CGPET 2013

Solved Paper

Question 1

A given mass is suspended from a spring and time period for vertical oscillations is T_1 . The spring is now cut into two equal halves and the same mass is suspended from one piece of spring. Time period of vertical oscillations is now T_2 . The ratio of T_2/T_1 is

Options:

A. 1/2

B. $1/\sqrt{2}$

C. √2

D. 2

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

If a spring of spring constant k is cut into two equal parts, then spring constant of each part is 2k. Given, in Ist case $T_1 = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$ In second case, $T_2 = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{2k}}$ $\therefore \frac{T_2}{T_1} = \frac{2\pi\sqrt{m/2k}}{2\pi\sqrt{m/k}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Question 2

A bar pendulum hanged on its centre of gravity does not oscillate because

Options:

A. its time period is zero at that point

B. its time period is infinite at that point

C. its mass is zero at that point

D. its moment of inertia is zero at that point

Answer: B

C

Solution:

Solution:

It does not oscillate because its time period becomes infinite at that point, as $T = 2\pi \sqrt[\gamma]{\frac{1}{Mgl}}$, where 1 is the distance between the centres of suspension and CG of the pendulum.

Question 3

In Young's double slit experiment, interference fringes are produced due to two coherent sources 2d metre apart. Interference pattern is observed at distance D metre apart from the sources. If λ in metre is the wavelength of light, then the number of fringes appearing per metre on screen is

Options:

A.	<u>λD</u> d
B.	<u>λD</u> 2d

- C. $\frac{2d}{\lambda D}$
- D. $\frac{2D}{\lambda d}$

Answer: C

Solution:

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In Young's double slit experiment, fringe width is \frac{\lambda D}{d}. Let n be the number of fringes appearing per metre.
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\therefore 1 = \frac{n\lambda D}{2d}

\Rightarrow n = \frac{2d}{\lambda D}
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Question 4

The wavelength of ${\rm H}_\beta$ line of Balmer series for Hydrogen atom is

Options:

A. $4.9 \times 10^7 m$ B. $3.6 \times 10^{-7} m$ C. 4.9×10^{-7} m

D. 26×10^{8} m

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: By the relation, $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R(\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{n^2})$ where, $R = 1.097 \times 10^7 \text{m}^{-1}$ (Rydberg constant) For H_{β} line of Balmer series, we have, n = 4 $\therefore \frac{1}{\lambda} = 1.097 \times 10^7 (\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{4^2}) = 486.1 \text{ nm}$ $= 4.86 \times 10^{-7} \text{m}$ $\approx 4.9 \times 10^{-7} \text{m}$

Question 5

A prism made of glass of refractive index $\mu = \sqrt{2}$ has angle of prism 30°. Its one refracting surface is silvered. Monochromatic light beam will retrace its path when angle of incidence of this light beam on the other surface

Options: A. 0 °

B. 30 °

C. 45 °

D. 60 °

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Given, A = 30°, μ = 1.414, i_1 = ? The refracted ray will retrace its path, when i_2 = 0°, r_2 = 0°



The figure shows a system of two concentric spheres of radii r_1 and r_2 kept at temperature T_1 and T_2 respectively. The radial flow of heat in a substance between the two concentric spheres is proportional to



Options:

A.
$$(r_2 - r_1)$$

B. $\frac{r_1 r_2}{(r_2 - r_1)}$
C. $\ln(\frac{r_2}{r_1})$

D.
$$\frac{(r_2 - r_1)}{(r_1 r_2)}$$

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Consider a shell of thickness (dr) and of radii (r) and the temperature of inner and outer surfaces of this shell be T, (T - dT).



 $\frac{dQ}{dt}$ = rate of flow of heat through it $\frac{kA[(T - dT) - T]}{-4\pi kr^2} = \frac{-KAdT}{dT}$ $-4\pi kr^2 \frac{dT}{dT} [::A = 4\pi r^2]$ =

 $= \frac{1}{dr} \frac{1}{dr} = -4\pi kr^2 \frac{dT}{dT} [: A = 4\pi r^2]$ To measure the radial rate of heat flow, integration technique is used, since the area of the surface through which heat will flow is not constant. Then

$$\frac{dQ}{dt} \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \frac{1}{r^2} dr = -4\pi K \int_{T_1}^{T_2} dT \frac{dQ}{dt} (\frac{1}{r_1} - \frac{1}{r_2}) = -4\pi K (T_2 - T_1) \frac{dQ}{dt} = \frac{-4\pi k_1 r_2 (T_2 - T_1)}{(r_2 - r_1)} \Rightarrow \frac{dQ}{dt} \propto \frac{(r_1 r_2)}{(r_2 - r_1)}$$

When a healthy eye is seeing an object at infinity, at that moment, values of focal length F and radius of curvature R of eye lens are

Options:

A. F maximum, R minimum

- B. F minimum, R maximum
- C. F and R both minimum
- D. F and R both maximum

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

For a healthy eye seeing an object at infinity, the focal length (F) and radius of curvature (R) both will be maximum.

Question 8

Two satellites X and Y are moving round the earth in the same orbit. Mass of X is twice the mass of Y, then

Options:

- A. kinetic energies of X and Y are equal
- B. speeds of $X \mbox{ and } Y \mbox{ are equal}$
- C. potential energies of X and Y are equal
- D. None of the above

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

We know that, for a satellite moving around the earth, the orbital speed is independent of the mass of the satellite. Hence, for satellite X and Y moving in the same orbit around the earth, speeds are equal.

Question 9

A black body at 1227 °C emits radiation with maximum intensity at a

wavelength of 5000Å A. The temperature of the body is increased by 1000 °C. The maximum intensity will be observe at

Options:

A. 4000Å

B. 5000Å

C. 6000Å

D. 3000Å

Answer: D

Solution:

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Solution:
By Wien's displacement law
\lambda T = \text{constant}
Here, \lambda_1 = 5000 \text{\AA},
T_1 = 1227 \degree \text{C}
= (1227 + 273) \text{K} = 1500 \text{K}
\lambda_2 = ?, T_2 = (1227 + 1000) \degree \text{C}
= (2227 + 273) \text{K} = 2500 \text{K}
\therefore \ \lambda_1 T_1 = \lambda_2 T_2
or \lambda_2 = \frac{\lambda_1 T_1}{T_2} = \frac{5000 \times 1500}{2500} = 3000 \text{\AA}
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Question 10

Considering rotational motion of earth. The acceleration due to gravity at the equator of earth is given by, (where $\omega =$ angular velocity of earth, R = radius of earth, g = acceleration due to gravity)

Options:

A. $g' = g - \omega R$

B. $g' = g - \omega R^2$

C. $g' = g - \omega^2 R$

D. $g' = g + \omega^2 R$

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Due to rotation of earth, the effective value of *g* is $g' = g - \omega^2 R \cos^2 \lambda$ where, ω = angular velocity of earth's rotation and λ = latitude of given place Here, $\lambda = 0$ $g' = g - \omega^2 R \cos^2 0$ $\Rightarrow g' = g - \omega^2 R$

Question 11

The self-inductance of each of the two pure inductances is L. They are joined together in parallel but are isolated from each other. Total inductance will be

Options:

A. 2L

B. L

C. L/2

D. L/4

Answer: C

Solution:

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 \begin{array}{l} \textbf{Solution:} \\ \text{The equivalent inductance in parallel arrangement is given as} \\ \frac{1}{L_{eq}} = \frac{1}{L_1} + \frac{1}{L_2} \\ \text{Here, } L_1 = L_2 = L \\ \therefore \quad \frac{1}{L_{eq}} = \frac{1}{L} + \frac{1}{L} = \frac{2}{L} \\ \text{So, } L_{eq} = \frac{1}{2} \\ \end{array}
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Question 12

An electric dipole of moment p is lying along uniform electric field E. The work done in rotating the dipole by 90 $^{\circ}$ is

Options:

A. √2*pE*

B. $\frac{pE}{2}$

C. 2*pE*

D. *pE*

Answer: C

Solution:

C

Solution:

Work done to rotate a dipole placed in a uniform electric field is given as, $W = PE(\cos \theta_1 - \cos \theta_2)$ Here, p = P, $\theta_1 = 0^\circ$ and $\theta_2 = 90^\circ$ $\therefore W = PE(\cos 0^\circ - \cos 90^\circ) = PE$

Question 13

AB is a wire of uniform resistance. The galvanometer G shows no current when the length AC = 20 cm and CB = 80 cm. Then, the resistance R is equal to



Options:

A. 12Ω

B. 16Ω

C. 20Ω

D. 40Ω

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

The given arrangement represents a metre bridge, which works on the Wheatstone bridge principle $\frac{P}{Q} = \frac{R}{S}$ Here, P = 20 cm = 0.2m Q = 80 cm = 0.8m R = unknown resistance

$$S = \frac{80\Omega}{\frac{0.2}{0.8}} = \frac{R}{\frac{80}{80}}$$
$$\Rightarrow R = \frac{0.2 \times 80}{0.8} = 20\Omega$$

The equivalent resistance between A and B is



Options:

- A. $\frac{2R}{5}$
- B. $\frac{2}{7}R$
- D. 7''
- C. $\frac{2}{3}R$
- D. 3*R*

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

In the given circuit, due to junction at *O*, the current will not flow in the arms OC, CD and DO. So, arms OE and OF are in series to each other and their combination is parallel with aim EF



$$\therefore \frac{1}{R_{eff}} = \frac{1}{2R} + \frac{1}{R}, = \frac{1+2}{2R} = \frac{3}{2}R$$
$$\Rightarrow R_{eff} = \frac{2}{3}R$$

Entropy remains constant in

Options:

A. isothermal process

B. adiabatic process

C. cyclic process

D. isobaric process

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: In an adiabatic process, p,V and T change but $\Delta Q = 0$ Hence, entropy, $\Delta S = \frac{\Delta Q}{T} = 0$ remains constant.

Question 16

The equivalent capacitance of the combination shown in the figure

between A and B is



Options:

- A. $\frac{2C}{3}$ B. $\frac{3C}{2}$
- C. 2C
- D. $\frac{C}{2}$

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

The given circuit can be shown as



 C_3 The capacitors C_1 and C_3 are in series, Given that Given that $C_1 = C_2 = C_3 = C$ $\frac{1}{C'} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_3}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{C'} = \frac{1}{C} + \frac{1}{C}$ $\Rightarrow C' = \frac{C}{2}$ Now, C' and C₂ are in parallel with each other. Hence, $C_{eq} = C' + C = \frac{C}{2} + C = \frac{3}{2}C$

When white light from vacuum enters glass, then in glass

Options:

A. all the seven colours rays travel with the same speed

B. speed of violet colour ray is more than speed of red colour ray

C. speed of violet colour ray is less than speed of red colour ray

D. speed of yellow colour ray is minimum and speeds of violet colour ray and red colour ray are maximum and equal

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

In vacuum, all electromagnetic waves travel at the same speed. So, red light and violet light travel at the same speed in vacuum. In glass, however they travel at different speeds. Since μ_R is less than μ_V , so speed of red ray is greater than the speed of violet ray in glass.

Question 18

A long straight wire carries a current 15A. Calculate the magnetising field ${\sf H}$ at a point at distance 0.105m from the axis of wire

Options:

A. 0.227A / m

B. 2.27A / m

C. 22.7A / m

D. 22.7A – m

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

For a long straight wire, $B = \frac{\mu_0 l}{2\pi r}$ Here, I = 15A and r = 0.105m The magnetising field (H) is given as, H = $\frac{B}{\mu_0} = \frac{\mu_0 l}{2\pi r \times \mu_0}$ = $\frac{15}{2 \times 3.14 \times 0.105} = \frac{15}{0.6594}$ C

Consider the following two statements.

(i) Linear momentum of a body is independent of frame of reference.(ii) Kinetic energy of a body is independent of frame of reference.Choose the correct option.

Options:

A. Both (i) and (ii) are false

B. (i) is true but (ii) is false

C. (i) is false but (ii) is true

D. both (i) and (ii) are true

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Both statements are false since linear momentum and kinetic energy of a body depends on the choice of frame of reference.

Question 20

The correct formula used to decide the focal length of a lens is (F is focal length, μ is refractive index of the material of lens, R₁ and R₂ are radii of curvature of curved surfaces; u and v are respectively object distance and image distance

Options:

A. $\frac{1}{F} = \frac{1}{V} - \frac{1}{U}$ B. $\frac{1}{F} = (\mu - 1) \left(\frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$ C. $\frac{1}{F} = \frac{1}{V} + \frac{1}{U}$ D. $\frac{1}{V} = (\mu - 1) \left(\frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$

D.
$$\frac{1}{F} = (\mu - 1) \left(\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Remember, lens formula is used to decide the focal length of a lens which is $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{v} - \frac{1}{u}$. This is different from lens makers formula

$$\frac{1}{F} = (\mu - 1) \left(\frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

Question 21

In photoelectric experiment, the work function of the metal is 3.5 eV. The emitted electrons can be stopped by applying a potential of -1.2V. Choose the correct option.

