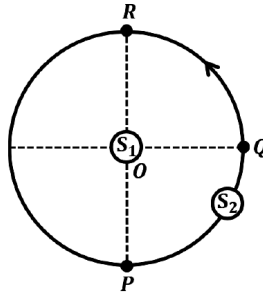
- This section contains **TWO (02)** paragraphs.
- Based on each paragraph, there are **TWO (02)** questions.
- The answer to each question is a **NUMERICAL VALUE**.
- For each question, enter the correct numerical value of the answer using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.
- If the numerical value has more than two decimal places, **truncate/round-off** the value to **TWO** decimal places.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

Full Marks	: +3	f <b>ONLY</b> the correct numerical value is entered in the designated place;
Zero Marks	: 0	In all other cases.

**PARAGRAPH I (Q.14 & 15)**

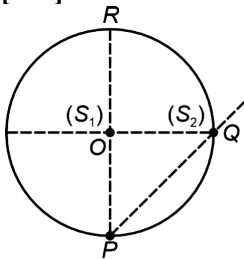
$S_1$  and  $S_2$  are two identical sound sources of frequency 656 Hz. The source  $S_1$  is located at  $O$  and  $S_2$  moves anti-clockwise with a uniform speed  $4\sqrt{2}$  m s<sup>-1</sup> on a circular path around  $O$ , as shown in the figure. There are three points  $P$ ,  $Q$  and  $R$  on this path such that  $P$  and  $R$  are diametrically opposite while  $Q$  is equidistant from them. A sound detector is placed at point  $P$ . The source  $S_1$  can move along direction  $OP$ .

[Given: The speed of sound in air is 324 m s<sup>-1</sup>]



**Q.14** When only  $S_2$  is emitting sound and it is at  $Q$ , the frequency of sound measured by the detector in Hz is

**Ans.** [648]



**Sol.**

$$f_0 = 656 \text{ Hz}$$

Velocity of sound = 324 m/s.

Velocity of source away from detector

$$V_s = 4\sqrt{2} \cos 45^\circ = 4 \text{ m/s}$$

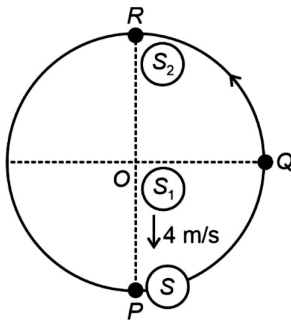
$$\therefore f = \left( \frac{v}{v + v_s} \right) f_0 = \left( \frac{324}{324 + 4} \right) 656$$

$$f = 648 \text{ Hz.}$$

**Q.15** Consider both sources emitting sound. When  $S_2$  is at  $R$  and  $S_1$  approaches the detector with a speed 4m s<sup>-1</sup>, the beat frequency measured by the detector is \_\_\_\_ Hz.

**Ans.** [8.20]

**Sol.**



$$f_0 = 656 \text{ Hz}$$



$$v = 324 \text{ m/s}$$

Frequency heard due to movement of ( $S_1$ )

$$f_1 = \left( \frac{v}{v - u_s} \right) f_0$$

$$f_1 = \frac{324}{320} \times 656$$

And frequency heard due to movement of ( $S_2$ )

$$f_2 = 656 \text{ Hz}$$

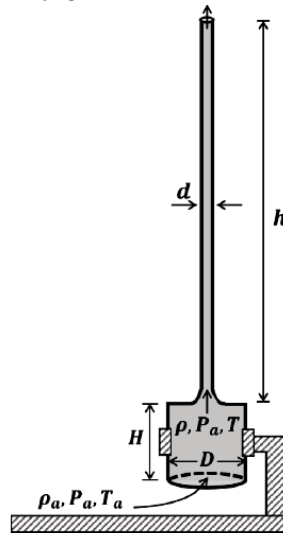
$$\therefore \text{Beat frequency } \Delta f = f_1 - f_2 = 656 \left( \frac{324}{320} - 1 \right)$$

$$\Delta f = 8.2$$

**PARAGRAPH II (Q.16 & 17)**

A cylindrical furnace has height ( $H$ ) and diameter ( $D$ ) both 1m. It is maintained at temperature 360 K. The air gets heated inside the furnace at constant pressure  $P_a$  and its temperature becomes  $T = 360 \text{ K}$ . The hot air with density  $\rho$  rises up a vertical chimney of diameter  $d = 0.1 \text{ m}$  and height  $h = 9 \text{ m}$  above the furnace and exits the chimney (see the figure). As a result, atmospheric air of density  $\rho_a = 1.2 \text{ Kg m}^{-3}$ , pressure  $P_a$  and temperature  $T_a = 300\text{K}$  enters the furnace. Assume air as an ideal gas, neglect the variations in  $\rho$  and  $T$  inside the chimney and the furnace. Also ignore the viscous effects.

