

## Question 1

A pendulum suspended from the roof of a railway carriage travelling at a speed  $v$  m / s round a curve  $a$  metre makes  $n$  oscillations per second. If the railway carriage is at rest the same pendulum makes  $n_1$  oscillation per second when the carriage is stationary, the value of  $v^2$  is

Options:

- A.  $ag \sqrt{\left(\frac{n^4}{n_1^4} - 1\right)}$   
 B.  $ag \sqrt{(n^4 - n_1^4)}$   
 C.  $ag \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{n^4}{n_1^4}\right)^4}$   
 D.  $\frac{a}{g} \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{n^4}{n_1^4}\right)}$

Answer: A

Solution:

**Solution:**

(a) We know that, centripital acceleration,

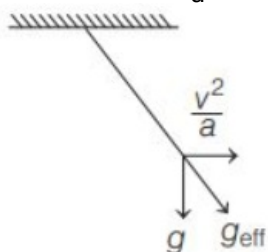
$$g_c = \frac{v^2}{a}$$

For circular path, effective acceleration of pendulum,

$$g_{\text{eff}}^2 = g^2 + g_c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow g_{\text{eff}} = \sqrt{g^2 + g_c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow g_{\text{eff}} = \sqrt{g^2 + \left(\frac{v^2}{a}\right)^2}$$



Now, time period,  $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g_{\text{eff}}}}$

When the railway carriage is travelling, then frequency of oscillation of simple pendulum is given as

$$\frac{1}{n} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g_{\text{eff}}}} \dots \dots (i) \quad (\because T = \frac{1}{n})$$

and when  $v = 0$  (stationary state), then

$$\frac{1}{n_1} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}} \dots \dots (ii)$$

On dividing Eq. (i) by Eq. (ii), we get

$$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{n_1}} = \frac{2\pi \sqrt{\frac{1}{g_{\text{eff}}}}}{2\pi \sqrt{\frac{1}{g}}} \Rightarrow \frac{n_1}{n} = \sqrt{\frac{g}{g_{\text{eff}}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n_1^2}{n^2} = \frac{g}{g_{\text{eff}}} \Rightarrow \frac{n_1^2}{n^2} = \frac{g}{g^2 + \left(\frac{v^2}{a}\right)^2}$$

Squaring both side of the above equation, we get

$$\left(\frac{n_1}{n}\right)^4 = \frac{g^4}{g^2 + \left(\frac{v^2}{a}\right)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow g^2 + \left(\frac{v^2}{a}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{n}{n_1}\right)^4 g^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (v^2)^2 = a^2 g^2 \left[ \left(\frac{n}{n_1}\right)^4 - 1 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow v^2 = ag \sqrt{\left(\frac{n^4}{n_1^4} - 1\right)}$$

## Question 2

**In Young's double slit experiment, the ratio of amplitude of light coming from two slits is 2:3. If  $I_0$  be the maximum intensity, then the resultant intensity / when they interfere at path difference  $\frac{\lambda}{3}$  will be ( $\lambda$  is the wavelength of light used)**

**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{7}{25} I_0$
- B.  $\frac{9}{25} I_0$
- C.  $\frac{5}{7} I_0$
- D.  $\frac{3}{25} I_0$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Ratio of amplitude,  $a_1 : a_2 = 2 : 3$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{Ratio of intensities, } \frac{I_1}{I_2} = \frac{a_1^2}{a_2^2} = \frac{4}{9}$$

Let  $I_1 = 4x$  and  $I_2 = 9x$

Maximum intensity is given as

$$I_0 = (\sqrt{I_1} + \sqrt{I_2})^2 = (\sqrt{4x} + \sqrt{9x})^2$$

$$= 25x \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

When path difference  $= \frac{\lambda}{3}$ , then

$$\text{phase difference} = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \times \text{path difference}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \times \frac{\lambda}{3} = \frac{2\pi}{3} = 120^\circ$$

$$\therefore I = I_1 + I_2 + 2\sqrt{I_1 I_2} \cos 120^\circ$$

$$= 4x + 9x + 2\sqrt{4x \times 9x} \cos 120^\circ$$

$$= 13x - 6x$$

$$\Rightarrow I = 7x \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

$$\text{Hence, } \frac{I}{I_0} = \frac{7x}{25x} \Rightarrow I = \frac{7}{25} \cdot I_0$$

## Question 3

**A black hole is an object whose gravitational field is so strong that even light cannot escape from it. To what approximate radius would earth (mass =  $5.98 \times 10^{24}$  kg ) have to be compressed to be a black hole?**

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**Options:**

- A.  $10^{-6}$ m
- B.  $10^{-2}$ m
- C.  $10^2$ m
- D.  $10^{-9}$ m

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, mass of earth,  $m = 5.98 \times 10^{24}$  kg  
 speed of light,  $c = 3 \times 10^8$  m / s  
 Gravitational constant,  
 $G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11}$  N – m<sup>2</sup> / kg<sup>2</sup>  
 For earth to be black hole, the escape velocity should be at least equal to speed of light.  
 $\therefore$  Escape velocity = speed of light  
 $\sqrt{2 \frac{Gm}{R}} = c$   
 $\Rightarrow R = \frac{2Gm}{c^2}$   
 $= \frac{2 \times 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 5.9 \times 10^{24}}{(3 \times 10^8)^2}$   
 $= \frac{2 \times 6.67 \times 598 \times 10^{-11} \times 10^{24}}{10^4 \times 9 \times 10^{16}}$   
 $= \frac{1334 \times 598}{9} \times 10^{-31} \times 10^{24}$   
 $= 10^{-2}$  m

## Question 4

**What is the moment of inertia of a rod of mass  $M$ , length  $l$  about an axis perpendicular to it through one end?**

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**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{Ml^2}{12}$

B.  $\frac{Ml^2}{5}$

C.  $\frac{Ml^2}{6}$

D.  $\frac{Ml^2}{3}$

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Moment of inertia of a rod of mass  $M$  and length  $l$  about an axis perpendicular to it passing through its centre of mass,

$$I_{CM} = \frac{Ml^2}{12}$$

According to parallel axes theorem, moment of inertia of rod perpendicular to it and passing through one end,

$$I = I_{CM} + M\left(\frac{l}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{Ml^2}{12} + \frac{Ml^2}{4} = \frac{Ml^2}{3}$$

## Question 5

Two radioactive substances  $A$  and  $B$  have decay constants  $5\lambda$  and  $\lambda$ , respectively. At  $t = 0$ , they have the same number of nuclei, the ratio of number of nuclei of  $A$  to those of  $B$  will be  $\left(\frac{1}{e}\right)^2$  after a time

**Options:**

A.  $4\lambda$

B.  $2\lambda$

C.  $\frac{1}{4}\lambda$

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

E. None of above

**Answer: E**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, initial number of nuclei  $= N_0$

After time  $t$ , remaining number of nuclei,

$$N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t} \text{ (where, } \lambda = \text{decay constant)}$$

Given, at time,  $t = 0$

For radioactive substance  $A$ ,

$$N_A = N_0 e^{-5\lambda t}$$

Similarly, for  $B$ ,

$$N_B = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\therefore \text{Ratio } \frac{N_A}{N_B} = \frac{N_0 e^{5-\lambda t}}{N_0 e^{-\lambda t}} = \frac{e^{-5\lambda t}}{e^{-\lambda t}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{N_A}{N_B} = e^{-4\lambda t} \dots\dots(i)$$

It is given that after time  $t$ ,

$$\text{the ratio, } \frac{N_A}{N_B} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \dots\dots(ii)$$

From Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{e}\right)^2 = e^{-4\lambda t} \Rightarrow e^{-2} = e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\text{Comparing the powers, we get } -2 = -4\lambda t \Rightarrow t = \frac{1}{2\lambda}$$

Hence, the ratio of number of nuclei of A to those of B will be  $\left(\frac{1}{e}\right)^2$  after a time of  $\frac{1}{2\lambda}$

$\therefore$  No option in the given question is correct

## Question 6

**The half-life period of a radioactive substance is 5 min. The amount of substance decayed in 20 min will be**

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**Options:**

A. 6.25 %

B. 25 %

C. 75 %

D. 93.75 %

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, half - life period of a radioactive substance,

$$T_{\frac{1}{2}} = 5 \text{ min}$$

Total time,  $T = 20 \text{ min}$

Number of half - life,

$$n = \frac{\text{Total time}(T)}{\text{Half - life}\left(T_{\frac{1}{2}}\right)} = \frac{20}{5} = 4$$

After  $n$  half - life, the amount of substance undecayed,

$$N = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$$

$$\text{Fraction undecayed} = \frac{N}{N_0} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4$$

$$\therefore \text{Fraction decayed} = 1 - \frac{N}{N_0}$$

$$= 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 = \frac{15}{16}$$

Therefore, percentage decayed amount

$$= \left(\frac{15}{16} \times 100\right) \% = 93.75 \%$$

## Question 7

**A capacitor of  $10\mu\text{F}$  charged upto  $250\text{V}$  is connected in parallel with another capacitor of  $5\mu\text{F}$  charged upto  $100\text{V}$ . The common potential is**

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**Options:**

- A.  $500\text{V}$
- B.  $400\text{V}$
- C.  $300\text{V}$
- D.  $200\text{V}$

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, capacitance of first capacitor,

$$C_1 = 10\mu\text{F}$$

Potential difference across first capacitor,

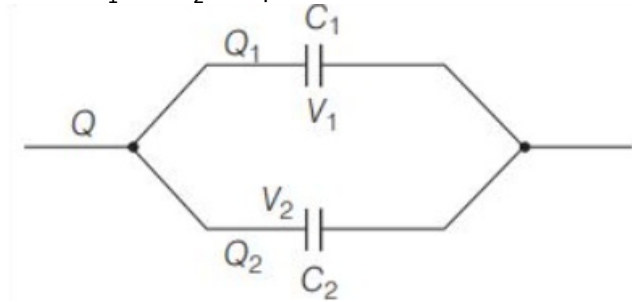
$$V_1 = 250\text{V}$$

Capacitance of second capacitor,  $C_2 = 5\mu\text{F}$

Potential difference across second capacitor,

$$V_2 = 100\text{V}$$

Since,  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are parallel,



$$\therefore C_{\text{eff}} = C_1 + C_2$$

and total charge,  $Q = Q_1 + Q_2$

Here,  $Q_1 = V_1 C_1$  and  $Q_2 = V_2 C_2$

Now, common potential,

$$V = \frac{Q}{C_{\text{eff}}} = \frac{Q_1 + Q_2}{C_1 + C_2}$$

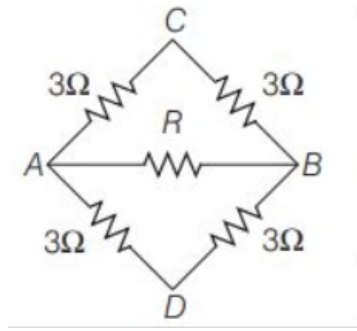
$$V = \frac{V_1 C_1 + V_2 C_2}{C_1 + C_2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{250 \times 10 \times 10^{-6} + 100 \times 5 \times 10^{-6}}{10 \times 10^{-6} + 5 \times 10^{-6}} \\ &= \frac{2500 + 500}{15} = \frac{3000}{15} = 200\text{V} \end{aligned}$$

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## Question 8

The effective resistance between the points  $A$  and  $D$  is  $3\Omega$ . The value of  $R$  in above circuit is



**Options:**

- A.  $6\Omega$
- B.  $3\Omega$
- C.  $2\Omega$
- D.  $1\Omega$

**Answer: A**

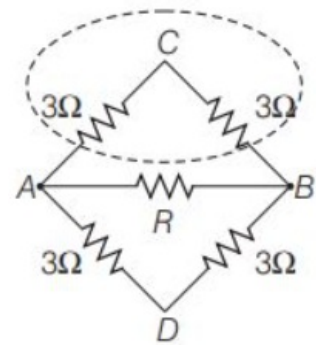
**Solution:**

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Given, effective resistance between points A and D,

$$R_{AD} = 3\Omega$$

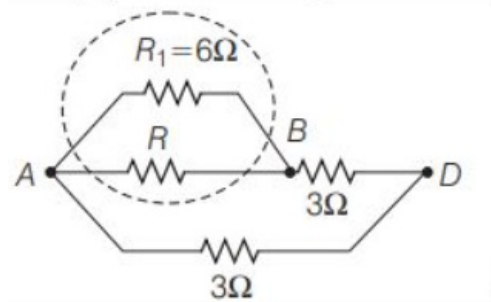
The circuit is shown as



Resistance of sides AC and CB are in series

$$\therefore R_1 = 3 + 3 = 6\Omega \dots\dots(i)$$

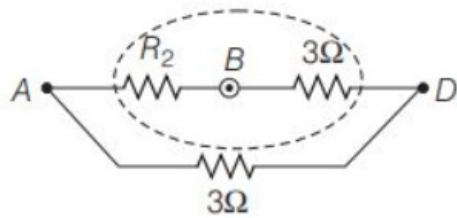
Resistance  $R_1$  and  $R$  are in paralel



$$\therefore \frac{1}{R_2} = \frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{R_1}$$

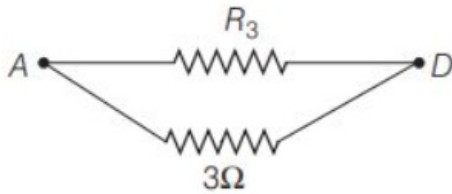
$$\Rightarrow R_2 = \frac{R \cdot R_1}{R + R_1} \dots\dots(ii)$$

Resistance of sides AB and BD are series,



$$R_3 = R_2 + 3 \dots \text{(iii)}$$

Now, resistance  $R_3$  and  $3\Omega$  are parallel



$$\therefore R_4 = \frac{R_3 \times 3}{R_3 + 3} \dots \text{(iv)}$$

Put the value from Eqs. (i), (ii) and (iii) in Eqs. (iv), we get

$$R_4 = \frac{(R_2 + 3)3}{(R_2 + 3) + 3} = \frac{3R_2 + 9}{R_2 + 6}$$

$$= \frac{3\left(\frac{RR_1}{R + R_1}\right) + 9}{\left(\frac{RR_1}{R + R_1}\right) + 6}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 = \frac{\left(\frac{6R}{R} + 6\right) + 9}{\left(\frac{6R}{R} + 6\right) + 6} \quad (\text{Given, } R_4 = R_{AD} = 3\Omega)$$

$$\Rightarrow R = 6\Omega$$

## Question 9

**A diatomic gas initially at  $18^\circ\text{C}$  is compressed adiabatically to one eighth of its original volume. The temperature after compression will be**

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**Options:**

- A.  $18^\circ\text{C}$
- B.  $395.4^\circ\text{C}$
- C.  $144^\circ\text{C}$
- D.  $887.4^\circ\text{C}$

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given,  $T_1 = (18 + 273)\text{K} = 291\text{K}$  and  $T_2 = ?$

Initial volume,  $V_1 = V$  (let)

Final volume,  $V_2 = \frac{V}{8}$

For diatomic gas,  $\gamma = \frac{7}{5}$

Since, the process is adiabatic.

$\therefore TV^{\gamma-1} = \text{constant}$

$\Rightarrow T_1 V_1^{\gamma-1} = T_2 V_2^{\gamma-1}$



$$\Rightarrow T_2 = \left(\frac{V_1}{V_2}\right)^{\gamma-1} \cdot T_1$$

$$\Rightarrow T_2 = \left(\frac{V}{\frac{V}{8}}\right)^{\left(\frac{7}{5}-1\right)} \quad (291)$$

$$\Rightarrow T_2 = (8)^{0.4} \cdot (291)$$

$$\therefore T_2 = 668.5\text{K}$$

$$\text{In Celsius scale, } 668.5 = 66.85 - 273$$

$$\Rightarrow T_2 = 395.5^\circ\text{C} \approx 395.4^\circ\text{C}$$

## Question 10

**One mole of an ideal monochromatic gas expands till its temperature doubles under the process  $V^2 T = \text{constant}$ . If the initial temperature is 400K, the work done by the gas is**

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**Options:**

A.  $400R$

B.  $200R$

C.  $-200R$

D. indeterminate

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, number of mole,  $n = 1$

Initial temperature,  $T_i = 400\text{K}$

Since, final temperature,  $T_f = 2T_i$

$$\therefore T_f = 800\text{K}$$

Difference in temperature,

$$\Delta T = T_f - T_i = 800\text{K} - 400\text{K} = 400\text{K}$$

Now, internal energy,  $\Delta U = nC_v \cdot \Delta T$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta U = 1 \cdot \left(\frac{3}{2}R\right) \cdot 400$$

[For monoatomic gas,  $C_v = \frac{3}{2}R$ ]

$$\therefore \Delta U = 600R \dots\dots(i)$$

According to the problem, process is given as

$$V^2 T = K \dots\dots(ii)$$

From the equation of ideal gas for 1 mole,

$$pV = RT \Rightarrow T = \frac{pV}{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow V^2 \cdot \left(\frac{pV}{R}\right) = K [\text{From Eq. (ii)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow V^3 p = K \dots\dots(iii)$$

Standard equation of adiabatic process is

$$pV^x = K$$

On comparing from Eq. (iii), we get

$$x = 3$$

Since, the expression for molar heat capacity,

$$C = \frac{R}{\gamma - 1} + \frac{R}{1 - x}$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{R}{\left(\frac{5}{2} - 1\right)} + \frac{R}{1 - 3}$$

( $\because$  For monoatomic gas,  $\gamma = \frac{5}{2}$ )

Solving above equation, we get  $C = R$  and heat required,

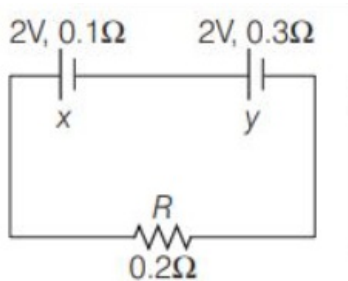
$$\Delta Q = n \cdot C \cdot \Delta T = 1 \times R \times 400 = 400R \text{ .....(iv)}$$

Thus, work done,  $\Delta W = \Delta Q - \Delta U$

From Eqs. (i) and (iv), we get

$$\Delta W = 400R - 600R = -200R$$

## Question 11



In above circuit, potential difference between  $A$  and  $B$  is

**Options:**

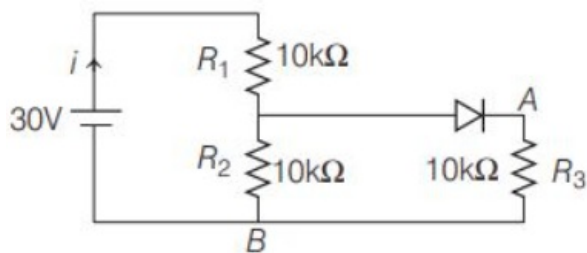
- A. 0
- B. 5V
- C. 10V
- D. 15V

**Answer: C**

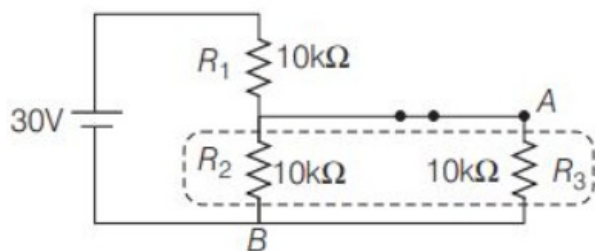
**Solution:**

**Solution:**

In this circuit, the diode is connected in forward bias.



Hence, given circuit is redrawn as



Since,  $R_2$  and  $R_3$  are in parallel, hence their equivalent resistance,

$$R' = \frac{R_2 \times R_3}{R_2 + R_3} = \frac{10 \times 10}{10 + 10}$$

$$\therefore R' = 5k\Omega$$

$$\text{Now, } i = \frac{V}{R_{\text{net}}} = \frac{30}{10 + 5} = 2A$$

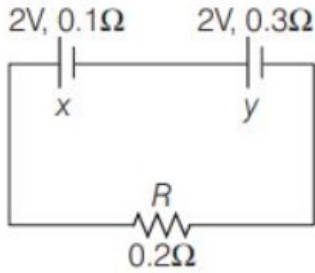
Current through resistance  $R_3$ ,  $I_3 = i \times R_{AB}$

$$= i \times \frac{R_2}{R_2 + R_3} = 2 \times \frac{10}{10 + 10} = 1A$$

∴ Potential difference between points A and B,

$$V_{AB} = I_3 R_3 = 1 \times 10 = 10V$$

## Question 12



**The internal resistance of two cells shown are  $0.1\Omega$  and  $0.3\Omega$ . If  $R = 0.2\Omega$ , then the potential difference across the cell**

**Options:**

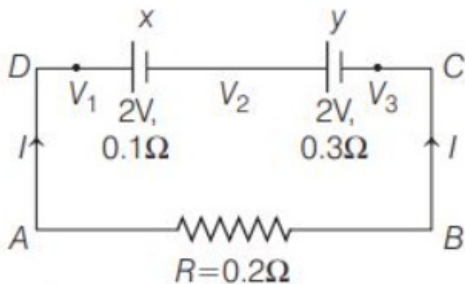
- A.  $y$  will be zero
- B.  $x$  will be zero
- C.  $x$  and  $y$  will be  $2V$
- D.  $x$  will be  $> 2V$  and  $y$  will be  $< 2V$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

From the given circuit diagram, the internal resistance of both the cells and resistance  $R$  connected in series. Consider current  $I$  is flowing through the circuit. We use Kirchhoff's voltage law for the closed path (ABCD),



$$-0.2I + 2 - 0.3I + 2 - 0.1I = 0 \Rightarrow 0.6I + 4 = 0$$

$$\therefore I = -\frac{20}{3}A$$

Potential difference across cell  $x$ ,

$$V_1 - 2 + 0.1 \times \frac{20}{3} = V_2 \Rightarrow V_1 - V_2 = \frac{4}{3}$$

Potential difference across cell  $y$ ,

$$V_2 - 2 + 0.3 \times \frac{20}{3} = V_3 \Rightarrow V_2 - V_3 = 0$$

Hence, the potential difference across cell  $y$  is zero.

## Question 13

**Four rods with different radii  $r$  and length  $l$  are used to connect two reservoirs of heat at different temperatures. Which one will conduct most heat?**

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**Options:**

A.  $r = 1 \text{ cm}, l = 1 \text{ m}$

B.  $r = 2 \text{ cm}, l = 2 \text{ m}$

C.  $r = 1 \text{ cm}, l = \frac{1}{2} \text{ cm}$

D.  $r = 2 \text{ cm}, l = \frac{1}{2} \text{ m}$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Conduction of heat in rod is given by relation

$$Q = \frac{KA \cdot \Delta\theta \cdot t}{l}$$

where,  $K$  = coefficient of thermal conductivity of heat,

$A$  = cross - sectional area,

$\Delta\theta$  = temperature difference,

$t$  = time taken by heat flow

and  $l$  = length of rod.

If the radius of rod be  $r$ , then

$$A = \pi r^2 \Rightarrow Q = \frac{K \cdot \pi r^2 \cdot \Delta\theta \cdot t}{l}$$

Rate of flow of heat through conductor,

$$\frac{Q}{t} = \frac{K\pi r^2 \Delta\theta}{l}$$

Here,  $K$ ,  $\pi$  and  $\Delta\theta$  are constants.

$$\therefore Q \propto \frac{r^2}{l}$$

For more value of  $Q$ ,

(i)  $r$  should be maximum.

(ii)  $l$  should be minimum.

The value of  $\left(\frac{r^2}{l}\right)$  for each observation,

(a)  $r = 1 \text{ cm} = 10^{-2} \text{ m}, l = 1 \text{ m}$

$$Q_1 \propto \frac{r^2}{l} = \frac{(10^{-2})^2}{1} = 10^{-4}$$

(b)  $r = 2 \text{ cm} = 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}, l = 2 \text{ m}$

$$Q_2 \propto \frac{r^2}{l} = \frac{(2 \times 10^{-2})^2}{2} = 2 \times 10^{-4}$$

(c)  $r = 1 \text{ cm} = 10^{-2} \text{ m}, l = \frac{1}{2} \text{ cm} = \frac{1}{2} \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$

$$Q_3 \propto \frac{r^2}{l} = \frac{(10^{-2})^2}{\left(\frac{1}{2} \times 10^{-2}\right)} = 2 \times 10^{-2}$$

(d)  $r = 2 \text{ cm} = 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}, l = \frac{1}{2} \text{ m}$

$$Q_4 \propto \frac{r^2}{l} = \frac{(2 \times 10^{-2})^2}{\frac{1}{2}} = 8 \times 10^{-4}$$

The value of  $\frac{r^2}{l}$  is maximum for the dimensions given in option (c), hence it will conduct maximum heat.

## Question 14

A wall has two layers  $A$  and  $B$ , each made of different materials. The thickness of both the layers is the same. The thermal conductivity of  $A$ ,  $K_A = 3K_B$ . The temperature difference across the wall is  $20^\circ\text{C}$ . In thermal equilibrium  $\left| \begin{array}{c} \theta_1 \\ A \end{array} \right| \left| \begin{array}{c} \theta_1 \\ B \end{array} \right| \theta_2$

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**Options:**

- A. the temperature difference across  $A = 15^\circ\text{C}$
- B. rate of heat transfer across  $A$  is more than across  $B$
- C. rate of heat transfer across both is same
- D. temperature difference across  $B$  is  $15^\circ\text{C}$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

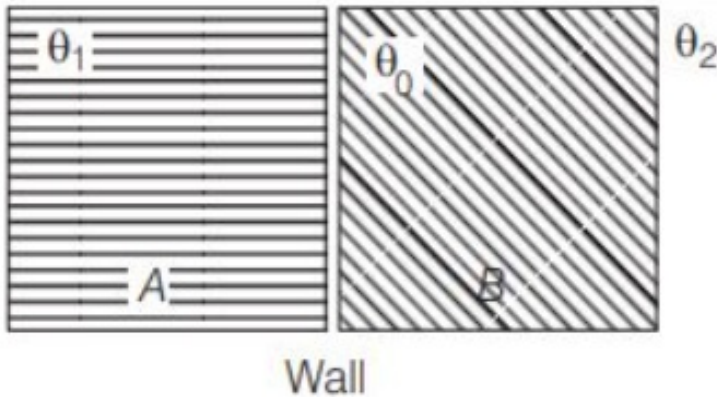
**Solution:**

Given,  $K_A = 3K_B$  and  $(\theta_1 - \theta_2) = 20^\circ\text{C}$

In the series combination, the rate of flow of heat is same.

