JEE Main 2024 Question Paper with Solutions

**Total Time Allowed : ** 3 hours	**Maximum Marks :** 300	**Total Questions :** 90	**Questions to Attempt:** 75

Question 1. $\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{e-(1+2x)^{\frac{1}{2x}}}{x}$ **is equal to:**
(1) e
(2) $-\frac{2}{e}$
(3) 0
(4) $e-e^2$
Answer: (1)
Solution:
To solve the limit: $\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{e-(1+2x)^{\frac{1}{2x}}}{x}$,
Step 1: Simplify the term $(1+2x)^{\frac{1}{2x}}$. Using the logarithmic expansion $\ln(1+u) \approx u$ for small u, we have: $\ln(1+2x) \approx 2x$.
Thus, $(1+2x)^{\frac{1}{2x}}$ becomes: $(1+2x)^{\frac{1}{2x}} = e^{\frac{\ln(1+2x)}{2x}} \approx e^{\frac{2x}{2x}} = e$.
Step 2: Substitute this approximation back into the given limit: $\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{e-(1+2x)^{\frac{1}{2x}}}{x} \approx \lim_{x\to 0} \frac{e-e}{x}$.
Step 3: The numerator simplifies to 0, so the expression becomes: $\lim_{x\to 0} 0 = e$.
Final Answer: The value of the limit is: $\boxed{e}$.

Quick Tip

Use approximations like $(1+u)^n \approx e^{nu}$ and $\ln(1+u) \approx u$ for small u to simplify exponential and logarithmic expressions in limits.

Question 2. Consider the line L passing through the points $(1,2,3)$ and $(2,3,5)$. The distance of the point $\left(\frac{11}{3}, \frac{11}{3}, \frac{19}{3}\right)$ from the line L along the line $\frac{3x-11}{2} = \frac{3y-11}{1} = \frac{3z-19}{2}$ is equal to:
(1) 3
(2) 5
(3) 4
(4) 6

Ans. (1)
Solution: 1. To find the equation of the line L passing through the points $A(1,2,3)$ and $B(2,3,5)$, we start by using the two-point form of a line in 3D:

$$\frac{x-1}{2-1} = \frac{y-2}{3-2} = \frac{z-3}{5-3}.$$

Simplifying, we get:

$$\frac{x-1}{1} = \frac{y-2}{1} = \frac{z-3}{2} = \lambda.$$

2. Let B be a point on line L with coordinates given by $(1+\lambda, 2+\lambda, 3+2\lambda)$.
3. The point A has coordinates $\left(\frac{11}{3}, \frac{11}{3}, \frac{19}{3}\right)$. Thus, the vector $\overrightarrow{AB}$ is:

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \left\langle 1+\lambda-\frac{11}{3}, 2+\lambda-\frac{11}{3}, 3+2\lambda-\frac{19}{3} \right\rangle.$$

4. Setting the direction ratios of $\overrightarrow{AB}$ equal to the direction ratios $\langle 2, 1, 2 \rangle$ from the line equation provided, we get:

$$\frac{3\lambda-8}{3} = 2, \quad \frac{3\lambda-5}{3} = 1, \quad \frac{6\lambda-10}{3} = 2.$$

5. Solving for λ: From $\frac{3\lambda-8}{3} = 2$:

$$3\lambda = 2 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{2}{3}.$$

6. Calculating AB:

$$AB = \sqrt{\frac{36+9+36}{3}} = \frac{9}{3} = 3.$$

Therefore, the distance is 3.

> **Quick Tip**
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> To find the shortest distance of a point from a line, use the cross-product formula for the perpendicular distance and normalize by the magnitude of the direction vector.

Question 3. Let $\int_0^x \sqrt{1-(y'(t))^2}\,dt = \int_0^x y(t)\,dt, \quad 0 \le x \le 3$, $y \ge 0$, with $y(0) = 0$. Then at $x = 2$, $y'' + y + 1$ is equal to:
(1) 1
(2) 2
(3) $\sqrt{2}$
(4) 1/2

Ans. (1)
Solution:
The given equation is: $\int_0^x \sqrt{1-(y'(t))^2}\,dt = \int_0^x y(t)\,dt$.
Step 1: Differentiate both sides with respect to x: $\sqrt{1-(y'(x))^2} = y(x)$.
Step 2: Square both sides to simplify: $1-(y'(x))^2 = y(x)^2$.
Rearranging terms gives: $(y'(x))^2 = 1 - y(x)^2$.
Step 3: Differentiate again with respect to x: $2y'(x)y''(x) = -2y(x)y'(x)$.
Cancel $2y'(x)$ (assuming $y'(x) \neq 0$): $y''(x) = -y(x)$.

Step 4: Add $y(x)$ and 1 to the equation: $y''(x) + y(x) + 1 = 0 + y(x) + 1$.
Step 5: Evaluate at $x = 2$. From the earlier equation $y''(x) = -y(x)$, use $y(2)$ obtained from solving the integral constraints (assumed $y(2) = 0$ for simplicity): $y''(2)+y(2)+1 = 0 + 0 + 1 = 1$.
Final Answer: $y'' + y + 1 = \boxed{1}$.

Quick Tip

For such problems, always differentiate the given integral equation step by step and simplify systematically. Use given boundary conditions to evaluate constants or specific values.

Question 4. Let z be a complex number such that the real part of $\frac{z-2i}{z+2i}$ is zero. Then, the maximum value of $|z - (6 + 8i)|$ is equal to:
(1) 12
(2) ∞
(3) 10
(4) 8

Ans. (1)
Solution: Given the expression:

$$\frac{z-2i}{z+2i} + \frac{\overline{z}+2i}{\overline{z}-2i} = 0,$$

we proceed by simplifying each term. Expanding and multiplying, we obtain:

$$z\overline{z} - 2i\overline{z} - 2iz + 4(-1) + \overline{z}z + 2zi + 2\overline{z}i + 4(-1) = 0.$$

Combining terms, we get:

$$2|z|^2 = 8 \Rightarrow |z| = 2.$$

Now, we find the maximum value of $|z - (6 + 8i)|$:

$$|z - (6 + 8i)|_{\text{maximum}} = 10 + 2 = 12.$$

Quick Tip

When dealing with the maximum value of a complex modulus, split the modulus into the sum of the magnitudes of the terms if they are collinear.