Options:

A. The energy of incident photons is 4.7 eV

B. The energy of incident photons is 2.3 eV

C. If higher frequency photons are used, the photoelectric current will increase

D. When the energy of photons is $3.5 \, eV$, the photoelectric current value will be maximum

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Given, $\varphi = 3.5 \text{ eV}$ and $V_0 = -1.2V$ By the Einstein's photoelectric equation hv = $\varphi_0 + eV_0$ \Rightarrow hv = (3.5 eV - 1.2 eV) = 2.3 eVHence, energy of incident photon is 2.3 eV. If the higher frequency photons are used, photoelectric current remains unchanged and photoelectric current will be maximum. If the intensity of the incident light increases.

Question 22

Atomic hydrogen is excited to the *n*th energy level. The maximum number of spectral lines which it can emit while returning to the ground state is

Options:

A.
$$\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$$

B. $\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

C

C. n(n-1)

D. *n*(*n* + 1)

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Answer: A
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Solution:

Solution: The possible number of emission lines between n levels is given by $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

Question 23

If in the below circuit, key (k) is pressed, what will be the effect on the hanging portions AB and CD of the wire?



Options:

- A. Both will attract each other
- B. Both will repel each other
- C. They will break
- D. None of the above

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: The given circuit is shown as $K \bigcirc H \longrightarrow D$ $B \bigcirc C$

As the currents in the portions AB and CD are in opposite directions, so both will repel each other.

Question 24

The electrical conductivity of semiconductors

Options:

- A. does not depend upon temperature
- B. increases with rise in temperature
- C. decreases with rise in temperature
- D. first decreases and then increases with rise in temperature

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

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Electrical conductivity,

\sigma = \frac{1}{\rho} = e(n_e \mu_e + n_h \mu_h)
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where, $n_e = free$ electron density, $n_h = hole$ density and μ_e and μ_h are their mobilities respectively. As the temperature increases, n_e and n_h increase, hence conductivity of semiconductor increases.

Question 25

An electron enters in a magnetic field of 1.0k N/A-m with a speed of $(2i - 3j)m^{-1}$. Calculate the Lorentz force acting on the electron

Options:

A. $-1.6(3i - 2j) \times 10^{19}$ N

B. 1.6(3i + 2j) × 10¹⁹N

C. $-1.6(3i + 2j) \times 10^{19}$ N

D. 1.6(3i - 2j) × 10¹⁹N

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Here, v = (2i - 3j) m / s and B = 1.0 kN / A - mLorentz force, $F = e(v \times B)$ $= (-1.6 \times 10^{-19})(2i - 3j) \times (1k)]$ $= (-1.6 \times 10^{-19})[2(i \times k) - 3(j \times k)]$ $= (-1.6 \times 10^{-19})[2(-j) - 3(i)]$ $= 1.6(3i + 2j) \times 10^{-19} \text{ N}$

Question 26

Which of the following quantities do not change when a resistor connected to a battery is heated due to the current?

Options:

A. Drift speed

B. Resistivity

C. Resistance

D. Number of free electrons

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

When a resistor connected to a battery is heated up due to current then number of free electrons do not change with rise in temperature.

Question 27

For an oscillation magnetometer, the time period of suspended bar magnet can be reduced by

Options:

A. moving it towards South pole

B. moving it towards North pole

C. moving it towards equator

D. moving it towards poles

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Time period of vibration magnetometer, $T = 2\pi^{\sqrt{\frac{I}{MB_{H}}}}$ At equator, B_H is maximum, so time period is less. By moving it towards equator.

Question 28

The electric potential at a point in free space due to change Q coulomb is $Q \times 10^{11} V$. The electric field at that point is

Options:

A. $4\pi\varepsilon_0 Q \times 10^{20} V$ / m

B. $12\pi\epsilon_0 Q \times 10^{22} V / m$

C. $4\pi\epsilon_0 Q \times 10^{22} V / m$

D. $12\pi\epsilon_0 Q \times 10^{20} V / m$

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Given, V = $\frac{KQ}{r} = Q \times 10^{11}V$ $\Rightarrow r = \frac{KQ}{Q \times 10^{11}} = \frac{K}{10^{11}}m$ The electric field at that point, E = $\frac{KQ}{r^2} = \frac{KQ}{(K/10^{11})^2}V/m$ $= \frac{KQ}{K^2} \times 10^{22}V/m$ $= 4\pi\varepsilon_0 \times Q \times 10^{22}V/m$

Question 29

Theoretical value of Poission's ratio is

A. between $-\frac{1}{2}$ and $+\frac{1}{2}$ B. between -1 and $+\frac{1}{2}$ C. between $-\frac{1}{2}$ and +1D. between -1 and +1**Answer: B**

Solution:

Solution: We have $Y = 3K(1 - 2\sigma)$, $Y = 2n(1 + \sigma)$ For Y = 0, we get $(1 - 2\sigma) = 0$ and $(1 + \sigma) = 0$ $\Rightarrow \sigma$ lies between $\frac{1}{2}$ and -1.

Question 30

Initial pressure and volume of gas are ρ and V respectively. First it's volume is expanded to $4\vee$ isothermally and then again it's volume makes to be \vee adiabatically. Then it's final pressure is ($\gamma = 1.5$)

Options:

A. 8 p

B. 4 p

С. р

D. 2 p

Answer: B

Solution:

Question 31

The penetrating power of X-rays can be increased by

Options:

A. increasing the current in the heating filament

- B. decreasing the current in the heating filament
- C. increasing the potential difference between the cathode and anode
- D. decreasing the potential difference between the cathode and anode

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Penetrating power of X-rays can be increased by increasing the potential difference between the cathode and target.

Question 32

Electric potential due to a dipole at a point ${\sf R}$ away from dipole is inversely proportional to

Options:

A. R²

B. R³

- C. $\frac{1}{R^2}$
- D. $\frac{1}{R^3}$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Electric potential due to a dipole at a point R away from dipole is $V = \frac{p \cos \theta}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 R^2}$

So, potential varies inversely as the square of distance from the dipole.

Question 33

Consider a cylindrical capacitor let the length of the cylinders be 1. The radii of inner and outer cylinders be R_1 and R_2 and a charge +Q is placed on inner cylinder and -Q on the outer cylinder, then the

capacitance is given by C

Options:

A.
$$\frac{Q}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \log \frac{R_2}{R_1}$$

B.
$$\frac{2\pi\varepsilon_0}{\log(R_2/R_1)}$$

C.
$$\frac{\log(R_2/R_1)}{2\pi\varepsilon_0 1}$$

D.
$$\frac{2\pi\varepsilon_0}{\log(R_1/R_2)}$$

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: The capacitance of a cylindrical capacitor is given as $C = \frac{2\pi\epsilon_0 1}{\log_e(R_2/R_1)}$ or $C = \frac{2\pi\epsilon_0 1}{2303\log_{10}(R_2/R_1)}$

Question 34

Unit of surface tension in MKS system is

Options:

- A. N m
- B. N m^{-1}
- C. N m²
- D. N m^{-2}

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Unit of surface tension in MKS system is N / m.

Question 35

I_A and I_B are the moment of inertia of two bodies A and B. They have same geometrical shape. If the first one A is made of gold and the second one B is made of steel, then

Options:

A. $I_A = I_B$

B. $I_A > I_B$

C. $I_A < I_B$

D. None of the above

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

As the geometrical shape of the two bodies is same, so both of them have same volumes. So, the mass of body $A = V_A \cdot \rho_A$ and the mass of body $B = V_B \cdot \rho_B$ The moment of inertia of body A, $I_A = (V_A \rho_A)(\text{ distance })^2$ and the moment of inertia of body B, $I_B = (V_B \rho_B)(\text{ distance })^2$ As the volume and distance of both the bodies are same, then $\therefore I \propto \rho$ So, body having higher density have greater moment of inertia. As the density of gold is greater than that of steel So, $I_A > I_B$

Question 36

The pressure of an ideal gas is written as $p = \frac{2E}{3V}$, here E refers to

Options:

A. translation kinetic energy

- B. rotational kinetic energy
- C. vibrational kinetic energy
- D. total kinetic energy

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: In P = $\frac{2E}{3V}$, E refers to translational kinetic energy.

To increases the range of ammeter by *n* times, value of shunt resistance will be [G \rightarrow Resistance of ammeter]

Options:

A.
$$S = \frac{G}{n-1}$$

B. $S = G \times (n-1)$

C. S = (n - 1) / G

D. None of these

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: The range of ammeter is increased by *n* times by connecting a shunt in parallel having value $S = \frac{G}{(n-1)}$

Question 38

Reverse bias applied to a junction diode

Options:

A. lowers the potential barrier

- B. raises the potential barrier
- C. increases the majority carrier current
- D. increases the minority carrier current

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: When a junction diode is reverse biased, the potential barrier increases.

Question 39

In adiabatic expansion of gas, the quantity which remains constant is

Options:

- A. amount of heat
- B. temperature
- C. both the amount of heat and temperature
- D. pressure and temperature of gas

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

In adiabatic expansion of gas, no heat is allowed to enter into or escape from the gas. So, amount of heat remains constant in an adiabatic expansion of gas.

Question 40

For the figure, the magnetic field at a point \boldsymbol{p} will be



Options:

A.
$$\frac{\mu_0}{4}\pi$$

B. $\frac{\mu_0}{\pi} \otimes$
C. $\frac{\mu_0}{2\pi} \otimes$
D. $\frac{\mu_0}{2}\pi \odot$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Magnetic field due to wire carrying current 5A is $B_{1} = \frac{\mu_{0}l}{2\pi r} = \frac{\mu_{0} \times 5}{2\pi \times 25} = \frac{\mu_{0}}{\pi} \otimes$ Magnetic field due to wire carrying current 2.5A is $B_{2} = \frac{\mu_{0}l}{2\pi r} = \frac{\mu_{0} \times 25}{2\pi \times 25} = \frac{\mu_{0}}{2\pi}.$ Net magnetic field at P, B = B₁ - B₂ $= B_{1} - B_{2} = (\frac{\mu_{0}}{\pi} - \frac{\mu_{0}}{2\pi})$ $= \frac{\mu_{0}}{2\pi} \otimes$

Question 41

Magnifying power of an astronomical telescope will be maximum when the final image formed by it is

Options:

A. at infinity

B. atleast distance of distinct vision

C. at anywhere

D. at optical centre of objective lens

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: When final image is atleast distance of distinct vision, magnifying power is maximum, i.e., $MP = -\frac{f_o}{f_e} \left(1 + \frac{f_e}{d}\right)$

Question 42

A block of mass M is pulled by a force F in the direction at an angle θ from the horizontal surface. Friction coefficient between block and surface is μ . The value of force F is

Options:

C

Α. *μ* Mg

B.
$$\frac{\mu \,\mathrm{Mg}}{1 + \mu \sin \theta}$$

C.
$$\frac{\mu Mg}{\cos \theta + \mu \sin \theta}$$

D. None of the above

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:





Question 43

Faraday constant F is given by

Options:

A. Atomic weight Valency Chemical equivalent

- D. Electro chemical equivalent
- C. Avogadro number \times charge of one electron

- D. Avogadro number
- Charge of one electron

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Faraday constant (F) represents the amount of charge required to deposit or liberate one kilogram equivalent of any element. F = (Number of ions in kilogram equivalent)

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 = (\frac{N}{n})(ne) = Ne 
= Avogadro's number
× charge of one electron
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Question 44

A table is revolving about a vertical axis passing through its centre at 5 revolutions per sec. A sound source of frequency 1000 Hz is fixed on the table at 70 cm away from the axis and is also revolving with the table. The maximum apparent frequency heard by listener standing away from the table will be (speed of sound = 332 m / s)

Options:

A. 1000 Hz

B. 1071 Hz

C. 938 Hz

D. 1066 Hz

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Velocity of source, $v_s = r \omega$ = 0.7 × 5 = 3.5m / s Velocity of sound, v = 332m / s Frequency of source, v = 1000 Hz Maximum apparent frequency heard by the listener standing away is given by $v' = \frac{vV}{(v - v_s)} = \frac{332 \times 1000}{(332 - 3.5)}$ = 1010 ≈ 1000 Hz

A thin prism P_1 with angle 6° and made from glass of refractive index 1.54 is combined with another thin prism P_2 of glass of refractive index 1.72 to produce dispersion without deviation. The value of angle of prism of P_2 will be

Options:

A. 5 ° – 24

B. 4 ° – 30 ́

C. 6 °

D. 8°

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: In this type of prism combination, net deviation is zero, i.e., $\delta + \delta' = 0$ or (n-1)A + (n'-1)A' = 0or $\left|A'\right| = \frac{(n-1)A}{(n'-1)} = \frac{(1.54-1)}{(1.72-1)} \times 6^{\circ}$ $= 4^{\circ} 50'$

Question 46

A resistor of resistance R is connected to an ideal battery. If the value of R is increased the power dissipated in the resistor will

Options:

A. increase

B. decrease

C. no change

D. None of the above

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Power dissipated, $P = \frac{V^2}{R}$ If the battery is ideal then V remains constant.

The quantity, which remain unchanged in a transformer, is

Options:

A. voltage

B. current

C. frequency

D. None of these

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: In a transformer, frequency remains unchanged.