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{Q_A}{t} = \frac{Q_B}{t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{K_A \cdot A (\theta_1 - \theta_0)}{l} = \frac{K_B \cdot A (\theta_0 - \theta_2)}{l}$$



$$\Rightarrow 3K_B \cdot (\theta_1 - \theta_0) = K_B \cdot (\theta_0 - \theta_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\theta_1 - 3\theta_0 = \theta_0 - \theta_2$$

Adding  $\theta_1$  both sides,

$$\Rightarrow 4\theta_1 - 4\theta_0 = \theta_1 - \theta_2$$

Since,  $(\theta_1 - \theta_2) = 20^\circ\text{C}$  (Given)

$$\therefore 4(\theta_1 - \theta_0) = 20 \Rightarrow (\theta_1 - \theta_0) = 5^\circ\text{C}$$

Hence, option (c) is correct.

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## Question 15

If the frequency of light in a photoelectric experiment is doubled, the stopping potential will

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**Options:**

- A. be doubled
- B. be halved
- C. become more than double
- D. become less than double

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

According to Einstein's photoelectric equation,

$$E = W_0 + K_{\max} \dots\dots(i)$$

where,  $W_0$  = work - function,

$K_{\max}$  = maximum kinetic energy of emitted electron

and  $E$  = energy of incident photon.

If  $\nu$  is the frequency of incident radiations, then

$$E = h\nu$$

$$h\nu = W_0 + K_{\max} \text{ [From eq. (i)]}$$

$$\Rightarrow K_{\max} = h\nu - W_0$$

According to problem

For Frequency ( $\nu$ )	For Frequency ( $2\nu$ )
$K_1 = h\nu - W_0$	$K_2 = h(2\nu) - W_0$ $= 2h\nu - W_0$

$$K_2 - 2K_1 = 2h\nu - W_0 - h\nu + W_0$$

$$K_2 - 2K_1 = h\nu = E$$

$$\therefore K_2 > 2K_1$$

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## Question 16

The energy of an electron in  $n$ th orbit is given by  $E_n = \frac{-13.6}{n^2} \text{ eV}$ . The energy required to take an electron from ground state to the second excited state

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**Options:**

- A. 13.6 eV
- B. 12.09 eV
- C. 1.51 eV
- D. 0.85 eV

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Since the energy required to excite the electron energy levels  $n_1$  to  $n_2$  revolving round the nucleus is given by

$$E_{n_2} - E_{n_1} = \Delta E = 13.6 \left[ \frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right] (\text{in eV})$$

The energy required to excite the electron from ground state ( $n_1 = 1$ ) to second excited state ( $n = 3$ ) is given as

$$\Rightarrow \Delta E = 13.6 \left[ \frac{1}{(1)^2} - \frac{1}{(3)^2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta E = 12.09 \text{ eV}$$

## Question 17

The electric potential at a point  $(x, y)$  in the  $xy$ -plane is given by  $V = -kxy$ . The electric field intensity at a distance  $r$  from the origin varies as

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**Options:**

- A.  $2r^2$
- B.  $2r$
- C.  $r^2$
- D.  $r$

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

If  $\Delta V$  is the potential difference and  $\Delta x$  is the effective displacement between two points, then the electric field is related with the potential as

$$E = -\frac{\Delta V}{\Delta x} \text{ or } E = -\frac{dV}{dx}$$

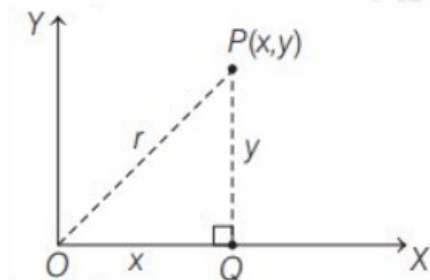
i.e. Negative rate of change of potential is equal to the electric fields.

$$E_x = -\frac{dV}{dx} = -\frac{d}{dx}(-kxy) = +ky \dots\dots(i)$$

and along Y - axis,

$$E_y = -\frac{dV}{dy} = -\frac{d}{dy}(-kxy) = +kx \dots\dots(ii)$$

∴ Resultant electric field,



Put the values from eq. (i) and (ii), we get

$$E = \sqrt{(ky)^2 + (kx)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow E = k\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \dots\dots(iii)$$

From eq. (iii), we get

$$E = k\sqrt{r^2} = kr$$

$$\therefore E \propto r$$

## Question 18

Three charges  $-q$ ,  $Q$  and  $-q$  are placed at equal distances on a straight line. If the potential energy of the system of three charges is zero, then the ratio of  $Q:q$  is

**Options:**

A. 2:1

B. 1:2

C. 1:4

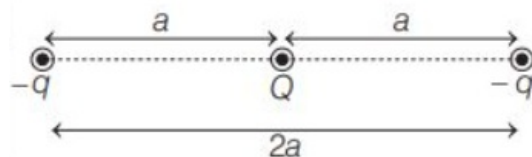
D. 4:1

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Consider charges  $-q$ ,  $Q$  and  $-q$  are placed at equal distance  $a$  as shown in figure



For two charges  $q_1$  and  $q_2$ , electrostatic potential energy is given by

$$U = \frac{kq_1q_2}{r} \text{ (r = distance between two charges)}$$

So, the potential energy of the given system of charges,

$$U = -\frac{kqQ}{a} - \frac{kQq}{a} + \frac{kq \cdot q}{2a}$$

According to the problem,  $U = 0$

$$\therefore -2qQ - 2Qq + q^2 = 0 \Rightarrow -2Q - 2Q + q = 0$$



$$\therefore \frac{Q}{q} = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow Q:q = 1:4$$

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## Question 19

**A coefficient of static friction for steel on ice is 0.1. The coefficient of the sliding friction, therefore can be**

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**Options:**

- A. 0.1
- B. 0.11
- C. 0.08
- D. 1.1

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Since, the static friction always less than that of kinetic friction.

Therefore, coefficient of sliding friction ( $\mu_{\text{sliding}}$ ) is always less than coefficient of static friction ( $\mu_{\text{static}}$ ).

Hence,  $\mu_{\text{sliding}} < \mu_{\text{static}}$

So, the correct option is (c)

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## Question 20

**The time dependence of a physical quantity  $p$  is given by  $p = p_0 \exp(-at^2)$ , where  $a$  is a constant and  $t$  is the time. The constant  $a$**

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**Options:**

- A. is dimensionless
- B. has dimensions  $[T^{-2}]$
- C. has dimensions  $[T^2]$
- D. has dimensions of  $[p]$

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given,  $p = p_0 \exp(-at^2)$

Since, exponential power is dimensionless,

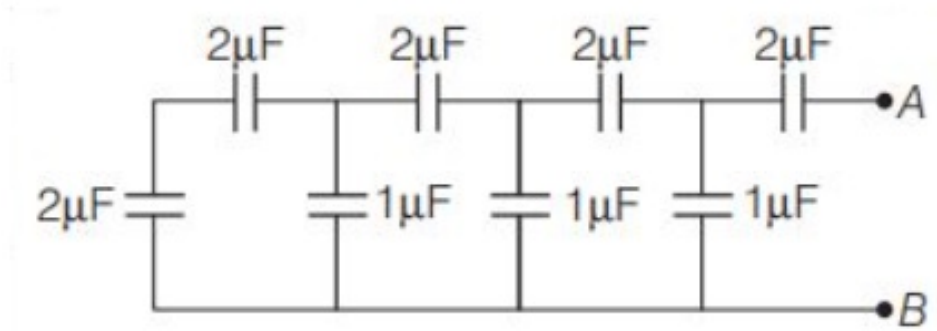
$$\therefore [at]^2 = [M^0 L^0 T^0]$$

$$\Rightarrow [a] = \frac{1}{[t^2]} = \frac{1}{[T^2]} \Rightarrow [a] = [T^{-2}]$$


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## Question 21

The equivalent capacitance of the combination as shown in figure between  $A$  and  $B$  is



**Options:**

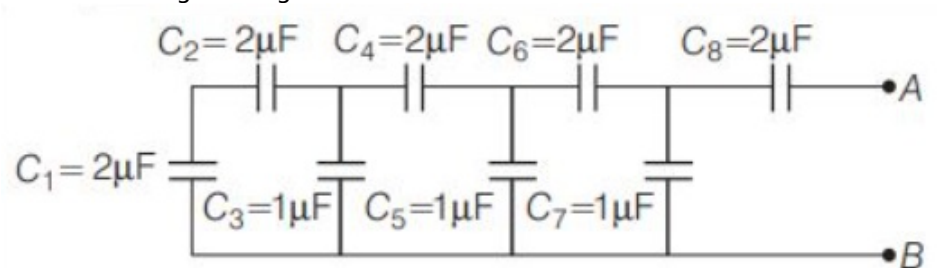
- A.  $2\mu F$
- B.  $1\mu F$
- C.  $3\mu F$
- D.  $6\mu F$

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The circuit diagram is given as



From above circuit diagram,

$C_1$  and  $C_2$  are in series

$\therefore$  Equivalent capacitance of  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  is given as

$$C_{12} = \frac{C_1 C_2}{C_1 + C_2} = \frac{2 \times 2}{2 + 2} = 1\mu\text{F}$$

Now,  $C_{12}$  and  $C_3$  are in parallel, hence equivalent capacitance of  $C_{12}$  and  $C_3$ ,

$$C_{123} = C_{12} + C_3 = 1 + 1 = 2\mu\text{F}$$

Now,  $C_{123}$  and  $C_4$  are in series, hence their equivalent capacitance,

$$C_{1234} = \frac{C_{123} \times C_4}{C_{123} + C_4} = \frac{2 \times 2}{2 + 2} = 1\mu\text{F}$$

Again,  $C_{1234}$  and  $C_5$  are in parallel, hence their equivalent capacitance,

$$C_{12345} = C_{1234} + C_5 = 1 + 1 = 2\mu\text{F}$$

Now,  $C_{12345}$  and  $C_6$  are in series, hence their equivalent capacitance,

$$C_{123456} = \frac{C_{12345} \times C_6}{C_{12345} + C_6} = \frac{2 \times 2}{2 + 2} = 1\mu\text{F}$$

Now,  $C_{123456}$  and  $C_7$  are in parallel, hence their equivalent capacitance,

$$C_{1234567} = C_{123456} + C_7 = 1 + 1 = 2\mu\text{F}$$

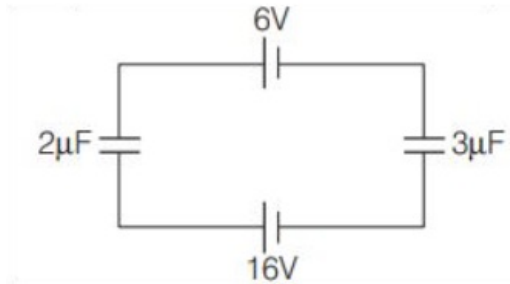
Now,  $C_{1234567}$  and  $C_8$  are in series, hence their equivalent capacitance,

$$C_{12345678} = \frac{C_{1234567} \times C_8}{C_{1234567} + C_8} = \frac{2 \times 2}{2 + 2} = 1\mu\text{F}$$

$$\therefore C_{AB} = C_{12345678} = 1\mu\text{F}$$

## Question 22

The potential difference across  $2\mu\text{F}$  capacitor in the circuit shown in



**Options:**

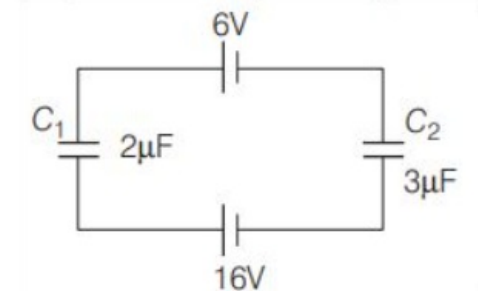
- A. 12V
- B. 4V
- C. 6V
- D. 18V

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

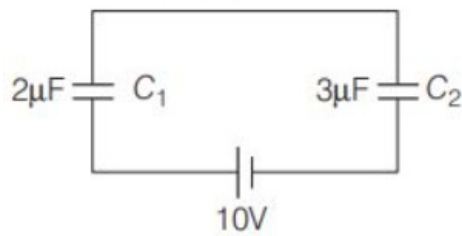
Since,  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are connected in series, therefore equivalent capacitance is



$$\frac{1}{C_s} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow C_s = \frac{6}{5}\mu\text{F}$$

Effective voltage,  $V = 16 - 6 = 10\text{V}$

New equivalent circuit is



Charges on each capacitor,

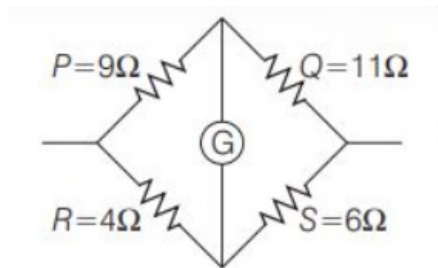
$$Q = C_s \times V = \frac{6}{5} \times 10 \Rightarrow Q = 12\mu C$$

Thus, potential difference across  $2\mu F$  capacitor is

$$V_{C1} = \frac{Q}{C_1} = \frac{12}{2} \Rightarrow V_{C1} = 6V$$

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## Question 23



**How much resistance must be put in parallel to the resistance  $S$  to balance the above bridge?**

**Options:**

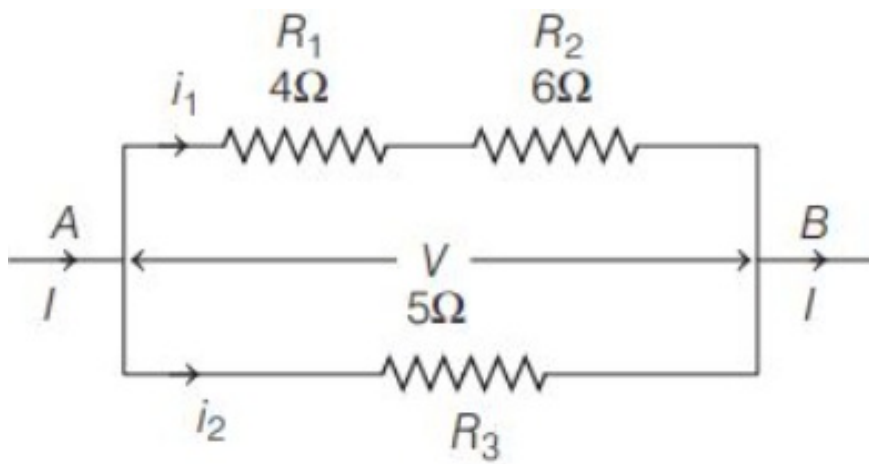
- A.  $24\Omega$
- B.  $\frac{44}{9}\Omega$
- C.  $\frac{132}{5}\Omega$
- D.  $182\Omega$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, resistance of arms as follows



$$P = 9\Omega, Q = 11\Omega, R = 4\Omega, S = 6\Omega$$

Consider resistance ( $r$ ) is connected to parallel to the resistance ( $S$ ).

So, that, the bridge is balance.

If  $r'$  be the equivalent resistance of  $r$  and  $S$ , then

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{r'} = \frac{1}{S} + \frac{1}{r} \Rightarrow \left( \frac{S \cdot r}{S + r} \right)$$

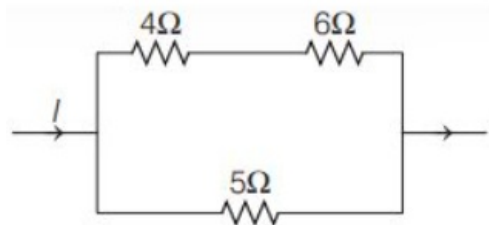
Bridge is balanced, if  $\frac{P}{Q} = \frac{R}{S}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P}{Q} = \frac{R}{\left( S \cdot \frac{r}{S} + r \right)} = \frac{R(S + r)}{Sr}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9}{11} = \frac{4(6 + r)}{6r}$$

$$\text{Solving, } r = \frac{132}{5}\Omega$$

## Question 24



**In the above circuit, the heat produced in  $5\Omega$  resistance is  $10 \text{ cal / s}$ . The heat produced in  $4\Omega$  resistance is**

**Options:**

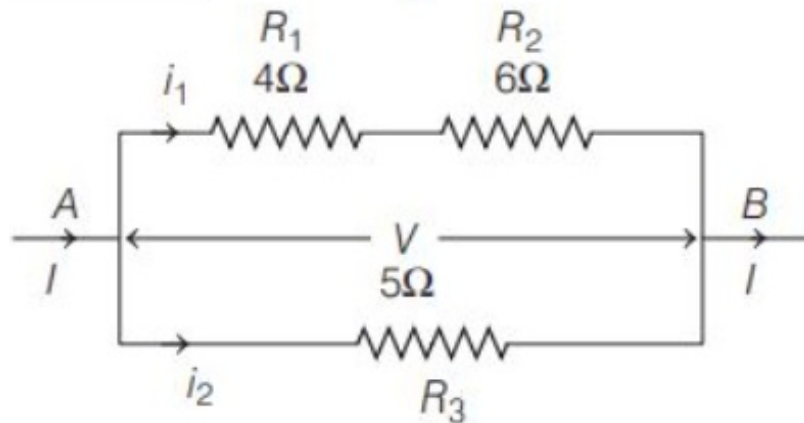
- A.  $1 \text{ cal / s}$
- B.  $2 \text{ cal / s}$
- C.  $3 \text{ cal / s}$
- D.  $4 \text{ cal / s}$

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The given circuit diagram is shown as



Heat produced in  $5\Omega$  resistance,

$$Q_5 = 10 \text{ cal/s}$$

$$\therefore Q_4 = ?$$

Since, potential difference between points A and B is same.

$$\text{i.e. } V = i_1(R_1 + R_2) \text{ and } V = i_2(R_3)$$

$$\Rightarrow i_1(R_1 + R_2) = i_2 R_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{i_1}{i_2} = \frac{R_3}{R_1 + R_2} = \frac{5}{4 + 6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{i_1}{i_2} = \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{Q_5}{Q_4} = \frac{i_2^2 R_3}{i_1^2 R_1} = \frac{\left(\frac{2}{1}\right)^2 \cdot 5}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{10}{Q_4} = 5$$

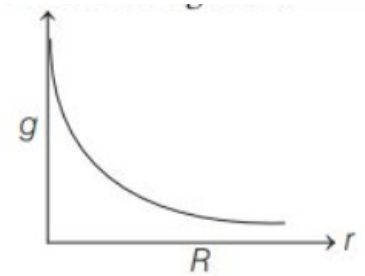
$$\Rightarrow Q_4 = 2 \text{ cal/s}$$

## Question 25

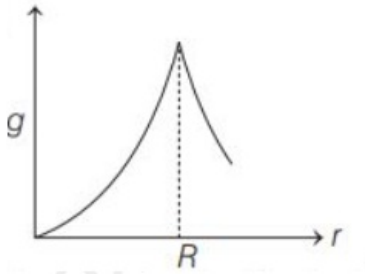
The dependence of acceleration due to gravity  $g$  on the distance  $r$  from the centre of the earth assumed to be a sphere of radius  $R$  of uniform density is shown in figure below. The correct figure is

**Options:**

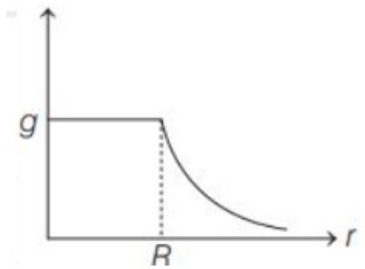
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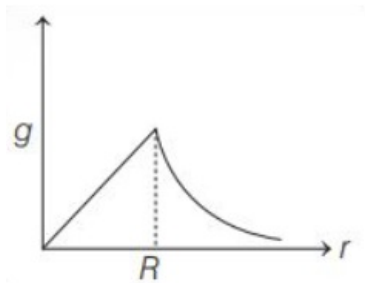
B.



C.



D.



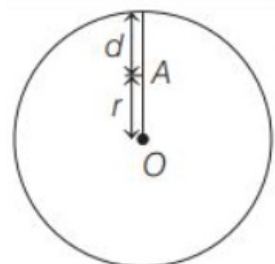
**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Gravitational acceleration at a depth  $d$  below the surface of earth or at a distance  $r$   $g' = g(1 - \frac{d}{R})$  .....(i)

But  $d + r = R \Rightarrow d = R - r$  .....(ii)



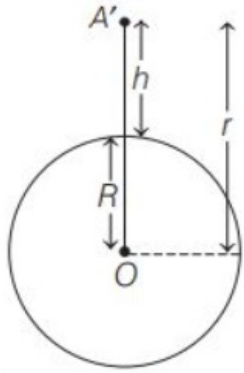
From eqs.(i) and (ii), we have

$$g' = g(1 - \frac{R-r}{R}) = g(1 - \frac{R}{R} + \frac{r}{R}) = g(1 - 1 + \frac{r}{R})$$

$$\Rightarrow g' = \frac{gr}{R}$$

$$\therefore g' \propto r \text{ ....(iii)}$$

Again, gravitational acceleration at a height  $h$  from the surface of earth or at distance  $r > R$  from the centre of earth is given as



$$\begin{aligned}
 g'' &= \frac{g}{\left(1 + \frac{h}{R}\right)^2} \\
 &= \frac{g}{\left(1 + \frac{r-R}{R}\right)^2} \quad [\because r = h + R \Rightarrow h = r - R] \\
 &= \frac{g}{\left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^2} = \frac{gR^2}{r^2} \\
 \therefore g'' &\propto \frac{1}{r^2} \dots (iv)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, from Eqs. (iii) and (iv), we conclude that the correct variation of  $g$  with distance  $r$  is shown in option (d).

## Question 26

**The gravitational potential at the centre of four particles placed at the vertices of a square of side  $l$**

**Options:**

- A.  $-4\sqrt{2} \frac{Gm^2}{l}$
- B.  $-5.41 \frac{Gm}{l}$
- C.  $-4\sqrt{2} \frac{Gm}{l}$
- D.  $5.41 \frac{Gm^2}{l}$

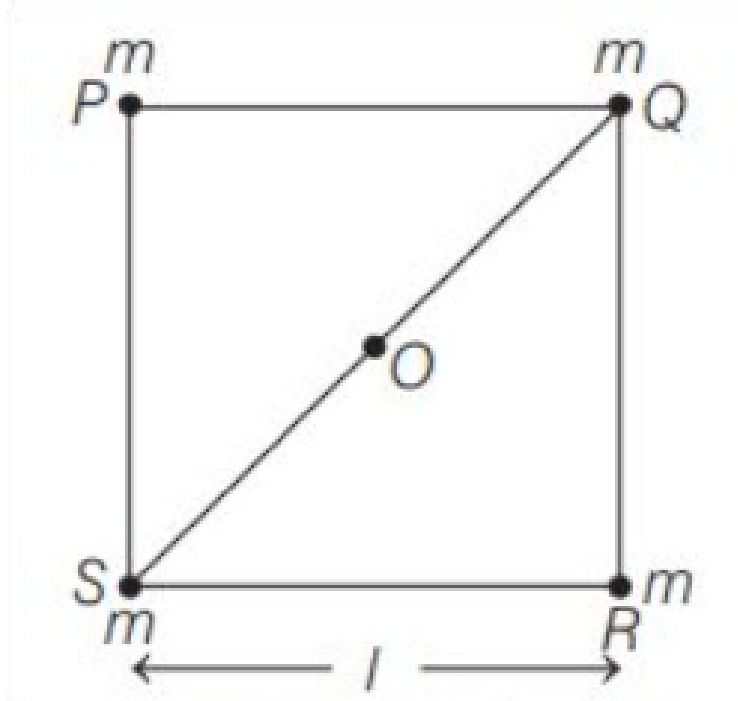
**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Consider a square of side  $l$  and four particles each of mass  $m$  kg placed at the vertices P, Q, R and S.





In  $\Delta SRQ$ ,

$$SQ = \sqrt{(SR)^2 + (RQ)^2} \Rightarrow SQ = l\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Since, } SO = RO = QO = PO = \frac{l\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{l}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Now, potential at the centre due to one mass

$$= -\frac{Gm}{\frac{l}{\sqrt{2}}} = -\sqrt{2}\frac{Gm}{l}$$

Therefore, potential at the centre due to all four masses (each of m),

$$V_{net} = 4 \times \left(-\sqrt{2}\frac{Gm}{l}\right) \Rightarrow V_{net} = -4\sqrt{2}\frac{Gm}{l}$$

## Question 27

A steel wire of length  $l$  has a magnetic moment  $M$ . It is then bent into a semicircular arc. The new magnetic moment is

**Options:**

A.  $\frac{2M}{\pi}$

B.  $\frac{M}{\pi}$

C.  $\frac{M}{l}$

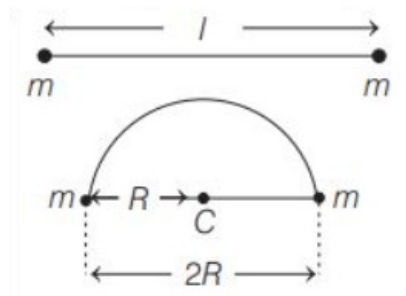
D.  $M \times 1$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, length of steel wire =  $l$



Let each pole strength is  $m$ , then magnetic moment of wire,

$$M = m \cdot l \dots\dots(i)$$

On bending a wire, its' pole strength does not change.

Let  $R$  is the radius of semicircular arc.