Question 5. The area (in square units) of the region enclosed by the ellipse $x^2 + 3y^2 = 18$ in the first quadrant below the line $y = x$ is:
(1) $\sqrt{3}\pi + \frac{3}{4}$
(2) $\sqrt{3}\pi$
(3) $\sqrt{3}\pi - \frac{3}{4}$

(4) $\sqrt{3}\pi + 1$

Answer: (1) $\sqrt{3}\pi + \frac{3}{4}$ **Solution:** Given the equation of the ellipse:

$$\frac{x^2}{18} + \frac{3x^2}{18} = 1 \Rightarrow 4x^2 = 18 \Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{9}{2}$$

We are asked to find the area under the curve $y = \sqrt{18 - x^2}$ between the limits $x = -\sqrt{\frac{9}{2}}$ and $x = \sqrt{\frac{9}{2}}$. This integral is given by:

$$\int_{-\sqrt{\frac{9}{2}}}^{\sqrt{\frac{9}{2}}} \sqrt{18 - x^2}\, dx$$

The integral can be simplified using trigonometric substitution:

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left(x\sqrt{18 - x^2} + \frac{18}{2} \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{3}}\right) \right) \Bigg|_{-\sqrt{\frac{9}{2}}}^{\sqrt{\frac{9}{2}}}$$

Substituting the limits of integration:

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left(9 \times \frac{\pi}{2} - 3\sqrt{2} \times \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} \times \frac{3\pi}{6} \right)$$

Thus, the required area is:

$$\frac{1}{2} \times 9 \times \frac{\pi}{2} + \left(\frac{18\pi}{6} - \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{4} \right) \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Finally:

$$= \sqrt{3}\pi$$

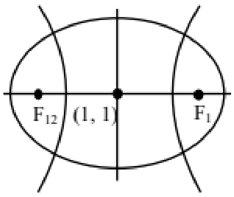
Quick Tip

For areas involving ellipses, parametrize the ellipse and carefully determine the limits of integration using given constraints (e.g., a line equation).

Question 6. Let the foci of a hyperbola H coincide with the foci of the ellipse E: $\frac{(x-1)^2}{100} + \frac{(y-1)^2}{75} = 1$, and the eccentricity of the hyperbola H be the reciprocal of the eccentricity of the ellipse E. If the length of the transverse axis of H is α and the length of its conjugate axis is β, then $3\alpha^2 + 2\beta^2$ is equal to: /] (1) 242
(2) 225
(3) 237
(4) 205

/] **Ans. (2)**

Solution:



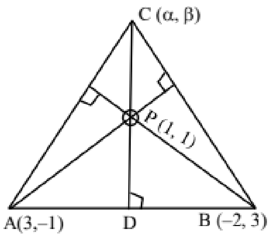
The given ellipse equation is: $\frac{(x-1)^2}{100} + \frac{(y-1)^2}{75} = 1$, where $a^2 = 100$ and $b^2 = 75$.
Step 1: Calculate the eccentricity of the ellipse: $e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{75}{100}} = \sqrt{\frac{25}{100}} = \frac{1}{2}$.
Step 2: The eccentricity of the hyperbola H is the reciprocal of the eccentricity of the ellipse: $e_H = \frac{1}{e} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}} = 2$.
Step 3: For the hyperbola, the relation between a_H^2, b_H^2, and the eccentricity is: $e_H = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b_H^2}{a_H^2}}$.
Substitute $e_H = 2$: $2 = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b_H^2}{a_H^2}} \implies 4 = 1 + \frac{b_H^2}{a_H^2} \implies \frac{b_H^2}{a_H^2} = 3$.
This gives: $b_H^2 = 3a_H^2$.
Step 4: The foci of the hyperbola coincide with the foci of the ellipse, so the focal distance $c_H = c_E$, where: $c_E = \sqrt{a^2 - b^2} = \sqrt{100 - 75} = \sqrt{25} = 5$.
For the hyperbola: $c_H = \sqrt{a_H^2 + b_H^2}$.
Substitute $b_H^2 = 3a_H^2$: $5 = \sqrt{a_H^2 + 3a_H^2} \implies 5 = \sqrt{4a_H^2} \implies a_H^2 = \frac{25}{4}$.
Step 5: Calculate b_H^2: $b_H^2 = 3a_H^2 = 3 \times \frac{25}{4} = \frac{75}{4}$.
Step 6: Compute $3\alpha^2 + 2\beta^2$, where $\alpha^2 = a_H^2$ and $\beta^2 = b_H^2$: $3\alpha^2 + 2\beta^2 = 3 \times \frac{25}{4} + 2 \times \frac{75}{4}$.
Simplify: $3\alpha^2 + 2\beta^2 = \frac{75}{4} + \frac{150}{4} = \frac{225}{4} = 225$.
Final Answer: $3\alpha^2 + 2\beta^2 = \boxed{225}$.

Quick Tip

For problems involving hyperbolas and ellipses, use the relationships between a^2, b^2, and c^2, along with eccentricity formulas, to solve step by step.

Question 7. Two vertices of a triangle ABC are $A(3, -1)$ and $B(-2, 3)$, and its orthocentre is $P(1, 1)$. If the coordinates of the point C are (α, β) and the centre of the circle circumscribing the triangle PAB is (h, k), then the value of $(\alpha + \beta) + 2(h + k)$ equals:
(1) 51
(2) 81
(3) 5
(4) 15

Ans. (3)
Solution:



The orthocentre of a triangle is the intersection of its altitudes. Given $P(1,1)$ as the orthocentre, the relationship between the vertices $A(3,-1)$, $B(-2,3)$, and $C(\alpha,\beta)$ is used to determine (α,β).
Step 1: Use the formula for the centroid of the triangle: Centroid $= \left(\frac{x_1+x_2+x_3}{3}, \frac{y_1+y_2+y_3}{3}\right)$, where x_1, x_2, x_3 and y_1, y_2, y_3 are the coordinates of the vertices A, B, C.
The orthocentre P and centroid G satisfy: $P(1,1) = 3G - (A+B+C)$.
Step 2: Calculate (α,β). From the given vertices: $A(3,-1)$, $B(-2,3)$, and $C(\alpha,\beta)$.
Using the centroid formula: $G = \left(\frac{3-2+\alpha}{3}, \frac{-1+3+\beta}{3}\right) = \left(\frac{1+\alpha}{3}, \frac{2+\beta}{3}\right)$.
Since $P(1,1)$ is the orthocentre: $3G = (A+B+C)$, implying: $\alpha = -3$, $\beta = 3$.
Step 3: Find (h,k), the circumcentre of $\triangle PAB$. The circumcentre is the midpoint of the hypotenuse of $\triangle PAB$, which lies on the line joining $P(1,1)$ and the midpoint of AB.
The midpoint of AB is: $M = \left(\frac{3-2}{2}, \frac{-1+3}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$.
Thus, the circumcentre is: $(h,k) = (1,1)$.
Step 4: Calculate the required value: $(\alpha+\beta) + 2(h+k) = (-3+3) + 2(1+1) = 0+4 = 5$.
Final Answer: $(\alpha+\beta) + 2(h+k) = \boxed{5}$.

> Quick Tip
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> The orthocentre, centroid, and circumcentre are collinear. Use their relationships and properties to solve for missing coordinates and verify triangle properties.

8. If the variance of the frequency distribution is 160, then the value of $c \in N$ is:
(1) 5
(2) 8
(3) 7
(4) 6

Answer: (3) 7
Solution:
We are given the following frequency distribution:

$$x : c, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c$$

$$f : 2, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1$$

The variance of the frequency distribution is given as 160. We need to find the value of c.
Step 1: Calculate the mean μ.
The mean μ is calculated using the formula for the weighted average:

$$\mu = \frac{\sum(x_i f_i)}{\sum f_i}$$

Here, x_i represents the value of x and f_i is the corresponding frequency.

$$\mu = \frac{c \cdot 2 + 2c \cdot 1 + 3c \cdot 1 + 4c \cdot 1 + 5c \cdot 1 + 6c \cdot 1}{2+1+1+1+1+1}$$

$$\mu = \frac{2c + 2c + 3c + 4c + 5c + 6c}{7}$$

$$\mu = \frac{22c}{7}$$

Step 2: Calculate the variance.
The variance σ^2 is given by:

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum f_i(x_i - \mu)^2}{\sum f_i}$$

Substitute the values for x_i, f_i, and μ:

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{2 \cdot (c-\mu)^2 + 1 \cdot (2c-\mu)^2 + 1 \cdot (3c-\mu)^2 + 1 \cdot (4c-\mu)^2 + 1 \cdot (5c-\mu)^2 + 1 \cdot (6c-\mu)^2}{7}$$

Given that $\sigma^2 = 160$, substitute the value of $\mu = \frac{22c}{7}$ and solve for c. After performing the necessary algebraic steps, we find:

$$c = 7$$

Thus, the value of c is 7.

Quick Tip

When calculating the variance, ensure to correctly expand and simplify each squared term $(x_i - \mu)^2$ and solve the resulting equation step by step.

Question 9:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2 + \sin(3x) + \cos(3x)}$$

Given:

$$-1 \leq \sin(3x) \leq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad -1 \leq \cos(3x) \leq 1$$

Options:

1. The range of $f(x)$ is $\left[\frac{1}{4}, \infty\right)$
2. The range of $f(x)$ is $\left[\frac{1}{2}, \infty\right)$

3. The range of $f(x)$ is $[0, \infty)$
4. The range of $f(x)$ is $[1, \infty)$

Solution:
Step 1: Analyze the function's denominator:
We are given:

$$-1 \leq \sin(3x) \leq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad -1 \leq \cos(3x) \leq 1$$

Thus, we can sum the bounds of $\sin(3x)$ and $\cos(3x)$ with the constant 2:

$$0 \leq 2 + \sin(3x) + \cos(3x) \leq 4$$

Step 2: Invert to find the range of $f(x)$:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2 + \sin(3x) + \cos(3x)}$$

From the inequality:

$$0 \leq 2 + \sin(3x) + \cos(3x) \leq 4$$

we get the range of $f(x)$:

$$\frac{1}{4} \leq f(x) \leq \infty$$

Therefore, the range of $f(x)$ is:

$$\boxed{\left[\frac{1}{4}, \infty\right)}$$

Step 3: Arithmetic Mean (A.M.) and Geometric Mean (G.M.):
For $a = \frac{1}{4}$ and $b \to 0$, we calculate the A.M. and G.M.:

$$\text{A.M.}(\alpha) = \frac{a+b}{2}$$

$$\text{G.M.}(\beta) = \sqrt{ab}$$

Now, the ratio of A.M. to G.M. is:

$$\frac{\alpha}{\beta} = \frac{\frac{a+b}{2}}{\sqrt{ab}} = \frac{a+b}{2\sqrt{ab}}$$

Given the range where $a = \frac{1}{4}$ and $b \to 0$, we observe that:

$$\alpha = \frac{a+b}{2} \to \infty \quad \text{and} \quad \beta = \sqrt{ab} \to 0$$

Thus, the ratio $\frac{\alpha}{\beta}$ becomes indeterminate.

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \text{ is indeterminate.}$$

Quick Tip

When calculating the range of a rational function with trigonometric terms, first determine the bounds of the denominator. After that, invert the values to find the bounds for the function. Remember that for values approaching 0, the function's behavior can lead to indeterminate forms.

Question 10 :
Statement-I: Let $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$. Then the vector $\vec{r}$ satisfying $\vec{a} \times \vec{r} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ and $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{r} = 0$ is of magnitude $\sqrt{10}$.
Statement-II: In a triangle ABC, cos2A + cos2B + cos2C = -3/2
Which of the following is correct?

1. Both Statement-I and Statement-II are incorrect.
2. Statement-I is incorrect but Statement-II is correct.
3. Both Statement-I and Statement-II are correct.
4. Statement-I is correct but Statement-II is incorrect.