[Given: The acceleration due to gravity  $g = 10 \text{ ms}^{-2}$  and  $\pi = 3.14$ ]



**Q.16** Considering the air flow to be streamline, the steady mass flow rate of air exiting the chimney is \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{gm s}^{-1}$

**Ans.** [47.10]

**Sol.**  $\because PM = \rho RT$

And  $P$  inside furnace is constant

$$\therefore \rho RT = \text{constant}$$

$$\text{or } \rho T = \text{constant}$$

$$\therefore \rho_a T_a = \rho T$$

$$1.2(300) = \rho(360)$$

$$\rho = 1 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

Now, applying Bernoulli's theorem at the bottom and the top of chimney

$$P_a + \frac{1}{2} \rho(0)^2 + 0 = (P_a - \rho_a g h) + \frac{1}{2} \rho(v^2) + \rho g h$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{2(\rho_a - \rho)gh}{\rho}}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = 6 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dm}{dt} \text{ at exit} = \rho v \left( \frac{\pi d^2}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1 \times 6 \times 3.14 \times (0.1)^2}{4}$$

$$= 0.0471 \text{ kg/s}$$

$$= 47.10 \text{ g/s}$$

**Q.17** When the chimney is closed using a cap at the top, a pressure difference  $\Delta P$  develops between the top and the bottom surfaces of the cap. If the changes in the temperature and density of the hot air, due to the stoppage of air flow, are negligible then the value of  $\Delta P$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{Nm}^{-2}$

**Ans.** [18.00]

**Sol.**

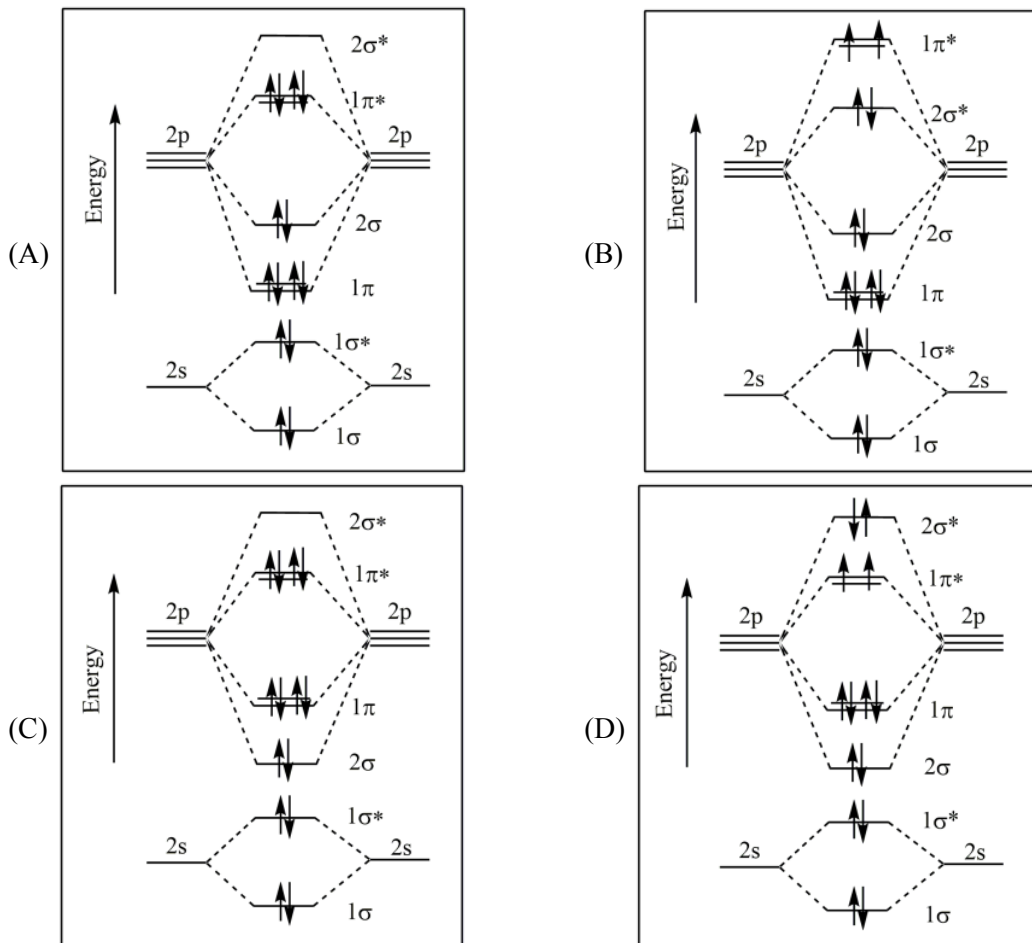
# CHEMISTRY

## SECTION – 1 (Maximum Mark : 12)

- This section contains **FOUR (04)** questions.
- Each question has four options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **Only one** of these four option is the correct answer.
- For each question, choose the option corresponding to the correct answer.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

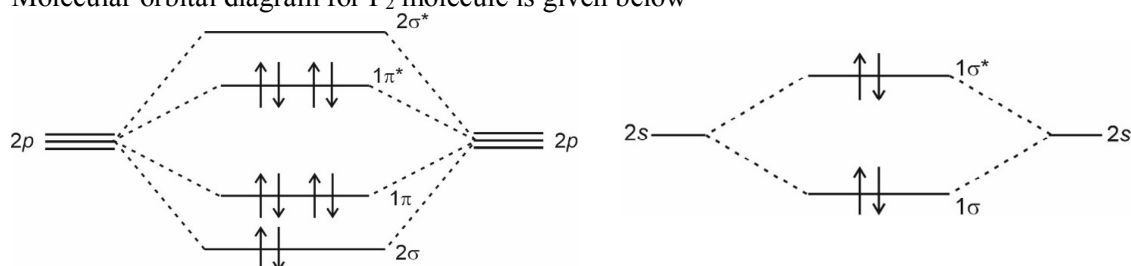
Full Marks	: +3	If <b>ONLY</b> the correct option is chosen;
Zero Marks	: 0	If none of the option is chosen (i.e. the question is unanswered);
Negative Marks	: -1	In all other cases.

