

MATHEMATICS

SECTION-I

Straight Objective Type

This section contains 6 multiple choice questions. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.

Q.1 Consider the two curves

$$C_1 : y^2 = 4x$$

$$C_2 : x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 1 = 0$$

then,

- (A) C_1 and C_2 touch each other only at one point
 (B) C_1 and C_2 touch each other exactly at two points
 (C) C_1 and C_2 intersect (but do not touch) at exactly two points
 (D) C_1 and C_2 neither intersect nor touch each other

Sol. (B)

For the point of intersection of the two given curves $C_1 : y^2 = 4x$ and $C_2 : x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 1 = 0$

We have

$$x^2 + 4x - 6x + 1 = 0$$

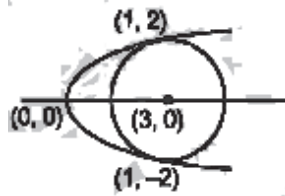
$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1, 1 \text{ equal real roots}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2, -2$$

Thus the given curves touch each other at exactly two points (1, 2) and (1, -2)



Q.2 If $0 < x < 1$, then $\sqrt{1+x^2} [\{x \cos(\cot^{-1} x) + \sin(\cot^{-1} x)\}^2 - 1]^{1/2} =$

(A) $\frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$

(B) x

(C) $x\sqrt{1+x^2}$

(D) $\sqrt{1+x^2}$

Sol. (C)

We have $0 < x < 1$,

Let $\cot^{-1} x = \theta$

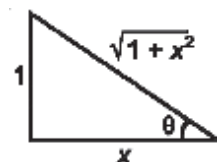
$$\Rightarrow \cot \theta = x$$

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

$$\text{and } \cos \theta = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} = \cos(\cot^{-1} x)$$

$$\text{Now } \sqrt{1+x^2} [\{x \cos(\cot^{-1} x) + \sin(\cot^{-1} x)\}^2 - 1]^{1/2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1+x^2} \left[\left\{ x \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} \right\}^2 - 1 \right]^{1/2}$$



$$= \sqrt{1+x^2} \left[\left(\frac{1+x^2}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} \right)^2 - 1 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{1+x^2} [1 + x^2 - 1]^{1/2} = x\sqrt{1+x^2}$$

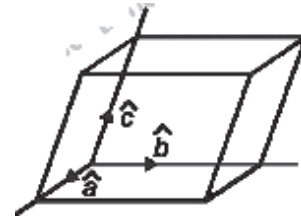
Q.3 The edges of a parallelepiped are of unit length and are parallel to non-coplanar unit vectors \hat{a} , \hat{b} , \hat{c} such that $\hat{a} \cdot \hat{b} = \hat{b} \cdot \hat{c} = \hat{c} \cdot \hat{a} = \frac{1}{2}$. Then, the volume of the parallelepiped is

- (A) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ (B) $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ (C) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ (D) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

Sol. (A)

The volume of the parallelepiped with coterminus edges as $\hat{a}, \hat{b}, \hat{c}$ is given by $[\hat{a} \hat{b} \hat{c}] = \hat{a} \cdot (\hat{b} \times \hat{c})$

$$\text{Now } [\hat{a} \hat{b} \hat{c}]^2 = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{a} \cdot \hat{a} & \hat{a} \cdot \hat{b} & \hat{a} \cdot \hat{c} \\ \hat{b} \cdot \hat{a} & \hat{b} \cdot \hat{b} & \hat{b} \cdot \hat{c} \\ \hat{c} \cdot \hat{a} & \hat{c} \cdot \hat{b} & \hat{c} \cdot \hat{c} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\Rightarrow [\hat{a} \hat{b} \hat{c}]^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

Thus the required volume of the parallelepiped = $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ cubic units.