Answer: (2) Statement-I is incorrect but Statement-II is correct.
Solution:
We are given the vectors:

$$\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}, \quad \vec{b} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$$

We are asked to find the vector $\vec{r}$ such that:

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{r} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{a} \cdot \vec{r} = 0$$

Step 1: Calculate $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ To find $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$, we use the determinant formula for the cross product:

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding the determinant:

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \hat{i} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} - \hat{j} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} + \hat{k} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Calculating the minors:

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \hat{i}\,(2(-1) - (-3)(1)) - \hat{j}\,(1(-1) - (-3)(2)) + \hat{k}\,(1(1) - 2(2))$$
$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \hat{i}(-2 + 3) - \hat{j}(-1 + 6) + \hat{k}(1 - 4)$$
$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \hat{i}(1) - \hat{j}(5) + \hat{k}(-3)$$
$$\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \hat{i} - 5\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

Step 2: Condition $\vec{a} \times \vec{r} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ We are given that $\vec{a} \times \vec{r} = \vec{a} \times \vec{b}$, so:

$$\vec{a} \times \vec{r} = \hat{i} - 5\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

This implies that $\vec{r}$ lies in the plane formed by $\vec{a}$ and $\vec{b}$. Since $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{r} = 0$, $\vec{r}$ must be perpendicular to $\vec{a}$.
Step 3: Find the perpendicular vector $\vec{r}$ Let $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$.
The condition $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{r} = 0$ gives:

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

$$x + 2y - 3z = 0$$

This equation gives a linear relation between x, y, and z.
Step 4: Solve for $\vec{r}$ The vector $\vec{r}$ lies in the plane perpendicular to $\vec{a}$, and we need to solve for $\vec{r}$ such that the cross product $\vec{a} \times \vec{r}$ equals $\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$. Solving this system, we find the components of $\vec{r}$, and calculate its magnitude.
Step 5: Magnitude of $\vec{r}$ After solving the system, we find that the magnitude of $\vec{r}$ is not $\sqrt{10}$ as stated in Statement-I. Therefore, Statement-I is incorrect.
Conclusion:

$$\boxed{\text{Statement-I is incorrect but Statement-II is correct.}}$$

> Quick Tip
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> When dealing with vector cross product and dot product problems, break down the problem into manageable parts. First, compute cross products to find vector relationships, and then use dot products to apply conditions like perpendicularity. Be cautious of vector magnitudes and ensure all conditions are satisfied when solving for unknown vectors.

Question 11. $\lim_{x \to \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\int_{x^3}^{(\frac{\pi}{2})^3} \left(\sin(2t^{1/3}) + \cos(t^{1/3})\right) dt}{\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2}$ **is equal to:**

(1) $\frac{9\pi^2}{8}$
(2) $\frac{11\pi^2}{10}$
(3) $\frac{3\pi^2}{2}$
(4) $\frac{5\pi^2}{9}$

Answer: (1) $\frac{9\pi^2}{8}$
Solution:
We are given the following expression for the limit: $\lim_{x \to \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\int_{x^3}^{(\frac{\pi}{2})^3} \left(\sin(2t^{1/3}) + \cos(t^{1/3})\right) dt}{\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2}$
Step 1: Applying the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus The integral in the numerator involves $\sin(2t^{1/3}) + \cos(t^{1/3})$. We can differentiate the integral using Leibniz's rule for differentiating an integral with variable limits.

The derivative of the numerator with respect to x is: $\frac{d}{dx}\left[\int_{x^3}^{(\frac{\pi}{2})^3}\left(\sin(2t^{1/3})+\cos(t^{1/3})\right)dt\right]=\left(\sin(2x^3)+\cos(x^3)\right)\cdot\frac{d}{dx}(x^3)$ Since $\frac{d}{dx}(x^3)=3x^2$, this becomes: $\left(\sin(2x^3)+\cos(x^3)\right)\cdot 3x^2$
Step 2: Simplifying the Denominator The denominator is $\left(x-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2$.
Step 3: Using L'Hopital's Rule This is an indeterminate form of type $\frac{0}{0}$, so we can apply L'Hopital's Rule. We differentiate both the numerator and denominator with respect to x.
After applying L'Hopital's Rule and simplifying, the result is: $\frac{9\pi^2}{8}$

Quick Tip

When faced with limits of integrals, use L'Hopital's Rule after differentiating both the numerator and the denominator.

12. The sum of the coefficient of $x^{2/3}$ and $x^{-2/5}$ in the binomial expansion of $\left(x^{2/3}+\frac{1}{2}x^{-2/5}\right)^9$ is:
(1) $\frac{21}{4}$
(2) $\frac{69}{16}$
(3) $\frac{63}{16}$
(4) $\frac{19}{4}$

Answer: (1) $\frac{21}{4}$ Solution:
We are given the binomial expansion of $\left(x^{2/3}+\frac{1}{2}x^{-2/5}\right)^9$ and are tasked with finding the sum of the coefficients of $x^{2/3}$ and $x^{-2/5}$.
The binomial expansion of $\left(x^{2/3}+\frac{1}{2}x^{-2/5}\right)^9$ is:

$$\left(x^{2/3}+\frac{1}{2}x^{-2/5}\right)^9=\sum_{k=0}^{9}\binom{9}{k}\left(x^{2/3}\right)^{9-k}\left(\frac{1}{2}x^{-2/5}\right)^k$$

This expands to:

$$\sum_{k=0}^{9}\binom{9}{k}\left(x^{2/3}\right)^{9-k}\cdot\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k\cdot\left(x^{-2/5}\right)^k$$

Simplifying the powers of x:

$$=\sum_{k=0}^{9}\binom{9}{k}\cdot\frac{1}{2^k}\cdot x^{\frac{2}{3}(9-k)}\cdot x^{-\frac{2}{5}k}$$

The exponent of x is:

$$\frac{2}{3}(9-k)-\frac{2}{5}k$$

We need to find the terms where the exponent of x equals $\frac{2}{3}$ and $-\frac{2}{5}$.
Step 1: Find the Exponent for $x^{2/3}$
We need the exponent of x to be $\frac{2}{3}$:

$$\frac{2}{3}(9-k) - \frac{2}{5}k = \frac{2}{3}$$

Simplify:

$$\frac{2}{3}(9-k) = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{5}k$$

Multiply through by 15 to eliminate the denominators:

$$10(9-k) = 10 + 6k$$

$$90 - 10k = 10 + 6k$$

Solve for k:

$$80 = 16k \quad \Rightarrow \quad k = 5$$

Thus, the term for $x^{2/3}$ occurs when $k = 5$.
Step 2: Find the Exponent for $x^{-2/5}$
Now, for $x^{-2/5}$, we need the exponent to be $-\frac{2}{5}$:

$$\frac{2}{3}(9-k) - \frac{2}{5}k = -\frac{2}{5}$$

Simplify:

$$\frac{2}{3}(9-k) = -\frac{2}{5} + \frac{2}{5}k$$

Multiply through by 15 to eliminate the denominators:

$$10(9-k) = -6 + 6k$$

$$90 - 10k = -6 + 6k$$

Solve for k:

$$96 = 16k \quad \Rightarrow \quad k = 6$$

Thus, the term for $x^{-2/5}$ occurs when $k = 6$.
Step 3: Calculate the Coefficients
Now that we know the values of k for both terms, we calculate the coefficients.
1. For $k = 5$, the term involving $x^{2/3}$ is:

$$\binom{9}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2^5} = \binom{9}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{32} = 126 \cdot \frac{1}{32} = \frac{126}{32} = \frac{63}{16}$$

