

1. Let $A = [a_{ij}]$ be a square matrix of order 3 and $B = [b_{ij}]$ be a matrix such that $b_{ij} = 2^{i-j} a_{ij}$ for $1 \leq i, j \leq 3, \forall i, j \in N$. If the determinant of A is same as its order, then the value of $\left| (B^T)^{-1} \right|$ is
- A) $\frac{1}{3}$ B) 3 C) 9 D) $\frac{1}{27}$
2. A person predicts the outcome of 20 cricket matches of his home team. Each match can result either in a win, loss or tie for the home team. The total number of ways in which he can make the predictions such that exactly 10 predictions are correct are equal to
- A) ${}^{20}C_{10} \cdot 2^{10}$ B) ${}^{20}C_{10} \cdot 3^{20}$ C) ${}^{20}C_{10} \cdot 3^{10}$ D) ${}^{20}C_{10} \cdot 2^{20}$
3. The quadratic equation whose roots are the arithmetic mean and the harmonic mean of the roots of the equation $x^2 + 7x - 1 = 0$ is
- A) $14x^2 + 14x - 45 = 0$ B) $45x^2 - 14x + 14 = 0$
C) $14x^2 + 45x - 14 = 0$ D) $45x^2 + 14x - 45 = 0$
4. If $a+b+c=3$ (where $a, b, c > 0$), then the greatest value of $a^2 b^2 c^2$ is
- A) $\frac{3^{10} 2^4}{7^7}$ B) $\frac{3^9 2^4}{7^7}$ C) $\frac{3^8 2^4}{7^7}$ D) $\frac{3^9 2^3}{7^6}$
5. The point at which the line segment joining A(1,1) and B(5,5) subtends an obtuse angle is
- A) (7,7) B) (0,5) C) (2,4) D) (1,5)
6. The average weight of students in a class of 35 students is 40 kg. If the weight of the teacher is included, then the average rises by $\frac{1}{3}$ kg. The weight of the teacher is
- A) 40.5 kg B) 50 kg C) 41 kg D) 52 kg
7. Two straight roads OA and OB intersect at O. A tower is situated within the angle formed by them and subtends an angle of 45° & 30° at the points A and B, where the roads are nearest to it. If OA=400 meters and OB=300 meters, then the height of the tower is
- A) $250\sqrt{2}$ meters B) 500 meters C) $50\sqrt{14}$ meters D) $100\sqrt{7}$ meters
8. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^2 \tan\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}{\sqrt{4x^2 - x + 1}}$ is equal to
- A) 1 B) $\frac{1}{2}$ C) -1 D) $-\frac{1}{2}$
9. The range of the function $f(x) = \sin^{-1}\left[x^2 - \frac{1}{3}\right] - \cos^{-1}\left[x^2 + \frac{2}{3}\right]$ is (where [x] represents the greatest integer value of x)
- A) $[-\pi, 0]$ B) $\{-\pi, 0\}$ C) $\{0, \pi\}$ D) $\{0, \pi, -\pi\}$
10. The point on the curve $6y = 4x^3 - 3x^2$, the tangent at which makes an equal angle with the coordinate axes is

A) $\left(1, \frac{-1}{6}\right)$ B) $\left(-1, \frac{-7}{6}\right)$ C) $\left(\frac{-1}{2}, \frac{-5}{24}\right)$ D) $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{-1}{24}\right)$

11. Let $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2+1}-x} = f(x) + c$ such that $f(0) = 0$ and c is the constant of integration, then value of $f(1)$ is

A) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{2} \ln(1 + \sqrt{2})$ B) $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \ln(1 + \sqrt{2})$ C) $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln(1 + \sqrt{2})$ D) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{2} (1 + \ln(1 + \sqrt{2}))$

12. The solution of differential equation $x \frac{dy}{dx} = y \log\left(\frac{y^2}{x^2}\right)$ is (where c is an arbitrary constant)

A) $y = x.e^{cx+1}$ B) $y = x.e^{cx-1}$ C) $y = x^2.e^{cx+1}$ D) $y = x.e^{cx^2+\frac{1}{2}}$

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1. given $|A| = 3$ & $B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & \frac{1}{2}a_{12} & \frac{1}{4}a_{13} \\ 2a_{21} & a_{22} & \frac{1}{2}a_{23} \\ 4a_{31} & 2a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow |B| = 3$

$\therefore |(B^T)^{-1}| = \frac{1}{B^T} = \frac{1}{|B|} = \frac{1}{3}$

2. In order to predict exactly 10 correct predictions

\Rightarrow we have to select 10 matches out of 20 in ${}^{20}C_{10}$ ways

\Rightarrow remaining 10 predictions must be wrong, so for each incorrect prediction, we have 2 choices out of 3, this can be done in 2^{10}

\therefore required no. of ways ${}^{20}C_{10} \cdot 2^{10}$

3. $\alpha + \beta = -7, \alpha\beta = -1$

Now, A.M = $\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} = \frac{-7}{2}$ & H.M = $\frac{2\alpha\beta}{\alpha + \beta} = \frac{2}{-7}$