Q.4 Let a and b be non-zero real numbers. Then, the equation

$(ax^2 + by^2 + c)(x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2) = 0$ represents

- (A) Four straight lines, when $c = 0$ and a, b are of same sign
 (B) Two straight lines and a circle, when $a = b$, and c is of sign opposite to that of a
 (C) Two straight lines and a hyperbola, when a and b are of the same sign and c is of sign opposite to that of a
 (D) A circle and an ellipse, when a and b are of the same sign and c is of sign opposite to that of a

Sol. (B)

Let a and b be non-zero real numbers

The equation $(ax^2 + by^2 + c)(x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2) = 0$ implies either

$$x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2y)(x - 3y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2y \text{ and } x = 3y$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2 = 0 \text{ represents two straight lines passing through origin.}$$

$$\text{or } ax^2 + by^2 + c = 0$$

when $c = 0$ and a and b are of same signs then

$$ax^2 + by^2 + c = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ and } y = 0$$

which is a point specified as the origin.

when $a = b$ and c is of sign opposite of that of a , $ax^2 + by^2 + c = 0$ represents a circle
Hence the given equation $(ax^2 + by^2 + c)(x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2) = 0$ may represent two straight lines and a circle.

Q.5 Let $g(x) = \frac{(x-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(x-1)}$; $0 < x < 2$, m and n are integers, $m \neq 0$, $n > 0$, and let p be the

left hand derivative of $|x-1|$ at $x = 1$. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = p$, then

- (A) $n = 1, m = 1$ (B) $n = 1, m = -1$ (C) $n = 2, m = 2$ (D) $n > 2, m = n$

Sol. (C)

We have, $g(x) = \frac{(x-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(x-1)}$, $0 < x < 2$, $m \neq 0$, n are integers

$$\text{and } |x - 1| = \begin{cases} x - 1; & x \geq 1 \\ 1 - x; & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

The left hand derivative of $|x - 1|$ at $x = 1 = p = -1$

$$\text{Also } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} g(x) = p = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+h-1)^n}{\log \cos^m(1+h-1)} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^n}{\log \cos^m h} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^n}{m \log \cosh} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{n \cdot h^{n-1}}{m \frac{1}{\cosh} (-\sinh)} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(-\frac{n}{m} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{h^{n-2}}{\frac{\tanh}{h}} \right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{n}{m} \right) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^{n-2}}{\left(\frac{\tanh}{h} \right)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 2 \text{ and } \frac{n}{m} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = n = 2$$

Q.6 The total number of local maxima and local minima of the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (2+x)^3; & -3 < x \leq -1 \\ x^{\frac{2}{3}} & ; -1 < x < 2 \end{cases} \text{ is}$$

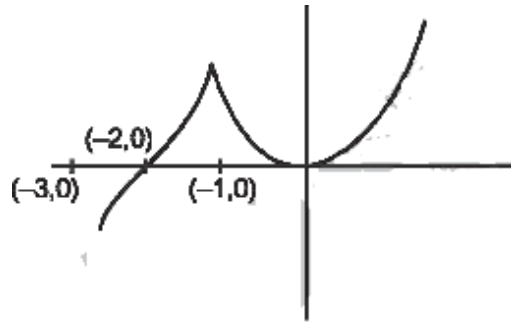
- (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 2 (D) 3

Sol. (C)

We have,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (2+x)^3; & -3 < x \leq -1 \\ x^{\frac{2}{3}} & ; -1 < x < 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} 3(x+2)^2; & -3 < x \leq -1 \\ \frac{2}{3}x^{-\frac{1}{3}} & ; -1 < x < 2 \end{cases}$$



Clearly $f'(x)$ changes its sign at $x = -1$ from +ve to -ve and so $f(x)$ has local maxima at $x = -1$

also $f'(0)$ does not exist but $f'(0^-) < 0$ and $f'(0^+) > 0$, it can only be inferred that $f(x)$ has a possibility of a minima at $x = 0$

Hence the given function has one local maxima at $x = -1$ and one local minima at $x = 0$

SECTION-II

Multiple Correct Answers Type

This section contains 4 multiple correct answer(s) type questions. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which **ONE OR MORE** is/are correct.