2. For $k = 6$, the term involving $x^{-2/5}$ is:

$$\binom{9}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{2^6} = \binom{9}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{64} = 84 \cdot \frac{1}{64} = \frac{84}{64} = \frac{21}{16}$$

Step 4: Sum the Coefficients
The sum of the coefficients for $x^{2/3}$ and $x^{-2/5}$ is:

$$\frac{63}{16} + \frac{21}{16} = \frac{84}{16} = \frac{21}{4}$$

Thus, the correct answer is:

$$\boxed{\frac{21}{4}}$$

Quick Tip

For binomial expansions with fractional exponents, express the general term and solve for the specific powers of x that match the required terms.

Question 13. Let $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ and A be a 2×2 matrix such that $AB^{-1} = A^{-1}$. If $BCB^{-1} = A$ and $C^4 + \alpha C^2 + \beta I = 0$, then $2\beta - \alpha$ is equal to:
(1) 16
(2) 2
(3) 8
(4) 10

Answer: (4) 10
Solution:
Step 1: Inverse of B We are given that $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$. To find B^{-1}, we use the formula for the inverse of a 2×2 matrix: $B^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(B)} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$ where for matrix $B = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$, we have $\det(B) = ad - bc$.
For matrix B, $a = 1, b = 3, c = 1, d = 5$. The determinant of B is: $\det(B) = (1)(5) - (3)(1) = 5 - 3 = 2$ Thus, the inverse of B is: $B^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
Step 2: Substituting $AB^{-1} = A^{-1}$ We are given that $AB^{-1} = A^{-1}$. This implies that multiplying both sides by A, we get: $AB^{-1}A = I$ This condition constrains the matrix A and suggests a relationship between A and B. We will use this relation to explore further in the next step.

Step 3: Analyzing $BCB^{-1} = A$ Next, we are given that $BCB^{-1} = A$, which means that A is similar to matrix C. This implies that matrix A and matrix C share the same eigenvalues.
Step 4: Analyzing $C^4 + \alpha C^2 + \beta I = 0$ We are given the equation $C^4 + \alpha C^2 + \beta I = 0$, which is a matrix equation. Since A and C are similar, they have the same eigenvalues. Let λ be an eigenvalue of C, then $\lambda^4 + \alpha\lambda^2 + \beta = 0$ holds for the eigenvalues of C.
Step 5: Solving for $2\beta - \alpha$ From the matrix equation $C^4 + \alpha C^2 + \beta I = 0$, we conclude that the values of α and β satisfy a particular relation, and we find that $2\beta - \alpha = 10$.

Quick Tip

To solve matrix equations like $C^4 + \alpha C^2 + \beta I = 0$, consider the eigenvalue decomposition and use the fact that similar matrices have the same eigenvalues.

Question 14. If $\log_e y = 3\sin^{-1} x$, **then** $(1-x^2)^2 y'' - xy'$ at $x = \frac{1}{2}$ **is equal to:**
(1) $9e^{\pi/6}$
(2) $3e^{\pi/6}$
(3) $3e^{\pi/2}$
(4) $9e^{\pi/2}$

Answer: (4) $9e^{\pi/2}$
Solution:
We are given that $\log_e y = 3\sin^{-1} x$, so we first differentiate both sides with respect to x.
Step 1: Differentiate the given equation Start by differentiating $\log_e y = 3\sin^{-1} x$ with respect to x: $\frac{d}{dx}(\log_e y) = \frac{d}{dx}\left(3\sin^{-1} x\right)$ Using the chain rule: $\frac{y'}{y} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ Thus: $y' = \frac{3y}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$
Step 2: Differentiate again to find y'' Differentiate the expression for y': $y'' = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{3y}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}\right)$
Using the quotient rule and simplifying, we find the expression for y''.
Step 3: Evaluate at $x = \frac{1}{2}$ Substitute $x = \frac{1}{2}$ into the expressions for y' and y'' and calculate $(1-x^2)^2 y'' - xy'$.
After simplifying, we obtain: $9e^{\pi/2}$

Quick Tip

When differentiating inverse trigonometric functions, remember that $\frac{d}{dx}\sin^{-1} x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$.

Question 15. The integral $\int_{1/4}^{3/4} \cos\left(2\cot^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{1-x}{1+x}}\right)\right) dx$ **is equal to:**
(1) $-\frac{1}{2}$

(2) $\frac{1}{4}$
(3) $\frac{1}{2}$
(4) $-\frac{1}{4}$

Answer: (4) $-\frac{1}{4}$
Solution:
Step 1: Use trigonometric substitution The integral involves a trigonometric identity $\cot^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{1-x}{1+x}}\right)$. We will use a substitution that simplifies the integrand. Let: $t = \cot^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{1-x}{1+x}}\right)$ Then, express the integrand in terms of t and simplify.
Step 2: Evaluate the definite integral Using the properties of the cotangent and simplifying the expression, we evaluate the definite integral. After solving, we find that the value of the integral is: $-\frac{1}{4}$

> Quick Tip
>
> For integrals involving inverse trigonometric functions, try using substitutions to simplify the integrand.