Then, new magnetic moment,

$$M' = \frac{m}{(2R)} \dots\dots(ii)$$

But  $l = \pi R$

$$\therefore R = \frac{1}{\pi}$$

From eq. (ii) we get

$$M' = m \cdot 2 \frac{l}{\pi}$$

$$M' = \frac{2M}{\pi} \text{ [From eq.(i)]}$$

## Question 28

**The vertical component of earth's magnetic field at a place is  $\sqrt{3}$  times the horizontal component. The value of angle of dip at this place is**

**Options:**

A.  $60^\circ$

B.  $45^\circ$

C.  $30^\circ$

D.  $29^\circ$

**Answer: A**

## Solution:

### Solution:

Given, for the earth's magnetic field, vertically component ( $B_V$ ) =  $\sqrt{3}$  × horizontal component ( $B_H$ )  
Since, angle of dip ( $\theta$ ) is given as

$$\tan \theta = \frac{B_V}{B_H} = \frac{\sqrt{3} \cdot B_H}{B_H} = \sqrt{3}$$
$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) \Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ$$

## Question 29

The magnetic flux linked with a coil at any instant  $t$  given by  $\phi = 5t^3 - 100t$ . The emf induced in the coil at  $t = 2s$  is

### Options:

- A.  $-40V$
- B.  $40V$
- C.  $140V$
- D.  $300V$

**Answer: B**

## Solution:

### Solution:

Given, magnetic flux linked with coil at any instant  $t$ ,

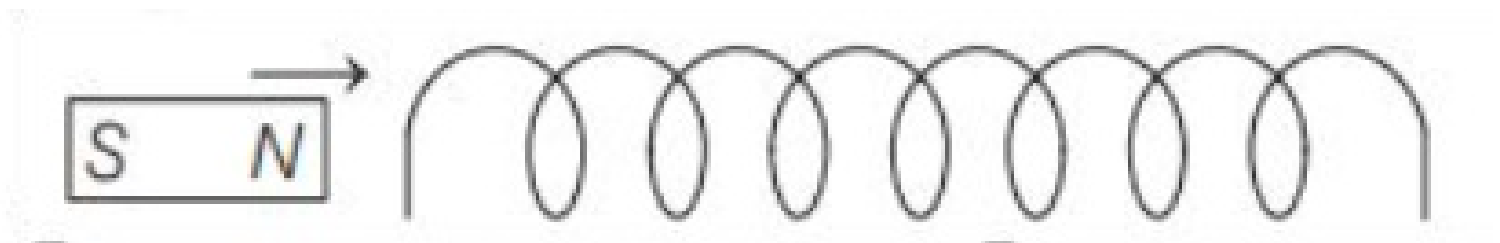
$$\phi = 5t^3 - 100t$$

According to Faraday's law of electromagnetic induction, induced emf,

$$e = -\frac{d\phi}{dt} = -\frac{d}{dt}(5t^3 - 100t)$$
$$= -(15t^2 - 100)$$
$$= -(15 \times 2^2 - 100) [At t = 2s]$$
$$= -(60 - 100) = 40V$$

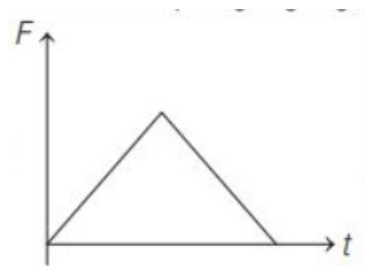
## Question 30

The variation of induced emf ( $\mathcal{E}$ ) with time ( $t$ ) in a coil if an short bar magnet is moved along its axis with a constant velocity is best represented as

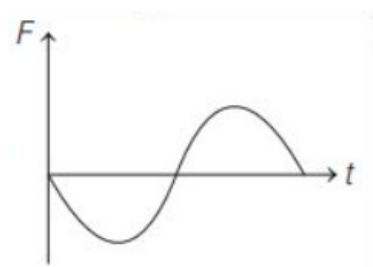


### Options:

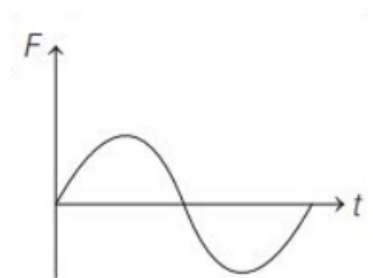
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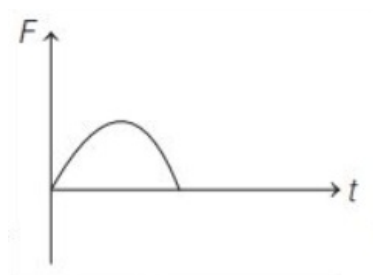
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C.



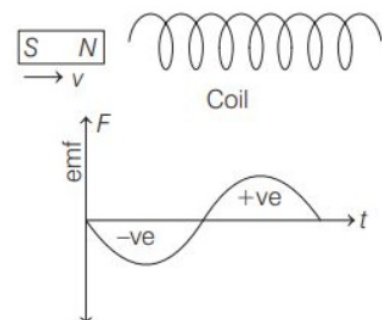
D.



**Answer: B**

### Solution:

**Solution:**



Initially, the magnet moves towards the coil, the magnetic flux ( $\phi_B$ ) increases and due to this, the negative induced emf [ $e = \frac{-d\phi}{dt}$ ] is also increases.

When the magnet moves inside the coil, the increase in  $\phi_B$  goes up to maximum value. This shows that the  $emf$  induced reaches at its maximum negative value. After this,  $\phi_B$  starts decreasing. Thus,  $e$  becomes positive and its magnitude starts increasing, i.e. there is a change in polarity of  $emf(F)$  as the magnet passes through other side of coil.

Hence, correct variation of induced emf with time  $t$  is shown in the graph given in option (b).

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## Question 31

**The stress at which extension of a material takes place more quickly as compared to the increase in load, is called**

**Options:**

- A. elastic point
- B. plastic point
- C. breaking point
- D. None of the above

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The stress at which extension of a material takes place more quickly as compared to the increase in load (i.e. small increase in stretching force) is known as yield point. A small increase in stress beyond the yielding point will give rise to a large elongation. Hence, option (d) is correct.

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## Question 32

**The bulk modulus of a spherical object is  $B$ . If it is subjected to uniform pressure  $\rho$ , then the fractional decrease in radius is**

**Options:**

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

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, bulk modulus of a spherical object =  $B$  Let a solid sphere of radius  $R$ .

Then, its volume,

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3 \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta V}{V} = \left(\frac{3\Delta R}{R}\right) \left[\because z = x^n \therefore \frac{\Delta z}{z} = n \frac{\Delta x}{x}\right]$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Delta R}{R} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{\Delta V}{V} \dots\dots(i)$$

Now, bulk modulus,

$$B = \frac{\rho}{\frac{\Delta V}{V}}$$

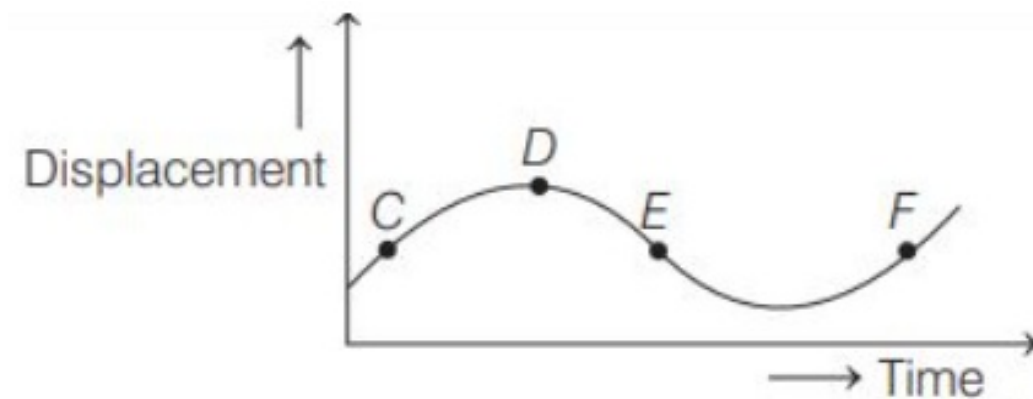
$$\therefore \frac{\Delta V}{V} = \frac{\rho}{B} \dots\dots(ii)$$

From eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{\Delta R}{R} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{\rho}{B}$$

## Question 33

The displacement-time graph of a moving particle is shown below. The instantaneous velocity of the particle is negative at the point

**Options:**

- A.  $E$
- B.  $F$
- C.  $C$
- D.  $D$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:****Solution:**

(a) According to given graph, point  $D$  represents the maximum displacement from origin and the slope of  $(x - t)$  graph is zero and hence, the velocity is zero at point  $D$ .

While at point  $E$ , the slope of graph is negative, therefore the velocity at point  $E$  is negative. Hence, the correct option is (a).

## Question 34

The heart of a man pumps 5L of blood through the arteries per min at a pressure of 150 mm of mercury column. If the density of the mercury be  $13.6 \times 10^3 \text{ kg / m}^3$  and  $g = 10 \text{ m / s}^2$ , then the power of heart (in watt) is

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Options:

- A. 1.50
- B. 1.70
- C. 2.35
- D. 3.0

Answer: B

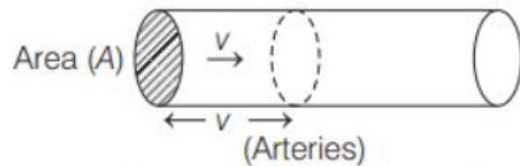
Solution:

**Solution:**

Given, heart pumps blood in volume per minutes,

$$AV = 5 \text{ L / min}$$

$$AV = \frac{5 \times 10^{-3}}{60} \text{ m}^3 / \text{s}$$



Here as shown in figure, area of arteries is  $A$  and velocity of blood is  $v$ . Thus, the volume flows per second inside arteries is given by  $(A \cdot v)$ .

Height of mercury, column,  $h_{Hg} = 150 \text{ mm}$

$$= 150 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$$

Density of mercury,  $\rho_{Hg} = 13.6 \times 10^3 \text{ kg / m}^3$

and  $g = 10 \text{ m / s}^2$

Power (in watt) = ?

In this case, we find instantaneous power,  $P$

$$= F \cdot v \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

Since,  $F = \text{pressure} \times \text{area}$

$$\text{and pressure} = h_{Hg} \cdot \rho_{Hg} \cdot g$$

Put these values in eq. (i), we get

$$P = h_{Hg} \cdot \rho_{Hg} \cdot g \cdot (A \cdot v) \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

$$= 150 \times 10^{-3} \times 10^3 \times 10 \times \frac{5 \times 10^{-3}}{60}$$

$$= \frac{(15) \times (136) \times (5)}{6} \times 10^{-3}$$

$$= 1700 \times 10^{-3} = 1.70 \text{ W}$$

## Question 35

A light wave travels from glass to water. The refractive index for glass and water are  $3/2$  and  $4/3$ , respectively. The value of the critical angle will be

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**Options:**

A.  $\sin^{-1}(\frac{8}{9})$

B.  $\sin^{-1}(\frac{9}{8})$

C.  $\sin^{-1}(\frac{1}{2})$

D.  $\sin^{-1}(\frac{3}{4})$

**Answer: A**

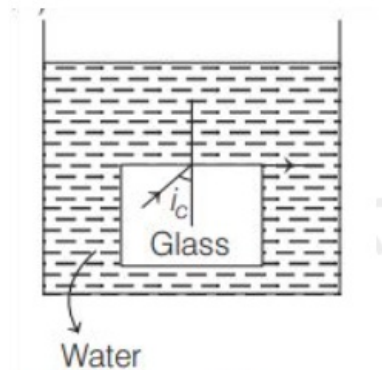
**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, refractive index for glass,  ${}_a\mu_g = \frac{3}{2}$

and refractive index for water,  ${}_a\mu_w = \frac{4}{3}$

Since, light ray travels from glass (denser) to water (rarer).



So, the refractive index of glass with respect to Water is

$${}_w\mu_g = \frac{{}_a\mu_g}{{}_a\mu_w} \Rightarrow {}_w\mu_g = \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{\frac{4}{3}} = \frac{9}{8} \dots\dots(i)$$

If critical angle be  $i_c$ , then

$$\sin i_c = \frac{1}{\mu_g} \Rightarrow \sin i_c = \frac{1}{\frac{9}{8}}$$

$$\therefore i_c = \sin^{-1}(\frac{8}{9})$$

## Question 36

**A convex lens in air produces a real image having the same size as object. When the object and the convex lens are immersed in a liquid, the real image formed is enlarged two times the object size. The refractive index of the liquid is**

**Options:**

A.  $\frac{11}{12}$

B.  $\frac{12}{11}$



C.  $\frac{13}{11}$

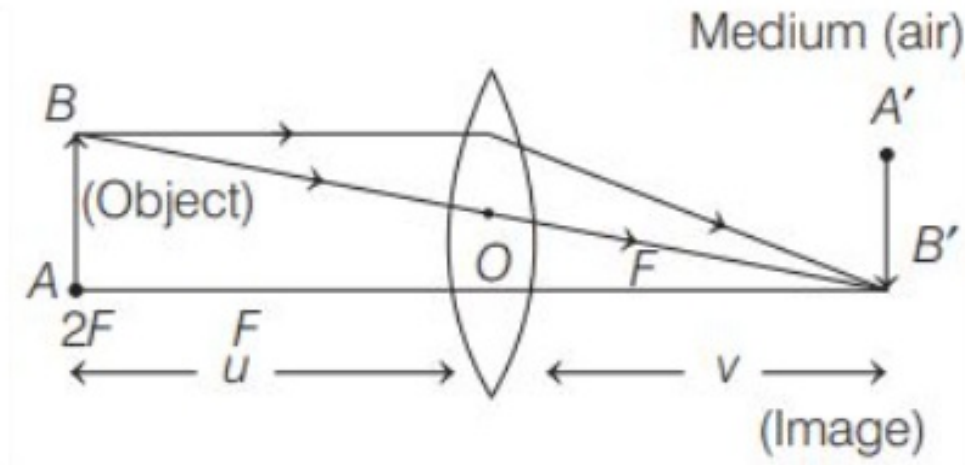
D.  $\frac{3}{2}$

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

According to given situation, formation of image from convex lens is shown below



$$(\because AB = A'B')$$

$$\text{Here, } u = -2f = -d \text{ (let)}$$

$$\therefore f = \frac{d}{2}$$

By lens Maker's formula,

$$\frac{1}{f} = ({}_a\mu_g - 1) \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{f} = ({}_a\mu_g - 1) \left( \frac{1}{R} - \frac{1}{(-R)} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{f} = ({}_a\mu_g - 1) \cdot \frac{2}{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\frac{d}{2}} = (1.5 - 1) \cdot \frac{2}{R} \Rightarrow d = 2R$$

When object and convex lens are immersed in liquid, then the image formed two times enlarged than object.

$$m = -\frac{v}{u} \Rightarrow 1 = -\frac{v}{u}$$

$$\therefore v = -2u$$

But object remains at distance,  $u = -d$ .

Consider, then the focal length of lens in liquid becomes  $f_1$ , then

$$\frac{1}{f_1} = \frac{1}{v} - \frac{1}{u} \Rightarrow f_1 = \frac{1}{-2u} - \frac{1}{u}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_1 = \frac{2d}{3} (\because u = -d)$$

Let refractive index of liquid is  $\mu_l$ ,

$$\frac{1}{f_1} = ({}_{\mu_l}\mu_g - 1) \cdot \frac{2}{R}$$

$$\frac{1}{\frac{2d}{3}} = \left( \frac{1.5}{\mu_l} - 1 \right) \cdot \frac{2}{\frac{d}{2}}$$

$$\text{After solving, } \mu_l = \frac{12}{11}$$

## Question 37

The potential energy of a particle executing SHM is 2.5J, when its displacement is half of amplitude. The total energy of the particle is

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**Options:**

- A. 2.5J
- B. 5.0J
- C. 7.5J
- D. 10.0J

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, potential energy,  $U = 2.5J$

If mass of particle be  $m$

and amplitude be  $a$ , then

$$U = \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 a^2 \Rightarrow 2.5 = \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 a^2$$

$$\therefore m\omega^2 a^2 = 5 \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

According to the problem, the position of particle from mean position is given as

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

Thus, the total energy,

$T = (\text{potential energy}) + (\text{kinetic energy})$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 x^2 + \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 (a^2 - x^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 \left[a^2 - \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m\omega^2 a^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \text{ [ From eq.(i)]}$$

$$= 2.5J$$

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## Question 38

A horizontal stretched string fixed at two ends, is vibrating in its 5th harmonic frequency according to the equation

$$y(x, t) = (0.01m)[\sin(62.8\text{m}^{-1})x]$$

$$[\cos(628\text{s}^{-1})t]$$

Assuming,  $\pi = 3.14$ , the correct statement is

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**Options:**

- A. the number of nodes is 5.
- B. the length of the string is 0.5m.
- C. the fundamental frequency is 100 Hz.
- D. the fifth harmonic frequency is 100 Hz.

**Answer: D**

## Solution:

### Solution:

Given, equation of wave,

$$y(x, t) = (0.01)[\sin(62.8m^{-1}) \cdot x][\cos(628s^{-1}) \cdot t]$$

and  $\pi = 3.14$

Compare with standard equation given below,

we get

$$y(x, t) = (2a)\sin(kx), \cos \omega t$$

$$\omega = 628s^{-1},$$

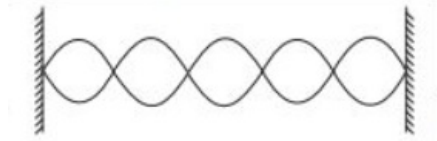
$$k = 62.8m^{-1}$$

$$\text{Since, } k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{2\pi}{k} = \frac{2 \times 3.14}{628}$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{1}{10}m$$

(A) According to the problem, string is vibrating in its fifth harmonic frequency, so there are 5 complete loops as shown in the figure. Thus, total number of nodes = 6



(B) The length of the string for 5 harmonics,

$$l = \frac{5\lambda}{2} = \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{1}{10}$$

$$\therefore l = 0.25 \text{ m}$$

(C) The fundamental frequency,  $n_f = \frac{v}{2l}$

$$\Rightarrow n_f = \frac{\omega}{k} \cdot (2l) \left( \because v = \frac{\omega}{k} \right)$$

$$= \frac{628}{628} \cdot \frac{1}{2 \times 0.25} = 20 \text{ Hz}$$

(D) The fifth harmonic frequency,  $n_5 = 5\left(\frac{v}{2l}\right)$

$$= 5(20) = 100 \text{ Hz}$$

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## Question 39

**In a current carrying long solenoid, the field produced does not depend upon**

### Options:

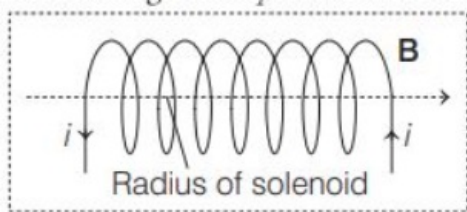
- A. number of turns per unit length
- B. current flowing
- C. radius of the solenoid
- D. All of the above

**Answer: C**

## Solution:

### Solution:

The magnetic field due to current carrying long solenoid is given by



$$B = \mu_0 n i$$

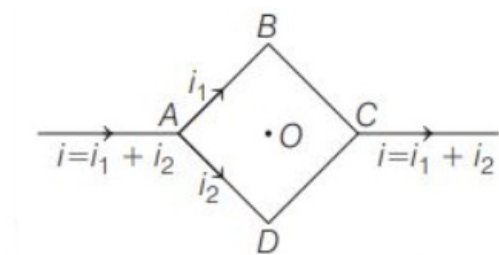
where,  $n$  = number of turns per unit length

and  $i$  = current.

It is clear that  $B$  independent of radius of the solenoid.

## Question 40

Above circuit shows a square loop  $ABCD$  with edge length  $a$ . The resistance of the wire  $ABC$  is  $r$  and that of  $ADC$  is  $2r$ . The value of magnetic field at the centre  $O$  of the loop assuming uniform wire is



**Options:**

A.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}\mu_0 i}{3\pi a} \odot$

B.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}\mu_0 i}{3\pi a} \otimes$

C.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}\mu_0 i}{\pi a} \odot$

D.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}\mu_0 i}{\pi a} \otimes$

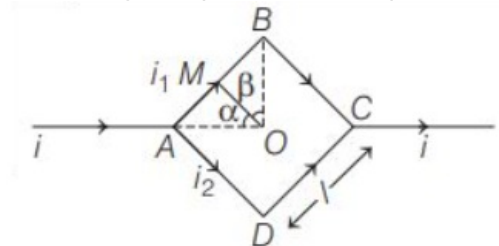
**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given,  $i = i_1 + i_2$  .....(i)

$\therefore$  The length of part (ABC) is equal to length of part (ABD).



Here, resistance of part (ABC) is half that of part (ABD), i.e.

$$i_1 = 2i_2 \text{ .....(ii)}$$

From eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$i_1 = \frac{2i}{3}, i_2 = \frac{i}{3}$$

Magnetic field due to AB and BC wire should be equal,

i.e.  $B_{AB} = B_{BC}$

Magnetic field due to straight wire,

$$B = \frac{\mu_0 i}{4\pi r} (\sin\alpha + \sin\beta)$$

For wire AB,

From figure,  $\alpha = \beta = 45^\circ$ , and  $MO = \frac{l}{2}$

$$\therefore B_{AB} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{i_1}{\frac{l}{2}} (\sin 45^\circ + \sin 45^\circ)$$

$$\Rightarrow B_{AB} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{2\sqrt{2} \cdot i_1}{l} = B_{BC}$$

Also, the magnetic field due to AD and DC wire should be equal, i.e.  $B_{AD} = B_{DC}$

For wire AD,

$$B_{AD} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{2\sqrt{2} \cdot i_2}{l} = B_{DC}$$

Net magnetic field at centre O is

$$B_{net} = B_{AB} + B_{BC} - B_{AD} - B_{DC}$$

Since,  $(B_{AB} + B_{BC}) > (B_{AD} + B_{DC})$

$$B_{net} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{2\sqrt{2} \times (\frac{2}{3}i) \times 2}{l} - \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{2\sqrt{2} \cdot (\frac{i}{3}) \times 2}{l}$$

$$\Rightarrow B_{net} = \frac{\sqrt{2}\mu_0 i}{3\pi a}$$

The direction of  $B_{net}$  will be inward to the plane of paper.

## Question 41

A certain number of spherical drops of a liquid of radius  $r$  coalesce to form a single big drop of radius  $R$  and volume  $V$ . If  $T$  is the surface tension of the liquid, then

**Options:**

- A. energy =  $4VT(\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{R})$  is released
- B. energy =  $3VT(\frac{1}{r} + \frac{1}{R})$  is absorbed
- C. energy =  $3VT(\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{R})$  released
- D. energy is neither released nor absorbed

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

According to problem,  $n$  small drop of radius  $r$  coalesce to form a big liquid drop of radius  $R$ . Since, the volume remain same.

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3 = n \times \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$

$$\therefore R = r \times n^{\frac{1}{3}} \dots\dots(i)$$

During the formation of big drop, surface area decreases and hence, the energy released.

Now, change in surface area,

$$\Delta A = n \times 4\pi r^2 - 4\pi R^2$$

Therefore, energy released,

$$\Delta E = T \times \Delta A = T \times [n \times 4\pi r^2 - 4\pi R^2]$$

$$= 4\pi TR^2 \left[ \frac{nr^2}{R^2 - 1} \right]$$

Using eq. (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \Delta E &= 4\pi TR^2 \left( n^{\frac{1}{3}} - 1 \right) \\ &= 4\pi TR^2 \left( \frac{R}{r} - 1 \right) = 4\pi TR^3 \left[ \frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{R} \right] \\ &= \left( \frac{3}{3} \cdot 4\pi R^3 \right) \pi \left[ \frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{R} \right] = 3V\pi \left[ \frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{R} \right]\end{aligned}$$


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## Question 42

For a certain gas, the ratio of specific heats is given to be  $\gamma = 1.5$ . For this gas

Options:

A.  $C_p = \frac{3R}{J}$

B.  $C_V = \frac{3R}{J}$

C.  $C_p = \frac{5R}{J}$

D.  $C_V = \frac{5R}{J}$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, ratio of specific heats,

$$\frac{C_p}{C_V} = 1.5 \text{ .....(i)}$$

From the Mayer's equation,

$$C_p - C_V = \frac{R}{J} \text{ .....(ii)}$$

Put the value of  $(C_V)$  from eq.(i) in eq.(ii), we get

$$C_p - \frac{C_p}{1.5} = \frac{R}{J} \Rightarrow C_p \left( 1 - \frac{2}{3} \right) = \frac{R}{J}$$

$$\therefore C_p = \frac{3R}{J}$$


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## Question 43

The focal lengths of the objective and the eyepiece of a telescope are **50 cm** and **5 cm**, respectively. Least distance of distinct vision is **25 cm**. If the telescope is focussed for distinct vision on a scale placed at a distance of **200 cm** away from objective, then the separation between the objective and the eyepiece is

Options:

- A. 100 cm
- B. 75 cm
- C. 70.8 cm
- D. 60.8 cm

**Answer: C**

### Solution:

#### Solution:

According to the problem, focal length of objective,  $f_o = 50\text{ cm}$

Object distance,  $u_o = -200\text{ cm}$

Image distance,  $v_o = ?$

Now, from lens formula,

$$\frac{1}{f_o} = \frac{1}{v_o} - \frac{1}{u_o} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{v_o} = \frac{1}{f_o} + \frac{1}{u_o}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{v_o} = \frac{1}{50} + \frac{1}{(-200)}$$

$$\therefore v_o = \frac{200}{3}\text{ cm} \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

Also, focal length of eyepiece,

$$f_e = 5\text{ cm}, v_e = -D = -25\text{ cm}$$

Again for eyepiece, using lens formula,

$$\frac{1}{f_e} = \frac{1}{v_e} - \frac{1}{u_e}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{u_e} = \frac{1}{v_e} - \frac{1}{f_e}$$

Put the given values, we get

$$\frac{1}{u_e} = \frac{1}{-25} - \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\therefore u_e = -\frac{25}{6}\text{ cm} \dots\dots(ii)$$

Since, the separation between objective and eyepiece is

$$L = |v_o| + |u_e|$$

From eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$L = \frac{200}{3} + \frac{25}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow L = 70.83 \approx 70.8\text{ cm}$$

## Question 44

**The angular resolution of a 10 cm diameter telescope at a wavelength of  $5000\text{ \AA}$  is of the order of**

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#### Options:

- A.  $10^{-6}\text{ rad}$
- B.  $10^6\text{ rad}$
- C.  $10^{-4}\text{ rad}$
- D.  $10^4\text{ rad}$

**Answer: A**

### Solution:

**Solution:**

Given, diameter (aperture of objective),

$$a = 10 \text{ cm} = (10 \times 10^{-2}) \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Wavelength, } \lambda = 5000 \text{ \AA} = 5000 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}$$

The angular resolution of telescope,

$$d\theta = \frac{1.22\lambda}{a}$$

$$= \frac{1.2 \times 500 \times 10^{-10}}{10 \times 10^{-2}}$$

$$= 6.10 \times 10^{-6} \text{ rad}$$

Hence, option (a) is correct.

## Question 45

**If an electron is going in the direction of magnetic field B with the velocity v, then the force on electron is**

**Options:**

A. zero

B.  $e(v \cdot B)$

C.  $e(v \times B)$

D. None of these

**Answer: A**

**Solution:****Solution:**

As given in problem, an electron is moving in the direction of magnetic field (B).