Q.7 A straight line through the vertex P of a triangle PQR intersects the side QR at the point S and the circumcircle of the triangle PQR at the point T. If S is not the centre of the circumcircle, then

(A) $\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} < \frac{2}{\sqrt{QS \times SR}}$

(B) $\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} > \frac{2}{\sqrt{QS \times SR}}$

(C) $\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} < \frac{4}{QR}$

(D) $\frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} > \frac{4}{QR}$

Sol. (B, D)

Let a straight line through the vertex P of a given ΔPQR intersects the side QR at the point S and the circumcircle of ΔPQR at the point T.

points P, Q, R, T are concyclic, hence

$$PS \cdot ST = QS \cdot SR$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{PS + ST}{2} \geq \sqrt{PS \cdot ST}$$

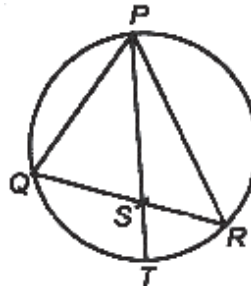
$$\text{and } \frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} \geq \frac{2}{\sqrt{PS \cdot ST}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{QS \cdot SR}}$$

$$\text{Also } \frac{SQ + SR}{2} \geq \sqrt{SQ \cdot SR}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{QR}{2} \geq \sqrt{SQ \cdot SR}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{SQ \cdot SR}} \geq \frac{2}{QR} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{\sqrt{QS \cdot SR}} \geq \frac{4}{QR}$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{1}{PS} + \frac{1}{ST} \geq \frac{2}{\sqrt{QS \cdot SR}} \geq \frac{4}{QR}$$



Q.8 Let $P(x_1, y_1)$ and $Q(x_2, y_2)$, $y_1 < 0$, $y_2 < 0$, be the end points of the latus rectum of the ellipse $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$

The equations of parabolas with latus rectum PQ are

(A) $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$

(B) $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$

(C) $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$

(D) $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$

Sol. (B, C)

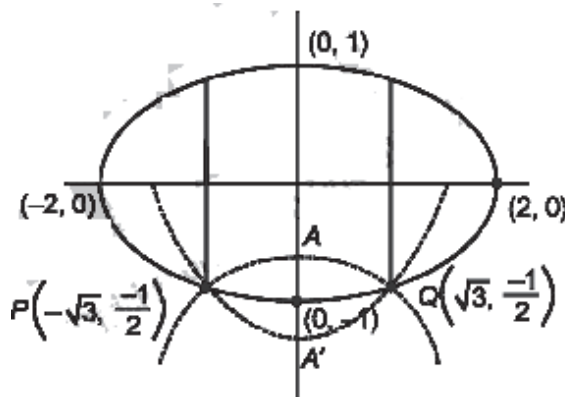
The equation $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$ represents an ellipse with 2 and 1 as semi-major and semi-minor axes

and eccentricity $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$. Thus the ends of latera recta are

$$\left(\sqrt{3}, \frac{1}{2}\right), \left(\sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2}\right), \left(-\sqrt{3}, \frac{1}{2}\right) \text{ and } \left(-\sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

According to the question, $P\left(-\sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$ and $Q\left(\sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$

$$PQ = 2\sqrt{3}$$



Thus the coordinates of the vertex of the parabolas are $A \left(0, \frac{-1+\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$ and $A' \left(0, \frac{-1-\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$ and corresponding equation are

$$(x - 0)^2 = 4 \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left(y + \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{and } (x - 0)^2 = 4 \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left(y - \frac{-1-\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{i.e. } x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{and } x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$$

Q.9 Let $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{n}{n^2 + kn + k^2}$ and $T_n = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{n}{n^2 + kn + k^2}$, for $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ then

(A) $S_n < \frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$ (B) $S_n > \frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$ (C) $T_n < \frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$ (D) $T_n > \frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$

Sol. (A, D)