**Q.1** The correct molecular orbital diagram for  $F_2$  molecule in the ground state is



**Ans.** [C]

**Sol.** Molecular orbital diagram for  $F_2$  molecule is given below



Hence the correct option is (C).

- Q.2** Consider the following statements related to colloids.
- (I) Lyophobic colloids are **not** formed by simple mixing of dispersed phase and dispersion medium.  
 (II) For emulsions, both the dispersed phase and the dispersion medium are liquid.  
 (III) Micelles are produced by dissolving a surfactant in any solvent at any temperature.  
 (IV) Tyndall effect can be observed from a colloidal solution with dispersed phase having the same refractive index as that of the dispersion medium.

The option with the correct set of statements is

- (A) (I) and (II)                      (B) (II) and (III)                      (C) (III) and (IV)                      (D) (II) and (IV)

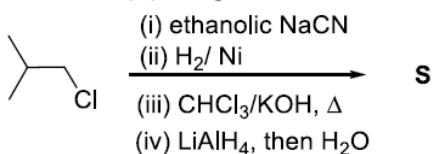
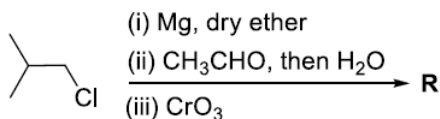
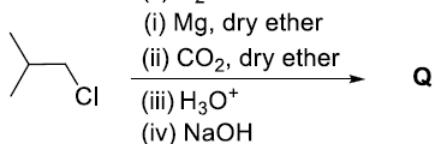
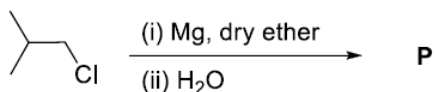
**Ans.** [A]

**Sol.** Lyophobic colloids are not formed by simple mixing of dispersed phase and dispersion medium. Their colloidal sols can be prepared only by special methods. Emulsion are colloids of liquid dispersed phase and liquid dispersion medium.

Micelles formation occurs when temperature is above a particular temperature called Kraft temperature  $T_K$  and concentration above a particular value know as critical micelle concentration (CMC).

Tyndall effect can be observed when the refractive indices of the dispersed phase and the dispersion medium differ greatly in magnitude.

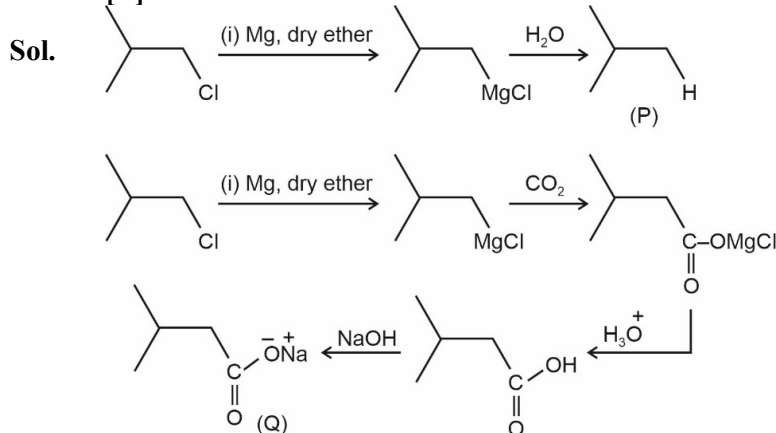
- Q.3** In the following reactions, P, Q, R, and S are the major products.



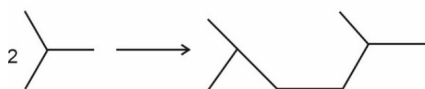
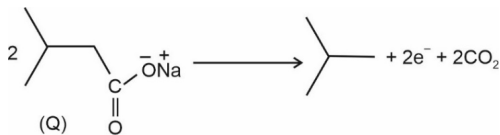
The correct statement about **P**, **Q**, **R**, and **S** is

- (A) **P** is a primary alcohol with four carbons.  
 (B) **Q** undergoes Kolbe's electrolysis to give an eight-carbon product.  
 (C) **R** has six carbons and it undergoes Cannizzaro reaction.  
 (D) **S** is a primary amine with six carbons.