Hence,  $\theta = 0^\circ$

The expression of force is

$$F = qvB \sin \theta \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

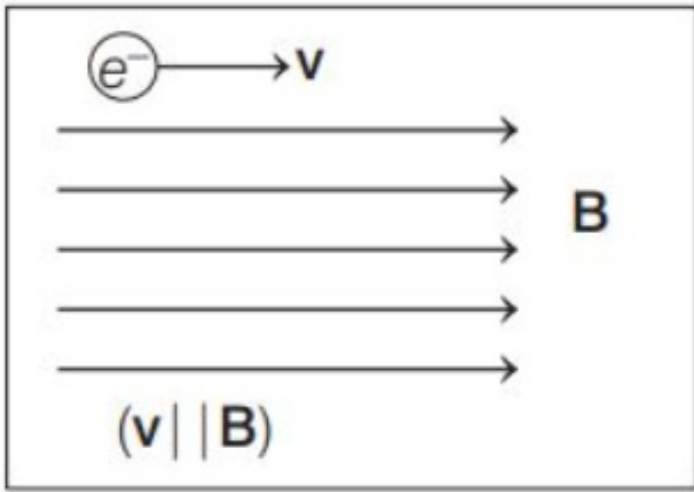
Since, v parallel to B, i. e.  $\theta = 0^\circ$

Therefore,  $\sin \theta = \sin 0^\circ = 0$

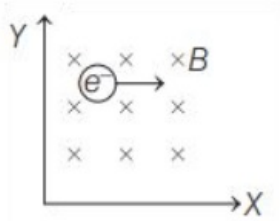
From eq. (i), we get

$$F = qvB(0) \Rightarrow F = 0$$





## Question 46



In above figure electron enters into magnetic field  $B$ . It deflects in the direction

**Options:**

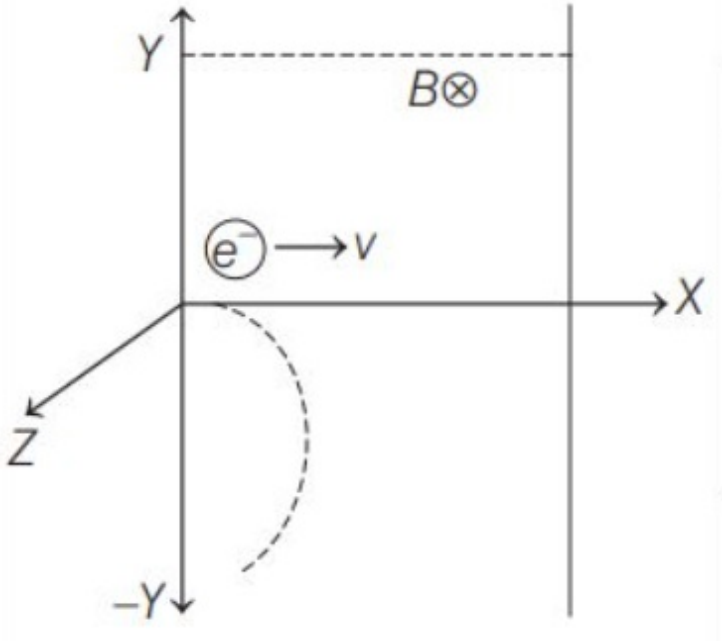
- A. + ve x-direction
- B. -ve x-direction
- C. +ve y-direction
- D. -ve y-direction

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The force on electron ( $e^-$ ) must be acting in the  $-y$  - direction initially (according to Fleming's left hand rule).



Since,  $B$  is along  $-z$  - direction,

$v$  is along  $+x$  - direction.

$\therefore$  Force on electron is in  $-y$  - direction.

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## Question 47

The forbidden energy gap in conductor, semiconductors and insulators are  $EG_1$ ,  $EG_2$  and  $EG_3$ , respectively. The relation among them is

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**Options:**

A.  $EG_1 = EG_2 = EG_3$

B.  $EG_1 > EG_2 > EG_3$

C.  $EG_1 < EG_2 < EG_3$

D.  $EG_1 < EG_2 > EG_3$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Substance	Forbidden energy gap
Conductor	$EG_1$ (Zero or very small)
Semiconductor	$EG_2$ ( $Ge = 0.2eV, Si = 0.7eV$ )
Insulator	$EG_3$ (Very large)

It is clear from above observations,  
 $EG_1 < EG_2, EG_3$

## Question 48

**The dominant mechanisms for motion of charge carriers in forward and reverse biased silicon  $p - n$  junctions are**

**Options:**

- A. drift in forward biased, diffusion in reverse bias
- B. diffusion in forward biased, drift in reverse bias
- C. diffusion in both forward and reverse bias
- D. drift in both forward and reverse bias

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

In forward bias, depletion layer decreases and the diffusion takes place which results the electric current from  $p$ -side to  $n$ -side.

So, the diffusion current increases while drift current remains constant in forward bias. In reverse bias, the width of depletion layer increases, so the diffusion becomes more difficult, so net current (in very small magnitude) is due to the drift.

## Question 49

A mixture of light, consisting of wavelength **590 nm** and an unknown wavelength, illuminates Young's double slit and gives rise to two overlapping interference patterns on the screen. The central maximum of both light coincides. Further it is observed that the third bright fringe of known light coincides with the fourth bright of the unknown light. From this data, the wavelength of the unknown light is

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**Options:**

- A. 442.5 nm
- B. 398.4 nm
- C. 532.8 nm
- D. 672.3 nm

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given, mixture of light consist of two wavelengths

(i) Known wavelength,  $\lambda_1 = 590\text{ nm}$

(ii) Unknown wavelength,  $\lambda_2 = ?$

Since, central maxima of both light coincides.

Also, the third bright fringe of light of wavelength  $\lambda_1$ , coincides with the fourth bright fringe of light of wavelength  $\lambda_2$ .

Therefore,  $n_1\lambda_1 = n_2\lambda_2$

Here,  $n_1(\text{known}) = 3(\text{unknown}), n_2(\text{unknown}) = 4$

Put the values,  $3 \times 590 = 4 \times \lambda_2$

$\Rightarrow \lambda_2 = 442.5\text{ nm}$

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## Question 50

A light ray travels through two media  $A$  and  $B$  having, refractive indices of  $\frac{4}{3}$  and  $\frac{3}{2}$ . respectively. If the thickness of the medium  $A$  is 4 cm and that of  $B$  is 6 cm, then the optical path length in the combined media will be

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**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{7}{3}$
- B.  $\frac{12}{3}$

C.  $\frac{37}{3}$

D.  $\frac{43}{3}$

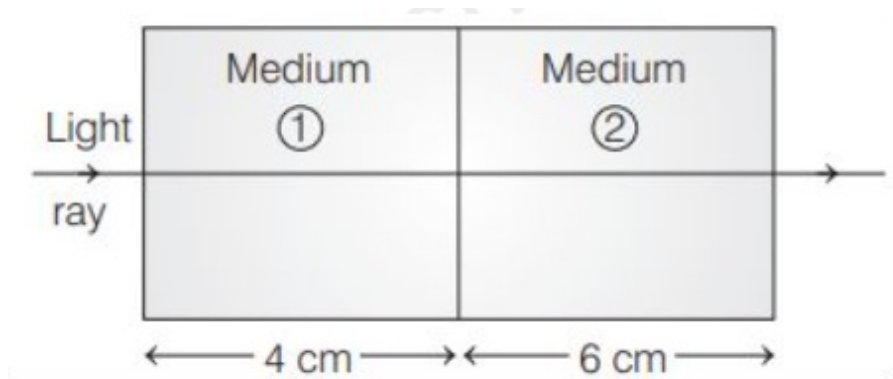
**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given,

Physical Quantities	Medium (A)	Medium (B)
Refractive index	$\mu_1 = \frac{4}{3}$	$\mu_2 = \frac{3}{2}$
Thickness	$t_1 = 4\text{cm}$	$t_2 = 6\text{cm}$



**Optical path** It is the distance travelled by light in vacuum in the same time in which, it travels a given path in medium.

$$\therefore \text{Optical path} = \mu_1 t_1 + \mu_2 t_2$$

$$= \left(\frac{4}{3} \times 4\right) + \left(\frac{3}{2} \times 6\right) = \frac{43}{3}$$

## Question 51

**For the reaction,  $\text{N}_2 + 3\text{H}_2 \rightleftharpoons 2\text{NH}_3 + \text{Heat}$**

**Options:**

A.  $K_p = K_C$

B.  $K_p = K_C (RT)^{-1}$

C.  $K_p = K_C (RT)^{-2}$

D.  $K_p = K_C RT$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Relation between  $K_p$  and  $K_C$  is as follows

$$K_p = K_C (RT)^{\Delta n}$$

where,  $K_p$  = equilibrium constant when concentrations at equilibrium are expressed in atmospheric pressure.

$K_C$  = equilibrium constant when concentrations at equilibrium are expressed in molarity.

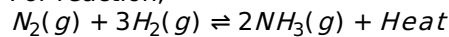
$R$  = gas constant

$T$  = temperature

$\Delta n$  = the changed in number of moles of gas molecules.

[  $\Delta n$  = number of gaseous moles in product- number of gaseous moles in reactant]

For reaction,



$$K_p = K_C (RT)^{2 - (1 + 3)}$$

$$K_p = K_C (RT)^{-2}$$

Hence, correct answer is (c).

## Question 52

**The pH of a solution is increased from 3 to 6 , its  $H^+$  ion concentration will be**

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**Options:**

A. reduced to half

B. doubled

C. reduced by 1000 times

D. increased by 1000 times

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

(c) If pH of solution increased from 3 to 6,  $H^+$  ion concentration will be reduced to 1000 times.

$$pH = -\log[H^+]$$

$[H^+]$  when  $pH = 3$ ,

$$3 = -\log[H^+]$$

$$\text{antilog}(-3) = [H^+] \dots\dots(i)$$

$$10^{-3} = [H^+] \dots\dots(ii)$$

Also,  $[H^+]$  when  $pH = 6$ ,

$$6 = -\log[H^+]$$

$$\text{antilog}(-6) = [H^+]$$

$$10^{-6} = [H^+] \dots\dots(ii) \dots\dots(ii)$$

From (i) and (ii), it can be seen if pH is increased from 3 to 6,  $\text{H}^+$  concentration will be reduced by 1000 times.

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## Question 53

**Hess's law deals with**

**Options:**

- A. change in heat of reaction
- B. rate of reaction
- C. equilibrium constant
- D. influence of pressure on volume of a gas

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Hess's law deals with the change in heat, in a given chemical reaction.  
Hess's law can be written as

$$\Delta H^\circ = \sum \Delta H_n$$

where,  $\Delta H^\circ$  = heat absorbed / evolved and

$\sum \Delta H_n$  = sum of heat absorbed or evolved in individual n steps of reaction.

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## Question 54

**A reaction is not feasible, if**

**Options:**

- A.  $\Delta H$  is positive and  $\Delta S$  is also positive
- B.  $\Delta H$  is positive and  $\Delta S$  is negative
- C.  $\Delta H$  is negative and  $\Delta S$  is also negative
- D.  $\Delta H$  is negative and  $\Delta S$  is positive

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

A reaction is not feasible or non-spontaneous, if enthalpy ( $\Delta H$ ) is positive and entropy change ( $\Delta S$ ) is negative because  $\Delta G$  (Gibb's free energy change) will be positive.

The changes in Gibb's free energy is given as

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S = (+ve) - T(-ve)$$

$$\Delta G = +ve$$

Hence,  $\Delta G$  will be positive for non - spontaneous reaction.

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## Question 55

**Polymerisation reaction is initiated by strong bases or  $C_4HgLi$  or Grignard reagent known as**

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**Options:**

- A. free radical polymerisation
- B. step growth addition polymerisation
- C. cationic addition polymerisation
- D. anionic addition polymerisation

**Answer: D**

**Solution:****Solution:**

Anionic addition polymerisation is initiated by strong base or  $C_4HgLi$  or Grignard reagent as it involves initiation with anions. In this type of polymerisation monomers react with strong electronegative groups (strong bases,  $C_4HgLi$  or Grignard's reagent).

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## Question 56

**Synthetic rubber that can be prepared by polymerising ethylene chloride and sodium polysulphide is known as**

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**Options:**

- A. buna-S
- B. thiokol
- C. buna-N
- D. neoprene

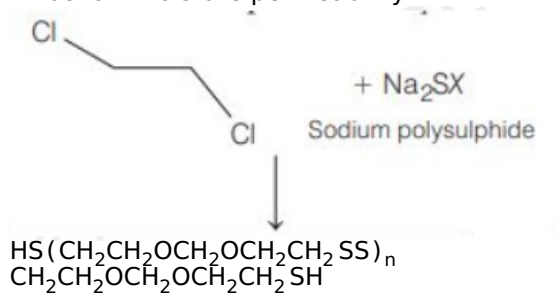
**Answer: B**

**Solution:**



**Solution:**

Thiokol is a liquid elastomer formed by polymerisation of ethylene chloride and sodium polysulphide. It has low moisture permeability.



## Question 57

The correct order of second ionisation potential of C, N, O and F is

**Options:**

- A.  $F > O > N > C$
- B.  $O > F > N > C$
- C.  $C > N > O > F$
- D.  $O > N > F > C$

**Answer: B**

**Solution:****Solution:**

The correct order of second ionisation potential of  $C, N, O, F$  is  
 $O > F > N > C$

The electronic configuration of  $N, O, F$ , and  $C$  are as follows

Nitrogen ( $N$ )  $\rightarrow [He]2s^2, 2p^3$

Oxygen ( $O$ )  $\rightarrow [He]2s^2, 2p^4$

Fluorine ( $F$ )  $\rightarrow [He]2s^2, 2p^5$

Carbon ( $C$ )  $\rightarrow [He]2s^2, 2p^2$

After removing one electron the configuration will be :

Nitrogen ( $N^+$ )  $\rightarrow [He]2s^2, 2p^3$

Oxygen ( $O^+$ )  $\rightarrow [He]2s^2, 2p^3$

Fluorine ( $F^+$ )  $\rightarrow [He]2s^2, 2p^4$

Carbon ( $C^+$ )  $\rightarrow [He]2s^2, 2p^1$

In nitrogen after removing one more electron, only one electron will be left in outermost  $p$ -subshell.

In oxygen, after removing one more electron the atom will become unstable as it will lose its half-filled stable configuration and will be left with only 2 electrons in valence  $p$ -subshell. So, have very high IP (ionisation potential). In fluorine after removal of one more electron, it will occupy stable half-filled configuration and at last in carbon, after removal of one electron it will have ideal gas configuration. Hence, electron will be easily removed. So, it will have lowest second ionisation potential.

## Question 58

Match list-I with list-II and select the correct answer using the codes given below

List-I	List-II
A. Fullerene	I. Lanthanoid
B. Promethium	II. Actinoid
C. Water	III. Allotrope
D. Lawrencium	IV. Lewis base

**Options:**

A. A - III, B - I, C - IV, D - II

B. A - III, B - II, C - IV, D - I

C. A - II, B - I, C - IV, D - III

D. A - II, B - III, C - I, D - IV

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

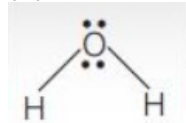
(A) Fullerene is the allotrope of carbon. Its molecular formula is  $\text{C}_{60}$  and has a shape like soccer ball. It contains twenty six-membered rings and twelve five-membered rings.

∴ Correct match of (A) is III.

(B) Promethium is a lanthanide with atomic symbol Pm and atomic number 61.

∴ Correct match of (B) is I.

(C) Water is a Lewis base as it contains two lone pairs of electrons.



∴ Correct match of (C) is IV.

(D) Lawrencium is an actinoid with symbol *Lr* and atomic number 103.

∴ Correct match of (D) is II.

Hence, correct option is (a).

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## Question 59

Which one does not exhibit paramagnetism?

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Options:

- A.  $\text{NO}_2$
- B.  $\text{NO}$
- C.  $\text{ClO}_2^-$
- D.  $\text{ClO}_2$

Answer: C

Solution:

Solution:

$\text{ClO}_2^-$  is diamagnetic in nature. It will not possess paramagnetism. Paramagnetism is due to presence of atleast one unpaired electron in molecule. Molecule with odd number of electrons will have atleast one unpaired electron.

Total number of electrons in

$\text{NO}_2$ :  $7 + 8 \times 2 = 23$  electrons

$\text{NO}$ :  $7 + 8 = 15$  electrons

$\text{ClO}_2^-$ :  $17 + 8 \times 2 + 1 = 34$  electrons

$\text{ClO}_2$ :  $17 + 8 \times 2 = 33$  electrons

$\therefore \text{NO}_2$ ,  $\text{NO}$  and  $\text{ClO}_2$ , has odd number of electrons and therefore, paramagnetic in nature while  $\text{ClO}_2^-$  has even number of electrons and therefore exhibit diamagnetism.

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## Question 60

The non-metal which is not affected by  $\text{NaOH}$ .

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Options:

- A. Si
- B. S
- C. P
- D. C

Answer: D

Solution:

Solution:

Carbon is not affected by  $\text{NaOH}$ . When carbon dioxide react with sodium hydroxide ( $\text{NaOH}$ ) then oxidation state of carbon does not get affected.

$^{+4}\text{CO}_2 + \text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{Na}_2^{+4}\text{CO}_3$

## Question 61

According to Bohr's theory, the energy required for the transition of H-atom from  $n = 6$  to  $n = 8$  state is

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**Options:**

- A. equal to energy required for the transition from  $n = 5$  to  $n = 7$  state
- B. equal to energy required for the transition from  $n = 7$  to  $n = 9$  state
- C. less than in option (a)
- D. None of the above

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

According to Bohr's theory, the energy required for transition of H-atom from  $n = 6$  to  $n = 8$  is given as

$$\Delta \epsilon_{6 \rightarrow 8} = 13.6 \text{ eV} \left[ \frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right] = 13.6 \text{ eV} \left[ \frac{1}{6^2} - \frac{1}{8^2} \right]$$

$$= 13.6 \text{ eV} \times 0.012 = 0.1652 \text{ eV} \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

(a) Energy for transition of H-atom electron from  $n = 5$  to  $n = 7$ .

$$\Delta \epsilon_{5 \rightarrow 7} = 13.6 \text{ eV} \left[ \frac{1}{5^2} - \frac{1}{7^2} \right]$$

$$= 13.6 \text{ eV} \times 0.196$$

$$\Delta \epsilon_{5 \rightarrow 7} = 0.266$$

Energy for transition from  $n = 5$  to  $n = 7$  is not equal to transition from  $n = 6$  to  $n = 8$ .

(b) Energy for transition from  $n = 7$  to  $n = 9$ ,

$$\Delta \epsilon_{7 \rightarrow 9} = 13.6 \text{ eV} \left[ \frac{1}{7^2} - \frac{1}{9^2} \right]$$

$$= 13.6 \text{ eV} \times 0.0081 = 0.1096 \text{ eV}$$

$\therefore$  Energy for transition from  $n = 7$  to  $n = 9$  is not equal to transition from  $n = 6$  to  $n = 8$ .

(c) The transition from  $n = 6$  to  $n = 8$  has energy less than transition from  $n = 5$  to  $n = 7$ .

$\therefore$  Option (c) answer is correct.

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## Question 62

The correct set of quantum numbers for 4d-electrons is

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**Options:**

- A. 4, 3, 2,  $+\frac{1}{2}$
- B. 4, 2, 1, 0
- C. 4, 3, -2,  $+\frac{1}{2}$
- D. 4, 2, 1,  $-\frac{1}{2}$

**Answer: D**

## Solution:

### Solution:

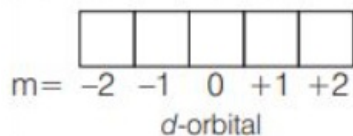
For a  $4d$  orbital,

$n$  (principal quantum number) = 4

$l$  (azimuthal quantum number)

= 2 since for  $d$ -orbital,  $l = 2$

$m$  (magnetic quantum number) ranges from  $-l$  to  $l$ , i.e. from  $-2$  to  $+2$



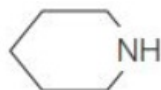
$s$  (spin quantum number) can be  $+\frac{1}{2}$  or  $-\frac{1}{2}$ .

So, set of quantum number for  $4d$ -electrons are 4, 2, 1 and  $\pm\frac{1}{2}$ .

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## Question 63

### In piperidine



the hybrid state assumed by N is

### Options:

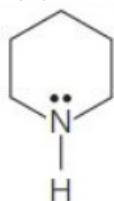
- A.  $sp$
- B.  $sp^2$
- C.  $sp^3$
- D.  $dsp^2$

**Answer: C**

## Solution:

### Solution:

In piperidine,



N has three  $\sigma$ -bonds and 1 lone pair.

Formula for finding hybridisation is as follows :

Number of lone pair + number of  $\sigma$ -bond + coordinate bond

Hybridisation of N in piperidine =  $1 + 3 + 0 = 4$

$\therefore$  Hybridisation =  $sp^3$

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## Question 64

**A binary liquid solution is prepared by mixing *n*-heptane and ethanol. Which one of the following statement is correct regarding the behaviour of the solution?**

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**Options:**

- A. The solution is non-ideal, showing + ve deviation from Raoult's law.
- B. The solution is non-ideal, showing - ve deviation from Raoult's law.
- C. *n*-heptane shows +ve deviation while ethanol shows - ve deviation from Raoult's law.
- D. The solution formed is an ideal solution.

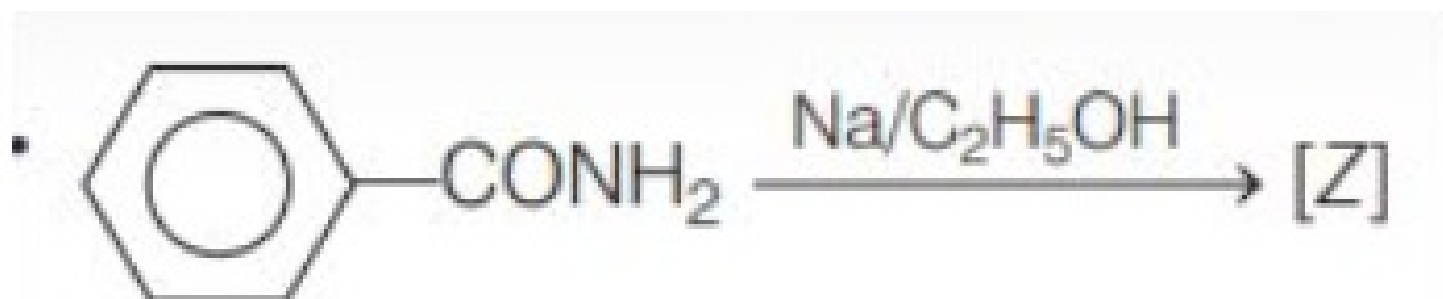
**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The solution prepared by mixing *n*-heptane and ethanol are non-ideal as *n*-heptane is non-polar and ethanol is polar. The stronger force of attraction between *n*-heptane-*n*-heptane and ethanol-ethanol are replaced by weaker force of attraction between *n*-heptane-ethanol in solution. Therefore, there will be increase in escaping tendencies of liquid molecules into vapour-phase which will increase vapour pressure more than expected value from Raoult's law. So, a positive deviation is observed.

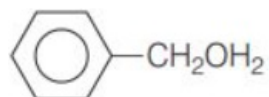
## Question 65



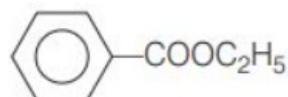
**The product [Z] is**

**Options:**

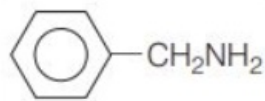
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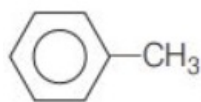
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C.



D.

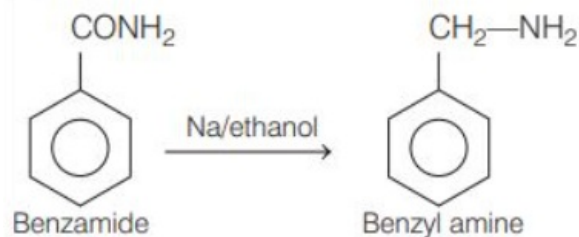


**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Benzamide on reduction with sodium/ethanol produce benzyl amine as major product.



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## Question 66

The class of medicinal products used to treat stress is

**Options:**

- A. analgesics
- B. antiseptics
- C. antihistamines
- D. tranquilizers

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Tranquilizers are used in treatment of stress. These affect the central nervous system and induce sleep in patients. They are also called psychotherapeutic drugs.

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## Question 67

In AgBr crystal, the ion size lies in the order  $\text{Ag}^+ < \text{Br}^-$ . The AgBr crystal should have the following characteristics

**Options:**

- A. defectless (perfect) crystal
- B. Schottky defect only
- C. Frenkel defect only
- D. Both (b) and (c)

**Answer: D****Solution:****Solution:**

AgBr show both Frenkel and Schottky defect. Due to small size of  $Ag^+$ , ions miss from their lattice point and can occupy interstitial sites. Hence, due to missing of ions from their lattice points, Schottky defect arises and Frenkel defect arises when the missing ions occupy interstitial sites.

**Question 68**

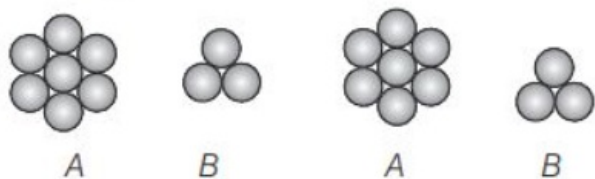
**Which of the following statement is not true about the hexagonal close packing?**

**Options:**

- A. The coordination number is 12.
- B. It has 74 % packing efficiency.
- C. Tetrahedral voids of the second layer are covered by the sphere of the third layer.
- D. In this arrangement spheres of the fourth layer are exactly aligned with those of the first layer.

**Answer: D****Solution:****Solution:**

Hexagonal close packing (hcp) can be arranged by two layers *A* and *B* one over another as shown in below figure.



∴ First layer and fourth layer are not exactly aligned.

Coordination number of an atom in hcp is 12 and packing fraction is 74 %. The tetrahedral voids of second layer are covered by sphere of third layer.

Hence, statement (d) is incorrect.



## Question 69

The half-life of two radioactive nuclides A and B are 1 and 2 min respectively. Equal weights of A and B are taken separately and allowed to disintegrate for 4 min. What will be the ratio of weight of A and B disintegrated?

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**Options:**

- A. 1:1
- B. 1:4
- C. 1:2
- D. 1:3

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Let weight of A and B be  $xg$ .

Half-life of A is 1 min that means it take 1 min for compound A to be half of its initial amount.

$\therefore$  Weight of A after 1 min =  $\frac{x}{2}g$

After 2 min, it will be =  $\frac{x}{4}g$

and similarly after 4 min, weight of A will be  $\frac{x}{16}g$

Also, half-life of B is 2 min that means, it take 2 min for compound B to be half of its initial amount.

$\therefore$  Weight of B after 2 min =  $\frac{x}{2}g$

$\therefore$  Weight of B after 4 min =  $\frac{x}{4}g$

$\therefore$  Ratio of compound A and B disintegrated will be

$$= \frac{\text{Weight of compound A}}{\text{weight of compound B}} = \frac{x}{16} \div \frac{x}{4} = \frac{x}{16} \times \frac{4}{x} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$\therefore$  Ratio will be 1:4.