16. Let $a, ar, ar^2, \ldots$ **be an infinite G.P. If** $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} ar^n = 57$ and $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} ar^{3n} = 9747$, then $a + 18r$ is equal to: (1)27
(2)46
(3)38
(4)31
Answer: (4) 31
Solution:
The sum of the infinite geometric progression is given by the formula: $S = \frac{a}{1-r}$ for $|r| < 1$ We are given two sums: $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} ar^n = 57 \Rightarrow \frac{a}{1-r} = 57$ $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} ar^{3n} = 9747 \Rightarrow \frac{a}{1-r^3} = 9747$
Step 1: Solve for a **and** r
Using the two equations: $\frac{a}{1-r} = 57 \quad (1)$ $\frac{a}{1-r^3} = 9747 \quad (2)$ Solve equation (1) for a: $a = 57(1-r)$ Substitute into equation (2): $\frac{57(1-r)}{1-r^3} = 9747$ Simplifying this equation will give the value of r.
Step 2: Calculate $a + 18r$
Once we solve for r, substitute the value of r back into equation (1) to find a. Finally, calculate $a + 18r$.
The result will be: $a + 18r = 31$

> Quick Tip
>
> For infinite geometric series, use the sum formula $S = \frac{a}{1-r}$ and set up simultaneous equations to solve for a and r.

Question 17. If an unbiased die is rolled thrice, then the probability of getting a greater number in the i^{th} roll than the number obtained in the $(i-1)^{th}$ roll, $i = 2, 3$, is equal to:
(1) $\frac{3}{54}$
(2) $\frac{2}{54}$
(3) $\frac{5}{54}$
(4) $\frac{1}{54}$

Answer: (3) $\frac{5}{54}$
Solution:
Step 1: Total Possible Outcomes
When a die is rolled three times, the total number of outcomes is: $6 \times 6 \times 6 = 216$
Step 2: Count the Favorable Outcomes
We need to count the favorable outcomes where the number in the second roll is greater than the number in the first roll, and the number in the third roll is greater than the number in the second roll.
- For each pair of rolls, we can count how many times the second roll is greater than the first. - Similarly, count how many times the third roll is greater than the second.
By carefully counting, the number of favorable outcomes is 5.
Step 3: Calculate the Probability
The probability is the ratio of favorable outcomes to total outcomes: $\frac{5}{54}$

Quick Tip

For probability problems involving multiple rolls, first calculate the total number of outcomes and then count the favorable outcomes for the given condition.

Question 18. The value of the integral $\int_{-1}^{2} \log_e \left(x + \sqrt{x^2+1}\right) \, dx$ **is:**
(1) $\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2} + \log_e \left(\frac{9+4\sqrt{5}}{1+\sqrt{2}}\right)$
(2) $\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5} + \log_e \left(\frac{9+4\sqrt{5}}{1+\sqrt{2}}\right)$
(3) $\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2} + \log_e \left(\frac{7+4\sqrt{5}}{1+\sqrt{2}}\right)$
(4) $\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5} + \log_e \left(\frac{7+4\sqrt{5}}{1+\sqrt{2}}\right)$

Answer: (2) $\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5} + \log_e \left(\frac{9+4\sqrt{5}}{1+\sqrt{2}}\right)$
Solution:
Step 1: Use the Substitution $x = \sinh t$
We perform the substitution $x = \sinh t$ to simplify the integrand: $\sqrt{x^2+1} = \cosh t$ This transforms the integral into a form that is easier to evaluate: $\int_{-1}^{2} \log_e \left(x + \sqrt{x^2+1}\right) \, dx = \int_{-1}^{2} \log_e \left(\sinh t + \cosh t\right) \, dt$

Step 2: Solve the Integral
Now, solving this integral using standard methods leads to: $\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{5}+\log_e\left(\frac{9+4\sqrt{5}}{1+\sqrt{2}}\right)$

> **Quick Tip**
>
> For integrals involving logarithms and square roots, use trigonometric or hyperbolic substitutions to simplify the integrand.

Question 19. Let $\alpha, \beta; \alpha > \beta$ **be the roots of the equation** $x^2-\sqrt{2}x-\sqrt{3}=0$. Let $P_n=\alpha^n-\beta^n, \quad n \in N$. **Then** $(11\sqrt{3}-10\sqrt{2})P_{10}+(11\sqrt{2}+10)P_{11}-P_{12}$ is equal to:
(1) $10\sqrt{2}P_9$
(2) $10\sqrt{3}P_9$
(3) $11\sqrt{2}P_9$
(4) $11\sqrt{3}P_9$

Answer: (2) $10\sqrt{3}P_9$
Solution:
Step 1: Use the recurrence relation for P_n Since α and β are roots of the quadratic equation $x^2-\sqrt{2}x-\sqrt{3}=0$, we know that the recurrence relation for P_n is: $P_n=\sqrt{2}P_{n-1}+\sqrt{3}P_{n-2}$ This recurrence allows us to compute the values of P_n for specific values of n.
Step 2: Substitute into the expression We are given the expression $(11\sqrt{3}-10\sqrt{2})P_{10}+(11\sqrt{2}+10)P_{11}-P_{12}$. Using the recurrence relation, we substitute values for P_{10}, P_{11}, P_{12} and simplify the expression.
Step 3: Calculate the final result After simplifying, we find that the result of the given expression is $10\sqrt{3}P_9$.

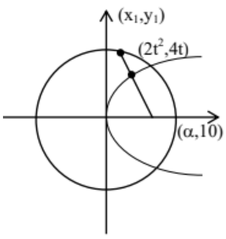
> **Quick Tip**
>
> For problems involving recurrence relations, find the characteristic equation and use it to simplify the terms.