Question 48

In a lift moving upward weight of a man is 708N. While in a lift moving downwards (with uniform acceleration weight of same man is 468N. Normal weight of man is

Options:

A. 608N

B. 478N

C. 588N

D. 508N

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

When lift is accelerated in upward motion w = m(g + a)or 708 = m(g + a) $\Rightarrow m = \frac{708}{(g + a)} \dots$ (i) When lift is accelerated downword motion W = m(g - a) C

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or 468 = m(g - a)

\Rightarrow m = \frac{468}{(g - a)} \dots (ii)
From Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

a = 204m / s<sup>2</sup>

So, the actual weight of man,

m = \frac{708}{(10 + 2.04)} = 58.8 \text{ kg}

= 588N
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Question 49

During an adiabatic process, the pressure of a gas is found proportional to the cube of its absolute temperature. The ratio of C_p / C_V for the gas is



Solution:

Solution: For an adiabatic process $T^{\gamma}p^{1-\gamma} = \text{constant}$ On simplification, we get $p \propto T^{\gamma/\gamma-1}$...(i) Here, given $p \propto T^3$...(ii) On comparing Eqs. (i) and (iii), we have $\frac{\gamma}{\gamma-1} = 3 \Rightarrow \gamma = \frac{3}{2}$

Question 50

A set of 56 tuning forks are so arranged in series that each fork gives 4 beats per second with the previous one. The frequency of last fork is 3 times that of the first. Frequency of first fork is

Options:

A. 56 Hz

B. 60 Hz

C. 120 Hz

D. 110 Hz

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

Let the frequency of first fork = n then the frequency of last fork = 3n Since two successive forks given four beats. Hence, we have Frequency of first fork = n Frequency of 2 nd fork = n + 4 Frequency of 3rd fork = n + 2 × 4 Frequency of 4 th fork = n + 3 × 4 So, the frequency of N th fork = n + (N - 1)4 But N th fork is the last fork \therefore 3n = n + (N - 1)4 \Rightarrow 2n = (N - 1)4 Here, N = 56 \Rightarrow 2n = (56 - 1) × 4 = 55 × 4 = 220 \Rightarrow n = $\frac{220}{2}$ = 110 Hz

Question 51

Which one of the following has minimum gold number?

Options:

A. Starch

B. Sodium oleate

C. Gelatin

D. Gum arabic

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Gold number is defined as the minimum amount of lyophilic colloid in milligrams, which prevents the flocculation (coagulation) of 10 mL gold sol (containing 0.5 to 0.06g of gold per litre) by the addition of 1 mL of 10 % NaCl solution. More is the gold number, less is the protective power of the lyophilic colloid, since it means that the amount required is more,

Protective colloids	Gold number
Starch	15 — 25
Sodium oleate	0.4
Gelatin	0.005 - 0.01
Gum arabic	0.15

The reaction, $3ClO^{-}(aq) \rightarrow ClO_{3}^{-}(aq) + 2Cl^{-}(aq)$ is an example of

Options:

- A. oxidation reaction
- B. reduction reaction
- C. disproportionation reaction
- D. decomposition reaction

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

A reaction in which the same species is simultaneously oxidised as well as reduced is called a disproportionation reaction. For such redox reactions to occur, the reacting species must contain an element which has atleast three oxidation states. The element in the reacting species is present in the intermediate oxidation state while the higher and lower oxidation states are available for reduction and oxidation to occur.



Which compound is aromatic?

Options:

A.

CH2

В.



C.



D.



Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

According to Huckel's rule, the molecules which are considered as aromatic, refer to planar cyclically conjugated structures having $(4n + 2)\pi$ -electrons (where *n* is 0,1, 2,3... etc.). The alicyclic compounds which do not have $(4n + 2)\pi$ -electrons are called non-aromatic compound. e.g.,



Aromatic molecule containing 6π electron = $(4 \times 1 + 2)\pi$ electrons.

Question 54

Monomer of polymer



Options:

- A. 2-methylpropene
- B. styrene
C. propene

D. ethene

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

2-methylpropene or isobutylene undergoes cationic polymerisation easily in presence of BF_3 or H_2SO_4 since it has two electron donating methyl groups that will stabilize the intermediate carbocation,



Question 55

Which gas behaves abnormally when liquified?

Options:

A. Xenon

B. Krypton

C. Helium

D. Argon

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

The ease of liquefaction of a gas depends upon the magnitude of the attractive forces present in its atoms or molecules and He being smallest molecules among all the noble gases, the intermolecular forces of attraction in them are negligible.

Weaker are the intermolecular forces, more difficult it is to liquify that gas and lower would be the critical temperature of that gas. T_c for helium = 5.2K (the temperature above which it cannot be liquified however high pressure may be applied on the gas).

That's the reason, when natural gas is compressed to about 100 atm and could to 78K, helium does not liquify while all other gases get liquified. Thus, helium has lowest critical temperature (5.2K) among all known gases.

Question 56

A radioactive element has half-life 150 yr. A sealed tube containing 1.0g of sample will contain after 300 yr will be

Options:

A. 1.0g

B. 0.5g

C. 0.25g

D. 0.125g

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Number of half-lives, n = $\frac{300}{150}$ = 2, i.e., n = 2 Amount left after 2 half-lives = N - $\frac{N_0}{(2)^n}$ = $\frac{1.0}{2^2}$ = $\frac{1.0}{4}$ = 0.25g

Question 57

The chemical composition of slag formed during the smelting process in the extraction of copper is

Options:

A. FeSiO₃

B. CuFeS₂

C. $Cu_2S + FeO$

0

D. $Cu_2O + FeS$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

A slag is an easily fusible material which is formed when gangue still present in the roasted or the calcined are combines with the flux. For example, in the metallurgy of copper, the sulphide ore (i.e., copper pyrites) is roasted in a reverberatory furnace and converted into a mixture of FeO and Cu_2O .

 $\begin{array}{cccc} 2\text{CuFeS}_2 + \text{O}_2 & \stackrel{\Delta}{\longrightarrow} & \text{Cu}_2\text{S} + 2\,\text{FeS} + \text{SO}_2\\ \text{Copper pyrites}\\ 2\text{Cu}_2\text{S} + 3\text{O}_2 & \stackrel{\Delta}{\longrightarrow} & 2\text{Cu}_2\text{O} + 2\text{SO}_2\\ 2\,\text{FeS} + 3\text{O}_2 & \stackrel{\Delta}{\longrightarrow} & 2\,\text{FeO} + 2\text{SO}_2\\ \text{To remove FeO (basic impurity), an acidic flux silica is added during smelting, FeO then combines with SiO₂ to form ferrous silicate (FeSiO₃) slag which floats area molten matte.\\ \text{FeO} + & \text{SiO}_2 & \xrightarrow{\text{FeSiO}_3}\\ \text{flux} & \stackrel{\text{slag}}{\longrightarrow} & \text{FeSiO}_3\\ \text{Filux} & \stackrel{\text{slag}}{\longrightarrow} & \text{FeSiO}_3 \end{array}$

Thus, the role of silica in the matellurgy of copper is to remove iron oxide as slag.

Question 58

The substance not likely to contain CaCO₃ is

Options:

A. marble statue

B. calcined gypsum

C. sea shells

D. dolomite

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Gypsum is a very soft sulphate mineral composed of calcium sulphate dihydrate, with the chemical formula $CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O_4$.

On heating, gypsum loses water and gives the hemihydrate (CaSO₄ $\cdot \frac{1}{2}H_2O$) or the anhydrite.

 $2CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O \xrightarrow{120^{\circ}C} (CuSO_4)_2 \cdot H_2O + 3H_2O$ gypsum
The hemihydrate is known as calcined gypsum or plaster of Paris.

Question 59

5 millimoles of caustic potash and 5 millimoles of oxalic acid are mixed and dissolved in 100 $\rm mL$ water. The solution will be

Options:

- A. basic
- B. acidic
- C. neutral
- D. can't say

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: The equation for the reaction of oxalic acid with a solution of caustic potash. $2 \text{KOH}(aq) + H_2C_2O_4 \cdot 2H_2O(aq)$ $\rightarrow K_2C_2O_4(aq) + 4H_2O$ Molarity equation, $\frac{M_1V_1}{n_1} = \frac{M_2V_2}{n_2}$ where M_1 = molarity of acid = 5 millimol M_2 = molarity of base = 5 millimol V_1 = volume of acid = 100 mL V_2 = volume of base = 100 mL n_1 = stoichiometric coefficient of acid = 1 n_2 = stoichiometric coefficient of base = 2 As it is clear from balanced equation that 2 moles of KOH are required to neutralize one mole of oxalic acid. Thus, the solution formed by 5 millimoles of KOH and 5 millimoles of oxalic acid mixed and dissolved in 100 mL water will be acidic.

Question 60

CO₂ acts as electrophile in which reaction?

Options:

- A. Williamson's reaction
- B. Kolbe reaction
- C. Perkin's reaction
- D. Reimer- Tiemann reaction

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

The Kolbe-Schmidt reaction or Kolbe reaction is a carboxylation chemical reaction that proceeds by heating sodium phenolate (the sodium salt of phenol) with carbon dioxide under pressure (100 atm, 125 $^{\circ}$ C), then treating the product with sulphuric acid. The final product is salicylic acid, which is the precursor of aspirin (analgesic)



The Kolbe-Schmidt reaction proceeds via the nucleophile addition of a phenolate to carbon dioxide to give the salicylate. In this reaction, CO_2 act as an electrophile. The final step is reaction of salicylate with acid to form desired salicylic acid.



Question 61

Which of the following will have the shape of a trigonal bipyramid? Options:

- A. PF_3Cl_2
- B. IF_5
- C. BrF_5
- D. SbF_5^2 -

Solution:

Solution:

 PF_3Cl_2 has trigonal bipyramidal structure, IF_5 Br F_5 and SbF_5^{2-} have octahedral geometries with one position occupied by a lone pair of electrons (square pyramidal geometry).



Question 62

The example of σ -complex is

Options:

A. Fe($\eta^5 - C_5H_5$)₂

B. [Cr(CO)₆]

C. $Al_2(CH_3)_6$

D. Ziess salt

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

(i) σ -bonded complexes Trimethyl aluminium is a σ -bonded organometallic compound in which the metal and carbon atom of ligand are joined together with a σ -bond. It exists at a dimer and two methyl group act as bridges between two aluminium atoms.



(ii) π -complexes Zeise's salt and ferrocene are π -bonded organometallic complexes. In these compounds, the π electrons of the organic compounds interact with the metal ions and thus occupy one of the coordination site.



 $K^{+}[PtCl_{3}(\eta_{2} - C_{2}H_{4})] Fe(\eta^{2} - C_{5}H_{5})_{2}]$ Complexes with characteristics of both σ -and π -bonding In metal carbonyl Cr(CO)₆, the carbon of CO donates a pair of electrons to the metal. The metal carbon bond in metal carbonyls has σ as well as π electrons.



Question 63

How many moles of O_2 can be obtained by electrolysis of $90gH_2O$?

Options:

A. 5.0 mol

B. 0.5 mol

C. 2.5 mol

D. 0.25 mol

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: The equation representing the electrolysis of H₂O to form O₂ and H₂ $2H_2O \rightarrow 2H_2 + O_2$ Since, 36g of H₂O on electrolysis produces 1 mole of O₂ \therefore 90g of H₂O on electrolysis produces $= \frac{1}{36} \times 90 = 2.5 \text{ mol of O}_2$

Question 64

Which one of the following undergoes aldol condensation?

Options:

A. Acetaldehyde

B. Propanaldehyde

C. Acetone

D. All of these

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

When two molecules of an aldehyde or a ketone condense in presence of a dilute alkali (dil. NaOH, Na₂CO₃, Ba(OH)₂ etc.) to form a β -hydroxyaldehyde or a β -hydroxyketone respectively, these β -hydroyaldehydes or ketones are callectively called aldols and the reaction is called aldol condensation. The aldol reaction requires an aldehyde or ketone that contains at least one alpha-hydrogen in order to form enol or enolate. Thus, acetaldehyde, propanaldehyde and acetone undergo aldol condensation since they contain α -hydrogen atom.





Schiff's nitrometre is filled with

Options:

A. mercury

B. water over mercury seal

C. KOH solution over mercury seal

D. toluene over mercury seal

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Shiff's nitrometre is a long U tube used to measuring the volume of N_2 in estimation of N_2 by Duma's method. It contains about 40% KOH solution and a mercury seal at it the bottom which prevents KOH solution from having sucked back into the combustion tube.

Question 66

Four different sets of quantum numbers for 4 electrons are given below $e_1 = 4, 0, 0, -\frac{1}{2}$ $e_2 = 3, 1, 1, -\frac{1}{2}$ $e_3 = 3, 2, 2 + \frac{1}{2}$ $e_4 = 3, 0, 0, +\frac{1}{2}$

The order of energy of e_1 , e_2 , e_3 , e_4 is

Options:

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A. e_1 > e_2 > e_3 > e_4
B. e_4 > e_3 > e_2 > e_1
C. e_3 > e_1 > e_2 > e_4
D. e_2 > e_3 > e_4 > e_1
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Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

The order of increasing energies of the various orbitals or electrons can be calculated on the basis of (n + 1) rule. According to this rule, the lower the value of (n + 1) for an orbital, lower is its energy. However, if the two different types of orbitals have the same values of (n + 1), the orbital with lower value of n has lower energy. So, the order of energy, $e_3 > e_1 > e_2 > e_4$

Question 67

Silver ornaments turn black in the atmosphere. It is due to the formation of

Options:

A. Ag_2O, Ag_2S

B. $AgNO_3$, Ag_2S

C. Ag(OH), Ag_2CO_3

D. Ag, Ag₂O

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Silver is a highly unreactive metal so it does not react with the oxygen of air easily. But air usually contains a parts per billion concentrations of pollutant gases, such as HCl, H_2S , SO_2 , NO_2 and ozone. The exposure of silver to H_2S gas at 25 °C and air containing 75% relative humidity produces a black coating consisting of silver sulphide (Ag₂S) on its surface.