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## Question 70

A piece of wood when buried in Earth had 1%  $^{14}\text{C}$   $\left(t_{\frac{1}{2}} = 5760.\text{years}\right)$ . Now as charcoal, it has only 0.25%  $^{14}\text{C}$ . How long has the piece of wood been buried?

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**Options:**

- A. 9133 years
- B. 11520 years
- C. 5760 years
- D. 17280 years

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

(b) The half-life  $t_{\frac{1}{2}}$  of  $C^{14}$  is 5760 years.

Initial amount of  $C^{14}$  is 1 %

Final amount of  $C^{14}$  is 0.25 %

$$k = \frac{2303}{t} \log \frac{a}{a-x} \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

where,  $k$  = rate constant,  $a$  = initial amount of reactant,

$a - x$  = amount left/final amount of reactant left and  $t$  = time taken.

$$\text{Also, } k = \frac{0.6932}{t_{\frac{1}{2}}} \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

From (i) and (ii),

$$\frac{0.6932}{t_{\frac{1}{2}}} = \frac{2.303}{t} \log \frac{a}{a-x}$$

$$\frac{0.6932}{5760} = \frac{2303}{t} \log \frac{1}{0.25}$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{2303}{\frac{0.6932}{5760}} \log(4) = 11520 \text{ yr}$$

## Question 71

**One of the most widely used drugs in medicine iodox is**

**Options:**

- A. methyl salicylate
- B. ethyl salicylate
- C. acetyl salicylic acid
- D. None of the above

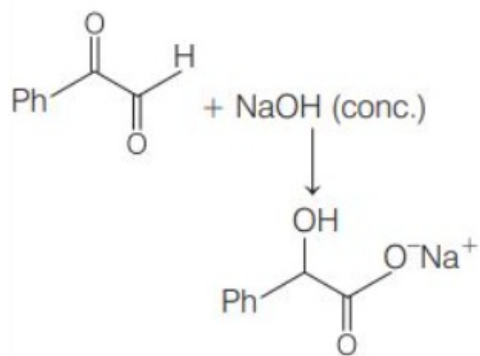
**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Methyl salicylate is used as medicine in iodox for treatment of headaches and for sprains, aches and bruises.

## Question 72



**The reaction is known as**

**Options:**

- A. Cannizzaro's reaction
- B. crossed Cannizzaro's reaction
- C. internal crossed Cannizzaro's reaction
- D. Aldol condensation

**Answer: C**

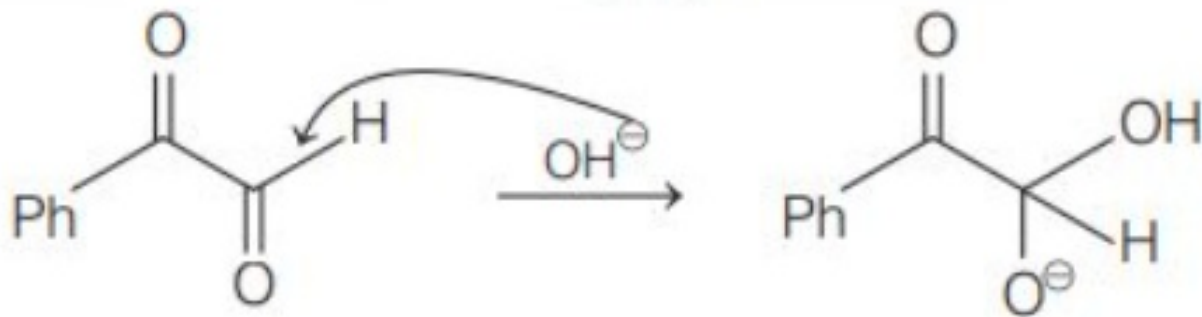
**Solution:**

**Solution:**

When 2-oxo-2-phenylacetaldehyde is treated with aqueous  $NaOH$ , it undergoes intramolecular cannizzaro reaction in which one carboxyl group is reduced to alcohol and other carboxyl group is reduced to sodium salt of carboxylic acid.

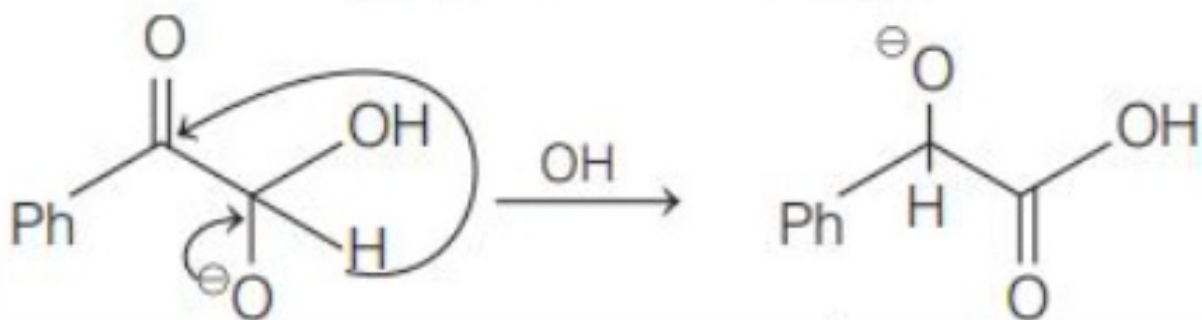
**Mechanism**

Firstly, base  $NaOH$  attacks on carboxyl carbon of aldehyde (as aldehyde is more electrophilic)

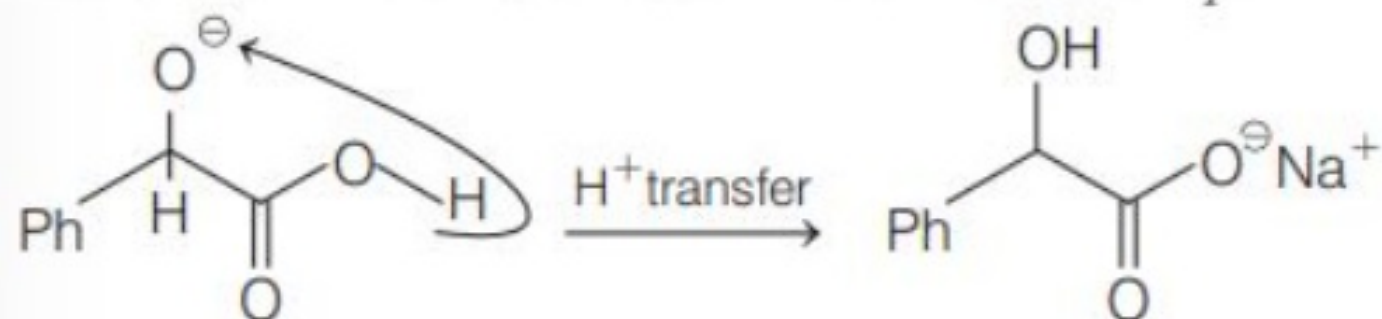


2-oxo-2-phenylacetaldehyde

Second step involves migration of  $H^+$  ion on ketone carbon.



At last  $H^+$  transfer occur intramolecularly.



Sodium salt of  
2-hydroxy-2-phenyl  
ethonic acid

## Question 73

The ion that cannot be precipitated by HCl and  $H_2S$

Options:

A.  $Pd^{2+}$

B.  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$

C.  $\text{Ag}^{+}$

D. None of these

**Answer: D**

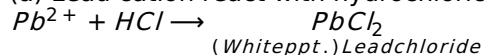
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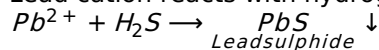
Lead ( $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ ), zinc ( $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ ), silver ( $\text{Ag}^{+}$ ) can be precipitated by  $\text{HCl}$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ .

Hence, answer will be none of the above.

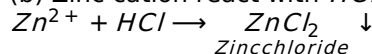
(a) Lead cation react with hydrochloric acid to give white ppt. of lead chloride.



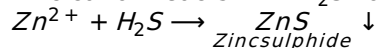
Lead cation reacts with hydrogen sulphide to form insoluble ppt. of lead sulphide.



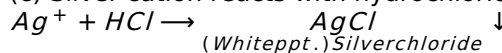
(b) Zinc cation react with  $\text{HCl}$  to give white ppt. of zinc chloride.



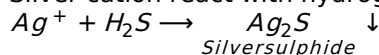
Zinc cation reacts with  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  to give yellowish ppt. of zinc sulphide.



(c) Silver cation reacts with hydrochloric acid to give white ppt. of  $\text{AgCl}$  (silver chloride).



Silver cation react with hydrogen sulphide to form black colour ppt. of  $\text{Ag}_2\text{S}$  (silver sulphide).



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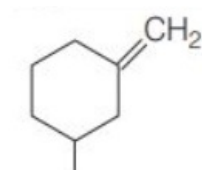
## Question 74

The geometrical isomerism is shown by

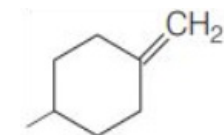
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**Options:**

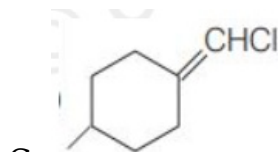
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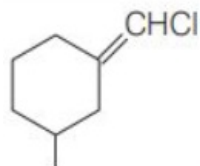
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C.



D.



**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

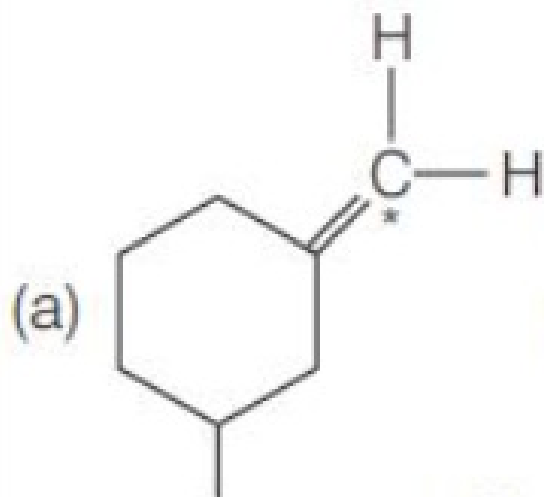
**Solution:**

Geometrical isomerism is exhibited by

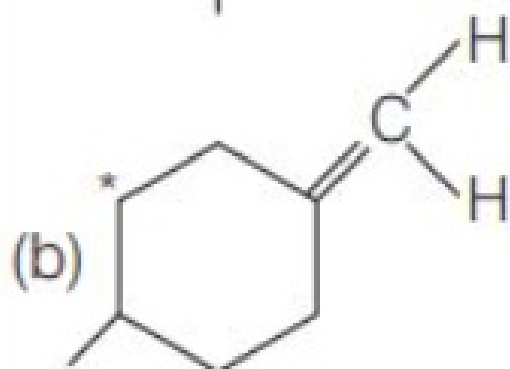
(i) compounds having  $C = C$

(ii) the two groups attached to same carbon atom should be different.

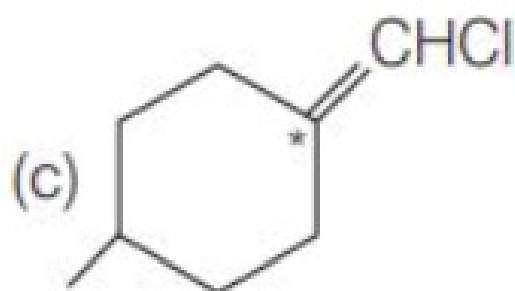
(a), (b) and (c) have same two groups attached to one carbon atom.



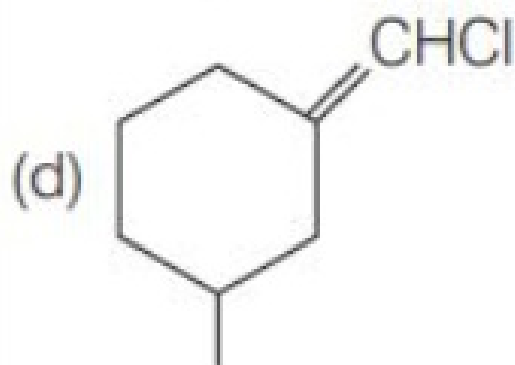
with  $\overset{*}{C}$  carbon both group are hydrogen atoms



with  $\overset{*}{C}$  carbon both group are hydrogen atoms



with  $\overset{*}{C}$  carbon both group are same



Both the carbon of double bond have different group

Hence, they will not show geometrical isomerism.

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## Question 75

A dibasic acid containing C, H and O was found to contain C = 26.7 % and H = 2.2 % . The vapour density of diethyl ester was found to be 73 . What is the molecular formula of the acid?

Options:

- A.  $\text{CH}_2\text{O}_2$
- B.  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2\text{O}_4$
- C.  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_3\text{O}_4$
- D.  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_4\text{O}_4$

Answer: B

Solution:

Solution:

First we need to find empirical formula.

Percentage of elements present	Elements	Convert % to grams	Divide mass by molar masses to find moles	Divide all moles with smallest number of moles
26.7%	C	0.267g	$\frac{0.267}{16} = 0.022$	$\frac{0.022}{0.022} = 1$
2.2%	H	0.022g	$\frac{0.022}{1} = 0.022$	$\frac{0.022}{0.022} = 1$
71.7%	O	0.71g	$\frac{0.71}{16} = 0.044$	$\frac{0.044}{0.022} = 2$

$\therefore \text{C}:\text{H}:\text{O} = 1:1:2$

Hence, empirical formula is  $\text{CHO}_2$ .

Molecular mass of diethyl ether is  $(\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OC}_2\text{H}_5) \ 2 \times 73 = 146u$

$\therefore$  Formula mass of ethyl group = 29u

In diethyl ether two ethyl group must have replaced the H-atom of dibasic acid.

$\therefore$  The molecular mass of acid = Molecular mass of diethyl ether – (2 × mass of ethyl group) + mass of hydrogen  
=  $149 - (2 \times 29) + 2 = 90u$

$\therefore$  Molecular formula of acid

=  $\frac{\text{Molecular mass of acid}}{\text{Empirical mass formula}} \times \text{CHO}_2$

=  $\frac{90}{(12 + 1 + 16 \times 2)} \times \text{CHO}_2$

=  $\frac{90}{45} \times \text{CHO}_2 = 2 \times \text{CHO}_2$

$\therefore$  Molecular formula of acid =  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2\text{O}_4$

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## Question 76

For the molecular formula  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_{10}$  possible structural isomers are

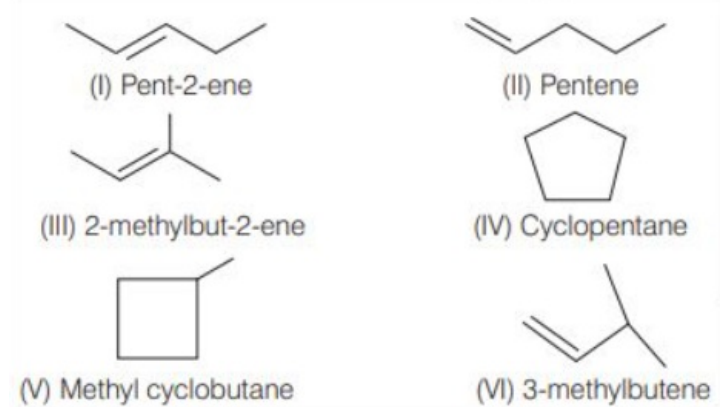
**Options:**

- A. 6
- B. 3
- C. 4
- D. 5

**Answer: A**

**Solution:****Solution:**

The number of possible structural isomers of  $C_5H_{10}$  are 6. Structural isomers are isomers having different atomic arrangement (structure) but have same molecular formula.



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## Question 77

**The octane number of petrol generally available is**

**Options:**

- A. 20 to 40
- B. 40 to 60
- C. 80 to 100
- D. 100 to 120

**Answer: C**

**Solution:****Solution:**

The octane number of petrol generally available is 80-100. Regular (the lowest octane fuel) has octane number 87, midgrade (middle range octane fuel) has octane number 89-90 and premium (the highest octane fuel) has octane number 91-94.

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## Question 78

Nitrobenzene on electrolytic reduction in strongly acidic medium gives

Options:

- A. aniline
- B. p-aminophenol
- C. m-nitroaniline
- D. nitrosobenzene

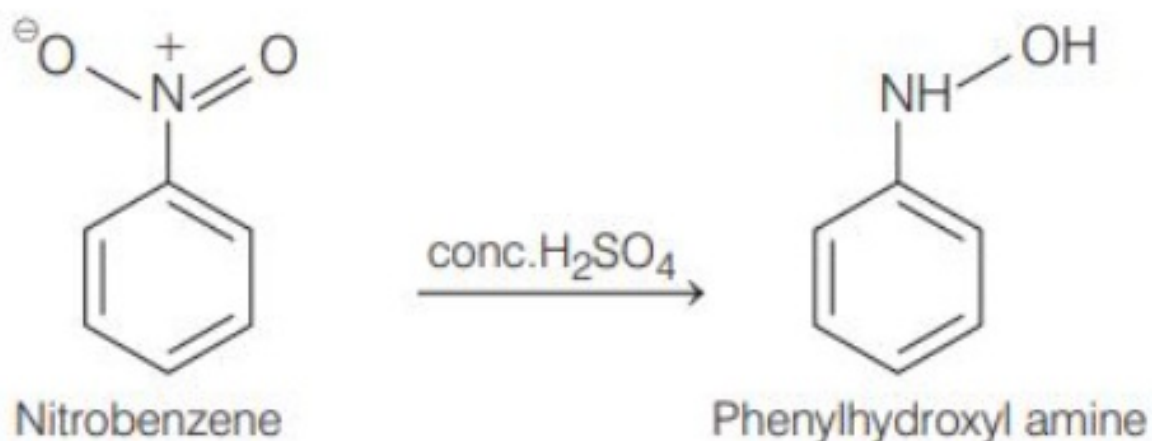
Answer: B

Solution:

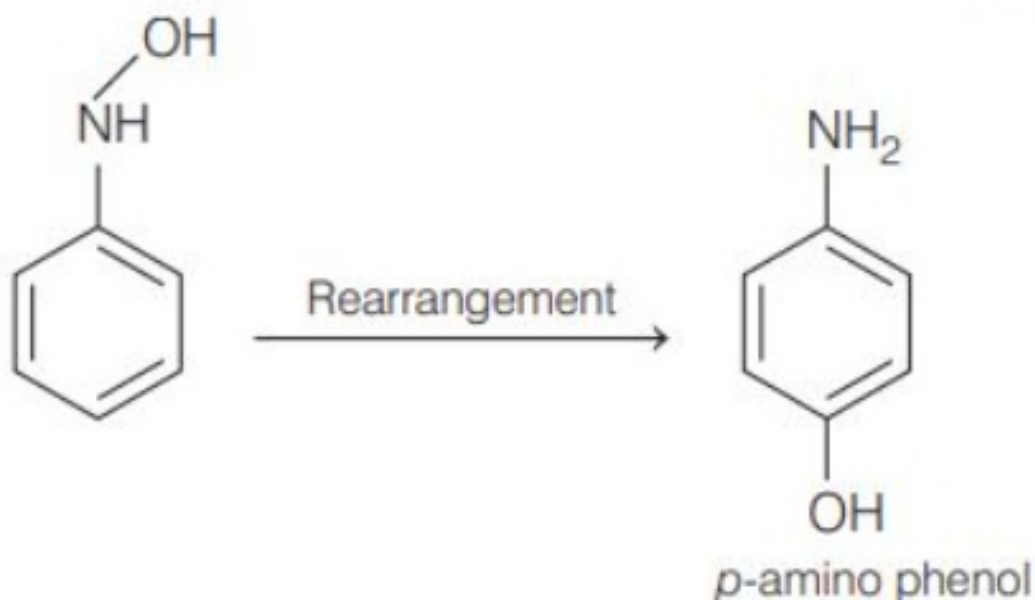
**Solution:**

Nitrobenzene on electrolytic reduction in strong acidic medium will give *p*-aminophenol. This conversion takes place in two steps.

**Step 1** Nitrobenzene reacts with conc.  $H_2SO_4$  to produce phenylhydroxylamine.



Step 2 Phenylhydroxyl amine rearranges to form *p*-aminophenol.



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## Question 79

**Catalyst increases rate of reaction because**

**Options:**

- A. it decreases  $\Delta H$
- B. it increase  $\Delta H$
- C. it decreases activation energy
- D. it increase activation energy

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

A catalyst increases the rate of reaction by decreasing the activation energy. This is also known as threshold energy. It is the minimum amount of energy for a effective collision to occur.

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## Question 80

**A first order reaction has half-life of 14.5 min . What percentage of the reactant will remain after 24 min ?**

**Options:**

- A. 68.2 %
- B. 18.3 %
- C. 31.8 %
- D. 45.5 %

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

For first order reaction, rate constant is given as

$$k = \frac{2.303}{t} \log \frac{a}{(a-x)} \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

(a= amount of reactant used and  $a - x$  = amount of reactant left after time  $t$  )

Given,  $t_{\frac{1}{2}}$  ( half-life ) = 14.5 min

$$\therefore t_{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{0.6932}{k} \text{ (for first order reaction)}$$

$$14.5\% = \frac{0.6932}{k} \Rightarrow k = 0.0478 \text{ min}^{-1}$$

From (i),

$$0.0478 \text{ min}^{-1} = \frac{2.303}{24 \text{ min}} \log \frac{100\%}{a-x}$$

$$\frac{0.0478 \times 24}{2.303} = \log 100 - \log(a-x) \left[ \log \frac{a}{b} = \log a - \log b \right]$$

$$0.4982 = 2 - \log(a-x)$$

$$1.5 = \log(a-x)$$

$$\text{antilog}(1.5) = (a-x)$$

$$31.8\% = (a-x)$$

$\therefore$  31.8% of reactant will remain after 24 min.

## Question 81

The oxidation state of sulphur in Caro's and Marshall's acid are respectively

Options:

A. +4, +6

B. +8, +6

C. +6, +6

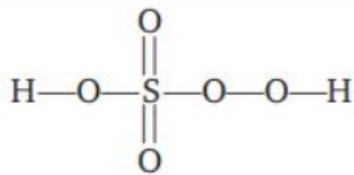
D. +6, +4

Answer: C

Solution:

**Solution:**

The formula for Caro's acid is  $H_2SO_5$ . Structure of Caro's acid



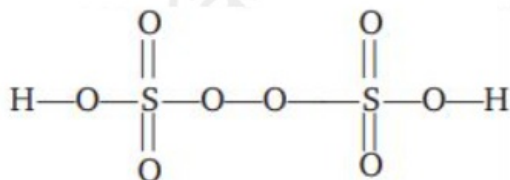
Oxidation number of sulphur in  $H_2SO_5$  is :  $x + 3$  (oxygen) + 2 (oxygen in peroxide bond) + 2(hydrogen) = 0

$$x + 3(-2) + 2(-1) + 2(1) = 0$$

$$x - 6 - 2 + 2 = 0$$

$$x = +6$$

The formula of Marshall's acid is  $H_2S_2O_8$ .



Oxidation number of sulphur in  $H_2S_2O_8$  is :  $2x + 6$  (oxygen) + 2 (oxygen in peroxide bond) + 2(hydrogen) = 0

$$2x + 6(-2) + 2(-1) + 2(1) = 0$$

$$2x - 12 + (-2) + 2 = 0$$

$$2x = 12 \Rightarrow x = +6$$

$\therefore$  Oxidation numbers of sulphur in Caro's acid and Marshall's acid are +6 and +6 respectively.

## Question 82

**When water is electrolysed, hydrogen and oxygen gases are produced. If 1.008g of H<sub>2</sub> is liberated at cathode. What mass of O<sub>2</sub> is formed at the anode?**

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**Options:**

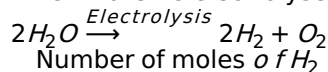
- A. 4g
- B. 8g
- C. 16g
- D. 32g

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

When water is electrolysed, H<sub>2</sub> gas and O<sub>2</sub> gas are liberated in ratio 2:1.



$$\therefore \frac{\text{Number of moles of } H_2}{\text{Number of moles of } O_2} = \frac{2}{1}$$

$$\text{Number of moles} = \frac{\text{weight}}{\text{Molecular mass}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\text{weight of } H_2}{\text{Molecular mass of } H_2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \text{weight of } \frac{O_2}{\text{Molecular mass of } O_2}$$

$$\frac{1.008}{4} = \frac{\text{weight of } O_2}{32}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Weight of } O_2 = \frac{1.008 \times 32}{4} = 8.016g$$

$$\therefore \text{Amount of } O_2 \text{ liberated at anode is } 8.016g \approx 8g$$

## Question 83

**The pK<sub>a1</sub> and pK<sub>a2</sub> values of alanine are 2.3 and 9.7 respectively. The isoelectric point of alanine is**

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**Options:**

- A. 3
- B. 7
- C. 8
- D. 6

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Isoelectric point can be calculated as :

$$\text{Isoelectric point} = \frac{1}{2}[pK_{a_1} + pK_{a_2}]$$

$$\therefore \text{Isoelectric point} = \frac{1}{2}[2.3 + 9.7] = \frac{1}{2} \times 12 = 6$$

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## Question 84

Consider following statement about enzymes.

**I. Enzymes lack in nucleophilic groups.**

**II. Enzymes are highly specific in catalysing reactions.**

**III. Enzymes catalyse chemical reactions by lowering of activation energy.**

**IV. Pepsin is a proteolytic enzyme.**

**Correct statements are**

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**Options:**

A. (I) only

B. (I) and (IV)

C. (I) and (III)

D. (II), (III) and (IV)

**Answer: D**

**Solution:****Solution:**

The only incorrect statement is (I). Enzymes possess nucleophiles. e.g. amino acids like lysine, histidine etc. serve as nucleophile and are active sites of enzymes.

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## Question 85

**On strong heating lead nitrate gives**

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**Options:**

A.  $\text{PbO}_2$ ,  $\text{PbO}$ ,  $\text{NO}_2$

B.  $\text{PbO}$ ,  $\text{NO}_2$ ,  $\text{O}_2$

C.  $\text{PbO}$ ,  $\text{NO}$ ,  $\text{O}_2$

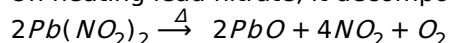
D.  $\text{PbO}$ ,  $\text{NO}$ ,  $\text{NO}_2$

**Answer: B**

## Solution:

### Solution:

On heating lead nitrate, it decomposes to form lead oxide ( $PbO$ ), nitrogen dioxide ( $NO_2$ ) and oxygen ( $O_2$ ).



## Question 86

A pale blue liquid is obtained by equimolecular mixture of two gases at  $-30^\circ C$  is

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### Options:

A.  $N_2O$

B.  $N_2O_3$

C.  $N_2O_4$

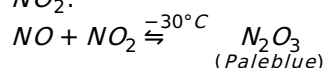
D.  $N_2O_5$

**Answer: B**

## Solution:

### Solution:

A pale blue liquid of  $N_2O_3$  is obtained by equimolecular mixture of two gases at  $-30^\circ C$ . These two gases are  $NO$  and  $NO_2$ .