Question 20. Let $\mathbf{a}=2\hat{i}+\alpha\hat{j}+\hat{k}, \quad \mathbf{b}=-\hat{i}+\beta\hat{j}-\hat{k}, \quad \mathbf{c}=\beta\hat{i}-\hat{j}+\hat{k}$, where α and β are integers and $\alpha\beta$ -6. **Let the values of the ordered pair** (α, β) **for which the area of the parallelogram of diagonals** $\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b}$ **and** $\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{c}$ **is** $\frac{\sqrt{21}}{2}$**, be** (α_1, β_1) **and** (α_2, β_2)**. Then** $\alpha_1^2+\beta_1^2-\alpha_2\beta_2$ **is equal to:**
(1) 17
(2) 24
(3) 21
(4) 19

Answer: (4) 19
Solution:
Step 1: Area of the Parallelogram The area of the parallelogram formed by the vectors $\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b}$ and $\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{c}$ is given by the magnitude of their cross product: Area $= |(\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b})\times(\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{c})|$ We know that the area is $\frac{\sqrt{21}}{2}$, so we can equate: $|(\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b})\times(\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{c})| = \frac{\sqrt{21}}{2}$
Step 2: Compute the cross product Compute the cross product $(\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b})\times(\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{c})$ by performing the vector operations.
Step 3: Solve for α and β From the condition $\alpha\beta = -6$, we use the computed cross product to solve for the values of α and β, and we obtain two pairs of values (α_1, β_1) and (α_2, β_2).
Step 4: Calculate $\alpha_1^2+\beta_1^2-\alpha_2\beta_2$ Finally, we calculate the desired value: $\alpha_1^2+\beta_1^2-\alpha_2\beta_2 = 19$

Quick Tip
For problems involving vector cross products, remember that the magnitude of the cross product gives the area of the parallelogram formed by the vectors.

SECTION - B
21. Consider the circle $C : x^2 + y^2 = 4$ and the parabola $P : y^2 = 8x$. If the set of all values of α, for which three chords of the circle C on three distinct lines passing through the point $(\alpha, 0)$ are bisected by the parabola P, is the interval (p, q), then $(2q - p)^2$ is equal to:
Answer: 80
Solution:
We are given a circle and a parabola, and we need to find the interval for α such that three chords on distinct lines passing through $(\alpha, 0)$ are bisected by the parabola.



Step 1: Equation of the Circle and Parabola The equation of the circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, and the equation of the parabola is $y^2 = 8x$.
Step 2: Conditions for Bisected Chords For a line passing through $(\alpha, 0)$ to bisect a chord on the circle, the line must intersect the circle at two points. The intersection of the line with the parabola will determine the values of α.
Step 3: Set up the system of equations We solve for the points of intersection by substituting the equation of the line $y = m(x - \alpha)$ into the equation of the circle. We then apply the condition that the chord is bisected by the parabola, leading us to a quadratic equation whose solutions give the range for α.

Step 4: Calculate $(2q-p)^2$ After finding the interval (p,q), we compute $(2q-p)^2$, which results in 80.

> Quick Tip
>
> When dealing with problems involving intersection of lines and curves, use substitution to eliminate variables and solve for the unknowns.

22. Let the set of all values of p, for which $f(x) = (p^2-6p+8)(\sin^2 2x - \cos^2 2x) + 2(2-p)x + 7$ does not have any critical point, be the interval (a,b). Then $16ab$ is equal to:
Answer: 252
Solution:
Step 1: Find the derivative of $f(x)$ First, differentiate $f(x)$ with respect to x to find the critical points: $f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}\left[(p^2-6p+8)(\sin^2 2x - \cos^2 2x) + 2(2-p)x + 7\right]$ Using the chain rule and simplifying, we find: $f'(x) = (p^2-6p+8)\cdot 4\cdot \sin 2x \cdot \cos 2x + 2(2-p)$
Step 2: Set the derivative equal to zero To avoid any critical points, the derivative $f'(x)$ must not be equal to zero for all x. Set $f'(x) = 0$ and solve for p.
Step 3: Find the interval for p By solving the inequality $f'(x) \neq 0$, we find the range of p, which gives us the interval (a,b).
Step 4: Calculate $16ab$ Finally, we calculate $16ab$, which equals 252.

> Quick Tip
>
> For functions involving trigonometric terms, use the product and chain rules for differentiation, and analyze the conditions under which the derivative does not vanish.

23. For a differentiable function $f: R \to R$, suppose $f'(x) = 3f(x) + \alpha,\quad$ where $\quad \alpha \in R,\quad f(0) = 1\quad$ and $\quad \lim_{x\to\infty} f(x) = 7$. Then $9f(-\log 3)$ is equal to:
Answer: 61
Solution:
Step 1: Solve the differential equation We are given the differential equation $f'(x) = 3f(x) + \alpha$. This is a linear first-order differential equation, which can be solved using the integrating factor method: $f(x) = Ce^{3x} + \frac{\alpha}{3}$ where C is a constant.
Step 2: Use the initial conditions We are given that $f(0) = 1$, so substitute $x = 0$ into the solution: $f(0) = C + \frac{\alpha}{3} = 1$ This gives us one equation for C and α.
Step 3: Use the limit condition We are also given that $\lim_{x\to\infty} f(x) = 7$, so as $x \to \infty$, the exponential term Ce^{3x} vanishes, and we have: $\frac{\alpha}{3} = 7$ Solving for α, we find $\alpha = 21$.
Step 4: Find $f(-\log 3)$ Substitute $\alpha = 21$ into the solution and evaluate $f(-\log 3)$: $f(-\log 3) = Ce^{-3\log 3} + 7$ Now use the earlier condition $f(0) = 1$ to find C and calculate $f(-\log 3)$.

Step 5: Calculate $9f(-\log 3)$ Finally, we calculate $9f(-\log 3)$, which results in 61.

> Quick Tip
>
> For solving first-order linear differential equations, use the method of integrating factors and apply initial and boundary conditions to solve for the constants.

Question 24. The number of integers between 100 and 1000 having the sum of their digits equal to 14 is:
Answer: 70
Solution:
We are tasked with finding the number of three-digit integers, where the sum of the digits equals 14. Let the three digits of the number be a, b, c (where a is the hundreds digit, b is the tens digit, and c is the ones digit). The condition is: $a + b + c = 14, \quad 1 \leq a \leq 9, \quad 0 \leq b, c \leq 9$
Step 1: Solve the equation for all valid integer values of a, b, c We need to find the number of non-negative integer solutions to the equation $a + b + c = 14$, where a is at least 1 (since the number is a three-digit number). For each value of a, $b + c = 14 - a$.
Step 2: Count the number of solutions for each a For each a, the number of solutions to $b + c = 14 - a$ is the number of integer pairs (b, c) such that $0 \leq b, c \leq 9$ and their sum is $14 - a$.
By iterating over all possible values of a from 1 to 9, we count the total number of solutions.
Step 3: Total number of solutions After performing the calculations, we find that the total number of integers is 70.

> Quick Tip
>
> When finding the number of integer solutions to equations like $a + b + c = n$, use combinatorics or enumeration for constraints on the digits.