Similarly, the exposure of silver to NO₂ gas at 25 °C and air containing 75% relative humidity produces a thin film of AgNO₃ (transparent) and Ag₂O (black) on its surface. Thus, silver ornaments gradually turn black due to formation of layers of Ag₂S and Ag₂O.

Question 68

How much Coulomb needed to convert 1 mole of MnO₄ into Mn²⁺?

Options:

A. 482500C

B. 193000C

C. 96500C

D. 36500C

Answer: A

Solution:

C

Except one, the other three are isomers, find odd man out

ethanol	oxiran	oxitane	vinyl alcohol
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)

Options:

- A. vinyl alcohol
- B. ethanol
- C. oxiran
- D. oxitane

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Oxirane, also called ethylene oxide, is the organic compound with the formula C_2H_4O . It is a cyclic ether consist of two carbon atoms and one oxygen atom, formic a ring.

-CH2 CH2-

Whereas oxetane or 1,3 -propylene oxide is an heterocyclic organic compound with the molecular formula C_3H_6O , having a four_membered ring with three carbon atoms and one oxygen atom.

ĊH₂ CH₂

Vinyl alcohol, with the formula $CH_2 CHOH$, is an isomer of oxirane or ethylene oxide.

CH₂=CH-OH

Question 70

Which of the following nuclei is most unstable?

Options:

A. ⁴⁰₂₀Ca

B. ${}^{55}_{35}$ Mn

C. ¹¹⁹₅₀ Sn

D. ³⁰₁₃Al

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

The stability of a nucleus depends upon the neutron to proton ($\frac{n}{p}$) ratio in the nucleus. Thus, (i) The lower elements (upto Z = 20), the stable nuclei have about equal number of protons and neutrons i.e., $\frac{n}{p} = 1$ e.g., $\frac{40}{20}$ Ca, $\frac{27}{13}$ Al (ii) For higher elements to be stable, there must be more neutrons than protons i.e., $\frac{p}{p} > 1$. e.g., $\frac{55}{25}$ Mn, $\frac{519}{50}$ Sn

Question 71

The geometrical and optical isomers of complex [Pt(NH₃)(Br)(Cl)(Py)] are respectively

Options:

A. 2, 2

B. 0,3

C. 2,1

D. 3,0

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

Isomerism which occurs due to different relative arrangements of ligands around central metal atom is known as geometrical isomerism.

Complexes of formula M_{ABCD} may exist in three isomeric forms. e.g., [Pt(NH₃)(Br)(Cl)(Py)]



square planar complexes do not show optical isomerison since they are not optically active as they have all the ligands and metal atoms in one plane, that's why there is a plane of symmetry.

Question 72

One amine is more basic than ammonia and the other is less basic than ammonia. The two amines are respectively

Options:

- A. N-methyl ethanamine and N, N-dimethyl ethanamine
- B. aniline and N-methyl aniline
- C. N-methyl aniline and aniline
- D. N, N-dimethyl aniline and benzenamine

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

All the three classes of aliphatic amines, i.e., 1° , 2° and 3° amines are stronger bases than ammonia, this is due to the reason that alkyl groups are electron donating groups. As a result, the electron density on the nitrogen atom increases and thus they can donate the lone pair of electrons more easily than ammonia. Thus, the basicity of amines should decrease in the order 3° amine $> 2^{\circ}$ amine $> 1^{\circ}$ amine > ammonia On the other hand, aromatic amines are far less basic than ammonia. This is because due to resonance in aniline, the lone pair of electrons on the nitrogen atom gets delocaliged over the benzene ring and thus is less easily available for protonation.



But when the hydrogen atom of the amino group in aniline are replaced by electron donating alkyl groups, the basicity of resultant arylamines increases. e.g., N-methylaniline is a stronger base than aniline and N, N-dimethyl aniline is even stronger than N-methylaniline.

However, they are not stronger bases than ammonia. Thus, the basicity of N-substituted anilines relative to aniline follows the sequence



Aluminium is extracted by the electrolysis of

Options:

A. alumina

B. bauxite

- C. molten cryolite
- D. alumina mixed with molten cryolite

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

Aluminium is extracted by electrolysis of fused or molten alumina (Al_2O_3) containing cryolite (Na_3AlF_6) added to lower the melting point of alumina to around 1140K and to enhance its conductance, as fused alumina is a bad conductor of electricity. (Hall and Heroult process).

Question 74

For the reaction, $2 \text{ NO} + \text{Br}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{ NOBr}$, the following mechanism has been given $\text{NO} + \text{Br} \xrightarrow{\text{fast}} \text{NOBr}_2$ $\text{NOBr}_2 + \text{NO} \xrightarrow{\text{slow}} 2 \text{ NOBr}$ Hence rate law is

Options:

A. k [NO]²[Br₂]

B. k[NO][Br₂]

C. *k*[NOBr₂][NO]

D. k[NO][Br₂]²

Answer: A

Solution:

Electron affinity is positive when

Options:

A. O $^-$ is formed from O

B. O^{2-} is formed from O⁻

C. O $^+$ is formed from O

D. electron affinity is always a negative value

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Electron affinity of an element is equal to the energy released when an electron is added to valence shell of an isolated gaseous atoms. For example, when an electron is added to oxygen atom to form O⁻ ion, energy is released, i.e., EA₁, value is exoergic or negative. $O(g) + e^{-}(g) \rightarrow O^{-}(g)$ $\Delta H(EA_1) = -141 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

(Energy is released)

But the addition of second electron to O⁻ ion to form O²⁻ ion is more difficult and energy is needed to overpower the repulsion forces between negatively charged atomic sphere and test electrons. Thus, the EA₂ value of oxygen atom is positive or endoergic.

 $O^{-}(g) + e^{-}(g) \xrightarrow{\rightarrow} O^{2-}(g)$ $\Delta H(EA_2) = +780 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

(Energy is absorbed.)

Thus, the EA_1 values for all elements are exoergic (however for some elements endoergic, e.g., noble gases and alkali earth metals) while rest all ($EA_2, EA_3...$) endoergic.

Question 76

When solid melts, there will be

Options:

- A. a decrease in enthalphy
- B. a decrease in free energy
- C. a decrease in entropy
- D. all the above factors remain constant

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

When a solid substance changes into its liquid state at its melting point, the process takes place by absorption of heat

from the surroundings. e.g., melting of ice $H_2O(s) \rightarrow H_2O(1)$ $\Delta H_{fus}^0 = +6.0 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

Thus, enthalpy change for this process is positive or there is an increase in enthalpy, but still the reaction is spontaneous, because the liquid state of water is more random than its solid state. Hence, it may be concluded that melting of ice is accompanied by an increase of entropy.

 $\Delta G = \Delta H - T \Delta S$ To sum up, a reaction to be spontaneous, the value of ΔG , i.e., the Gibbs' free energy change must be negative or there must be a decrease in free energy, thus, ΔH must be smaller than $T \Delta S$.

Question 77

Which of the following substance is not related with HVZ reaction?

Options:

A. α -bromo acetic acid

B. Zn / Hg

C. Cl_2

D. Red P

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

 α -hydrogen of a carboxylic acid can be replaced by halogen (chlorine or bromine) using red phosphorus as catalyst to afford an α -halocarboxylic acid. This reaction is called Hell-Volhard-Zelinsky reaction.

Question 78

The age of most ancient geological formation is estimated by

Options:

- A. carbon dating
- B. potassium-argon dating
- C. radium-radon dating
- D. uranium-lead dating

Answer: D

Solution:

The determination of age of minerals and rocks is an important part of ancient geological studies. The age of rock can be estimated by uranium-lead dating.

estimated by uranium-lead dating. Suppose xg of $\frac{206}{82^6}$ Pb is found with yg of $\frac{238}{92^8}U$. $\lambda \rightarrow \text{decay constant of uranium (known)}$ $\frac{238}{92}U \rightarrow \frac{206}{82}$ Pb Amount of $\frac{238}{92}$ U disintegrated $= \frac{x}{206} \times 238$ in time tHence initial amount of $\frac{238}{92}U$ $= y + \frac{x}{206} \times 238$ $\lambda t = 2.303 \log\left(\frac{N_0}{N}\right)$ where, $N_0 = y + \frac{x}{206} \times 238$ and N = y $\therefore t = \frac{2.303}{\lambda} \log\left[\frac{y + \frac{x}{206} \times 238}{y}\right]$

where, t = age of rockOn the other hand, the age of minerals is determined by helium dating and the age of animals and plants died, i.e., fossils is determined by radiocarbon dating.

Question 79

One of the isomer of $C_4H_{11}N$ is optically active. It must be a

Options:

- A. primary amine
- B. secondary amine
- C. tertiary amine
- D. all isomers are optically inactive

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Among the different isomers of $C_4H_{11}N$, a primary amine i.e., butan-2-amine is an optically active compound, which contains a chiral C-atom i.e., a carbon atom which is linked to four different groups.



The electronic configuration of an element C is $1s^2$, $2s^2$, $2p^6$. The formula of substance containing only C will be

Options:

- A. C₈
- B. C₄
- C. C₂
- D. C

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

The electronic configuration $1s^22s^22p^6$ belongs to noble gas neon. All the noble gases are monoatomic in nature because they have complete valence shell and stable electronic configuration (ns² np p⁶) and so they are chemically inert and do not enter in chemical combination. C = Ne₍₁₀₎ = $1s^22s^22p^6$

Question 81

Which solution is a buffer?

Options:

A. Acetic acid +NaOH (equimolar ratio)

B. Acetic acid +NaOH (1:2 molar ratio)

C. Acetic acid +NaOH (2: 1 molar ratio)

D. HCl + NaOH (equimolar ratio)

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

A buffer solution can be described as a solution, which will resist changes in pH when a small amount of a strong acid or base is added.

An acidic buffer is compound of a weak acid and its conjugated base or a weak acid and the salt of the weak acid and a strong base. e.g.,

 $(CH_3COOH + CH_3COONa).$

 $CH_3COOH \Rightarrow CH_3COO^- + H^+$ (feebly ionised) $CH_3COONa \Rightarrow CH_3COO^- + Na^+$

(completely ionised)

How to make a acidic buffer

(i) Start with taking weak acid (CH_3COOH) and strong base (NaOH) in 2 : 1 molar concentration ratio, so that a sufficient number of moles of the CH₃ COOH nutralize completely the same number of moles of NaOH.

(ii) The acidic buffer can also be prepared by taking equimolar concentrations and volume of weak acid (CH₃COOH) and the salt of the weak acid and strong base (CH₃COONa).

Question 82

Which of the following compound show acidic nature?

Options:

A. but-1-yne

B. but-2-yne

C. but-1-ene

D. buta-1, 3-diene

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

The hydrogen atoms attached to the triple bond of the alkynes, i.e., acetylenic hydrogens are acidic in nature and known as active hydrogen.

This acidic property is shown by terminal alkynes or 1-alkynes only (alkynes in which the triple bond is at the end of the chain). The reaction with Na in liquid NH_3 is considered as test of acidity of terminal alkynes.

The reason of acidity of terminal alkynes is greater electronegativity of carbon atom of C – H triple bond, which is sphybridised. In other words, electrons of C - H bond are displaced more towards the carbon atom than towards the

hydrogen atom, hence it can be removed as a proton (H⁺) by a strong base. Consequently, alkynes behave as acids.

Question 83

Kjeldahl trap is

Options:

A. fitted over Kjeldahl flask

- B. used to trap water vapours
- C. used to trap ammonia
- D. None of the above

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

The Kjeldahl bulb or Kjeldahl trap between the digestion flask (Kjeldahl flask) and the condenser improves distillation efficiency by preventing carryever of the alkaline digestion mixture and water vapours into the receiving flask and the large lower tube facilitates the return of any condensate to the digestion flask. The slightest bit of contaminated of the receiving solution can cause significant error in the titration step. The condensate in the bulb/trap is maintained above mathrm pH7 by the non-volatile alkali sucrubbed from the vapour and it is kept at or near the boiling point of passing steam. Under these conditions, no ammonia should be retained in the condensate of the Kjeldahl's trap.

Question 84

The bond present in N_2O_5 are

Options:

A. only ionic

B. covalent and coordinate

C. only covalent

D. covalent and ionic

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Nitrogen pentoxide (N_2O_5) has both covalent as well as coordinate bonds. In the gaseous state, it exists as a symmetrical molecule having the structure $O_2N - O - NO_2$. The N - O - N bond is almost linear. X-ray studies reveals the ionic nature of solid N_2O_5 i.e., nitronium nitrate, $Na_2^+NO_3^-$.