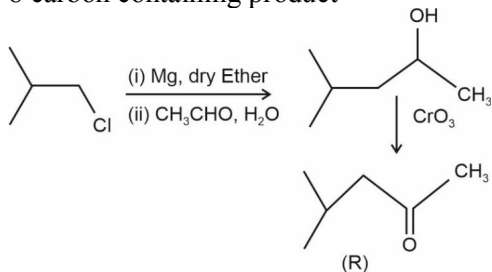
**Ans.** [B]



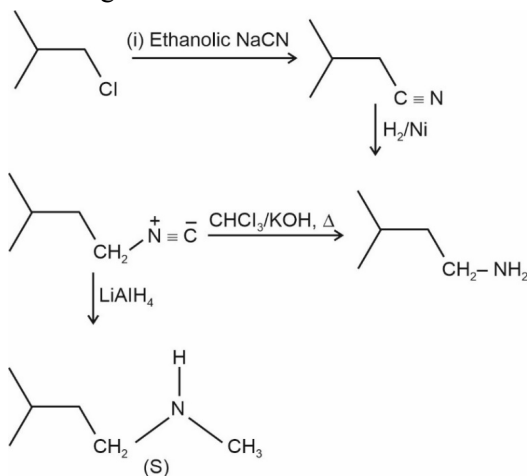
Kolbe electrolysis :



8 carbon containing product



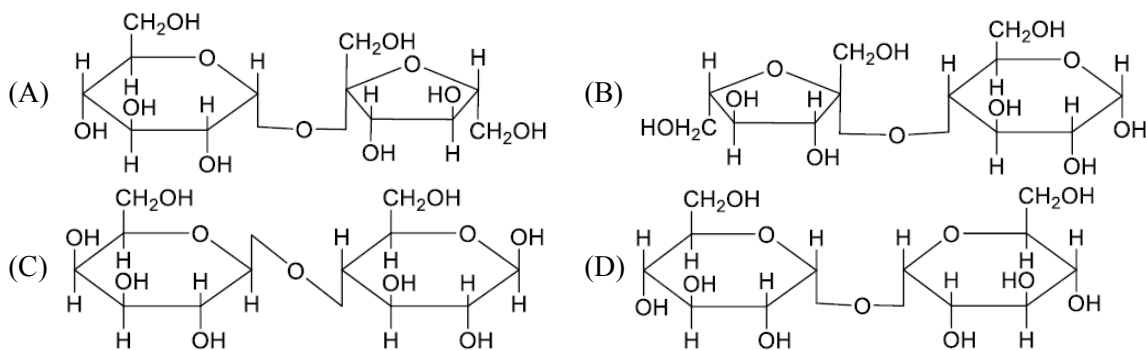
It undergoes aldol reaction not Cannizzaro.



Secondary amine

Since only Q fulfilled all the given conditions.  
Hence, the correct option is (B).

**Q.4** A disaccharide X cannot be oxidised by bromine water. The acid hydrolysis of X leads to a laevorotatory solution. The disaccharide X is



**Ans.** [A]

**Sol.** A and D cannot be oxidised by bromine water as they do not have hemiacetal linkage.  
The acid hydrolysis of A leads to a laevorotatory solution.

A is sucrose which is dextrorotatory, on acid hydrolysis gives mixture of  $\alpha$ -D-glucose and  $\beta$ -D-fructose, the mixture is laevorotatory.

### SECTION – 2 (Maximum Mark : 12)

- This section contains **THREE (03)** questions
- Each question has **FOUR** options (A), (B), (C) and (D). **ONE OR MORE THAN ONE** of these four option(s) is (are) correct answer(s).
- For each question, choose the option(s) corresponding to (all) the correct answer(s).
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
  - Full Marks : +4 **ONLY** If (all) the correct option(s) is (are) chosen.
  - Partial Marks : +3 If all the four options are correct but **ONLY** three options are chosen.
  - Partial Marks : +2 If three or more options are correct but **ONLY** two options are chosen, both of which are correct.
  - Partial Marks : +1 If two or more options are correct but **ONLY** one option is chosen and it is a correct option.
  - Zero Marks : 0 If unanswered;
  - Negative Marks : -2 In all other cases.
- For example, in a question, if (A), (B) and (D) are the **ONLY** three options corresponding to correct answers, than
  - choosing **ONLY** (A), (B) and (D) will get +4 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) and (B) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) and (D) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (B) and (D) will get +2 marks;
  - choosing **ONLY** (A) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing **ONLY** (B) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing **ONLY** (D) will get +1 mark;
  - choosing no option(s) (i.e. the question is unanswered) will get 0 marks and choosing any other option(s) will get -2 marks.

**Q.5** The complex(es), which can exhibit the type of isomerism shown by  $[\text{Pt}(\text{NH}_3)_2\text{Br}_2]$ , is(are)  $[\text{en} = \text{H}_2\text{NCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2]$   
(A)  $[\text{Pt}(\text{en})(\text{SCN})_2]$  (B)  $[\text{Zn}(\text{NH}_3)_2\text{Cl}_2]$  (C)  $[\text{Pt}(\text{NH}_3)_2\text{Cl}_4]$  (D)  $[\text{Cr}(\text{en})_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})(\text{SO}_4)]^+$

**Ans.** [C, D]

**Sol.**  $[\text{Pt}(\text{NH}_3)_2\text{Cl}_2]$  can exhibit G.I.  
G.I. can be shown by  
 $[\text{Pt}(\text{NH}_3)_2\text{Cl}_4]$ ,  $[\text{Cr}(\text{en})_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})(\text{SO}_4)]^+$

**Q.6** Atoms of metals x, y, and z form face-centred cubic (fcc) unit cell of edge length  $L_x$ , body-centred cubic (bcc) unit cell of edge length  $L_y$ , and simple cubic unit cell of edge length  $L_z$ , respectively.