We have

$$S_n = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{n}{n^2 + kn + k^2} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{1}{1 + \frac{k}{n} + \frac{k^2}{n^2}} \right) < \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{1}{1 + \frac{k}{n} + \left(\frac{k}{n}\right)^2} \right)$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x+x^2} dx = \left[\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \right) \right) \right]_0^1$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) = \frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{i.e. } S_n < \frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Similarly } T_n > \frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

Q.10 Let $f(x)$ be a non-constant twice differentiable function defined on $(-\infty, \infty)$ such that

$$f(x) = f(1-x) \text{ and } f' \left(\frac{1}{4} \right) = 0, \text{ Then}$$

(A) $f'(x)$ vanishes at least twice on $[0, 1]$ (B) $f' \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = 0$

(C) $\int_{-\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} f \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \right) \sin x dx = 0$

(D) $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} f(t) e^{\sin \pi t} dt = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 f(1-t) e^{\sin \pi t} dt$

Sol. (All)

We have

 $f(x) = f(1 - x)$ differentiating it w.r.t. x , we get

$$f'(x) = -f'(1 - x)$$

$$\text{Put } x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2f' \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f' \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\text{Since } f' \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = 0 \text{ and } f' \left(\frac{1}{4} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(x) = 0 \text{ at two points in } (0,1)$$

$$\text{Now } \int_{-\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} f \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \right) \sin x \, dx = 0$$

as $f \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \right) \sin x$ is an odd function which is clear from the following explanation

$$g(x) = f \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \right) \sin x, \text{ say,}$$

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

$$\text{Moreover } \int_{-\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} f(1-t)e^{\sin(\pi t)} \, dt = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} f(u)e^{\sin \pi u} \, du$$

Considering $1-t = u$.

SECTION-III

Assertion - Reason Type

The section contains 4 reasoning type questions. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.

Q.11 Let f and g be real valued functions defined on interval $(-1,1)$ such that $g''(x)$ is continuous, $g(0) \neq 0$, $g'(0) = 0$, $g''(0) \neq 0$, and $f(x) = g(x) \sin x$.

$$\text{STATEMENT-1 ; } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [g(x)\cot x - g(0) \operatorname{cosec} x] = f''(0).$$

and

$$\text{STATEMENT-2 ; } f'(0) = g(0)$$

- (A) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is True ; STATEMENT-2 is a correct explanation for STATEMENT-1
 (B) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is True; STATEMENT -2 is NOT a correct explanation for STATEMENT-1
 (C) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is False
 (D) STATEMENT-1 is False, STATEMENT-2 is True

Sol. (B)

We have $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x)\cos x - g(0)}{\sin x}$; $\left[\frac{0}{0} \right]$ form

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{g'(x)\cos x - g(x)\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$= 0$$

$$f(x) = g(x) \sin x$$

$$f'(x) = g'(x) \sin x + g(x) \cos x$$

$$f''(x) = g''(x) \sin x + 2g'(x) \cos x - g(x) \sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(0) = 0$$

$$\text{Thus } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [g(x) \cos x - g(0) \operatorname{cosec} x] = 0 = f''(0)$$

\Rightarrow Statement-1 is True.

$$\text{Statement-2 } f'(x) = g'(x) \sin x + g(x) \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(0) = g(0)$$

Statement-2 is True but not a correct explanation of Statement-1

Q.12 Consider three planes

$$p_1 ; x - y + z = 1$$

$$p_2 ; x + y - z = -1$$

$$p_3 ; x - 3y + 3z = 2$$

Let L_1, L_2, L_3 be the lines of intersection of the planes p_2 and p_3, p_3 and p_1, p_1 and p_2 , respectively
 STATEMENT-1 ; At least two of the lines L_1, L_2 and L_3 are non parallel.

and

STATEMENT-2; The three planes do not have a common point.