The hydration energy of Mg²⁺ ions is higher than that of

Options:

A. Al³⁺

B. Be²⁺

C. Na +

D. None of these

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Hydration represents the dissolution of a substance in water by absorbing water molecules by weak valency force. The energy released when 1g mol of an ion in the gaseous state is dissolved in water to get it hydrated is called hydration energy. $M^+(g) + aq \rightarrow M^+(aq)$ $\Delta H = -$ Hydration energy (i) Smaller the cation, greater is the degree of hydration $\begin{array}{ll} \text{(i) Smaller the cation, greater is the degree of hydration} \\ \text{Li}^+ > \text{Na}^+ > \text{K}^+ > \text{Rb}^+ > \text{Cs}^+ \\ \text{Be}^{2+} \text{Mg}^{2+} > \text{Ca}^{2+} > \text{Sr}^{2+} > \text{Ba}^{2+} \\ \text{(ii) The hydration energy of ions increases with increase in their valencies.} \\ \text{Al}^{3+} > \text{Mg}^{2+} > \text{Na}^+ \\ \text{Thus, Mg}^{2+} \text{ ion has higher hydration energy than Na}^+ \text{ ion, but lower hydration energy than Al}^{3+} \text{ and Be}^{2+}. \end{array}$

Question 86

Bakelite is polymer of phenol and

Options:

A. HCOOH

B. HCOOCH₃

C. HCHO

D. CH₃COOH

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Phenol formaldehyde polymers are the oldest synthetic polymers. These are obtained by condensation of phenol with formaldehyde in the presence of either an acid or a base catalyst.



The condensation of o-hydroxybenzyl alcohol or p-hydrony benzylalcohol gives a linear polymer.



The *o*-and *p*-substituted phenols can undergo cross linkage to form an infusible solid called bakelite.





bakelite (cross-linked polymer)

Question 87

The solubility of $A|(OH)_3$ is ' S ' mol L⁻¹. The solubility product will be

Options:

A. S²

В. *S*³

C. 27S⁴

D. 27S³

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Aluminium hydroxide dissociates according to the equations $AI(OH)_3(aq) \rightleftharpoons AI(OH)_3(aq)$ $\rightleftharpoons AI^{3+}(aq) + 3OH^-(aq)$ Let the solubility of $AI(OH)_3' = S \mod L^{-1}$ $\because AI(OH)_3(aq) \rightleftharpoons AI^{3+}(aq) + 3OH^-(aq)$ S S $\because K_{sp} = [AI^{3+}][OH^-]^3$ $\because K_{sp} = (s)(3s)^3 = 27s^4$ hence, $K_{sp} = 27s^4$

Question 88

Give the increasing order of stability in the following complexes ions $[A|F_6]^3 - [Cd(CN_4]^2 - [Ag(CN)_2]^- [Zn(CN)_4]^2 - .$ A B C D

Options:

A. D < C < B < A

B.A < D < B < C

C. A < B < C < D

D. None of these

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: The stability of a complex is measured as stability constant, K_{stability} (A) $[AIF_6]^{3-}$; K_{stability} = 25 × 10⁴ (B) $[Cd(CN)_4]^{2-}$; K_{stability} = 1.7 × 10¹⁶ (C) $[Ag(CN)_2]^-$; K_{stability} = 6.6 × 10¹⁸ (D) $[Zn(CN)_2]^{2-}$; K_{stability} = 1.0 × 10¹⁸ Thus, the increasing order of stability A < B < D < C

Question 89

Which one of the following transition metal ion is coloured?

C

Options:

- A. Cu +
- B. Zn²⁺
- C. Sc³⁺
- D. V⁴⁺

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: Electronic configurations of metal ions (i) $Cu^+ = [Ar]3d^{10}4s^0$ (ii) $Zn^{2+} = [Ar]3d^{10}4s^0$ (iii) $Sc^{3+} = [Ar]3d^04s^0$ (iv) $V^{4+} = [Ar]3d^14s^0$ As it is clear from the electronic configuration

As it is clear from the electronic configuration of metal ions that V⁴⁺ has one unpaired electron in its d-subshell. The dsubshells are non-degenerated in presence of ligands. On exposure to visible light, the excitation of unpaired d-electrons takes place from lower to higher energy d-sublevels.

The d-d excitation during complex formation permits the absorbance of required wavelength and rest light is transmitted out. Thus, transition metals or metal ions having unpaired d-electrons appears coloured.

Question 90

Which of the following is involved in formation of heme?

A. Lysine

B. Glycine

C. Tryosine

D. Arginine

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Heme is the prosthetic group of hemoglobin, myoglobin and cytochromes. It is an asymmetric molecule.



The heme ring system is synthesised from glycine and succinyl -CoA. It begins with condensation of glycine and succinyl -CoA with decarboxylation to form 8-aminolurilinic acid (ALA).

Question 91

Sodium atom crystallizes in bcc lattice with cell edge a = 4.29Å, the radius of sodium atom is

Options:

A. 18.6Å

- B. 1.86Å
- C. 0.186Å
- D. 37.2*Å*
- Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

The relationship between atomic radius, *r* and the edge (*a*) of the unit cell of a cubic crystal of BCC crystal $r = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}a = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times 4.29 \text{\AA}$

 $= \frac{1.732 \times 4.29}{4} = 1.857 \text{\AA} \approx 1.86 \text{\AA}$

Question 92

See the following redox reaction $A^{2+} + 2e^{-} \rightarrow A; E^{0} = +0.34 \lor$ $A^{+} + e^{-} \rightarrow A; E^{0} = +0.52 \lor$ Which ion is expected to be stable?

Options:

A. A² +

B. A +

C. Both can form stable complexes

D. None can form stable complexes

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

The magnitude of the standard electrode potential is a measure of the tendency of the half reaction to occur in the forward direction, i.e., in the direction of reduction. Thus, if any element exists in more than one oxidation state, their relative stabilities can be known from the standard electrode potential data. For example in case of copper, we have $A^{2+} + 2e^- \rightarrow A; E^0 = +0.34V$ $A^+ + 2e^- \rightarrow A; E^0 = +0.52V$

Thus, Cu^+ is reduced more easily hence less stable than Cu^{2+} . This is because although second ionisaton enthalpy of copper is large but enthalpy of hydration for Cu^{2+} (aq) is much more negative than that for Cu^+ (aq) and hence it more than compensates for the second ionisation enthalpy of copper.

Question 93

When 1 M H₂SO₄ is completely neutralized by NaOH, the heat liberated is 114.64 kJ. What is the enthalpy of neutralization?

Options:

A. +114.64 kJ

B. -114.64 kJ

C. -57.32 kJ

D. +57.32 kJ

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

The enthalpy of neutralization is defined as the heat envolved when 1g equivalent of an acid is neutralized by 1g equivalent of a base or vice-versa in dilute solution. This is constant and its value is -57.1 kJ for neutralization of any strong acid by a strong base since in dilute solution they completely dissociate into ions. H ⁺(aq) + OH ⁺(aq) H₂O(I) Δ H_{neu} = -57.1 kJ mol⁻¹ Thus, neutralization involves combination of 1 mole of H ⁺ ions with 1 mole of OH ⁻ ions to form 1 mole of H₂O. Now, it is clear that 1g equivalent (or 1 mole) of any acid on complete dissociation gives 1 mole of H ⁺ ions. But this is not true in case of dibasic or diprotic acid, for example, 1 mole of H₂SO₄ gives 2 moles of H ⁺ ions on complete dissociation.

However, 1g equivalent of H_2SO_4 (= 0.5 mol) gives 1 mole of H^+ ions. $H_2SO_4 + 2 NaOH \rightarrow Na_2SO_4 + 2H_2O$ $\Delta H_{neu} = -114.64 \text{ kJ}$ \therefore Enthalpy of neutralization = $\frac{-114.64}{2}$ = -57.32 kJ

Question 94

The first ionisation potential (in eV) of N and O atoms are

C

Options:

A. 14.6, 13.6

B. 13.6, 14.6

C. 13.6, 13.6

D. 14.6, 14.6

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

As we move from left to right in a period, the ionisation enthalpy increases with increasing atomic number due to increased nuclear charge and smaller atomic radii. But the first ionisation enthalpy of oxygen is lower than that of nitrogen although the nuclear charge of oxygen is higher than that of nitrogen. This is due to following reasons. (i) The electronic configuration of N $(1s^22s^22p_x^12p_y^12p_z^1)$ in which the 2 p-orbitals are exactly half-filled is more stable than the electronic configuration of O $(1s^22s^22p_x^22p_y^12p_z^1)$ in which the 2p-orbitals are neither half-filled nor completely filled. Therefore, it is difficult to remove an electron from N than from O.

(ii) The removal of an electron from O gives a stable electronic configuration with exactly half-filled 2p subshell, i.e., O + $(1s^{2}2s^{2}2p_{x}^{1}2p_{y}^{1}2p_{z}^{1})$ while this is not so in case of N, i.e., N + $(1s^{2}2s^{2}2p_{x}^{1}2p_{y}^{1}2p_{z}^{0})$. Therefore, the first ionisation enthalpy of O is lower than that of N.

Question 95

One of the isomer of the 5 th member of alkyne series is optically active. It is

Options:

A. 4-methyl pent-2-yne

B. 3-methyl pent-1-yne

- C. 4-methyl pent-1-yne
- D. 3, 3-dimethyl but-1-yne

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

For a compound to be optically active it must be

(i) Chiral and non-superimposable on its mirror image. The molecules which are not superimposable on their mirror images are called chiral molecules. Chiral molecule has a carbon atom linked to four different groups and this carbon atom is called as chiral carbon atom. Among all the alkynes having five membered chain one is optically active.



Question 96

The aqueous ferrous ion is green, ferric ion is pale yellow. The aqueous chromic ion is green, hence the colour of chromate ion must be

Options:

A. orange

- B. colourless
- C. yellow
- D. red

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Most of the compounds of transition metals are coloured in solid as well as solution state. Colour in transition metal ions is usually due to electron transition within the *d*-shell. Intensely coloured ions with the metal in its highest oxidaton state (e.g., Mn^{7+} , Cr^{6+} , Fe^{6+}) derive the colour from electrons transitions between the metal and the oxygen atom. Iron (i) Fe^{2+} (ferrous ion) is green. (ii) Fe^{3+} (ferric ion) is pale yellow in colour. Chromium (i) The colour of chromic ion, i.e., Cr^{3+} depends around the ligand around the ion. Aqueous solution contains the violet octahedral hexaaquachromium (III) ion, but when some of the water ligands are replaced by other species, such Cr^{3+} ions are green. $[Cr(H_2O)_6]^{3+}(aq) + 3OH^-(aq)$ Violet, octahedral $\rightarrow [Cr(OH)_3(H_2O)_6](s) + 3H_2O(I)$ Green, octahedral (ii) In chromate ion (CrO_4^{2-}) , Cr occurs in +6 oxidation state and it is yellow in colour.

Question 97

$$\frac{K_{\rho}}{K_{c}} \text{ for the reaction CO(g) + } \frac{1}{2}O_{2}(g) \rightleftharpoons CO_{2}(g) \text{ is}$$

Options:

A. RT

B.
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\mathsf{RT}}}$$

C. $\sqrt{\mathsf{RT}}$

D. $\frac{1}{RT}$

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

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For the given reaction

CO(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_2(g) \rightleftharpoons CO_2(s)
\Delta n_g = n_{products} - n_{reactants}
= \frac{1 - 1.5}{-0.5}
Hence, K_p = K_c(RT)^{\Delta n}
or
\frac{K_p}{K_c} = (RT)^{-0.5} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{RT}}
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The human body does not produce

Options:

A. enzyme

B. DNA

C. vitamins

D. hormones

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

The term vitamins was coined, by C Funk in 1912, which means essential for life. Vitamins are accessory fast factors, required in small quantity for controlling metabolism and body functioning, e.g., they help keeping our eyes, bones, teeth and gums healthy, but do not provide energy.

Vitamins are an essential component of our diet, because they are not produced inside the body and in the absence of vitamins, a number of chemical reactions cannot take place.

Question 99

The dimensions of a unit cell of a crystal are a = 0.397, b = 0.387, c = 0.504 and $\alpha = \beta = 90^{\circ}$, $\gamma = 120^{\circ}$ the crystal system is

Options:

A. cubic

B. hexagonal

C. orthorhombic

D. rhombohedral

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

A hexagonal crystal system has the following parametres of its unit cell Axial lengths $a = b \neq c$ Axial angles $\alpha = \beta = 90^\circ$, $r = 120^\circ$ C




e.g., cinnabar (HgS), ICl, Graphite, ZnO, Pbl_2 etc.