Required equation is $x^2 - \left(\frac{-7}{2} + \frac{2}{-7}\right)x + \left(\frac{-7}{2}\right)\left(\frac{2}{-7}\right) = 0$

$\Rightarrow 14x^2 + 45x - 14 = 0$

4. Given $a+b+c=3 \Rightarrow 2 \cdot \frac{a}{2} + 3 \cdot \frac{b}{3} + 2 \cdot \frac{c}{2} = 3$

Now, A.M \geq G.M

$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{a}{2} + \frac{a}{2} + \frac{b}{3} + \frac{b}{3} + \frac{c}{2} + \frac{c}{2}}{7} \geq \left(\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{b}{3}\right)^2 \left(\frac{c}{2}\right)^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{7}}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{a+b+c}{7} \geq \left(\frac{a^2 b^3 c^2}{2^4 \cdot 3^3} \right)^{\frac{1}{7}} \Rightarrow a^2 b^3 c^2 = \frac{2^4 \cdot 3^{10}}{7^7}$

5. 4) (2,4)

Equation of the circle assuming AB as the diameter is $(x-1)(x-5) + (y-1)(y-5) = 0$

$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 6y + 10 = 0$

Now, for point (h,k) and circle $s=0$

If $s_1 < 0$ then the point (h,k) lies inside the circle $s=0$ and at this point diameter of the circle subtends an obtuse angle

Now, from options, we get

$(7-1)(7-5) + (7-1)(7-5) > 0$

$(0-1)(0-5) + (5-1)(5-5) > 0$

$(2-1)(2-5) + (4-1)(4-5) < 0$

$(1-1)(1-5) + (5-1)(5-1) = 0$

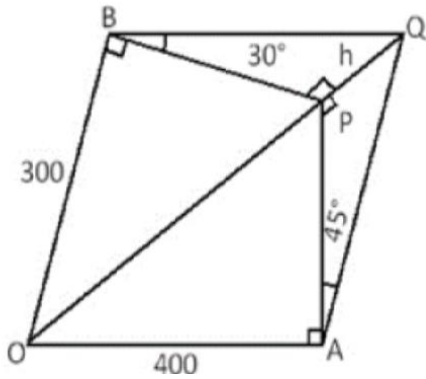
Hence, (2,4) is the required point.

6. Let , the weight of the teacher be w kg,

Then $40 + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{35 \times 40 + w}{35 + 1}$

$\Rightarrow w = 52$

7.



$$PAQ = 45^\circ \text{ \& } PBQ = 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{PA}{h} = \cos 45^\circ \text{ \& } \frac{PB}{h} = \cot 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow h = PA \text{ \& } PB = \sqrt{3}h$$

$$\text{Now, } OP^2 = PA^2 + OA^2 = PB^2 + OB^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + (400)^2 = 3h^2 + (300)^2 \Rightarrow h = 50\sqrt{14} \text{ meters}$$

8. 1) $-\frac{1}{2}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\frac{\tan \frac{1}{x}}{\frac{1}{x}}}{-x \sqrt{4 - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}}} = \frac{1}{-\sqrt{4}} = \frac{-1}{2}$$

9. $\left[x^2 - \frac{1}{3} \right] = \left[x^2 + \frac{2}{3} - 1 \right] = \left[x^2 + \frac{2}{3} \right] - 1 = k \text{ (say)}$

The function is $\sin^{-1} k - \cos^{-1}(k+1)$

For the above function to be defined, $-1 \leq k \leq 1$ & $-1 \leq (k+1) \leq 1$

$$\therefore k = \{-1, 0\}$$

$$\therefore \text{range} = \{ \sin^{-1}(1) - \cos^{-1}(0), \sin^{-1}(0) - \cos^{-1}(1) \} = \{-\pi, 0\}$$

10. 3) $\left(\frac{-1}{2}, \frac{-5}{24}\right)$

$$6y = 4x^3 - 3x^2$$

$$6 \frac{dy}{dx} = 12x^2 - 6x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x^2 - x = \pm 1$$

$$2x^2 - x - 1 = 0 \text{ or } 2x^2 - x + 1 = 0$$

$$(x-1)(2x+1) = 0 \text{ or } x \in \theta$$

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

Hence points are $\left(1, \frac{1}{6}\right)$ and $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{-5}{24}\right)$

11. 4) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \log(1 + \sqrt{2})\right)$

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

$$\int \sqrt{x^2+1} dx + \int x dx$$

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

$$f(x) = \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{x^2+1} + \frac{1}{2} \ln|x + \sqrt{x^2+1}| + \frac{x^2}{2}$$

$$f(0) = 0$$

$$f(2) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log(1 + \sqrt{2}) + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \log(1 + \sqrt{2})\right)$$

12. 4) $xe^{ex^2+\frac{1}{2}}$

Putting $y = xv$ and $\frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx}$

$$v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = 2v \log v$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{x} = \int \frac{dv}{v(2 \ln v - 1)}$$

On integrating we get

$$y = xe^{ex^2+\frac{1}{2}}$$