- (A) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is True; STATEMENT-2 is a correct explanation for STATEMENT-1
 (B) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is True; STATEMENT-2 is NOT a correct explanation for STATEMENT-1
 (C) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is False
 (D) STATEMENT-1 is False, STATEMENT-2 is True

Sol. (D)

The given equations are

$$x - y + z = 1$$

$$x + y - z = -1$$

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

The system of equations can be put in matrix form as $Ax = B$

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1, R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which is inconsistent as $\rho(A : B) \neq \rho(A)$

\Rightarrow The three planes do not have common point

Statement-2 is True

Since planes p_1, p_2, p_3 are pairwise intersecting, their lines of intersection are parallel

Statement-1, is False

Q.13 Consider the system of equations

$$x - 2y + 3z = -1$$

$$-x + y - 2z = k$$

$$x - 3y + 4z = 1$$

STATEMENT-1; The system of equations has no solution for $k \neq 3$

and

STATEMENT - 2 The determinant $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & k \\ 1 & 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$, for $k \neq 3$.

(A) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT -2 is True; STATEMENT -2 is a correct explanation for STATEMENT -1

(B) STATEMENT -1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is True; STATEMENT -2 is NOT a correct explanation for STATEMENT-1

(C) STATEMENT -1 is True, STATEMENT -2 is False

(D) STATEMENT -1 is False, STATEMENT -2 is True

Sol. (A)

The given system of equations can be expressed as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & -3 & 4 \\ -1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ k \end{bmatrix}$$

Applying $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1, R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ k-1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ k-3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

When $k \neq 3$, the given system of equations has no solution

\Rightarrow Statement 1 is true. Clearly statement -2 is also true as it is rearrangement of rows and

columns of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & -3 & 4 \\ -1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

Q.14 Consider the system of equations

$$ax + by = 0, cx + dy = 0, \text{ where } a, b, c, d \in \{0, 1\}$$

STATEMENT-1 ; The probability that the system of equations has a unique solution is $\frac{3}{8}$

and

STATEMENT-2 ; The probability that the system of equations has a solution is 1

(A) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is True; STATEMENT-2 is a correct explanation for STATEMENT-1

(B) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is True; STATEMENT-2 is NOT a correct explanation for STATEMENT-1

(C) STATEMENT-1 is True, STATEMENT-2 is False

(D) STATEMENT-1 is False, STATEMENT -2 is True

Sol. (B)

The number of all possible determinants of the form $\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = 2^4 = 16$

Out of which only 10 determinants given by

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}, \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

Vanish and remaining six determinants have non-zero value.

$$\text{Hence the required probability} = \frac{6}{16} = \frac{3}{8}$$

\Rightarrow Statement-1 is True

Statement-2 is also True as the homogeneous equations have always a solution & Statement-2 does not explain the explanation of Statement-1.

SECTION-IV

Linked Comprehension Type

This section contains 3 paragraphs. Based upon each paragraph, 3 multiple choice questions have to be answered. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.

Paragraph for Question Nos. 15 to 17

A circle C of radius 1 is inscribed in an equilateral triangle PQR. The point of contact of C with the sides PQ, QR & RP are D, E and F respectively. The line PQ is given by the equation

$\sqrt{3}x + y - 6 = 0$ and the point D is $\left(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$. Further, it is given that the origin and the centre of C are on the same side of the line PQ

Q.15 The equation of circle C is

- (A) $(x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + (y-1)^2 = 1$ (B) $(x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + \left(y + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 1$
 (C) $(x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 1$ (D) $(x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$

Sol. (D)

Let centre of C be (h,k)

Then,

$$\left| \frac{\sqrt{3}h + k - 6}{\sqrt{3+1}} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}h + k - 6 = 2, -2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}h + k = 4 \quad \dots\dots\dots (i) \text{ (Rejecting 2 because origin and centre of C are on the same side of PQ)}$$

The point $(\sqrt{3}, 1)$ satisfies equation (i)

Therefore equation of circle C is $(x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$

Q.16 Points E and F are given by

- (A) $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$ (B) $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$
 (C) $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right), \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ (D) $\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right), \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