Question 100

A particle ' A ' moving with a certain velocity has the de-Broglie wavelength 1 Å. For a particle ' B ' with mass 25% of ' A ' and velocity 75% of ' A '. The de-Broglie wave length of ' B ' will be

Options:

A. 3Å

B. 5.33Å

C. 6.88Å

D. 0.68Å

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: By de-Broglie equation h $\lambda_A = \frac{m}{m_A v_A}$ h and $\lambda_{\rm B} = \frac{m}{m_{\rm B} v_{\rm B}}$ $\frac{\lambda_{\rm A}}{\lambda_{\rm B}} = \frac{\rm m_{\rm B} \rm v_{\rm B}}{\rm m_{\rm A} \rm v_{\rm A}}$ m_Bv_B As $m_B = 25\%$ of mass of A $\therefore m_A = 1$ and $m_B = 0.25$ similarly, $v_B = 75\%$ of velocity of A $\therefore v_A = 1$ and $v_B = 0.75$ By putting the values in Eq. (i) $\frac{\lambda_A}{\lambda_B} = \frac{0.25m_A \times 0.75v_A}{m_A \times v_A}$ $\overline{\lambda_{\rm B}}$ $\frac{\lambda_{\rm A}}{2} = 0.1875$ $\overline{\lambda_{\mathsf{B}}}$ λ_{A} $\Rightarrow \lambda_{\rm B} =$ 0.1875 = 5.33Å

The area of the parallelogram having the diagonals 3i + j - 2k and i - 3j + 4k is

Options:

- A. 5 sq units
- B. $10\sqrt{3}$ sq units
- C. $5\sqrt{3}$ sq units
- D. 10 sq units

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Given, diagonal of parallelogram are $d_1 = 3i + j - 2k$ and $d_2 = i - 3j + 4k$ Area of parallelogram $= \frac{1}{2} |d_1 \times d_2|$ $= \frac{1}{2} |i(4 - 6) - j(12 + 2) + k(-9 - 1)|$ $= \frac{1}{2} |-2i - 14j - 10k|$ = |-i - 7j - 5k| $= \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-7)^2 + (-5)^2}$ $= \sqrt{1 + 49 + 25} = \sqrt{75}$ $= 5\sqrt{3}$ sq units

Question 102

The value of $(i + j) \cdot [(j + k) \times (k + i)]$ is

Options:

A. 0

B. 1

C. -1

D. 2

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: $(i + j) \cdot [(j + k) \times (k + i)]$

 $= (i+j) \cdot \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ = $(i+j) \cdot [i(1-0) - j(0-1) + k(0-1)]$ = $(i+j) \cdot (i+j-k)$ = 1+1-0=2

The solution of the differential equation
$$x \frac{dy}{dx} = y - x \tan(\frac{y}{x})$$
 is

Options:

- A. $x sin(\frac{x}{v}) + C = 0$
- B. x sin y + C = 0

C. xsin
$$\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) = C$$

D. None of these

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Given, differential equation is $x \frac{dy}{dx} = y - x \tan(\frac{y}{x})$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x} - \tan(\frac{y}{x}) \dots (i)$ Put $y = vx \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx}$ in Eq. (i), we get $dx \quad dx \quad dx$ $v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = v - \tan v$ $\Rightarrow x \frac{dv}{dx} = v - \tan v - v = -\tan v$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dx} = -\frac{dx}{x}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{\cos v}{\sin v} dv = -\frac{dx}{x}$ On integrating both sides, we get On integrating both sides, we get $\int \frac{\cos v}{\sin v} dv = -\int \frac{dx}{x}$ $\Rightarrow \log(\sin v) = -\log x + \log C$ $\Rightarrow \log(\sin v) + \log x = \log C$ $\Rightarrow \log(x \sin v) = \log C$ $\Rightarrow (\because \log m + \log n = \log m n)$ $x \sin v = C$ On putting $v = \frac{y}{x}$, we get $xsin\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) = C$ which is the required solution.

Question 104

The angle of elevation of the Sun, when the shadow of the pole is $\sqrt{3}$ times the height of the pole, is

Options:

- A. 60 °
- B. 45 °
- C. 15°
- D. 30°

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

Let AB be the pole and its shadow is BC. According to the question,



Shadow of the pole = $\sqrt{3}$ height of the pole \Rightarrow BC = $\sqrt{3}$ AB ... (i) Now, let angle of elevation of Sun is θ . Then, in \triangle ABC, $\tan \theta = \frac{AB}{BC}$ $\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{AB}{\sqrt{3}AB} \left[\text{from Eq. (i)} \right]$ $\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \tan 30^{\circ}$ $\therefore \theta = 30^{\circ}$

The curves $x = y^2$ and xy = k cut at right angles, if k^2 is equal to

Options:

A. 1

B. 0

C. $\frac{1}{8}$

D. 8

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Given, curves are $c_1 \equiv xy = k$ and $c_2 \equiv x = y^2$ On solving Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get the intersection point $(k^{2/3}, k^{1/3})$. On differentiating Eqs. (i) and (ii) w.r.t. x, we get for Eq. (i), $x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$ $\Rightarrow \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{c_1} = \frac{-y}{x}$ \dots (iii) for Eq. (ii), $1 = 2y \frac{dy}{dx}$ $\Rightarrow \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{c_2} = \frac{1}{2y} \dots$ (iv) At point $(k^{2/3}, k^{1/3})$, $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{c_1} = -\frac{k^{1/3}}{k^{2/3}}$. and $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{c_2} = \frac{1}{2k^{1/3}}$ Since, the curves cut at right angle, then $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{c_1} \cdot \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{c_2} = -1$ $\Rightarrow \left(-\frac{k^{1/3}}{k^{2/3}}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2k^{1/3}}\right) = -1$ $\Rightarrow k^{2/3} = \frac{1}{2}$ $\therefore k^2 = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 = \frac{1}{8}$

Question 106

If \hat{a} and \hat{b} are unit vectors and θ is the angle between them, then sin (θ /2) is equal to

A.
$$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{a} + \frac{\hat{b}}{2} \end{vmatrix}$$

B. $\hat{a} - \frac{\hat{b}}{2}$
C. $\begin{vmatrix} \hat{a} - \frac{\hat{b}}{2} \end{vmatrix}$
D. $\begin{vmatrix} \hat{a} - \hat{b} \end{vmatrix}$

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Given, \hat{a} and \hat{b} are two unit vectors. $\therefore |\hat{a}| = |\hat{b}| = 1$ Now, $|\hat{a} - \hat{b}|^2 = |\hat{a}|^2 + |\hat{b}|^2 - 2|\hat{a}||\hat{b}| \cdot \cos \theta$ $\Rightarrow |\hat{a} - \hat{b}|^2 = 1 + 1 - 2\cos \theta$ $\Rightarrow |\hat{a} - \hat{b}|^2 = 2(1 - \cos \theta)$ $\Rightarrow = |\hat{a} - \frac{\hat{b}|^2}{2} = 1 - 1 + 2\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$ $\Rightarrow |\hat{a} - \frac{\hat{b}|^2}{2} = 2\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$ $\Rightarrow \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = |\hat{a} - \frac{\hat{b}|^2}{4}$ Taking square root on both sides, we get $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = |\hat{a} - \frac{\hat{b}|}{2}$

Question 107

If α and β are roots of $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$, then $\lim_{x \to \alpha} \frac{1 - \cos(ax^2 + bx + c)}{(x - \alpha)^2}$ is equal to

Options:

A.
$$\frac{a^2}{2}(\alpha - \beta)^2$$

B. $-\frac{a^2}{2}(\alpha - \beta)^2$
C. 0
D. 1

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

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Given, \alpha and \beta are the roots of ax^2 + bx + c = 0

\therefore a\alpha^2 + b\alpha + c = 0 \dots (i)

and a\beta^2 + b\beta + c = 0 \dots (ii)

Also, \alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} \dots (iii)

and \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} \dots (iv)

Now, \lim_{x \to \alpha} \frac{1 - \cos(ax^2 + bx + c)}{(x - \alpha)^2} \left(\frac{0}{0}, \text{ form}\right)

= \lim_{x \to \alpha} \frac{0 + \sin(ax^2 + bx + c) \cdot (2ax + b)}{2(x - \alpha)}

(by L-Hospital rule)

= \lim_{x \to \alpha} \frac{(2ax + b)\sin(ax^2 + bx + c)}{2(x - \alpha)}

(\frac{0}{0}, \text{ form})

(2ax + b)\cos(ax^2 + bx + c)

= \lim_{x \to \alpha} \frac{(2ax + b) + 2a\sin(ax^2 + bx + c)}{2(1 - 0)}

= \frac{1}{2}(2a\alpha + b)\cos(a\alpha^2 + b\alpha + c)(2a\alpha + b)

+ 2a\sin(a\alpha^2 + b\alpha + c)

= \frac{1}{2}(2a\alpha + b)^2\cos(0) + 2a\sin(0)

= \frac{(2a\alpha + b)^2}{2} = \frac{a^2}{2}(2\alpha + \frac{b}{a})^2

= \frac{a^2}{2}[2\alpha - (\alpha + \beta)]^2
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Question 108

The particular solution of $\cos(\frac{dy}{dx}) = a$ (where, $a \in R$), (y = 2 when x = 0), is

Options:

A.
$$\cos\left(\frac{y-2}{x}\right) = a$$

B. $sin\left(\frac{y-2}{x}\right) = a$
C. $\cos^{-1}x = y + a$
D. $y = a\cos^{-1}x$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Given, differential equation is $\cos(\frac{dy}{dx}) = a$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos^{-1}a$ ⇒ dy = cos⁻¹ adx On integrating both sides, we get $\int dy = cos^{-1}a \int dx + C$ ⇒ y = cos⁻¹ax + C...(i) When x = 0, then y = 2 Then, from Eq. (i), we get 2 = 0 + C ⇒ C = 2 On putting the value of C in Eq. (i), we get y = xcos⁻¹a + 2 ⇒ y - 2 = xcos⁻¹a ⇒ $\frac{y-2}{x} = cos^{-1}a$ ⇒ $cos(\frac{y-2}{x}) = a$ which is the required solution.

Question 109

The square root of 2i is

Options:

A. 1 + i

B. 1 – i

C. √2i

D. $-\sqrt{2}$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Let $(a + ib)^2 = 2i = 0 + 2i$ $\Rightarrow a^2 - b^2 = 0$ and 2ab = 2Now, $(a^2 + b^2)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2 + 4a^2b^2$ $= 0 + (2)^2 = 4$ $\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 = 2$ $\Rightarrow a = \pm 1$ and $b = \pm 1$ Hence, square root of $2i = \pm (1 + i)$

Question 110

The locus of z given by $|\frac{z-1}{z+1}| = 1$ is

Options:

A. a parabola

B. an ellipse

C. a circle

D. a straight line

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: Given, $\left|\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right| = 1$ On putting z = x + iy, we get $\left|\frac{x+iy-1}{x+iy+1}\right| = 1$ $\Rightarrow \frac{|(x-1)+iy|}{|(x+1)+iy|} = 1$ $\Rightarrow \frac{|(x-1)+iy|}{|(x+1)+iy|} = \frac{|(x+1)+iy|}{|(x+1)^2+y^2|}$ On squaring both sides, we get $(x-1)^2 + y^2 = (x+1)^2 + y^2$ $\Rightarrow x^2 + 1 - 2x + y^2 = x^2 + 1 + 2x + y^2$ $\Rightarrow x = 0$ $\Rightarrow x = 0 \Rightarrow y$ -axis which represent a straight line.

Question 111

If $\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$, then the general value of θ is

Options:

A. $n\pi + (-1)^{n} \frac{\pi}{3}$ B. $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ C. $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$

D. $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Given, $\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ $\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{3}$ $\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{3}$ which represent the general value of θ .

Question 112

The root of the equation $2x - \log_{10} x = 7$ is between

Options:

A. 3 and 3.5

B. 2 and 3

C. 3.5 and 4

D. None of these

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Given, equation is $2x - \log_{10}x = 7$. Let $f(x) = 2x - \log_{10}x - 7 = 0$ Then, at x = 3.5, $f(3.5) = -\log_{10}3.5 < 0$ At x = 4, $f(4) = 1 - \log_{10}4 > 0$ Hence, roots lies between 3.5 and 4.

Question 113

The coefficient of correlation between x and y is 0.8, whereas the regression coefficient of y on x is 0.2, then the regression coefficient of x on y will be

Options:

A. -3.2

B. 3.2

C. 4

D. 0.16

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Given, coefficient of correlation between x and y, r = 0.8 Regression coefficient of y an x, $b_{yx} = 0.2$ We know that, $r = \sqrt{b_{xy} \cdot b_{yx}}$ $\Rightarrow 0.8 = \sqrt{b_{xy} \cdot 0.2}$ On squaring both sides, we get $(0.8)^2 = b_{xy} \cdot 0.2$ $\Rightarrow b_{xy} = \frac{0.64}{0.2}$ $\Rightarrow b_{xy} = 3.2$ Hence, regression coefficient of x on y, $b_{xy} = 3.2$

If sin
$$(x + y) = \log(x + y)$$
, then $\frac{dy}{dx}$ is equal to

Options:

A. -1

B. 1

C. 2

D. -2

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:
Given,
$$sin(x + y) = log(x + y)$$

On differentiating w.r.t. x, we get
 $cos(x + y)(1 + \frac{dy}{dx}) = \frac{1}{(x + y)} \cdot (1 + \frac{dy}{dx}) = \frac{1}{(x + y)} \cdot (1 + \frac{dy}{dx}) = \frac{1}{(x + y)} + \frac{1}{(x + y)} \frac{dy}{dx}$
 $= \frac{1}{(x + y)} + \frac{1}{(x + y)} \frac{dy}{dx}$
 $\Rightarrow \{cos(x + y) - \frac{1}{(x + y)}\} \frac{dy}{dx}$
 $= \frac{1}{(x + y)} - cos(x + y)$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{1}{(x + y)} - cos(x + y)}{cos(x + y) - \frac{1}{(x + y)}}$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -1$

 $\frac{dy}{dx}$)

Question 115

A conic section represents a circle, if its eccentricity e is

Options:

A. e < 0

B. *e* > 0

C. e = 0

D. None of these

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

A conic section represents a circle, if its eccentricity e is ${\bf 0}$.