If  $r_z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} r_y$ ;  $r_y = \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}} r_x$ ;  $M_z = \frac{3}{2} M_y$  and  $M_z = 3M_x$ , then the correct statement(s) is are

[Given:  $M_x$ ,  $M_y$ , and  $M_z$  are molar masses of metals x, y, and z, respectively.  $r_x$ ,  $r_y$ , and  $r_z$  are atomic radii of metals x, y, and z, respectively.]

- (A) Packing efficiency of unit cell of x > Packing efficiency of unit cell of y > Packing efficiency of unit cell of z
- (B)  $L_y > L_z$
- (C)  $L_x > L_y$
- (D) Density of x > Density of y

**Ans.** [A,B,D]

**Sol.** Metal x forms FCC (edge length  $L_x$ )

Metal y forms BCC (edge length  $L_y$ )

Metal z forms SC (edge length  $L_z$ )

$$\text{Given } r_z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} r_y \quad \text{and } r_y = \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}} r_x$$

$$\therefore r_z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}} r_x = 4r_x$$

$$M_z = \frac{3}{2} M_y \quad M_x = 3M_x$$

$$\therefore M_y = 2M_x$$

Packing efficiency FCC > BCC > SC

Packing efficiency unit cell  $x > y > z$

In FCC unit cell:- atoms along the face diagonals are in contact.

$$\therefore \sqrt{2} L_x = 4r_x \Rightarrow L_x = 2\sqrt{2} r_x$$

In BCC unit cell: atoms along the body diagonal are

$$\therefore \sqrt{3} L_y = 4r_y \Rightarrow L_y = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} r_y = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}} r_x = \frac{32}{3} r_x$$

$$L_y = \frac{32}{3} r_x$$

In SC unit cell, atoms along the edge are in contact

$$\therefore L_z = 2r_z = 2 \times 4r_x = 8r_x$$

$$L_x = 2\sqrt{2} r_x$$

$$L_y = \frac{32}{3} r_x$$

$$L_z = 8r_x$$

$$\therefore L_y > L_z > L_x$$

Density of x (Number of atoms of x per unit cell ( $z$ ) = 4)

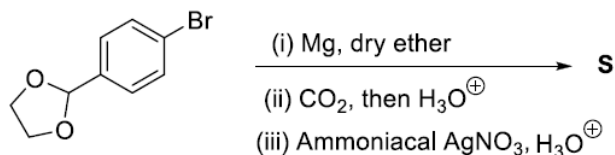
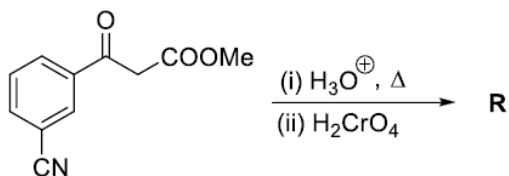
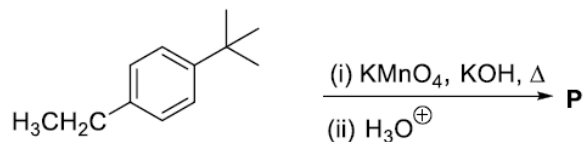
$$\begin{aligned} d_x &= \frac{zM_x}{(L_x)^3 N_A} = \frac{4 \times M_x}{(2\sqrt{2}r_x)^3 \times N_A} \\ &= \frac{4M_x}{16\sqrt{2}r_x^3 N_A} = \frac{M_x}{4\sqrt{2}r_x^3 N_A} \end{aligned}$$

Density of y: (Number of atoms of y per unit cell ( $z$ ) = 2)

$$d_y = \frac{zM_y}{(L_y)^3 N_A} = \frac{2 \times 2M_x}{\left(\frac{32}{3}r_x\right)^3 N_A} = \frac{108M_x}{32768r_x^3 N_A}$$

$\therefore$  Density of x > density of y.

**Q.7** In the following reactions, **P**, **Q**, **R**, and **S** are the major products.



The correct statement(s) about **P**, **Q**, **R**, and **S** is(are)

(A) **P** and **Q** are monomers of polymers dacron and glyptal, respectively.

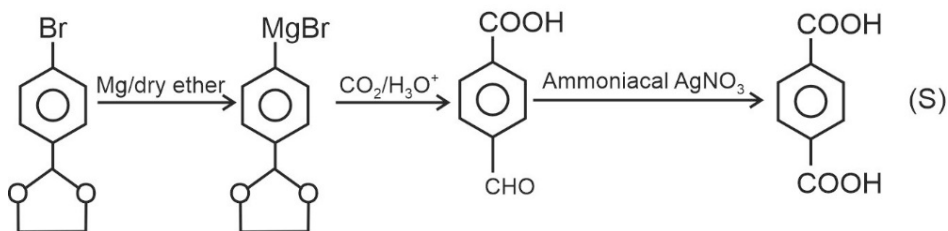
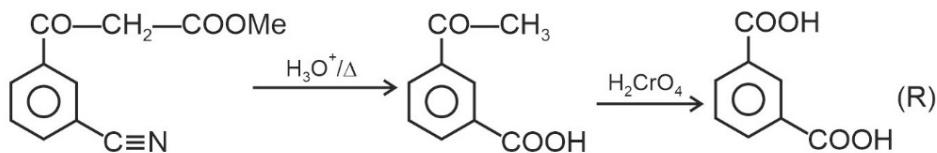
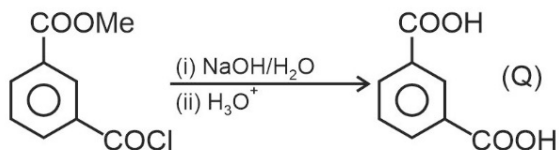
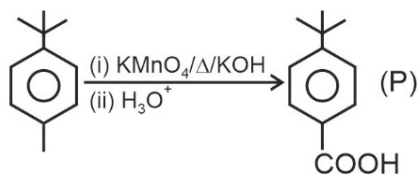
(B) **P**, **Q**, and **R** are dicarboxylic acids.