Sol. (A)

Slope of line joining centre of circle to point D is

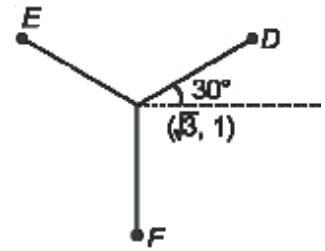
$$\frac{\frac{3}{2} - 1}{\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} - \sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ (Makes an angle } 30^\circ \text{ with x-axis)}$$

∴ points E and F will make angle 150° and -90° with x-axis

∴ E and F are given by

$$\frac{x - \sqrt{3}}{\cos 150^\circ} = \frac{y - 1}{\sin 150^\circ} = 1 \text{ and } \frac{x - \sqrt{3}}{\cos(-90^\circ)} = \frac{y - 1}{\sin(-90^\circ)} = 1$$

$$\therefore E = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right) \text{ and } F = (\sqrt{3}, 0)$$



Q.17 Equations of the sides QR, RP are

(A) $y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x + 1, y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x - 1$ (B) $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x, y = 0$

(C) $y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x + 1, y = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x - 1$ (D) $y = \sqrt{3}x, y = 0$

Sol. (D)

Clearly, point E and F satisfy the equations given in option (D)

Paragraph for Question Nos. 18 to 20

Consider the functions defined implicitly by the equation $y^3 - 3y + x = 0$ on various intervals in the real line. If $x \in (-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$, the equation implicitly defines a unique real valued differentiable function $y = f(x)$. If $x \in (-2, 2)$ the equation implicitly defines a unique real valued differentiable function $y = g(x)$ satisfying $g(0) = 0$

Q.18 If $f(-10\sqrt{2}) = 2\sqrt{2}$, then $f'(-10\sqrt{2}) =$

(A) $\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{7^3 3^2}$ (B) $-\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{7^3 3^2}$ (C) $\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{7^3 3}$ (D) $-\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{7^3 3}$

Sol. (B)

At $x = -10\sqrt{2}, y = f(x)$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$$

$$y^3 - 3y + x = 0 \Rightarrow 3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} - 3 \frac{dy}{dx} + 1 = 0 \quad \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y^2 \left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right) + 6y \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 - 3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0 \quad \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

At $x = -10\sqrt{2}, y = 2\sqrt{2}$

Substituting in (i)

$$3(2\sqrt{2})^2 \frac{dy}{dx} - 3 \frac{dy}{dx} + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{21}$$

Substituting in (ii)

$$3(2\sqrt{2})^2 \cdot \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 6(2\sqrt{2}) \cdot \left(\frac{-1}{21}\right)^2 - 3 \cdot \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 21 \cdot \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-12\sqrt{2}}{(21)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-12\sqrt{2}}{(21)^3} = \frac{-4\sqrt{2}}{7^3 3^2}$$

Q.19 The area of the region bounded by the curve $y = f(x)$, the x-axis, and lines $x = a$ and $x = b$, where $-\infty < a < b < \infty$, is

(A) $\int_a^b \frac{x}{3[(f(x))^2 - 1]} dx + bf(b) - af(a)$ (B) $-\int_a^b \frac{x}{3[(f(x))^2 - 1]} dx + bf(b) - af(a)$

(C) $\int_a^b \frac{x}{3[(f(x))^2 - 1]} dx - bf(b) + af(a)$ (D) $-\int_a^b \frac{x}{3[(f(x))^2 - 1]} dx - bf(b) + af(a)$

Sol. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given area} &= \int_a^b y dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx \\ &= [f(x) \cdot x]_a^b - \int_a^b f'(x) \cdot x dx \\ &= bf(b) - af(a) - \int_a^b f'(x) \cdot x dx \\ &= bf(b) - af(a) + \int_a^b \frac{x dx}{3[(f(x))^2 - 1]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{as } f'(x) = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{3(y^2 - 1)} = \frac{-1}{3[(f(x))^2 - 1]}$$