## Question 87

The pair of elements with almost similar atomic radii is

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### Options:

A. Ti, Zr

B. Mo, W

C. Ni, Pd

D. Cr, Mo

**Answer: B**

## Solution:

**Solution:**

Mo and W has similar atomic radius due to lanthanoid contraction. This contraction occur due to poor shielding effect of  $4f$ -orbital due to which the electron in  $s$ -orbital are more attracted towards nucleus which will lead to decrease in size of atom.

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## Question 88

**The number of moles of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  that will be needed to react with one mole of sulphite in an acidic solution is**

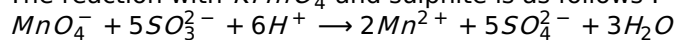
**Options:**

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

**Answer: A**

**Solution:****Solution:**

The reaction with  $\text{KMnO}_4$  and sulphite is as follows :



So, one mole of sulphite ( $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$ ) is needed to react with  $\frac{2}{5}$  mole of  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  according to given reaction.

**Note** 2 moles of  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  react with 5 moles of sulphite in acidic medium.

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## Question 89

**A dibromo derivative of an alkane reacts with sodium metal to form an alicyclic hydrocarbon. The derivative is**

**Options:**

- A. 2,2 dibromobutane
- B. 1, 1 dibromopropane
- C. 1,4 dibromobutane
- D. 1,2 dibromoethane

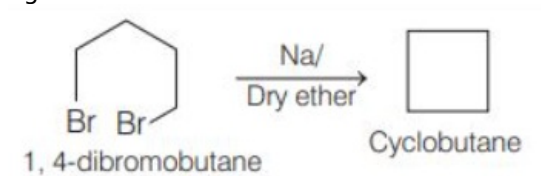
**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

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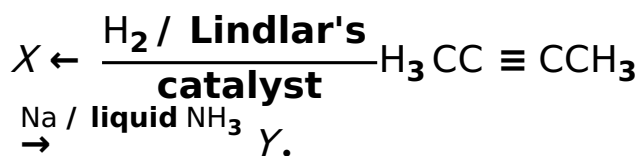
Dibromo derivative of alkane react with sodium metal to form alicyclic hydrocarbon. This reaction is known as intramolecular Wurtz reaction.

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$\therefore$  Derivative is 1,4 - dibromobutane.

## Question 90



**$X$  and  $Y$  respectively are**

**Options:**

- A. cis, trans-but-2-ene
- B. Both trans-but-2-ene
- C. trans, cis-but-2-ene
- D. Both cis-but-2-ene

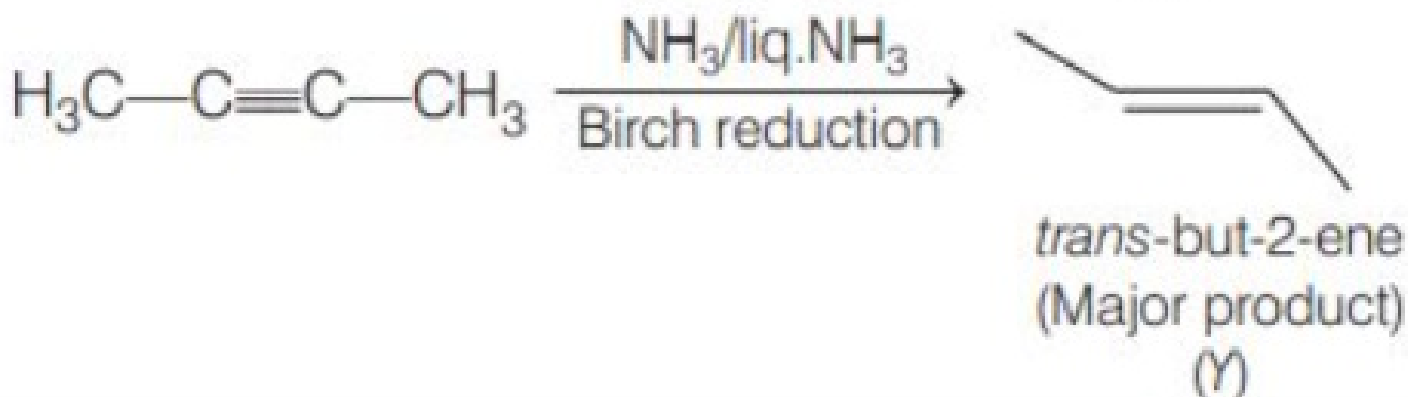
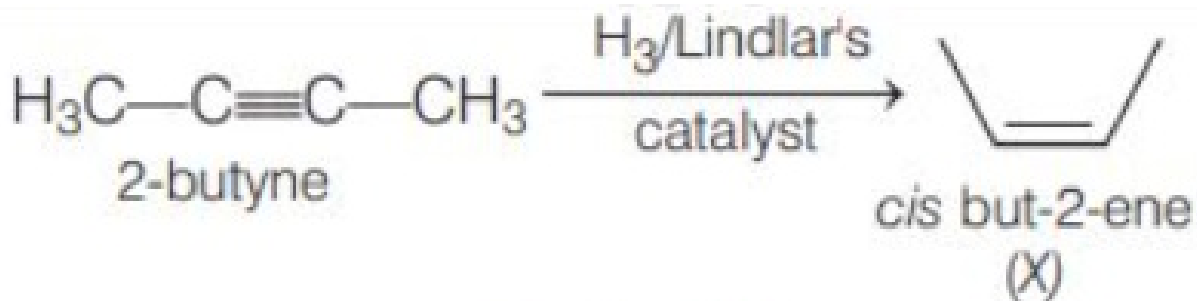
**Answer: A**

**Solution:****Solution:**

2-butyne is treated with  $\text{H}_2$  /Lindlar's catalyst to give compound  $X$  (cis -2-butene) and 2-butyne is treated with  $\text{Na/ liq. NH}_3$  to produce trans-2-butene (  $Y$  ) as major product.

Note Lindlar's catalyst is  $\text{H}_2 / \text{Pd} / \text{CaCO}_3$  which is used for hydrogenation of alkyne to form cis-alkene.





## Question 91

Which one of the following is correct for adsorption?

Options:

- A.  $\Delta G > 0$
- B.  $\Delta S > 0$
- C.  $\Delta S < 0$
- D.  $\Delta H > 0$

Answer: C

Solution:

**Solution:**

Entropy change ( $\Delta S$ ) is randomness of gas molecule which decreases when adsorption of molecules occur due to restriction in their motion. therefore  $\Delta S$  is negative or  $\Delta S < 0$ .

## Question 92

Which of the following is not an ore of iron?

Options:

- A. Limonite

B. Cassiterite

C. Magnetite

D. Siderite

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Cassiterite is not an ore of iron. Limonite is iron ore and is a mixture of hydrated iron (III) oxide-hydroxide. Cassiterite is a tin oxide mineral,  $SnO_2$ .

Magnetite is an iron ore,  $Fe_3O_4$ .

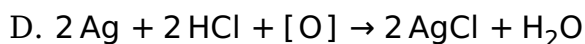
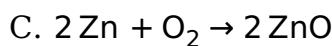
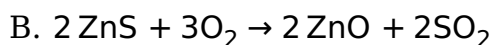
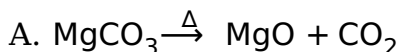
Siderite is an iron ore,  $FeCO_3$ .

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## Question 93

**Which one of the following reaction is an example for calcination process?**

**Options:**



**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The process of conversion of carbonate ore or hydroxide into its oxide by heating in absence of oxygen is known as calcination.

$MgCO_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} MgO + CO_2$  is an example of calcination process.

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## Question 94

**Ellingham diagram represents**

**Options:**

A. change of  $\Delta H$  with temperature

B. change of  $\Delta G$  with pressure

C. change of ( $\Delta G - T \Delta S$ ) with temperature

D. change of  $\Delta G$  with temperature

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The Ellingham diagram represents change in free energy  $\Delta G$  with temperature. It is a plot of  $\Delta G$  vs temperature which is used to choose reducing agents for metal extraction.

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## Question 95

**Benzene vapour mixed with air when passed over  $V_2O_5$  catalyst as  $500^\circ\text{C}$  gives**

**Options:**

A. oxalic acid

B. glyoxal

C. fumaric acid

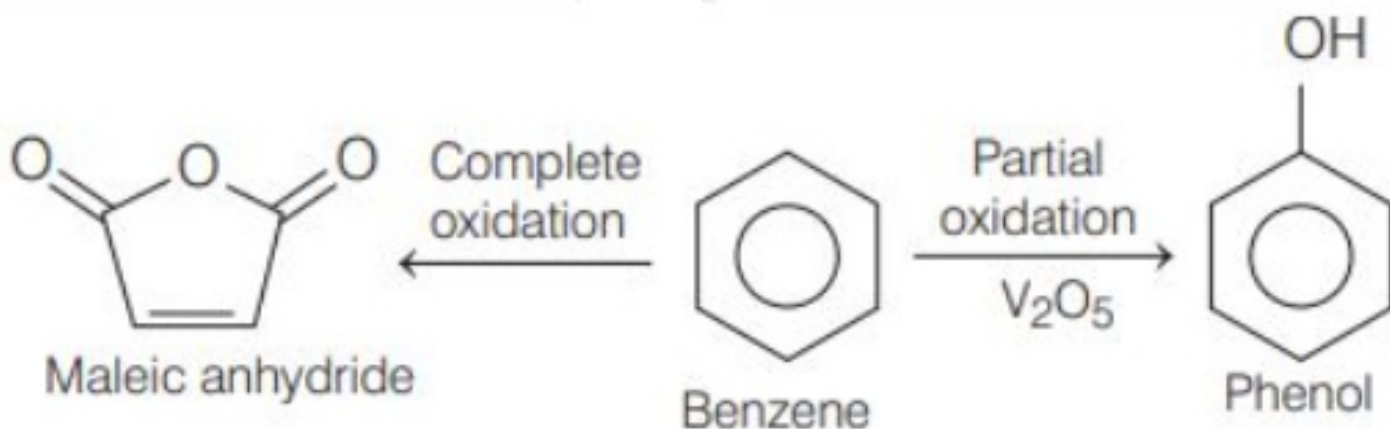
D. maleic anhydride

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Benzene when partially oxidised by  $V_2O_5$  in presence of air, amounts to phenol and when it undergoes a process of complete oxidation by  $V_2O_5$ , it gives maleic anhydride.



## Question 96

**Ozonolysis of 2, 3-dimethyl-1-butene followed by reduction with zinc and**

## water gives

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### Options:

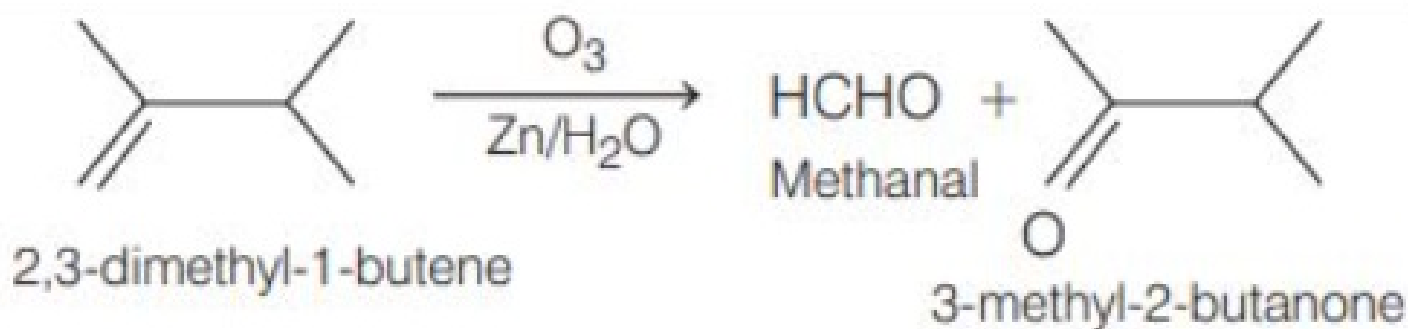
- A. methanoic acid and 3-methyl-2- butanone
- B. methanal and 3-methyl-2-butanone
- C. methanal and 2-methyl-3-butanone
- D. methanoic acid and 2-methyl-3-butanone

**Answer: B**

### Solution:

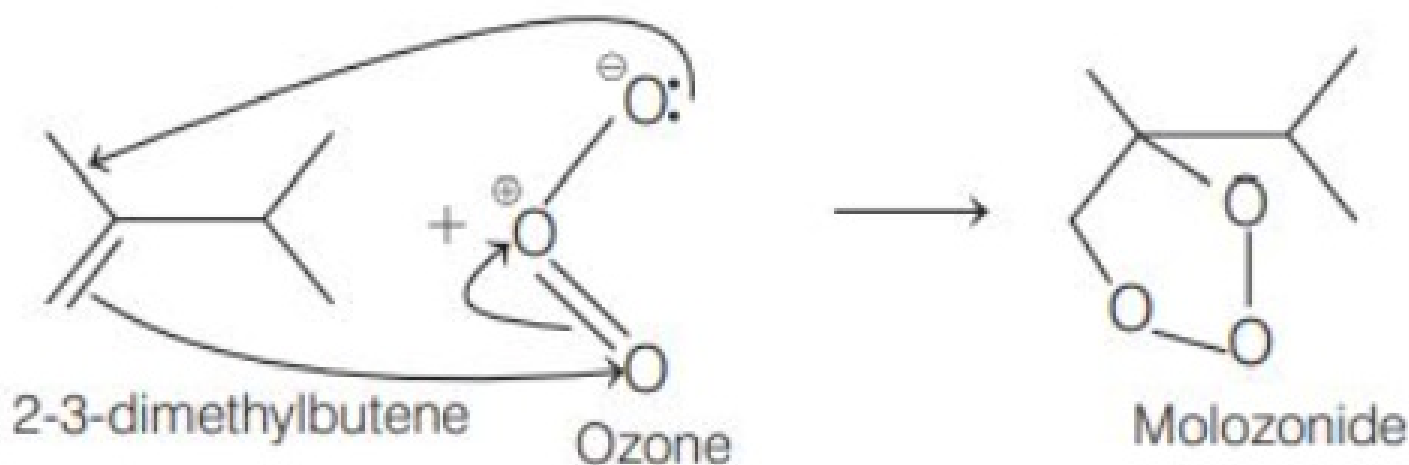
#### Solution:

Ozonolysis of 2, 3-dimethyl-1-butene gives methanal and 3-methyl-2-butanone as major product. Ozonolysis is a reaction in which unsaturated bonds of alkene are cleaved by ozone ( $O_3$ ) in presence of  $Zn/H_2O$  to give carbonyl compounds.

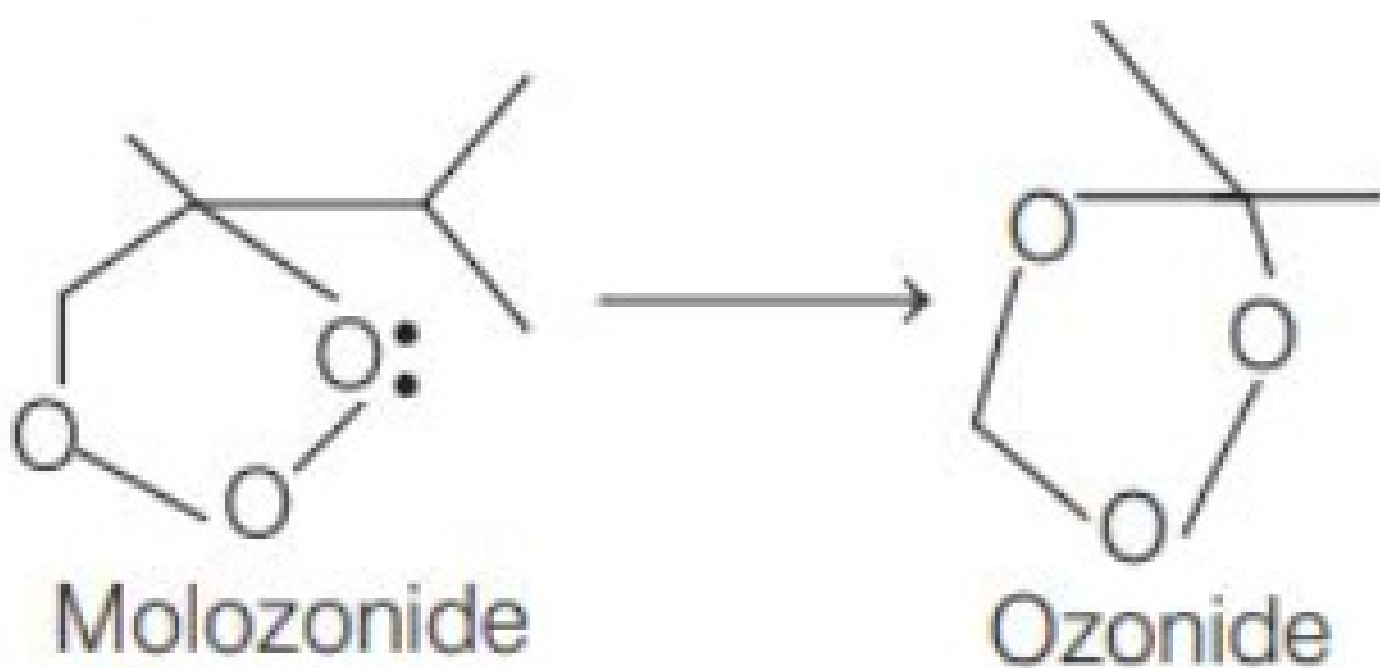


#### Mechanism

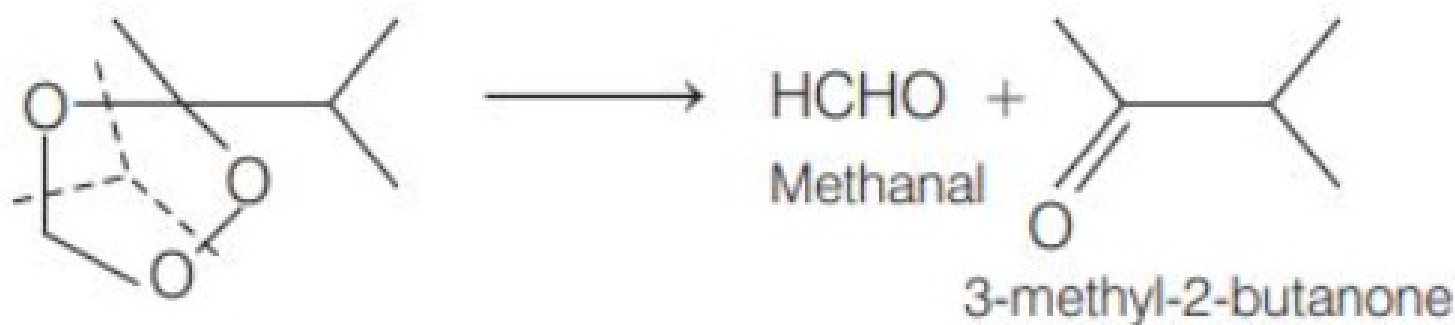
**Step 1** Nucleophilic  $mC = C$  attacks the positive  $[O]$  of ozone while negative  $[O]$  of ozone attack other end of  $C = C$ .



**Step 2** The cyclic molozonide rearranges itself to ozonide.



**Step 3** In last step, ozonide decompose to form carbonyl compounds in presence of  $Zn / H_2O$ .



## Question 97

**Standardisation of  $Na_2S_2O_3$  using  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  by iodometry, the equivalent  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  is**

**Options:**

- A. molecular weight / 2
- B. molecular weight / 6
- C. molecular weight / 3
- D. same as molecular weight

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The reaction takes place when  $Na_2S_2O_3$  is standardised using  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  is as follows :

$$4Cr_2O_7^{2-} + 3S_2O_3^{2-} + 26H^+ \rightarrow 6SO_4^{2-} + 8Cr^{3+} + 13H_2O$$

The oxidation state of chromium in  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  changes from +6 to +3. The net change in oxidation number per formula unit is 6.

$\therefore$  Value of n - factor = 6

$$\text{Equivalent weight, } E = \frac{\text{Molecular weight}}{\text{n - factor}}$$

$$= \frac{\text{Molecular weight}}{6}$$

## Question 98

The IUPAC name for the complex  $Na[BH(OCH_3)_3]$  is

**Options:**

- A. sodium hydridotrimethoxoborate (III)
- B. sodium hydridotrimethoxoyborate (II)
- C. sodium hydridotrimethoxoboron
- D. sodium hydridotrimethoxoborate (III)

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

IUPAC name of  $Na[BH(OCH_3)_3]$  is sodium hydridotrimethoxoborate (III).  
The ligand  $OCH_3$  is named as methoxo.

## Question 99

The oxidation number of iron in  $Fe_4[Fe(CN)_6]_3$  are respectively

**Options:**

- A. +2, +3
- B. +2, +2
- C. +3, +3
- D. +3, +2

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

In  $Fe_4[Fe(CN)_6]_3$ , the counter ion and complex iron has different oxidation state.  
 $Fe_4[Fe(CN)_6]_3 \rightarrow 4Fe^{3+} + 3[Fe(CN)_6]^{4-}$   
 $\therefore$  Counter iron will have +3 oxidation state.

$\therefore$  In complex ion,  
 $x + 6(CN) = -4$   
 $x + 6(-1) = -4 \Rightarrow x = +2$   
 $\therefore$  In complex, iron has +2 oxidation state.  
 $\therefore$  Oxidation number of iron in  $Fe_4[Fe(CN)_6]_3$  are +3 and +2 respectively

## Question 100

The numbers of bridging carbonyl group in  $Fe_2(CO)_9$  has

**Options:**

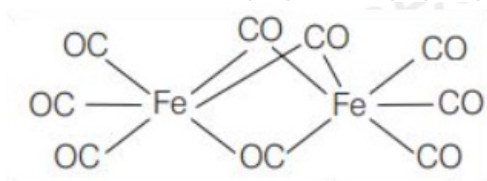
- A. one
- B. two
- C. three
- D. four

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

The number of bridging carbonyl group in  $Fe_2(CO)_9$  is 3.



$Fe_2(CO)_9$  is an inorganic compound. IUPAC name of  $Fe_2(CO)_9$  is diironnonacarbonyl.

## Question 101

If between two numbers, two geometrical mean  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  and arithmetic mean  $A$  are placed, then the value of  $\frac{G_1^2}{G_2} + \frac{G_2^2}{G_1}$  is

**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{A}{2}$
- B.  $A$
- C.  $2A$
- D. None of these

**Answer: C**

## Solution:

### Solution:

Let a and b are two numbers.

Given,  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  are two geometric mean between a and b.

$\therefore a, G_1, G_2, b$  are in GP.

$\therefore t_n = ar^{n-1}$  (nth term or GP)

$$b = a \cdot r^{4-1} \Rightarrow r = \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$G_1 = ar = a \times \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}b^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$G_2 = ar^2 = a\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{1}{3}}b^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$\therefore A$  be the arithmetic mean of a and b.

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{a+b}{2}$$

Now, the value  $\frac{G_1^2}{G_2} + \frac{G_2^2}{G_1}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{a^{\frac{4}{3}} \cdot b^{\frac{2}{3}}}{a^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot b^{\frac{2}{3}}} + \frac{a^{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot b^{\frac{4}{3}}}{a^{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot b^{\frac{1}{3}}} \\ &= a + b = 2A \end{aligned}$$

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## Question 102

The value of  $4 + 2(1+2)\log 2 + \frac{2(1+2^2)}{2!}(\log 2)^2 + \frac{2(1+2^3)}{3!}(\log 2)^3 + \dots$  is

### Options:

- A. 10
- B. 12
- C.  $\log(3^2 \cdot 4^2)$
- D.  $\log(2^2 \cdot 3^2)$

**Answer: B**

## Solution:

### Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} &4 + 2(1+2)\log 2 + \frac{2(1+2^2)}{2!}(\log 2)^2 \\ &+ \frac{2(1+2^3)}{3!}(\log 2)^3 + \dots \\ &\Rightarrow 2(1+1) + 2(1+2)\log 2 + \frac{2(1+2^2)}{2!}(\log 2)^2 \\ &+ \frac{2(1+2^3)}{3!}(\log 2)^3 + \dots \\ &\Rightarrow 2\left[1 + \log 2 + \frac{(\log 2)^2}{2!} + \frac{(\log 2)^3}{3!} + \dots\right] \\ &+ 2\left(1 + 2\log 2 + \frac{(2\log 2)^2}{2!} + \frac{(2\log 2)^3}{3!} + \dots\right) \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
&\because e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \\
&\Rightarrow 2[e^{\log 2}] + 2(e^{2\log 2}) \\
&= 2(2^{\log e}) + 2[(2^2)^{\log e}] [\because a^{\log_e b} = b^{\log_e a}] \\
&= 2.2 + 2.2^2 [\because \log_e e = 1] \\
&= 4 + 8 = 12
\end{aligned}$$

## Question 103

The angle of a triangle are  $\cot^{-1}2$  and  $\cot^{-1}3$ , then the third angle is

**Options:**

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

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}
&\because \cot^{-1}2 \text{ and } \cot^{-1}3 \text{ are two angles of a triangle.} \\
&\therefore \text{Third angle} = \pi - (\cot^{-1}2 + \cot^{-1}3) \\
&= \pi - \left( \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{2} + \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{3} \right) [\because \cot^{-1}x = \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{x}] \\
&= \pi - \tan^{-1}\left( \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3}} \right) [\because \tan^{-1}x + \tan^{-1}y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy}\right)] \\
&= \pi - \tan^{-1}\left( \frac{\frac{5}{6}}{\frac{5}{6}} \right) = \pi - \tan^{-1}1 = \pi - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{3\pi}{4}
\end{aligned}$$

## Question 104

In a  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle B = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and  $C = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . Let  $D$  divides  $BC$  internally in the ratio **1:3**, then  $\frac{\sin \angle BAD}{\sin \angle CAD}$  equals

**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$

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

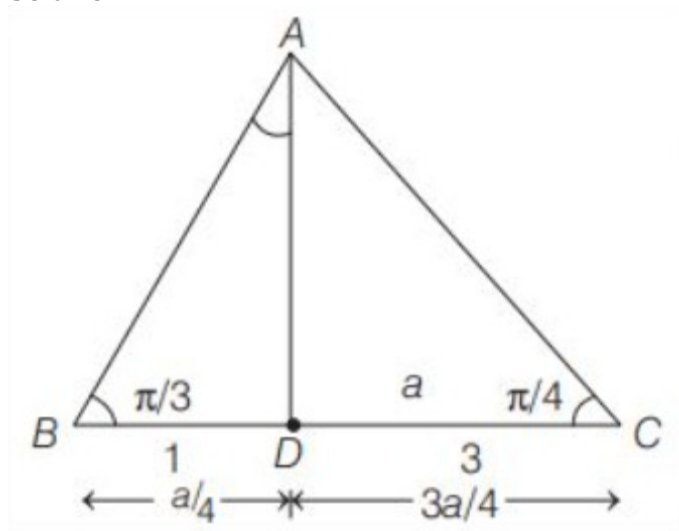
C.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

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

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**



Let  $BC = a$ ,

$AB = c$

and  $AC = b$

$$\angle B = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\angle C = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\angle A = \pi - \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

$$\therefore \frac{BD}{CD} = \frac{1}{3} \text{ [given]}$$

$$\therefore BD = \frac{a}{4}$$

$$\text{and } CD = \frac{3a}{4}$$

Using sine rule.