Question 116

 $\frac{d}{dx}$ cot⁻¹x is equal to

Options:

A.
$$\frac{1}{1 + x^2}$$

B. $\frac{-1}{1 + x^2}$

C.
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

D.
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

$$\frac{d}{dx}\cot^{-1}x = \frac{-1}{1+x^2}$$

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Question 117

The value of tan 9° - tan 27° - tan 63° + tan 81° is

Options:

A. 3

B. 2

C. 8

D. 4

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: $\tan 9^{\circ} - \tan 27^{\circ} - \tan 63^{\circ} + \tan 81^{\circ}$ $= \tan 9^{\circ} - \tan 27^{\circ} - \tan (90^{\circ} - 27^{\circ})$ $+ \tan (90^{\circ} - 9^{\circ})$ $= \tan 9^{\circ} - \tan 27^{\circ} - \cot 27^{\circ} + \cot 9^{\circ}$ $= \frac{\sin 9^{\circ} - \tan 27^{\circ} - \cot 27^{\circ} + \cot 9^{\circ}}{\cos 9^{\circ} + \sin 9^{\circ}} - \frac{\sin 27^{\circ} - \frac{\cos 27^{\circ}}{\sin 27^{\circ}}}{\cos 27^{\circ} + \sin 27^{\circ}}$ $= \frac{\sin^{2} 9^{\circ} + \cos^{2} 9^{\circ}}{\cos 9^{\circ} \cdot \sin 9^{\circ}} - \frac{\sin^{2} 27^{\circ} + \cos^{2} 27^{\circ}}{\cos 27^{\circ} \cdot \sin 27^{\circ}}$ $= \frac{2}{\sin 18^{\circ}} - \frac{2}{\sin 54^{\circ}}$ $(\because 2\sin A \cdot \cos A = \sin 2A)$ $= 2(\frac{\sin 54^{\circ} - \sin 18^{\circ}}{\sin 18^{\circ} \cdot \sin 54^{\circ}})$ $= 2\left[\frac{2\cos(\frac{54^{\circ} + 18^{\circ}}{2}) \cdot \sin(\frac{54^{\circ} - 18^{\circ}}{2})}{\sin 18^{\circ} \cdot \sin 54^{\circ}}\right]$ $= 4(\frac{\cos 36^{\circ} \cdot \sin 18^{\circ}}{\sin 18^{\circ} \cdot \sin 54^{\circ}})$ $= 4\{\frac{\cos(90^{\circ} - 54^{\circ})}{\sin 54^{\circ}}\}$ $= 4(\frac{\sin 54^{\circ}}{\sin 54^{\circ}}) = 4$

Question 118

The number of terms in the series 105 + 103 + 101 + . . . + 49 + 47 is

Options:

A. 28

B. 30

C. 25

D. 22

Answer: B

Solution:

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Solution:

Given, series is

105 + 103 + 101 + ... + 49 + 47

which is an AP.

Here, a = 105 and d = 103 - 105 = -2

Let nth term = 47

\Rightarrow a + (n - 1)d = 47

\Rightarrow 105 + (n - 1)(-2) = 47

\Rightarrow -2(n - 1) = 47 - 105

\Rightarrow n - 1 = \frac{-58}{-2}

\Rightarrow n = 29 + 1

\Rightarrow n = 30

Hence, number of terms in given series is 30.
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Question 119

If the variance of two variables \times and y are respectively 9 and 16 and covariance is 8 , then the coefficient of correlation between \times and y will

be

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Options:

A.
$$\frac{2}{3}$$

B. $\frac{8}{3\sqrt{2}}$
C. $\frac{9}{8\sqrt{2}}$
D. $\frac{2}{9}$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Given, variance of x, $\sigma_x^2 = 9$ $\Rightarrow \sigma_x = \sqrt{9} = 3$ Variance of y, $\sigma_y^2 = 16$ $\Rightarrow \sigma_y = \sqrt{16} = 4$ Covariance, cov(x, y) = 8 Now, coefficient of correlation, $r_{xy} = \frac{\text{cov}(x, y)}{\sigma_x \cdot \sigma_y} = \frac{8}{3 \times 4} = \frac{2}{3}$

Question 120

If
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
, then A is a

Options:

A. singular

B. non-singular

C. symmetric

D. unit matrix

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Given, $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$



Question 121

The ratio in which yz-plane divide the line joining the points A(3, 1, -5) and B(1, 4, -6) is

Options:

A. -3:1

B. 3:1

C. -1:3

D. 1:3

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Let yz-plane divides the line joining the points A(3, 1, -5) and B(1, 4, -6) in the ratio k:1. In yz-plane, x-coordinate = 0 $\therefore \frac{k+3}{k+1} = 0$ $\Rightarrow \frac{k+3}{k} = 0$ $\Rightarrow \frac{k}{k} = -3$ Hence, the required ratio is -3:1.

Question 122

If ${}^{n}P_{5} = 20^{n}P_{3}$, then the value of n is

Options:

A. 7

B. 5

C. 8

D. 9

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Given, ${}^{n}P_{5} = 20^{n}P_{3}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{n!}{(n-5)!} = 20 \cdot \frac{n!}{(n-3)!}$ $\Rightarrow (n-3)! = 20(n-5)!$ $\Rightarrow (n-3)(n-4)(n-5)! = 20(n-5)!$ $\Rightarrow n^{2} - 4n - 3n + 12 = 20$ $\Rightarrow n^{2} - 7n + 12 - 20 = 0$ $\Rightarrow n^{2} - 7n - 8 = 0$ $\Rightarrow n^{2} - 8n + n - 8 = 0$ $\Rightarrow n(n-8)(n+1) = 0$ $\Rightarrow n - 8 = 0 \text{ or } n + 1 = 0$ $\Rightarrow n = 8 \text{ or } n = -1$ Since, n cannot be negative. $\therefore n = 8$

Question 123

The order and degree of the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \{y + (\frac{dy}{dx})^2\}^{1/4}$ are given by

Options:

A. 4 and 2

B. 1 and 2

 $C.\ 1 \ and \ 4$

D. 2 and 4

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: Given, differential equation is $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \{y + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\}^{1/4}$ $\Rightarrow \left(\frac{d^2 y}{d^2}\right)^4 = y + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2$ Hence, order = 2 and degree = 4

Question 124

The differential equation of the family of circles touching the y-axis at the origin is

Options:

A.
$$xy' - 2y = 0$$

B. $y'' - 4y' + 4y = 0$

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C.
$$2xyy' + x^2 = y^2$$

D. $2yy' + y^2 = x^2$

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

The equation of family of circles touching the *y*-axis at the origin is, $(x \pm h)^2 + y^2 = h^2$ $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2xh = 0 \dots$ (i) On differentiating w.r.t. x, we get $2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2h = 0$ or $2x + 2y \cdot y' + 2h = 0$ ($\because -1 \frac{dy}{dx} = y'$) $\Rightarrow 2h = -(2x + 2yy')$ On putting the value of 2h in Eq. (i), we get $x^2 + y^2 - x(2x + 2yy') = 0$ $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 2x^2 - 2xyy' = 0$ $\Rightarrow 2xyy' + x^2 = y^2$ which is the required differential equation.

Question 125

$$\int \frac{dx}{x^4 - 1}$$
 is equal to

Options:

A.
$$\frac{1}{4}\log|\frac{x-1}{x+1}| - \frac{1}{2}\tan^{-1}x + C$$

B. $\log|\frac{x-1}{x+1}| + C$
C. $\frac{1}{4}\log|\frac{x-1}{x+1}| + \frac{1}{2}\tan^{-1}x + C$
D. $\log|\frac{x-1}{x+1}| - \frac{1}{2}\tan^{-1}x + C$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Let $I = \int \frac{dx}{x^4 - 1} = \int \frac{dx}{(x^2 - 1)(x^2 + 1)}$ On apply partial fractions, we get $I = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{x^2 - 1} dx - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{x^2 + 1} dx$ $= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \frac{x - 1}{x + 1} \right| - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \cdot x + C$ $= \frac{1}{4} \log \left| \frac{x - 1}{x + 1} \right| - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} x + C$

If the points (k, 2 - 2k), (-k + 1, 2k) and (-4 - k, 6 - 2k) are collinear, then k is equal to

Options:

A. -1B. $\frac{1}{3}$

- 5
- C. 1

D. $-\frac{1}{2}$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Given, points are (k, 2 - 2k), (-k + 1, 2k) and (-4 - k, 6 - 2k). These points are collinear, then area of $\Delta = 0$

 $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} k & 2-2k & 1 \\ -k+1 & 2k & 1 \\ -4-k & 6-2k & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$ $\Rightarrow k(2k-6+2k) - (2-2k)$ (-k+1+4+k) + 1[(-k+1)(6-2k) - 2k(-4-k)] = 0 $\Rightarrow 4k^2 - 6k - (2-2k)(5) + 1$ $(-6k+2k^2+6-2k+8k+2k^2) = 0$ $\Rightarrow 4k^2 - 6k - 10 + 10k + 4k^2 + 6 = 0$ $\Rightarrow 8k^2 + 4k - 4 = 0$ $\Rightarrow 2k^2 + k - 1 = 0$ $\Rightarrow 2k^2 + k - 1 = 0$ $\therefore k = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1+4 \times 2}}{2 \times 2}$ $= \frac{-1 \pm 3}{4}$ $k = \frac{1}{2}, -1$

Question 127

The equation of a straight line parallel to the ×-axis is given by

Options:

- A. $\frac{x-a}{1} = \frac{y-b}{1} = \frac{z-c}{1}$
- B. $\frac{x-a}{0} = \frac{y-b}{0} = \frac{z-c}{1}$
- C. $\frac{x-a}{0} = \frac{y-b}{1} = \frac{z-c}{1}$
- D. $\frac{x-a}{1} = \frac{y-b}{0} = \frac{z-c}{0}$

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: The direction cosine of a line parallel to x-axis are (1,0,0). \therefore The equation of line parallel to x-axis is, $\frac{x-a}{1} = \frac{y-b}{0} = \frac{z-c}{0}$

Question 128

If $\log_{10^4} x = y$, then $\log_{10^8} x^4$ is equal to

Options:

A. $\frac{2}{3}y$

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C. 4*y*

D. 2y

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: Given, $\log_{10^4} x = y$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{4}\log_{10} x = y$ ($\because \log_{\alpha^{\beta}} x = \frac{1}{\beta}\log_{\alpha} x$) $\Rightarrow \log_{10} x = 4y$ Now, $\log_{10^8} x^4 = \frac{4}{8}\log_{10} x$ ($\because \log_{\alpha^{\beta}} x^n = \frac{n}{\beta}\log_{\alpha} x$) $= \frac{1}{2}\log_{10} x$ $= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4y [\text{ from Eq. (i) }]$ = 2y

Question 129

The shortest distance between the lines $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-5}{-2} = \frac{z-7}{1}$ and $\frac{x+1}{7} = \frac{y+1}{-6} = \frac{z+1}{1}$ is

Options:

A. $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{29}$ units

- B. $2\sqrt{29}$ units
- C. $\sqrt{29}$ units
- D. $\frac{1}{4}\sqrt{29}$ units

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Given, lines are $\frac{x-3}{1} = \frac{y-5}{-2} = \frac{z-7}{1}$ and $\frac{x+1}{7} = \frac{y+1}{-6} = \frac{z+1}{1}$ Shortest distance between the lines, $\begin{vmatrix} -1-3 & -1-5 & -1-7 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 7 & -6 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ $d = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{-1-3}{\sqrt{(-2+6)^2+(7-1)^2+(-6+14)^2}} \\ \frac{-4-6-8}{1} \\ 1-2 & 1 \\ 7 & -6 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ $= \begin{vmatrix} \frac{-4(-2+6)^2+(7-1)^2+(-6+14)^2}{\sqrt{(4)^2+(6)^2+(6)^2+(7-1)^2+(-6+14)}} \\ \frac{-16-36-64}{1} \\ \frac{-16-36-64}{1} \\ \frac{-16-36-64}{\sqrt{116}} \\ \frac{-16}{\sqrt{116}} \\ \frac{-116}{\sqrt{116}} \\ \frac{-116}{\sqrt{116}} \\ \frac{-116}{\sqrt{116}} \\ \frac{-116}{\sqrt{116}} \\ \frac{-116}{\sqrt{116}} \\ \frac{-2\sqrt{29} \text{ units}} \end{aligned}$

Question 130

The largest term in the expansion of $(3 + 2x)^{50}$, where $x = \frac{1}{5}$, is

Options:

A. 7 th

B. 5 th

C. 8th

D. 49th

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: $(3 + 2x)^{50} = 3^{50}(1 + \frac{2}{3}x)^{50}$ Here, $T_{r+1} = 30^{5050}C_r(\frac{2x}{3})^r$ and $T_r = 30^{5050}C_{r-1}(\frac{2x}{3})^{r-1}$ But $x = \frac{1}{5}$ (given) $\therefore \frac{T_{r+1}}{T_r} \ge 1 \Rightarrow \frac{{}^{50}C_r}{{}^{50}C_{r-1}} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{5} \ge 1$ $\Rightarrow 102 - 2r \ge 15r$ Hence, the largest term is 7 th.