(C) Compounds **Q** and **R** are the same.

(D) **R** does **not** undergo aldol condensation and **S** does **not** undergo Cannizzaro reaction.

**Ans.** [C, D]

**Sol.**





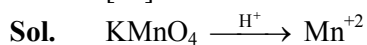
**SECTION – 3 (Maximum Marks: 24)**

- This section contains **SIX (06)** questions.
- The answer to each question is a **NON-NEGATIVE INTERGER**.
- For each question, enter the correct integer corresponding to the answer using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

Full Marks	: +4	If <b>ONLY</b> the correct integer is entered;
Zero Marks	: 0	In all other cases.

**Q.8**  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  (5 moles) reacts completely with acidified aqueous potassium permanganate solution. In this reaction, the number of moles of water produced is  $x$ , and the number of moles of electrons involved is  $y$ . The value of  $(x + y)$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans.** [18]



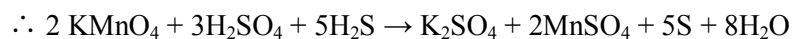
$$\therefore n_{\text{factor of KMnO}_4} = 5$$

$$n_{\text{factor of S}^{-2}(\text{H}_2\text{S})} = 2$$

$$(n_{\text{KMnO}_4} \times 5) = (5 \times 2)_{\text{H}_2\text{S}}$$

$$[(\text{GEN})_{\text{KMnO}_4} = (\text{GEP})_{\text{H}_2\text{S}}]$$

$$\therefore n_{\text{KMnO}_4} = 2$$



Number of moles of water produced = '8'

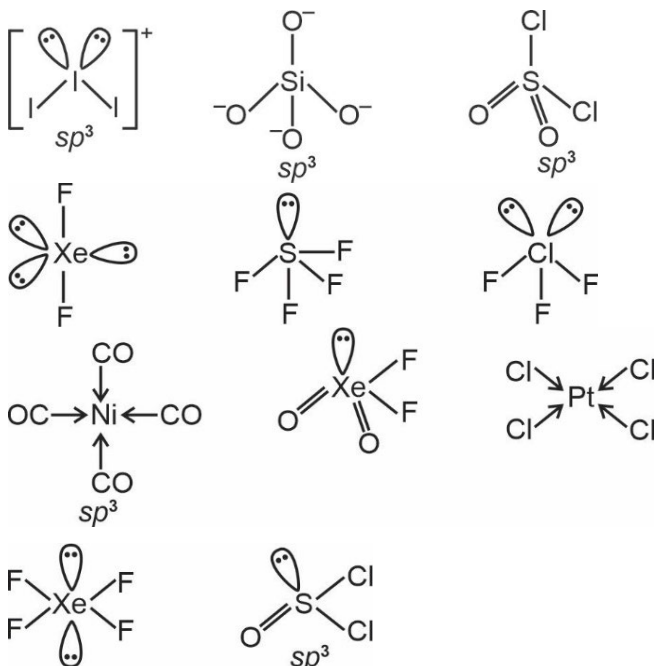
Number of moles of electrons involved = 10

$$\therefore x = 8, y = 10 \Rightarrow (x + y) = 18$$

**Q.9** Among  $[\text{I}_3]^+$ ,  $[\text{SiO}_4]^{4-}$ ,  $\text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{XeF}_2$ ,  $\text{SF}_4$ ,  $\text{ClF}_3$ ,  $\text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4$ ,  $\text{XeO}_2\text{F}_2$ ,  $[\text{PtCl}_4]^{2-}$ ,  $\text{XeF}_4$ , and  $\text{SOCl}_2$ , the total number of species having  $\text{sp}^3$  hybridised central atom is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans.** [5]

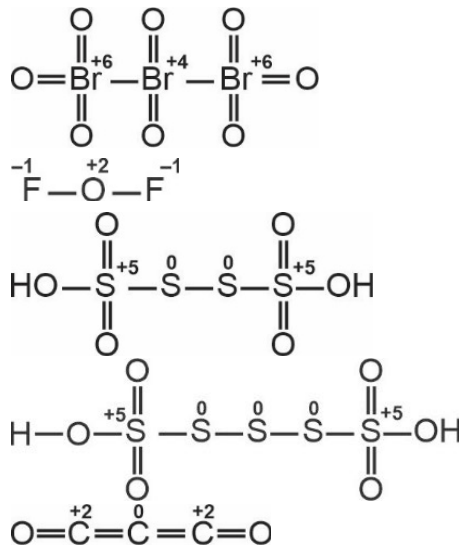
**Sol.**



**Q.10** Consider the following molecules:  $\text{Br}_3\text{O}_8$ ,  $\text{F}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_6$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_5\text{O}_6$ , and  $\text{C}_3\text{O}_2$ .  
Count the number of atoms existing in their zero oxidation state in each molecule.  
Their sum is \_\_\_\_.