In  $\triangle ABD$ ,

$$\Rightarrow \frac{BD}{\sin \angle BAD} = \frac{AD}{\sin \pi}$$

$$\frac{\frac{a}{4}}{\sin \angle BAD} = \frac{AD}{\sin \pi} \dots\dots(i)$$

In  $\triangle ACD$ ,

$$\frac{CD}{\sin \angle CAD} = \frac{AD}{\sin \pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{3a}{4}}{\sin \angle CAD} = \frac{AD}{\sin \pi} \dots\dots(ii)$$

Divide eq. (i) by eq. (ii),

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{a}{4}}{\sin \angle BAD}}{\frac{\frac{3a}{4}}{\sin \angle CAD}} = \frac{\frac{AD}{\sin \pi}}{\frac{AD}{\sin \pi}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin \angle CAD}{3 \sin \angle BAD} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin \angle BAD}{\sin \angle CAD} = \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$$

## Question 105

The equation of a straight line passing through  $(-3, 2)$  and cutting an intercept equal in magnitude but opposite in sign from the axes is given by

**Options:**

- A.  $x - y + 5 = 0$
- B.  $x + y - 5 = 0$
- C.  $x - y - 5 = 0$
- D.  $x + y + 5 = 0$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Let equation of line is

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$$

$\therefore$  According to equation,  $b = -a$

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{-a} = 1$$

Now it passes through  $(-3, 2)$ ,

$$\text{Then, } \frac{-3}{a} + \frac{2}{-a} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-3-2}{a} = 1$$

$$a = -5$$

∴ Equation of line

$$\frac{x}{-5} + \frac{y}{5} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x - y = -5$$

$$\Rightarrow x - y + 5 = 0$$

## Question 106

The angle between the tangents drawn from the point (1, 4) to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is

Options:

A.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

C.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$

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

Answer: C

Solution:

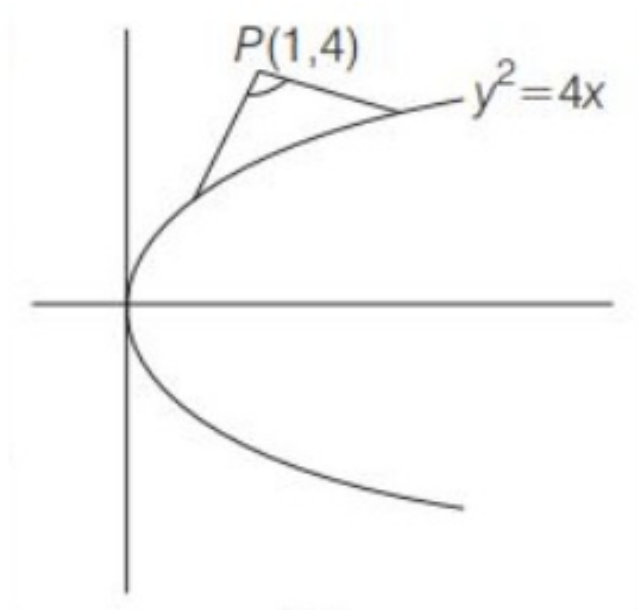
**Solution:**

Parabola :  $S \Rightarrow y^2 - 4x = 0$

Point :  $P(1, 4)$

∴ Pair of tangents is

$$SS_1 = T^2$$



where,  $S = y^2 - 4x$

$$S_1 = (4)^2 - 4(1) = 16 - 4 = 12$$

$$T = y(4) - 4\left(\frac{x+1}{2}\right) = 4y - 2x - 2$$

$\therefore$  Pair of tangent from  $P(1, 4)$  is

$$(y^2 - 4x)(12) = (4y - 2x - 2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 12(y^2 - 4x) = 4(2y - x - 1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(y^2 - 4x) = 4y^2 + x^2 + 1 - 4xy + 2x - 4y$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y^2 - 12x = 4y^2 + x^2 + 1 - 4xy + 2x - 4y$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 4xy + 14x - 4y + 1 = 0 \dots \dots (i)$$

$$\therefore a = 1, b = 1, h = -2, g = 7, f = -2, c = 1$$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between pair of tangents represented by eq. (i)

$$\therefore \tan \theta = \left| \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{a + b} \right| = \left| \frac{2\sqrt{4 - 1}}{1 + 1} \right|$$

$$\tan \theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

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## Question 107

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

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**Options:**

- A. 2
- B. -2
- C. 1
- D. -1

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\sin(x + y) = \log(x + y)$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = e^{\sin(x + y)}$$

Differentiating w.r.t.x,

$$\left(1 + \frac{dy}{dx}\right) = e^{\sin(x + y)} \cdot \cos(x + y) \left(1 + \frac{dy}{dx}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(1 + \frac{dy}{dx}\right) [1 - e^{\sin(x + y)} \cdot \cos(x + y)] = 0$$

$$1 + \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \text{ or } 1 - e^{\sin(x + y)} \cos(x + y) = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = -1$$

## Question 108

If straight line  $y = 4x - 5$  is tangent to the curve  $y^2 = px^3 + q$  at  $(2, 3)$ , then

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**Options:**

- A.  $p = 2, q = -7$
- B.  $p = -2, q = 7$
- C.  $p = -2, q = -7$
- D.  $p = 2, q = 7$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$\because y = 4x - 5$  is tangent to the curve

$$y^2 = px^3 + q \text{ at } (2, 3)$$

$\therefore$  Slope of tangent to the curve  $y^2 = px^3 + q$  at  $(2, 3)$

$$= \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(2, 3)}$$

Differentiating  $y^2 = px^3 + q$  w.r.t.  $x$ ,

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 3px^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3px^2}{2y}$$

$$\therefore \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(2,3)} = \frac{3p(2)^2}{2(3)} \Rightarrow 2p$$

Slope of line  $y = 4x - 3$  is equal to 4

$$\therefore \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(2,3)} = 4 \Rightarrow 2p = 4 \Rightarrow p = 2$$

$\therefore (2, 3)$  lies on the curve  $y^2 = px^3 + q$

$$\Rightarrow (3)^2 = p(2)^3 + q$$

$$9 = 2^4 + q \Rightarrow q = 9 - 16 = -7$$

$$\therefore p = 2, q = -7$$

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## Question 109

The coordinates of a point on the line  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-3} = z-1$  at a distance  $\sqrt{11}$  from the point  $(1, -1, 1)$  are

**Options:**

A.  $(2, -4, 2)$

B.  $(1, -2, 4)$

C.  $(\frac{1}{7}, \frac{-2}{7}, \frac{3}{7})$

D.  $(-2, 4, -2)$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\text{Line : } \frac{x}{2} = \frac{y+1}{-3} = z-1 = \lambda$$

Any point P on this line is  $P(2\lambda, -3\lambda - 1, \lambda + 1)$

$\therefore$  P is  $(2\lambda, 3\lambda - 1, \lambda + 1)$ .

$\therefore$  According to question,

Distance between  $P(2\lambda, -3\lambda - 1, \lambda + 1)$  and  $(1, -1, 1)$  is  $\sqrt{11}$ ,

$$\therefore \sqrt{(2\lambda - 1)^2 + (-3\lambda - 1 + 1)^2 + (\lambda + 1 - 1)^2} = \sqrt{11}$$

$$(2\lambda - 1)^2 + (-3\lambda)^2 + (\lambda)^2 = 11$$

$$4\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 1 + 9\lambda^2 + \lambda^2 = 11$$

$$\Rightarrow 14\lambda^2 - 4\lambda - 10 = 0 \Rightarrow 7\lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7\lambda^2 - 7\lambda + 5\lambda - 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7\lambda(\lambda - 1) + 5(\lambda - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda - 1)(7\lambda + 5) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 1 \text{ or } \lambda = \frac{-5}{7}$$

when  $\lambda = 1$ , then P is  $(2, -4, 2)$  and when

$$\lambda = \frac{-5}{7}, \text{ then P is } (-\frac{10}{7}, \frac{8}{7}, \frac{2}{7}).$$

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## Question 110

If the lines  $x - 2 = y - 3 = \frac{z - 4}{-k}$  and  $\frac{x - 1}{k} = \frac{y - 4}{2} = z - 5$  are coplanar,

then  $k$  have

**Options:**

- A. any value
- B. exactly one value
- C. exactly two values
- D. exactly three values

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$L_1 = \frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y-3}{1} = \frac{z-4}{-k}$$

$$L_2 = \frac{x-1}{k} = \frac{y-4}{2} = \frac{z-5}{1}$$

$\therefore L_1$  and  $L_2$  are coplanar.

$$\therefore (a_2 - a_1) \cdot (b_1 \times b_2) = 0$$

$$[(a_2 - a_1) b_1 b_2] = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } a_1 = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 4\hat{k} \text{ and } b_1 = \hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

$$a_2 = \hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k} \text{ and } b_2 = k\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

$$\text{Now, } [(a_2 - a_1) b_1 b_2] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -k \\ k & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$-(1+2k) - 1(1+k^2) + 1(2-k) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 - 2k - 1 - k^2 + 2 - k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -k^2 - 3k = 0 \Rightarrow k^2 + 3k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k(k+3) = 0 \Rightarrow k = -3, 0$$

$\therefore k$  have exactly two values.

## Question 111

The value of  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dx}{1 + \cot x}$  is

**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
- B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$
- C.  $\frac{1}{2}$
- D. 1

**Answer: B**



## Solution:

### Solution:

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dx}{1 + \cot x}$$
$$I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin x dx}{\sin x + \cos x} \left[ \cot x = \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \right] \dots (i)$$

$$\therefore \int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(a + b - x) dx$$

Now,

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin(\frac{\pi}{2} - x) dx}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{2} - x)} + \cos(\frac{\pi}{2} - x)$$

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos x dx}{\cos x + \sin x} \dots (ii)$$

On adding eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$2I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{(\sin x + \cos x)}{\sin x + \cos x} dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 1 dx$$

$$\Rightarrow 2I = [x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \Rightarrow 2I = \frac{\pi}{2} - 0 \Rightarrow 2I = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow I = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

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## Question 112

The area between the curve  $y^2 = 4ax$ , X-axis and the ordinate  $x = 0$  and  $x = a$  is

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### Options:

A.  $\frac{4}{3}a^2$

B.  $\frac{8}{3}a^2$

C.  $\frac{2}{3}a^2$

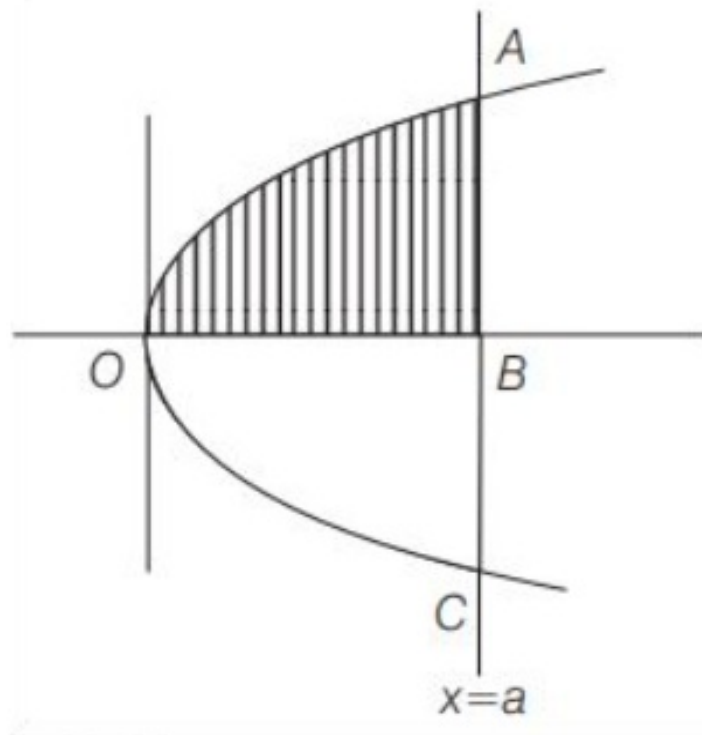
D.  $\frac{5}{3}a^2$

**Answer: A**

### Solution:

#### Solution:

$\therefore$  Area between the curve  $y^2 = 4ax$ , X-axis,  
 $x = 0$  and  $x = a$



= Area of region  $OABO$

$$= \int_a^b y dx = \int_a^b \sqrt{4ax} dx$$

$$= 2\sqrt{a} \int_a^b \sqrt{x} dx = 2\sqrt{a} \left[ \frac{x^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_0^a$$

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

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## Question 113

The function  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 36x - 48$  on the interval  $(4, 5)$  is

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**Options:**

- A. increasing
- B. decreasing
- C. constant
- D. nothing can be said

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 36x - 48$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 30x + 36$$

$$= 6(x^2 - 5x + 6) = 6(x^2 - 3x - 2x + 6)$$

$$= 6(x - 3)(x - 2)$$

Sign of  $f'(x)$



$\therefore f(x)$  is increasing in  $x \in (-\infty, 2) \cup (3, \infty)$

and  $f(x)$  is decreasing in  $x \in (2, 3)$ .

$\therefore$  In the interval  $(4, 5)$ .

$f(x)$  is increasing

## Question 114

Which of the following functions is inverse of itself?

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**Options:**

- A.  $f(x) = \frac{1-x}{1+x}$
- B.  $f(x) = 5^{\log x}$
- C.  $f(x) = 2^{x(x-1)}$
- D. None of these

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

We know that

If  $f^{-1}(x)$  is inverse of  $f(x)$ , then

$$f \circ f^{-1}(x) = x$$

$$(a) f(x) = \frac{1-x}{1+x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore f \circ f(x) &= \frac{1 - f(x)}{1 + f(x)} = \frac{1 - (\frac{1-x}{1+x})}{1 + (\frac{1-x}{1+x})} \\ &= \frac{1+x-1+x}{1+x+1-x} = x \\ \therefore f^{-1}(x) &= f(x) \\ \text{(b) } f(x) &= 5^{\log x} \\ \therefore f \circ f(x) &= 5^{\log f(x)} = 5^{\log(5^{\log x})} = 5^{\log x \log 5} \neq x \\ \therefore f^{-1}(x) &\neq f(x) \\ \text{(c) } f(x) &= 2^{x(x-1)} \\ \therefore f \circ f(x) &= 2^{f(x)(f(x)-1)} \\ &= 2^{2^{x(x-1)}(2^{x(x-1)}-1)} \\ &\neq x \\ \therefore f^{-1}(x) &\neq f(x)\end{aligned}$$


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## Question 115

Three dice are thrown together. The probability that all will show even number is

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**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{3}{216}$
- B.  $\frac{9}{216}$
- C.  $\frac{27}{216}$
- D. None of these

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Three dice are thrown together.

$\therefore$  Total number of outcomes

$$= 6 \times 6 \times 6 = 216$$

Now, all shows even numbers.

Then, total favourable outcomes count

$$= 3 \times 3 \times 3 = 27$$

[ $\because$  total 3 even numbers are there, i.e. 2, 4, 6].

$$\therefore \text{Required probability} = \frac{27}{216}$$


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## Question 116

Correlation coefficient is

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**Options:**

- A. arithmetic mean of regression coefficient

- B. harmonic mean of regression coefficient
- C. geometric mean of regression coefficient
- D. None of the above

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$\therefore$  Correlation coefficient is the geometric mean of the regression coefficient.

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## Question 117

Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are two complex numbers whose principal arguments are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ , such that  $\alpha + \beta > \pi$ , then the principal argument of  $(z_1 z_2)$  is

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**Options:**

- A.  $\alpha + \beta + \pi$
- B.  $\alpha + \beta - \pi$
- C.  $\alpha + \beta - 2\pi$
- D.  $\alpha + \beta$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$\arg(z_1) = \alpha, \arg(z_2) = \beta$  and  $\alpha + \beta > \pi$

$\therefore$  we know that,

$$\arg(z_1 z_2) = \arg(z_1) + \arg(z_2) + 1m\pi$$

$$= \alpha + \beta + 2m\pi, m \in \mathbb{I}$$

$\therefore$  Principal argument lies between  $-\pi$  to  $\pi$  and  $\alpha + \beta > \pi$

$\therefore$  Principal argument of  $z_1 z_2 = \alpha + \beta - 2\pi$

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## Question 118

The common roots of the equations  $z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z + 1 = 0$  and  $z^{1985} + z^{100} + 1 = 0$  are

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**Options:**

- A.  $-1, \omega$
- B.  $-1, \omega^2$

C.  $\omega, \omega^2$

D.  $1, \omega, \omega^2$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z+1)(z^2 + z + 1) = 0$$

$$z+1=0 \text{ or } z^2 + z + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{when } z = -1, z^{1985} + z^{100} + 1 = (-1)^{1985} + (-1)^{100} + 1$$

$$= -1 + 1 + 1 = 1 \neq 0$$

$\therefore z = -1$  do not satisfy the equation

$$z^{1985} + z^{100} + 1 = 0$$

Then, it is not the common roots.

$\therefore$  The common roots are the roots of  $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$

We know that  $\omega$  and  $\omega^2$  are the roots of

$$z^2 + z + 1 = 0$$

(where  $\omega$  is cube root of unity)

When  $z = \omega$ ,

$$(\omega)^{1985} + (\omega)^{100} + 1 = (\omega^3)^{661}\omega^2 + (\omega^3)^{33}\omega + 1$$

$$= \omega^2 + \omega + 1 = 0 \text{ (true)}$$

When  $z = \omega^2$ ,

$$(\omega^2)^{1985} + (\omega^2)^{100} + 1 = (\omega)^{3970} + \omega^{200} + 1$$

$$= (\omega^2)^{1323}\omega + (\omega^3)^{66}\omega^2 + 1$$

$$= (1)^{1323}\omega + (1)^{66}\omega^2 + 1$$

$$= \omega + \omega^2 + 1 = 0 \text{ (true)}$$

$\therefore \omega, \omega^2$  are the common roots of  $z^{1985} + z^{100} + 1 = 0$

$$\text{and } z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z + 1 = 0.$$

## Question 119

The order and degree of the differential equation  $\sqrt{\frac{dy}{dx}} - 4\frac{dy}{dx} - 7x = 0$  are

**Options:**

A.  $\frac{1}{2}, 1$

B.  $2, 1$

C.  $1, 1$

D.  $1, 2$

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\sqrt{\frac{dy}{dx}} - \frac{4dy}{dx} - 7x = 0$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{dy}{dx}} = \frac{4dy}{dx} + 7x$$

Squaring on both sides,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \left( \frac{4dy}{dx} + 7x \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + \frac{dy}{dx} (56x - 1) + 49x^2 = 0$$

∴ Now equation is radical free.

∴ Order = 1, Degree = 2

## Question 120

The solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + x + y + xy$  is

**Options:**

A.  $\log(1 + y) = x + \frac{x^2}{2} + c$

B.  $(1 + y)^2 = x + \frac{x^2}{2} + x$

C.  $\log(1 + y) = \log(1 + x) + c$

D. None of the above

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + x + y + xy$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = (1 + x) + y(1 + x)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = (1 + x)(1 + y) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{1 + y} = (1 + x) dx$$

Integrating both sides,

$$\int \frac{dy}{1 + y} = \int (1 + x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(1 + y) = x + \frac{x^2}{2} + c$$

## Question 121

A curve passes through the following points

<b>x</b>	1	2	3	4
<b>y</b>	1	4	9	16

**using trapezoidal rule, find the area bounded by the curve,  $X$ -axis and lines  $x = 1, x = 4$ .**

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**Options:**

- A. 20.5 sq. units
- B. 21.5 sq. units
- C. 22.5 sq. units
- D. 23.5 sq. units

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

x	1	2	3	4
y	1	4	9	16
	$y_1$	$y_2$	$y_3$	$y_4$



Using trapezoidal rule

$$a = 1, b = 4, n = 3$$

$h$  = width of sub - interval = 1

$$\int_1^4 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2}[(y_1 + y_4) + 2(y_2 + y_3)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}[(1 + 16) + 2(4 + 9)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(17 + 26)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 43 = \frac{43}{2} = 21.5$$

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## Question 122

The iteration formula for Newton- Raphson method is

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**Options:**

A.  $X_{n+1} = X_n + \frac{f(X_n)}{f'(X_n)}$

B.  $x_{n+1} = X_n + \frac{f(X_{n-1})}{f'(X_n)}$

C.  $X_{n+1} = X_n - \frac{f(X_n)}{f'(X_n)}$

D.  $X_{n+1} = X_n - \frac{f(X_{n-1})}{f'(X_n)}$

**Answer: C**

## Solution:

### Solution:

Newton Rapshon Method

$$\text{Iteration formula } \Rightarrow X_{n+1} = X_n = \frac{f(X_n)}{f'(X_n)}$$

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## Question 123

If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x & x \geq 0 \\ -x & x < 0 \end{cases}$ , then at  $x = 0$

### Options:

- A.  $f(x)$  is not continuous
- B.  $f(x)$  is differentiable
- C.  $f(x)$  is continuous but not differentiable
- D. None of the above

**Answer: C**

## Solution:

### Solution:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & x \geq 0 \\ -x & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Continuity at  $x = 0$

$$f(0) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHL} = f(0^+) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (0 + h) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHL} = f(0^-) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} -x \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -(-h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore f(0) = f(0^+) = f(0^-) = 0$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$

Differentiability at  $x = 0$

$$\text{LHD} = f'(0^-) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0-h) - f(0)}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(-h) - 0}{-h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -1 = -1$$

$$\text{RHD} = f'(0^+) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 1 = 1$$

$$\therefore f'(0^-) \neq f'(0^+)$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$

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## Question 124

The equivalent function of  $\log x^2$  is

**Options:**

- A.  $2 \log x$
- B.  $2 \log |x|$
- C.  $|\log x^2|$
- D.  $(\log x)^2$

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$y = \log x^2 = \log |x|^2 = \log |x|$$


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## Question 125

**Solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x} + \frac{\phi(\frac{y}{x})}{\phi'(\frac{y}{x})}$  is**

**Options:**

- A.  $\phi(\frac{y}{x}) = kx$
- B.  $x\phi(\frac{y}{x}) = k$
- C.  $\phi(\frac{y}{x}) = ky$
- D.  $y\phi(\frac{y}{x}) = k$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x} + \frac{\phi(\frac{y}{x})}{\phi'(\frac{y}{x})}$$

$$\text{Let } \frac{y}{x} = V$$

$$y = Vx$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = V + \frac{x dv}{dx}$$

$\therefore$  Equation becomes

$$V + \frac{x dv}{dx} = V + \frac{\phi(V)}{\phi'(V)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x dv}{dx} = \frac{\phi(V)}{\phi'(V)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\phi'(V)}{\phi(V)} dV = \frac{dx}{x}$$

Integrating both sides,

$$\int \frac{\phi'(V)}{\phi(V)} dV = \int \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln[\phi(V)] = \ln x + c$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln(\phi(V)) - \ln x = c$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln\left(\frac{\phi(\frac{y}{x})}{x}\right) = c$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\phi(\frac{y}{x})}{x} = e^c = k \Rightarrow \phi(\frac{y}{x}) = kx$$

## Question 126

**Differential equation of those circles which pass through origin and their centres lie on  $Y$ -axis will be**

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**Options:**

A.  $(x^2 - y^2) \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = 0$

B.  $(x^2 - y^2) \frac{dy}{dx} - 2xy = 0$

C.  $(x^2 - y^2) \frac{dy}{dx} - xy = 0$

D.  $(x^2 - y^2) \frac{dy}{dx} + xy = 0$

**Answer: B**

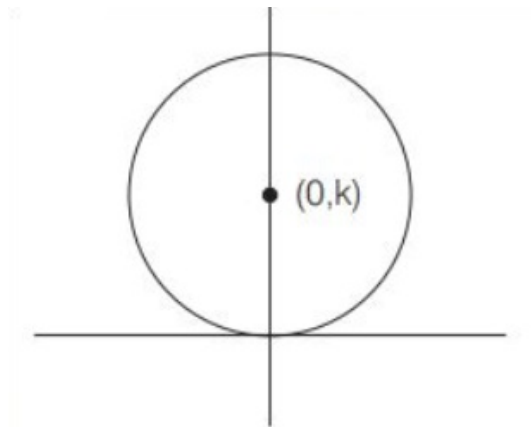
**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Family of circles which pass through origin and their centre lies on  $Y$ -axis has  $C(0, k)$  and radius  $= k$

Then, equation of circle will be

$$(x - 0)^2 + (y - k)^2 = k^2$$



$$x^2 + y^2 + k^2 - 2ky = k^2$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2ky = 0 \dots\dots(i)$$

Differentiating eq.(i) w.r.t.x,

$$2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} - 2k \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \dots\dots(ii)$$

From eq. (i) ,  $k = \frac{x^2 + y^2}{2y}$  . Put it in eq.(ii),

$$2x + \left[ 2y - 2 \left( \frac{x^2 + y^2}{2y} \right) \right] \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow [2y^2 - x^2 - y^2] \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = 0$$

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

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

## Question 127

If  $3 \leq 3t - 18 \leq 18$ , then which one of the following is correct?