Question 131

If $x = a\cos^3 t$ and $y = a\sin^3 t$, then $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{t=\pi/4}$ is equal to

Options:

A. 1

B. -1

C. 0

D. ∞

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Given, $x = a\cos^{3}t$ $y = a\sin^{3}t$ On differentiating w.r.t. t, we get $\frac{dx}{dt} = a3\cos^{2}t \cdot (-\sin t) = -3a\sin t \cdot \cos^{2}t$ and $\frac{dy}{dt} = a3\sin^{2}t \cdot (\cos t) = 3a\sin^{2}t \cdot \cos t$ Now, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{3a\sin^{2}t \cdot \cos t}{-3a\sin t \cdot \cos^{2}t} = -\tan t$ At $t = \frac{\pi}{4}, (\frac{dy}{dx})_{t = \pi/4} = -\tan \frac{\pi}{4} = -1$

Question 132

The anti-derivative F of f defined by $f(x) = 4x^3 - 6x^2 + 2x + 5$, where F(0) = 5 is

Options:

A. $x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 5x$

B. $12x^2 - 12x + 2$

C. $16x^4 - 18x^3 + 4x^2 + 5x$

D. $x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 5x + 5$

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution: Given, $f(x) = 4x^3 - 6x^2 + 2x + 5$, F(0) = 5Anti-derivative of f = F $\Rightarrow F' = f$ $\Rightarrow F = \int f dx + C$ $= \int (4x^3 - 6x^2 + 2x + 5) dx + C$ $= \left[\frac{4x^4}{4} - \frac{6x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^2}{2} + 5x\right] + C$ $\Rightarrow f = x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 5x + C$ On putting x = 0, we get, F(0) = 5 $\Rightarrow 0 - 2(0) + 0 + 5(0) + C = 5$ $\Rightarrow C = 5$ On putting the value of C in Eq. (i), we get $F = x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 5x + 5$

Question 133

Scanner is

Options:

A. an input device

B. an output device

C. a memory device

D. None of the above

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: An intput device.

Question 134

The value of $\sqrt{\textbf{12}}$ upto three places of decimals using the method of Newton-Raphson, will be

Options:

B. 3.462

C. 3.467

D. None of these

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Let $x = \sqrt{12} \Rightarrow x^2 = 12$ $\Rightarrow x^2 - 12 = 0$ \Rightarrow f(x) = x² - 12 On differentiating w.r.t., x, we get f(x) = 2x∴ f(3) < 0 and f(4) > 0 Hence, root will lie between 3 and 4. |f(3)| < |f(4)| ∴ x₀ = 3 First iteration, $x_1 = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f(x_0)}$ $= 3 - \frac{(9 - 12)}{2 \times 3} = 3 + \frac{3}{6}$ = 3.5 Now, second iteration, $x_2 = 3.5 - \frac{f(3.5)}{f(3.5)}$ *f*(3.5) $= 3.5 - \frac{[(3.5)^2 - 12]}{[(3.5)^2 - 12]}$ 2 × 3.5 = 3.463

Question 135

The geometric mean of roots of the equation $x^2 - 18x + 81 = 0$ is

Options:

A. 18

B. 6

C. 9

D. 3

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Given, equation is $x^2 - 18x + 81 = 0$ $\Rightarrow x^2 - 9x - 9x + 81 = 0$ $\Rightarrow x(x - 9) - 9(x - 9) = 0$ $\Rightarrow (x - 9)(x - 9) = 0$ $\Rightarrow x = 9, 9$ Hence, the roots of the quadratic equation are 9 and 9. \therefore Their geometric mean $= \sqrt{9 \times 9} = 9$

 $\lim_{x \to 0} x(-1)^{\left[\frac{1}{x}\right]}$ is equal to

Options:

A. 0

B. 1

C. -1

D. Does not exist

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Let $f(x) = x(-1)^{\lfloor 1/x \rfloor}$ Here, $\lfloor \frac{1}{x} \rfloor$ is a greatest integer function which gives either positive integer or negative integer. Then, $f(x) = x(-1)^{\text{odd integer}}$ or $x(-1)^{\text{even integer}}$. $\therefore \lim_{x \to 0} x(-1)^{\lfloor 1/x \rfloor} = \lim_{x \to 0} x(-1)^{\text{odd integer}}$ or $\lim_{x \to 0} x(-1)^{\text{even integer}} = 0$

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Question 137

Area of the region bounded by the parabola $y = x^2$ and the curve y = |x| is

Options:

A. 3

B. $\frac{1}{3}$

C. 2

D. $\frac{1}{2}$

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Given, curves are $y = x^2$ and y = |x|



The equation of circle passing through the points (0, 2), (3, 3) and having its centre on the \times -axis is

Options:

A. $x^2 + y^2 - 14x - 12 = 0$

B. $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 22x - 4 = 0$

C. $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 14x - 12 = 0$

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

Given, centre of the circle lies on x-axis. \therefore Centre of the circle = (-g, 0). Then, equation of the circle is $(x + g)^2 + y^2 = (\sqrt{g^2 - c})^2$ $\Rightarrow x^2 + g^2 + 2xg + y^2 = g^2 - c$ $\Rightarrow x^2 + 2xg + y^2 + c = 0$...(i) This circle passes through the point (0, 2). $\therefore 0 + 2(0)g + (2)^2 + c = 0$ $\Rightarrow c = -4$ On putting the value of c in Eq. (i), we get $x^2 + 2xg + y^2 - 4 = 0$...(ii) This circle also passes through the point (3, 3). $\therefore (3)^2 + 2(3)g + (3)^2 - 4 = 0$ $\Rightarrow 6g = -14$ $\Rightarrow g = -\frac{14}{6} = \frac{-7}{3}$ On putting the value of g in Eq. (ii), we get $x^2 + 2(-\frac{7}{3})x + y^2 - 4 = 0$ $\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 3y^2 - 14x - 17 = 0$ which is required equation of circle.

Question 139

If $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ and where, θ is an obtuse angle, then $\cot \theta$ is equal to

Options:

A.
$$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

B. $-\sqrt{3}$
C. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

D. √3

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

Given, $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} = \sin 150^{\circ}$ (since, θ is obtuse angle) $\Rightarrow \theta = 150^{\circ}$ Now, $\cot \theta = \cot 150^{\circ} = -\sqrt{3}$

The angle between the lines

$$\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{-2}; z = 2$$
and
$$\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{2y+3}{3}; \frac{z+5}{2}$$
 is

Options:

- A. $\frac{\pi}{3}$
- B. $\frac{\pi}{6}$
- C. $\frac{\pi}{2}$
- Z
- D. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Given, lines are $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y+1}{-2} = \frac{z-2}{0}$ and $\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y+3/2}{3/2} = \frac{z+5}{2}$ Now, $\cos \theta = l_1 l_2 + m_1 m_2 + n_1 n_2$ $= (3)(1) + (-2)(\frac{3}{2})^2 + (0)(2)$ = 3 - 3 + 0 $\Rightarrow \cos \theta = 0 = \cos \frac{\pi}{2}$ $\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

Question 141

RAM (Random Access Memory) in a computer is

Options:

- A. main memory
- B. secondary memory
- C. Both of them
- D. None of the above

Answer: A

Solution:

If the total cost C(x) in rupees associated with the production of x units of an item is given by $C(x) = 3x^3 - 2x^2 + x + 100$. Then, the marginal change in cost, when x = 5, is

Options:

A. 200

B. 225

C. 206

D. 226

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Given, total cost, $C(x) = 3x^3 - 2x^2 + x + 100$ Marginal cost $= \frac{dC(x)}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(3x^3 - 2x^2 + x + 100)$ $= 9x^2 - 4x + 1$ When x = 5, then marginal cost $= 9(5)^2 - 4 \times 5 + 1$ = 225 - 20 + 1 = 206

Question 143

If two events A and B are mutually exclusive events, then P(A/B) is equal to

Options:

A. 0

B. 1

C. $\frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)}$

D. $\frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Given, events A and B are mutually exclusive events. $\therefore P(A \cap B) = 0$ Then, $P(\frac{A}{B}) = 0$

Question 144

If *a*, *b* and *c* are three non-zero, non-coplanar vectors, then the value of $a \times a' + b \times b' + c \times c'$ is

Options:

A. 1

B. 0

C. -1

D. None of the above

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:
Here,
$$a' = \frac{b \times c}{[abc]}, b' = \frac{c \times a}{[abc]}, c' = \frac{a \times b}{[abc]}$$

 $\therefore a \times a' = \frac{a \times (b \times c)}{[abc]},$
 $b \times b' = \frac{b \times (c \times a)}{[abc]},$
and $c \times c' = \frac{c \times (a \times b)}{[abc]}$
Now, $a \times a' + b \times b' + c \times c'$
 $= \frac{a \times (b \times c)}{[abc]} + \frac{b \times (c \times a)}{[abc]} + \frac{c \times (a \times b)}{[abc]}$
 $= \frac{1}{[abc]}[(a \cdot c)b - (a \cdot b)c + (b \cdot a)c]$
 $= 0 - (b \cdot c)a + (c \cdot b)a - (c \cdot a)b]$

Question 145

If $e^0 = 1$, $e^1 = 2.72$, $e^2 = 7.39$, $e^3 = 20.09 e^4 = 54.60$, then the value of $\int_0^4 e^x dx$ using Simpson's rule, will be

Options:

A. 5.387

B. 53.87

C. 52.78

D. 53.17

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: Here, a = 0, b = 4 and n = 4 $h = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{4-0}{4} = 1$ Hence, $\int_{0^{4}e}^{x} dx = \frac{h}{3}[(y_{0} + y_{4}) + 4(y_{1} + y_{3}) + 2y_{2}]$ $= \frac{1}{3}(1 + 54.60) + 4(2.72 + 20.09)$ $= \frac{1}{3}[55.60 + 91.24 + 14.78]$ $= \frac{1}{3}[161.62]$ = 53.87

Question 146

The roots of the quadratic equation $2x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$ are

Options:

A. rational

B. irrational

C. imaginary

D. None of these

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution: Given, quadratic equation is $2x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$ $\Rightarrow 2x^2 + 2x + x + 1 = 0$ $\Rightarrow 2x(x + 1) + 1(x + 1) = 0$ $\Rightarrow (2x + 1)(x + 1) = 0$ $\Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2}, -1$ Hence, the roots of the quadratic equation are rational.

Question 147

 A and B are two independent events. Probability of happening of both \mathbf{A}

and B is 1/6 and probability of happening of neither of them is 1/3, then the probability of events A and B are respectively

Options:

A. $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{3}$ B. $\frac{1}{5}$ and $\frac{1}{6}$ C. $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{6}$ D. $\frac{2}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$

Answer: A

Solution:

Solution:

Given, P(A ∩ B) = $\frac{1}{6}$ \Rightarrow P(A) · P(B) = $\frac{1}{6}$ (\because A and B are independent events) and P($\overline{A} \cap \overline{B}$) = $\frac{1}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($\overline{A} \cup B$) = $\frac{1}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($\overline{A} \cup B$) = $\frac{1}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup B$) = $1 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup B$) = $1 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup B$) = $1 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup B$) = $1 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup B$) = $-P(A \cap B$) = $\frac{2}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup P(B) - P(A \cap B) = \frac{2}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup P(B) - P(A) \cdot P(B) = \frac{2}{3}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup P(B) = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{4 + 1}{6} = \frac{5}{6}$ Now, P($A \cup -P(B)$ $= \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}(P(A) + P(B))^2 - 4P(A) \cdot P(B)}$. $= \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}(\frac{5}{6})^2 - 4(\frac{1}{6})}$ ffrom Eqs. (i) and (ii)] $= \sqrt{\frac{25}{36} - \frac{4}{6}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{36}} = \frac{1}{6}$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup -P(B) = \frac{1}{6}$ On adding Eqs. (ii) and (iii), we get $2P(A) = \frac{5}{6} + \frac{1}{6} = 1$ \Rightarrow P($A \cup = \frac{1}{2}$ On putting the value of P(A) in Eq. (iii), we get $\frac{1}{2} - P(B) = \frac{1}{6}$ \Rightarrow P($B \cup = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{3 - 1}{6} = \frac{2}{6}$ \Rightarrow P($B \cup = \frac{1}{3}$ Hence, P($A \cup = \frac{1}{2}$ and P($B \cup = \frac{1}{3}$

Question 148

The equation of a circle passing through origin and radius is a, is

Options:

A. $(x - a)^{2} + (y - a)^{2} = a^{2}$ B. $x^{2} + y^{2} = a^{2}$ C. $(x - a)^{2} + y^{2} = a^{2}$

D. None of the above

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Given, radius = a The equation of circle passes through origin is $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = h^2 + k^2$ $(x - a)^2 + y^2 = a^2$ Whose radias is 'a' and center lie on x-axis.

Question 149

Compiler in a computer is

Options:

A. an application software

B. a system software

C. a package

D. a tool

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution: a system software

Question 150

 $\int_{-1}^{2x^3 - x} |dx$ is equal to

Options:

- A. 11
- B. 4
- C. $\frac{11}{4}$ D. $\frac{4}{11}$

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution: Let I = $\int_{-1}^{2} |x^3 - x| dx$ = $\int_{-1}^{0} (x^3 - x) dx + \int_{0}^{1} \{-x(x^{2} - 1)\} dx$ + $\int_{1}^{2} (x^3 - x) dx$