Q.20 $\int_{-1}^1 g'(x) dx =$

- (A) $2g(-1)$ (B) 0 (C) $-2g(1)$ (D) $2g(1)$

Sol. (D)

$$\text{Let } I = \int_{-1}^1 g'(x) dx = [g(x)]_{-1}^1 = g(1) - g(-1)$$

Since $y^3 - 3y + x = 0$ (i)
 and $y = g(x)$
 hence $(g(x))^3 - 3g(x) + x = 0$ by (i)
 at $x = 1$, $(g(1))^3 - 3g(1) + 1 = 0$ (ii)
 at $x = -1$, $(g(-1))^3 - 3g(-1) - 1 = 0$ (iii)
 (ii) + (iii)
 $(g(1))^3 + (g(-1))^3 - 3(g(1) + g(-1)) = 0$
 $(g(1) + g(-1)) [(g(1))^2 + (g(-1))^2 - g(1)g(-1) - 3] = 0$
 $\Rightarrow g(1) + g(-1) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow g(1) = -g(-1)$
 $\Rightarrow I = g(1) - g(-1) = g(1) - (-g(1)) = 2g(1)$

Paragraph for Question Nos.21 to 23

let A,B,C be three sets of complex numbers as defined below

$A = \{Z; \text{Im}Z \geq 1\}$

$B = \{Z; |Z - 2 - i| = 3\}$

$C = \{Z; \text{Re}((1 - i)Z) = \sqrt{2}\}$

Q.21 The number of elements in the set $A \cap B \cap C$ is
 (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 2 (D) ∞

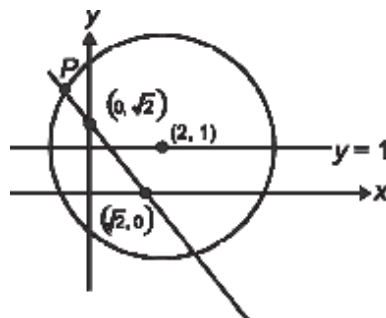
Sol. (B)

Let $Z = x + iy$

Set A corresponds to the region $y \geq 1$ (i)

Set B consists of points lying on the circle, centred at (2,1) and radius 3
 i.e. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y = 4$ (ii)

Set C consists of points lying on the $x + y = \sqrt{2}$ (iii)



Clearly, there is only one point of intersection of the line $x + y = \sqrt{2}$, and circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y = 4$

Q.22 Let Z be any point in $A \cap B \cap C$. Then $|Z + 1 - i|^2 + |z - 5 - i|^2$ lies between
 (A) 25 and 29 (B) 30 and 34 (C) 35 and 39 (D) 40 and 44

Sol. (C)

$$\begin{aligned} &|Z + 1 - i|^2 + |Z - 5 - i|^2 \\ &= (x + 1)^2 + (y - 1)^2 + (x - 5)^2 + (y - 1)^2 \\ &= 2(x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y) + 28 \\ &= 2(4) + 28 \qquad (\because x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y = 4) \\ &= 36 \end{aligned}$$

- Q.23** Let z be any point in $A \cap B \cap C$ and let w be any point satisfying $|w - 2 - i| < 3$. Then, $|z| - |w| + 3$ lies between
 (A) -6 and 3 (B) -3 and 6 (C) - 6 and 6 (D) -3 and 9

Sol. (D)

$$|w - (2 + i)| < 3$$

$$\Rightarrow ||w| - |2 + i|| < 3$$

$$\Rightarrow -3 + \sqrt{5} < |w| < 3 + \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow -3 - \sqrt{5} < -|w| < 3 - \sqrt{5} \quad \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

Also, $|z - (2 + i)| = 3$

$$\Rightarrow -3 + \sqrt{5} \leq |z| \leq 3 + \sqrt{5}$$

$$\therefore -3 < |z| - |w| + 3 < 9$$