**Ans.** [6]

**Sol.**



Total atom with zero oxidation number state are 6.

**Q.11** For  $\text{He}^+$ , a transition takes place from the orbit of radius 105.8 pm to the orbit of radius 26.45 pm. The wavelength (in nm) of the emitted photon during the transition is \_\_\_\_.

[Use: Bohr radius,  $a = 52.9$  pm; Rydberg constant,  $R_H = 2.2 \times 10^{-18}$  J; Planck's constant,  $h = 6.6 \times 10^{-34}$  J s; Speed of light,  $c = 3 \times 10^8$  m s $^{-1}$ ]

**Ans.** [30]

**Sol.**  $r = 52.9 \times \frac{n^2}{z}$  pm

$$\therefore 105.8 = \frac{52.9 \times n^2}{2} \quad \therefore n_2 = 2$$

$$\text{and } 26.45 = 52.9 \times \frac{n^2}{2} \quad \therefore n_1 = 1$$

$$\therefore \Delta E = R_H h c \times z^2 \left[ \frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{hc}{\lambda} = R_H h c \times z^2 \left[ \frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \times 3 \times 10^8}{\lambda} = 2.2 \times 10^{-18} \times 4 \times \left[ \frac{1}{1} - \frac{1}{4} \right]$$

$$\frac{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \times 3 \times 10^8}{\lambda} = 2.2 \times 10^{-18} \times 4 \times \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\therefore \lambda = 300 \text{ \AA}$$

$$\therefore \lambda = 30 \text{ nm}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mass of S} &= 0.009 \times 199 \\ &= 1.791 \text{ g} \\ &= 1791 \text{ mg} \end{aligned}$$

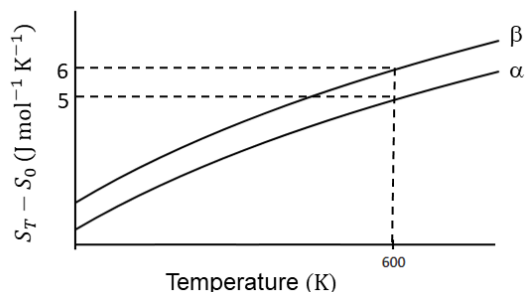
### SECTION – 4 (Maximum Marks: 12)

- This section contains **TWO (02)** paragraphs.
- Based on each paragraph, there are **TWO (02)** questions.
- The answer to each question is a **NUMERICAL VALUE**.
- For each question, enter the correct numerical value of the answer using the mouse and the on-screen virtual numeric keypad in the place designated to enter the answer.
- If the numerical value has more than two decimal places, **truncate/round-off** the value to **TWO** decimal places.
- Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme :
 

Full Marks	: +3	f <b>ONLY</b> the correct numerical value is entered in the designated place;
Zero Marks	: 0	In all other cases.

#### “PARAGRAPH I” (Q.14 & 15)

The entropy versus temperature plot for phases  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  at 1 bar pressure is given.  $S_T$  and  $S_0$  are entropies of the phases at temperatures  $T$  and 0 K, respectively.



The transition temperature for  $\alpha$  to  $\beta$  phase change is 600 K and  $C_{p,\beta} - C_{p,\alpha} = 1 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ . Assume  $(C_{p,\beta} - C_{p,\alpha})$  is independent of temperature in the range of 200 to 700 K.  $C_{p,\alpha}$  and  $C_{p,\beta}$  are heat capacities of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  phases, respectively.

**Q.14** The value of entropy change,  $S_\beta - S_\alpha$  (in  $\text{J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ ), at 300 K is \_\_\_\_.  
 [Use:  $\ln 2 = 0.69$ ; Given:  $S_\beta - S_\alpha = 0$  at 0 K]

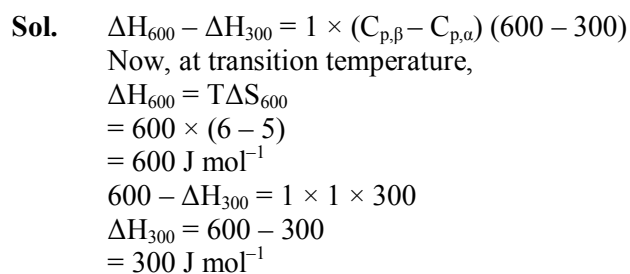
**Ans.** [0.31]

**Sol.**

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta S_{600} - \Delta S_{300} &= \int_{300}^{600} \frac{1 \times (C_{p,\beta} - C_{p,\alpha}) dT}{T} \\ &= 1 \times 1 \times \left( \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1} \right) \left( \begin{array}{l} T_2 = 600\text{k} \\ T_1 = 300\text{K} \end{array} \right) \\ 1 - \Delta S_{300} &= 1 \times 1 \times \ln 2 \\ \Delta S_{300} &= 1 - 0.69 \\ \Delta S_{300} &= 0.31 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