**Options:**

A.  $15 \leq 2t + 1 \leq 20$

B.  $8 \leq t \leq 12$

C.  $8 \leq t + 1 < 13$

D.  $21 \leq 3t \leq 24$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$3 < 3t - 18 < 18$$

Add 18

$$3 + 18 \leq 3t \leq 18 + 18$$

$$21 \leq 3t \leq 36$$

Divide by 3

$$7 \leq t \leq 12 \dots\dots(i)$$

Add 1 in eq. (i).

$$7 + 1 \leq t + 1 \leq 12 + 1$$

$$8 \leq t + 1 \leq 13 \dots\dots(ii)$$

Multiply eq.(i) by (2)

$$14 \leq 2t \leq 24$$

$$\text{Add 1, } 15 \leq 2t + 1 \leq 25 \dots\dots(ii)$$

Multiply eq.(i) by 3

$$21 \leq 3t \leq 36 \dots\dots(iv)$$

## Question 128

If  $C_r = {}^nC_r$  and  $(C_0 + C_1)(C_1 + C_2) \dots (C_{n+1} + C_n) = K \frac{(n+1)^n}{n!}$ , then the value of  $K$  is

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**Options:**

A.  $C_0 C_1 C_2 \dots C_n$

B.  $C_1^2 C_2^2 \dots C_n^2$

C.  $C_1 + C_2 + \dots + C_n$

D.  $C_0 C_1 + C_1 C_2 + C_2 C_3 + \dots + C_n C_{n+1}$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} C_r &= {}^nC_r \\ (C_0 + C_1) \cdot (C_1 + C_2) \cdot (C_2 + C_3) \dots\dots\dots (C_{n-1} + C_n) \\ &= K \frac{(n+1)^n}{n!} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore C_r + C_{r+1} = C_r \left( 1 + \frac{C_{r+1}}{C_r} \right) = C_r \left( 1 + \frac{n-r}{r+1} \right)$$

$$\left[ \therefore {}^nC_{r+1} = \frac{n-r}{r+1} {}^nC_r \right]$$

$$= C_r \left( \frac{n+1}{r+1} \right)$$

$$\sum_{r=0}^n C_r + C_{r+1} = \sum_{r=0}^n C_r \left( \frac{n+1}{r+1} \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{n+1}{1} \right) C_0 \cdot \left( \frac{n+1}{2} \right) C_1 \dots\dots\dots \frac{(n+1)}{n} C_{n-1} \cdot \frac{n+1}{n+1} C_n$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left(\frac{n+1}{1}\right) C_0 \left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right) C_1 \dots \dots \dots \frac{(n+1)}{n} C_{n-1} \cdot C_n \\
&(n+1)^n \cdot \frac{C_0 \cdot C_1 \cdot C_2 \cdot \dots \cdot C_n}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot \dots \cdot n} \\
&= \frac{(n+1)^n}{n!} \cdot C_0 \cdot C_1 \cdot C_2 \cdot \dots \cdot C_n \\
\therefore K &= C_0 \cdot C_1 \cdot C_2 \cdot \dots \cdot C_n
\end{aligned}$$


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## Question 129

If  $|\mathbf{a}| = 2$ ,  $|\mathbf{b}| = 3$ ,  $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0$  and  $\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{a} \times \{\mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}))\}$ , then  $|\mathbf{c}| = ?$

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**Options:**

- A. 32
- B. 48
- C. 96
- D. 24

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}
|\mathbf{a}| &= 2, |\mathbf{b}| = 3, \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0 \\
\mathbf{c} &= \mathbf{a} \times \{\mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}))\} \\
\therefore \mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}) &= (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{c}) \mathbf{b} - (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}) \cdot \mathbf{c} \\
\therefore \mathbf{c} &= \mathbf{a} \times \{\mathbf{a} \times [(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}) \mathbf{a} - (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}) \mathbf{b}]\} \\
&= \mathbf{a} \times \{\mathbf{a} \times (-|\mathbf{a}|^2 \cdot \mathbf{b})\} [\because \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0] \\
&= \mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{a} \times (-|\mathbf{a}|^2 \cdot \mathbf{b})) \\
&= \mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{a} \times (-4\mathbf{b})) \\
&= 4\{\mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{a} \times (-\mathbf{b}))\} \\
&= 4\{\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{a}\} \{\because \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = -\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{a}\} \\
&= 4[(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{a}) \mathbf{b} - (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}) \mathbf{a}] \\
&= 4(|\mathbf{a}|^2 \mathbf{b} - 0) = 4(4\mathbf{b}) = 16\mathbf{b} \\
\therefore |\mathbf{c}| &= 16|\mathbf{b}| = 16 \times 3 = 48
\end{aligned}$$


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## Question 130

Projection of  $2\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 3\hat{\mathbf{j}} + 2\hat{\mathbf{k}}$  on the vector  $\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 2\hat{\mathbf{j}} + \hat{\mathbf{k}}$  will be

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**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{5}{3}\sqrt{6}$
- B.  $\sqrt{6}$
- C.  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
- D. cannot be projected

**Answer: A**

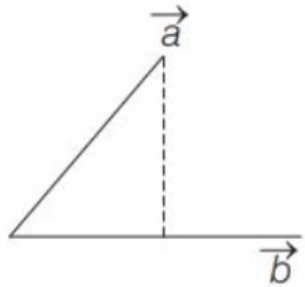
**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\text{Let } a = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$$

$$b = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$$

Projection of  $a$  on  $b = |a| \cos \theta$



$$= |a| \cdot \frac{|a \cdot b|}{|a||b|} = \frac{a \cdot b}{|b|}$$

$$\therefore a \cdot b = (2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) \cdot (\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k})$$

$$= 2 + 6 + 2 = 10$$

$$|b| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{1 + 4 + 1} = \sqrt{6}$$

$$\therefore \text{Projection} = \frac{10}{\sqrt{6}} \times \frac{10\sqrt{6}}{6} = \frac{5\sqrt{6}}{3}$$

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## Question 131

**The value of  $\int x \log x \, dx$  is**

**Options:**

A.  $\frac{x^2}{2} \log x - \frac{x^2}{2} + c$

B.  $\frac{x^2}{2} \log x - \frac{x^2}{4} + c$

C.  $\frac{x^2}{2} \log x + \frac{x^2}{2} + c$

D. None of these

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$I = \int x \log x$$

Using integration using by parts

$$I = \log x \int x \, dx - \int \left[ \frac{d}{dx} (\log x) \cdot \int x \, dx \right] dx$$

$$= \log x \left( \frac{x^2}{2} \right) - \int \left( \frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} \right) dx + C$$

$$\frac{x^2}{2} \log x - \int \frac{x}{2} dx + C = \frac{x^2}{2} \log x - \frac{x^2}{4} + C$$

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## Question 132

The value of  $\int e^x [\tan x - \log(\cos x)] dx$

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**Options:**

- A.  $e^x \log(\sec x) + c$
- B.  $e^x \log(\operatorname{cosec} x) + c$
- C.  $e^x \log(\cos x) + c$
- D.  $e^x \log(\sin x) + c$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$I = \int e^x [\tan x - \log(\cos x)] dx$$

$\therefore$  We know that,

$$\int e^x (f(x) + f'(x)) dx = e^x f(x) + c$$

$$\therefore I = \int e^x (\tan x + \log \sec x) dx$$

$$\left\{ \because \cos x = -\log \sec x \text{ and } \sec x = \frac{1}{\cos x} \right\}$$

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \log \sec x$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{\sec} x \cdot \sec x \tan x = \tan x$$

$$\therefore I = e^x \log \sec x + c$$

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## Question 133

The equation of conic with focus at  $(1, -1)$ , directrix along  $x - y + 1 = 0$  and eccentricity  $\sqrt{2}$  is

**Options:**

- A.  $x^2 - y^2 = 1$
- B.  $xy = 1$
- C.  $2xy - 4x + 4y + 1 = 0$
- D.  $2xy + 4x - 4y - 1 = 0$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

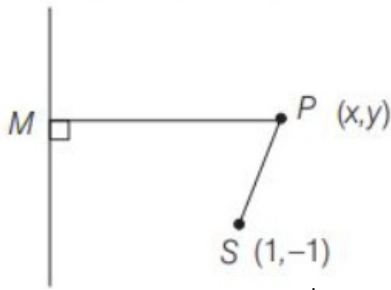
**Solution:**

Focus  $(1, -1)$ ; Eccentricity  $= \sqrt{2}$

Directrix,  $x - y + 1 = 0$

$\therefore$  Equation of conic

$$SP = ePM$$



$$\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y+1)^2} = \sqrt{2} \cdot \left| \frac{x-y+1}{\sqrt{1^2+1^2}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y+1)^2} = \sqrt{2} \cdot \left| \frac{x-y+1}{\sqrt{2}} \right|$$

Squaring both sides

$$x^2 - 2x + 1 + y^2 + 2y + 1$$

$$= x^2 + y^2 + 1 - 2xy - 2y + 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2xy - 4x + 4y + 1 = 0$$

## Question 134

The mirror image of parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  relative to tangent to the parabola at the point  $(1, 2)$  is

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**Options:**

- A.  $(x-1)^2 = 4(y+1)$
- B.  $(x+1)^2 = 4(y+1)$
- C.  $(x+1)^2 = 4(y-1)$
- D.  $(x-1)^2 = 4(y-1)$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Given,

Parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ ,  $4a = 4 \Rightarrow a = 1$

Let point on the curve  $P(at^2, 2at)$ , i. e.  $P(t^2, 2t)$

Equation of tangent a point  $P(1, 2)$  is

$$(y-2) = m(x-1)$$

$$m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(1,2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 4x \Rightarrow 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{y}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(1,2)} = \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

$\therefore$  Equation of tangent is

$$(y-2) = 1(x-1)$$

$$x - y + 1 = 0$$

Let the mirror image of point  $P(t^2, 2t)$  be  $(h, k)$

$$\frac{h-t^2}{1} = \frac{k-2t}{-1} = \frac{-2(t^2-2t+1)}{1^2+1^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h-t^2}{1} = \frac{k-2t}{-1} = \frac{-2(t^2-2t+1)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h-t^2}{1} = \frac{k-2t}{-1} = \frac{-t^2+2t-1}{1}$$

Comparing I and III

$$h = 2t - 1 \Rightarrow t = \frac{h+1}{2}$$

Comparing II and III

$$k = t^2 + 1 \Rightarrow k - 1 = t^2$$

$\therefore$  Eliminating  $t$

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

$$\Rightarrow (h+1)^2 = 4(k-1)$$

Put  $h = x, k = y$ , we get  $(x+1)^2 = 4(y-1)$

## Question 135

The probabilities of solving a problem by  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  respectively. If they work independently, then the probability that the problem will be solved is

**Options:**

A.  $\frac{1}{4}$

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

C.  $\frac{3}{4}$

D.  $\frac{4}{5}$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$P(A)$  = Probability of solving a problem by  $A = \frac{1}{2}$

$P(B)$  = Probability of solving a problem by  $B = \frac{1}{3}$

$P(C)$  = Probability of solving a problem by  $C = \frac{1}{4}$

$\therefore A, B$  and  $C$  are independent events.

$$\Rightarrow P(A \cap B \cap C) = P(A) \cdot P(B) \cdot P(C)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{24}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Probability that problem is solved

$$= P(A \cup B \cup C)$$

$$1 - P(\bar{A} \cap \bar{B} \cap \bar{C})$$

$$= 1 - P(\bar{A}) \cdot P(\bar{B}) \cdot P(\bar{C})$$

$$= 1 - P(\bar{A}) \cdot P(\bar{B}) \cdot P(\bar{C})$$

$$= 1 - (1 - P(A))(1 - P(B))(1 - P(C))$$

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

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

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

## Question 136

**The probability that the number formed by taking all the digits 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 is divisible by 4 is**

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**Options:**

A.  $\frac{1}{5}$

B.  $\frac{1}{4}$

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

D. None of these

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Digits 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

The total numbers formed by digits 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 is

$$= 5! = 120$$

Now, event A = Number formed by all digits 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 is divisible by 4



Last two digits can be 12, 24, 32, 52

Number of favourable case =  $3! \times 4$

$$\therefore P(A) = \frac{4 \times 3!}{5!} = \frac{4}{5 \times 4} = \frac{1}{5}$$

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## Question 137

**In an equilateral triangle, the ratio of the incircle, circumcircle and ex-circle are in the ratio**

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**Options:**

A. 1:2:3

B. 2:3:4

C. 1:3:2

D. 1:1:1

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Let a be the side of equilateral triangles.

Area of an equilateral triangle,  $\Delta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}a^2$

$$\text{and } s = \frac{a + a + a}{2} = \frac{3a}{2}$$

$$\text{In radius } r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}a^2}{\frac{3a}{2}} = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Circumradius } R = \frac{abc}{4\Delta} = \frac{a^3}{4 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}a^2} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Ex - radius } r_1 = \frac{\Delta}{s - a} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}a^2}{\frac{3a}{2} - a} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a$$

Hence,  $r : R : r_1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{2\sqrt{3}} : \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}} : \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a = 1 : 2 : 3$$

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## Question 138

The period of the function  $f(x) = \tan(5x + 3)$  in radians is

Options:

- A.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$
- B.  $\frac{\pi}{10}$
- C.  $\frac{\pi}{5}$
- D.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

Answer: C

Solution:

**Solution:**

$$f(x) = \tan(5x + 3)$$

$\because$  Period of  $\tan x$ , is  $\pi$ .

$\therefore f(x) = \tan c$ , period is  $\pi$

$$f(5x) = \tan(5x) ; \text{ period is } \frac{\pi}{5}$$

$f(5x + 3) = \tan(5x + 3)$ , period does not change,

i.e.  $\frac{\pi}{5}$

$\therefore$  period of  $f(x)$  is  $\frac{\pi}{5}$

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## Question 139

If  $f(a) < 0$  and  $f(b) > 0$ , then one root of the equation  $f(x) = 0$  is (a) either  $a$  or  $b$  (b) less than  $a$  and greater than  $b$  (c) lies between  $a$  and  $b$  (d) None of the above

Options:

- A. either a or b
- B. less than a
- C. lies between  $a$  and  $b$
- D. None of the above

**Answer: C**

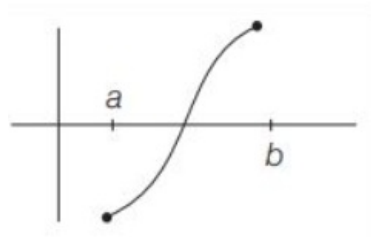
**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$f(a) < 0 \text{ and } f(b) > 0$$

$$f(x) = 0$$

$$\therefore f(a) \cdot f(b) < 0$$



$\therefore$  One root of equation  
 $f(x) = 0$   
 Lies between a and b.

## Question 140

**Which of the following is primary storage of computer?**

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**Options:**

- A. RAM
- B. ROM
- C. Hard Disc
- D. None of these

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$\therefore$  Primary storage of computer is RAM.

## Question 141

**The equation of straight line passing through the points  $(4, -5, -2)$  and  $(-1, 5, 3)$  is**

**Options:**

A.  $x - 4 = \frac{y + 5}{-2} = -z - 1$

B.  $x + 1 = \frac{y - 5}{2} = 3 - z$

C.  $\frac{x}{-1} = \frac{y}{5} = \frac{z}{-3}$

D.  $\frac{x}{4} = \frac{y}{-5} = \frac{z}{-2}$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

∴ Equation of line passing through two parts

$(x_1, y_1, z_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2, z_2)$  is

$$\frac{x - x_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{y - y_1}{y_2 - y_1} = \frac{z - z_1}{z_2 - z_1}$$

$$\frac{x - x_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{y - y_1}{y_2 - y_1} = \frac{z - z_1}{z_2 - z_1}$$

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∴ Equation of line passing through  $(4, -5, -2)$  and  $(-1, 5, 3)$  is

$$\frac{x - 4}{-1 - 4} = \frac{y + 5}{5 + 5} = \frac{z + 2}{3 + 2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - 4}{-5} = \frac{y + 5}{10} = \frac{z + 2}{5}$$

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$$\Rightarrow x - 4 = \frac{y + 5}{-2} = \frac{z + 2}{-1}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{x + 1}{-1 - 4} = \frac{y - 5}{5 + 5} = \frac{z - 3}{3 + 2}$$

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## Question 142

If the direction ratio of two lines are given by  $3l/m - 4/n + mn = 0$  and  $l + 2m + 3n = 0$ , then the angle between the lines is

**Options:**

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

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

C.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

D.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$3/m - 4n/l + mn = 0 \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } l + 2m + 3n = 0 \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

$$l = -2m - 3n$$

Put  $l = -2m - 3n$  in eq. (i),

$$3(-2m - 3n)m - 4(-2m - 3n)n + mn = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -6m^2 - 9mn + 8mn + 12n^2 + mn = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -6m^2 + 12n^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 12n^2 = 6m^2 \Rightarrow 2n^2 = m^2$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 - 2n^2 \Rightarrow m = \pm\sqrt{2}n$$

$$\therefore \text{If } m = \sqrt{2}n \Rightarrow l = -2(2\sqrt{2} + 2)n$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -\sqrt{2}n \Rightarrow l = -(-2\sqrt{2} + 3)n \therefore \text{Directions ratios are}$$

$$-(2\sqrt{2} + 3)n, \sqrt{2}n, n \text{ and } -(-2\sqrt{2} + 3)n, -\sqrt{2}n, n$$

$$\Rightarrow -(2\sqrt{2} + 3), \sqrt{2}, 1 \text{ and } -(-2\sqrt{2} + 3), -\sqrt{2}, 1$$

$\therefore$  We know that

$$\cos\theta = a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 + c_1c_2$$

$$= (3 + 2\sqrt{2})(3 - 2\sqrt{2}) + (\sqrt{2})(-\sqrt{2}) + (1)(1)$$

$$= 9 - 8 - 2 + 1 = 0$$

$$\therefore \cos\theta = 0, \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

## Question 143

The value of  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (1 - x) \tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right)$  is equal to

**Options:**

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

B.  $\pi$

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

D. 0

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (1 - x) \tan \pi x / 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1 - x}{\cot \frac{\pi x}{2}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1 - 1}{\cot \frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{0}{0} \text{ [Indeterminate form]}$$

Using L'Hospital rule,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{-1}{-\operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\pi x}{2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{-1}{-\operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{2}{\pi}$$



## Question 144

$$\text{If } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{1} & x \neq 0 \\ e^x + 1 & x = 0 \end{cases}, \text{ then}$$

**Options:**

- A.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1$
- B.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = 1$
- C.  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$
- D. None of the above

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{1} & x \neq 0 \\ e^x + 1 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x}{e^x + 1}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{e^h + 1} = 0$$

$$\left[ \because h \rightarrow 0, \frac{1}{h} \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow e^{\frac{1}{h}} \rightarrow \infty, \frac{1}{e^{\frac{1}{h}} + 1} \rightarrow 0 \right]$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{x}{e^x + 1}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{e^{-\frac{1}{h}} + 1} = \frac{0}{0} + 1 = 0 \left[ \because h \rightarrow 0, e^{-\frac{1}{h}} \rightarrow e^{-\infty} \rightarrow 0 \right]$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = f(0) = 0$$

$f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

## Question 145

**Which is not an input device of a computer?**

**Options:**

- A. scanner

- B. joystick
- C. keyboard
- D. None of these

**Answer: D**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

∴ Input device of computer is scanner, joystick and keyboard.

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## Question 146

**An operating system is a/an**

**Options:**

- A. System Software
- B. Utility Software
- C. Application Software
- D. None of these

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

∴ An operating system is an Application Software.

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## Question 147

**The unit vector parallel to the resultant vector of  $2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$  and  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  is**

**Options:**

- A.  $\frac{3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}}{7}$
- B.  $\frac{\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}}{\sqrt{3}}$

C.  $\frac{\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}}{\sqrt{6}}$

D.  $\frac{-\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 8\hat{k}}{\sqrt{69}}$

**Answer: A**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

Resultant vector of  $a = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$  and

$b = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  is  $a + b$

$$a + b = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k} + \hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k} = 3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

$$\therefore \text{Unit vector of } a + b = \frac{a + b}{|a + b|}$$

$$= \frac{3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}}{\sqrt{3^2 + 6^2 + (-2)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}}{\sqrt{49}} = \frac{3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}}{7}$$

## Question 148

If **a** and **b** are two unit vectors such that **a + 2b** and **5a – 4b** are perpendicular to each other, then angle between **a** and **b** is

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**Options:**

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

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

C.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$

D.  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{7}\right)$

**Answer: B**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$\because$  a and b are unit vectors

$$|a| = |b| = 1$$

$\because (a + 2b)$  and  $5a - 4b$  are perpendicular.

$$\therefore (a + 2b) \cdot (5a - 4b) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5(a \cdot b) - 4a \cdot b + 10a \cdot b - 8(b \cdot b) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5|a|^2 + 6a \cdot b - 8|b|^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 + 6a \cdot b - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6a \cdot b = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow a \cdot b = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\because a \cdot b = |a||b|\cos\theta$$

$\theta =$  angle between  $a$  and  $b$

$$\Rightarrow |a||b| \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$1 \times 1 \times \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

## Question 149

If  $A$  is a square matrix of order  $n \times n$  and  $K$  is a scalar, then  $\text{adj}(KA)$  is equal to

**Options:**

- A.  $K \text{adj } A$
- B.  $K^n \text{adj } A$
- C.  $K^{n-1} \text{adj } A$
- D.  $K^{n+1} \text{adj } A$

**Answer: C**

**Solution:**

**Solution:**

$$\because A \text{adj}(A) = |A| I_n \dots (i)$$

$$\Rightarrow KA \text{adj}(KA) = |KA| I_n$$

$$A \cdot \text{adj}(KA) = \frac{K^n |A|}{K} I_n$$

$$A \cdot \text{adj}(KA) = K^{n-1} |A| I_n$$

$$A \text{adj}(KA) = K^{n-1} \cdot A \text{adj}(A)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Pre multiply by } A^{-1}$$

$$A^{-1} \text{adj}(KA) = K^{n-1} (A^{-1} A) \text{adj } A$$

$$\text{adj}(KA) = K^{n-1} \text{adj } A \quad [\because AA^{-1} = A^{-1}A = I, IA = A]$$

## Question 150

The number of all three digit even numbers such that, if 5 is one of the digits, then next digit is 7 is

**Options:**

- A. 360
- B. 365
- C. 370
- D. 375

**Answer: B**

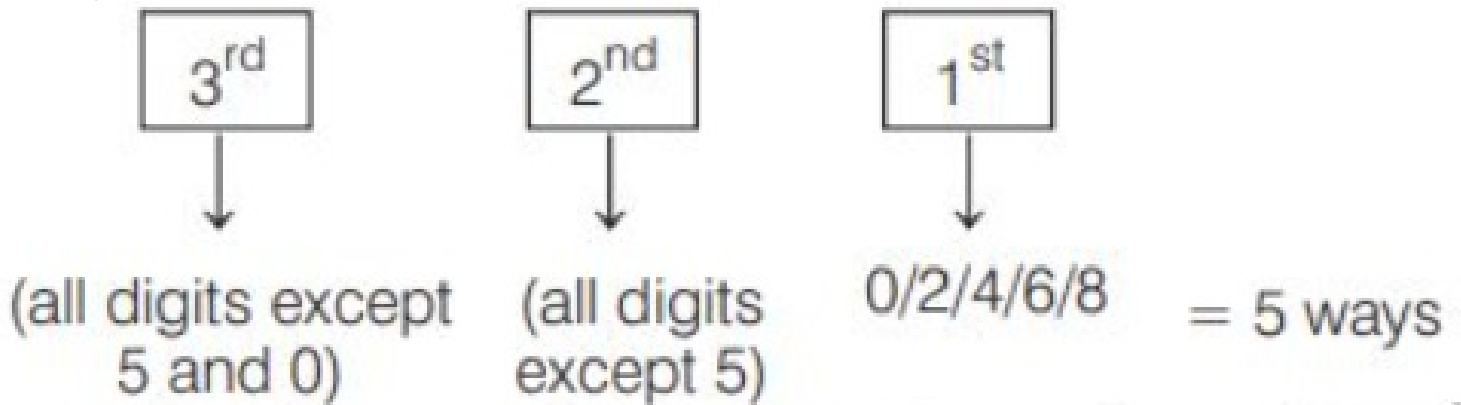
**Solution:**

**Solution:**

3-digit even numbers

**Case 1** When 5 is not there.

Then, 3 digit even numbers

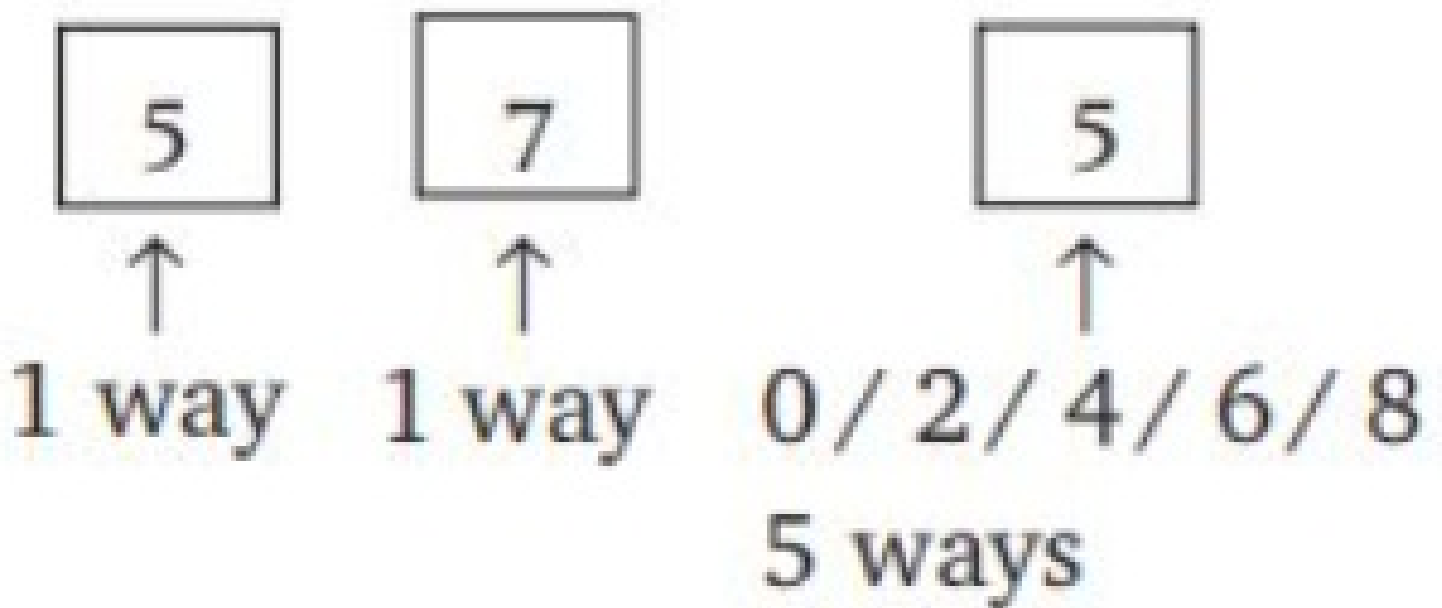


and second and third places can be fill by 9 ways and 8 ways respectively.

Total ways =  $8 \times 9 \times 5 = 360$

**Case 2** When 5 is there

Then, 3-digit even number



Total ways =  $1 \times 1 \times 5 = 5$

Required number of ways =  $360 + 5 = 365$

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