**Q.15** The value of enthalpy change,  $H_\beta - H_\alpha$  (in  $\text{J mol}^{-1}$ ), at 300 K is \_\_\_\_.

**Ans.** [300]


**“PARAGRAPH II” (Q.16 & 17)**

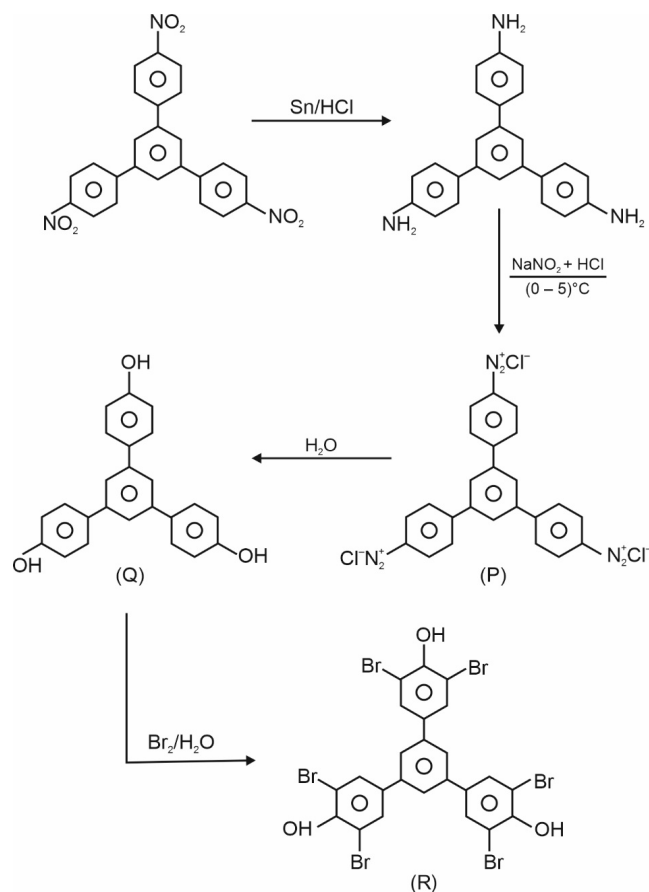
A trinitro compound, 1,3,5-tris-(4-nitrophenyl)benzene, on complete reaction with an excess of Sn/HCl gives a major product, which on treatment with an excess of NaNO<sub>2</sub>/HCl at 0°C provides **P** as the product.

**P**, upon treatment with excess of H<sub>2</sub>O at room temperature, gives the product **Q**. Bromination of **Q** in aqueous medium furnishes the product **R**. The compound **P** upon treatment with an excess of phenol under basic conditions gives the product **S**.

The molar mass difference between compounds **Q** and **R** is 474 g mol<sup>-1</sup> and between compounds **P** and **S** is 172.5 g mol<sup>-1</sup>.

**Q.16** The number of heteroatoms present in one molecule of **R** is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 [Use: Molar mass (in g mol<sup>-1</sup>): H = 1, C = 12, N = 14, O = 16, Br = 80, Cl = 35.5]  
 Atoms other than C and H are considered as heteroatoms]

**Ans.** [9]  
**Sol.**

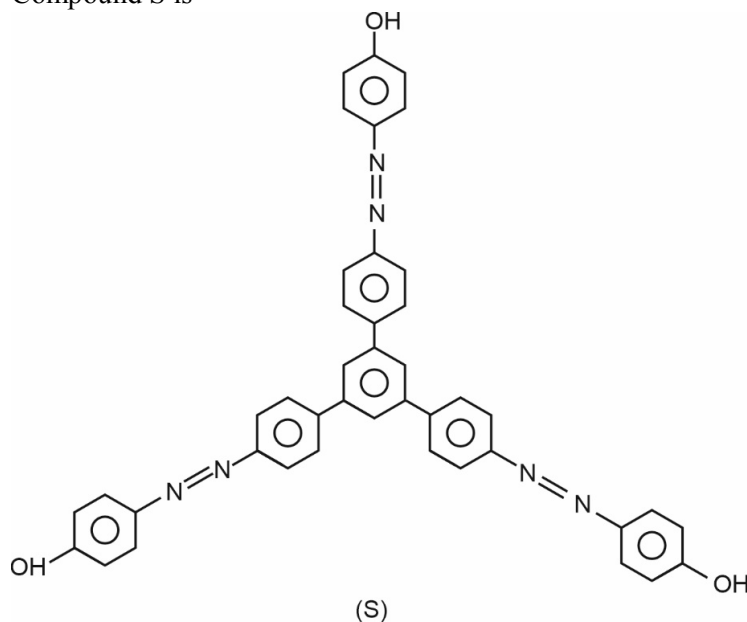


Number of Heteroatoms in R is 9.

**Q.17** The total number of carbon atoms and heteroatoms present in one molecule of **S** is \_\_\_\_\_.  
[Use: Molar mass (in g mol<sup>-1</sup>): H = 1, C = 12, N = 14, O = 16, Br = 80, Cl = 35.5  
Atoms other than C and H are considered as heteroatoms]

**Ans.** [51]

**Sol.** Compound S is



Number of carbon atoms + Number of Heteroatoms = 51