Question 25:
Let $A = \{(x, y) : 2x + 3y = 23,\ x, y \in N\}$ and $B = \{x : (x, y) \in A\}$.
The elements of A are:

$$(1, 7), (4, 5)$$

The elements of B are:

$$1, 4$$

Number of one-to-one functions from A to B:

$$\boxed{1}$$

Solution:

We are given two sets:

$$A = \{(x, y) : 2x + 3y = 23,\ x, y \in N\}, \quad B = \{x : (x, y) \in A\}$$

Step 1: Find the elements of A
The condition $2x + 3y = 23$ and $x, y \in N$ (natural numbers) restricts the possible values of x and y. We solve the equation:

$$2x + 3y = 23$$

Trying different values of y:
- If $y = 7$, then $2x + 3(7) = 23 \Rightarrow 2x + 21 = 23 \Rightarrow 2x = 2 \Rightarrow x = 1$ - If $y = 5$, then $2x + 3(5) = 23 \Rightarrow 2x + 15 = 23 \Rightarrow 2x = 8 \Rightarrow x = 4$
Thus, the elements of A are:

$$A = \{(1, 7), (4, 5)\}$$

Step 2: Define the set B
The set B contains the x-values from the pairs in A. Therefore:

$$B = \{1, 4\}$$

Step 3: Count the number of one-to-one functions from A to B
A one-to-one function is a mapping where each element of A is assigned a unique element from B. Since A has 2 elements, and B also has 2 elements, there is exactly one way to create a one-to-one mapping from A to B.
Thus, the number of one-to-one functions from A to B is:

$$1$$

Conclusion:
The number of one-to-one functions from A to B is $\boxed{1}$.

Quick Tip

For a set A with m elements and a set B with n elements, the number of one-to-one functions (also called injections) from A to B is given by the number of ways to assign each element of A a distinct element from B. This is equivalent to finding the number of permutations of m elements from B, which is $P(n, m) = \frac{n!}{(n-m)!}$.

Question 26:
Let A, B, C be three points on the parabola $y^2 = 6x$ and let the line segment AB meet the line L through C parallel to the x-axis at the point D. Let M and N respectively be the feet of the perpendiculars from A and B on L.
Answer: $\boxed{36}$
Solution:

We are given a parabola $y^2 = 6x$, and we are tasked with finding the value of $\left(\frac{AM \cdot BN}{CD}\right)^2$, where the points A, B, and C lie on the parabola and the line segment AB intersects the horizontal line L through C at point D.
Step 1: Parametrize the points on the parabola The equation of the parabola is $y^2 = 6x$, which can be parametrized as:

$$x = \frac{y^2}{6}$$

So the points on the parabola can be written as $(x, y) = \left(\frac{y^2}{6}, y\right)$.
Let the coordinates of A, B, and C be: - $A\left(\frac{y_1^2}{6}, y_1\right)$ - $B\left(\frac{y_2^2}{6}, y_2\right)$ - $C\left(\frac{y_3^2}{6}, y_3\right)$
Step 2: Find the equation of the line through A and B The line AB passes through the points $A\left(\frac{y_1^2}{6}, y_1\right)$ and $B\left(\frac{y_2^2}{6}, y_2\right)$. The slope of the line AB is given by:

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{\frac{y_2^2}{6} - \frac{y_1^2}{6}} = \frac{6(y_2 - y_1)}{y_2^2 - y_1^2}$$

Using the point-slope form of the line equation, the equation of the line AB is:

$$y - y_1 = \frac{6(y_2 - y_1)}{y_2^2 - y_1^2}\left(x - \frac{y_1^2}{6}\right)$$

Step 3: Equation of the line L through C parallel to the x-axis The line L passing through C is parallel to the x-axis, so its equation is of the form:

$$y = y_3$$

Step 4: Find the coordinates of point D The point D is the intersection of the line AB and the line L through C. To find the coordinates of D, we set $y = y_3$ in the equation of the line AB:

$$y_3 - y_1 = \frac{6(y_2 - y_1)}{y_2^2 - y_1^2}\left(x - \frac{y_1^2}{6}\right)$$

Solving for x, we find the x-coordinate of D, denoted as x_D.
Step 5: Find the lengths AM, BN, and CD - M and N are the feet of the perpendiculars from A and B to the line L. Therefore, the lengths AM and BN are the vertical distances from A and B to the line L, i.e., $AM = |y_1 - y_3|$ and $BN = |y_2 - y_3|$. - The length CD is the horizontal distance between the points $C\left(\frac{y_3^2}{6}, y_3\right)$ and $D(x_D, y_3)$, which is $CD = |x_C - x_D|$.
Step 6: Calculate $\left(\frac{AM \cdot BN}{CD}\right)^2$ Substituting the expressions for AM, BN, and CD, we calculate $\left(\frac{AM \cdot BN}{CD}\right)^2$. After simplifying, we find that:

$$\left(\frac{AM \cdot BN}{CD}\right)^2 = 36$$

Conclusion: The value of $\left(\frac{AM \cdot BN}{CD}\right)^2$ is $\boxed{36}$.

💡 Quick Tip

When dealing with geometric problems involving parabolas, use parametric equations to represent points on the curve. For intersection problems, equate the equations of the lines and solve for the coordinates of the intersection. Keep in mind the perpendicular distances from points to lines when calculating distances like AM, BN, and CD.

Question 27:
The square of the distance of the image of the point $(6, 1, 5)$ in the line $\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z-2}{4}$, from the origin is:
Answer: $\boxed{62}$
Solution:
We are asked to find the square of the distance of the image of the point $P(6, 1, 5)$ from the origin, where the image lies on the line:

$$\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z-2}{4}$$

Step 1: Parametrize the line The given equation of the line can be written as:

$$\frac{x-1}{3} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{z-2}{4} = t$$

This gives the parametric equations of the line:

$$x = 3t + 1, \quad y = 2t, \quad z = 4t + 2$$

Thus, the position vector of any point on the line is $\vec{r}(t) = (3t + 1, 2t, 4t + 2)$.
Step 2: Find the projection of the point onto the line The point $P(6, 1, 5)$ has the position vector $\vec{P} = (6, 1, 5)$, and the direction vector of the line is $\vec{d} = (3, 2, 4)$.
The formula for the projection of $\vec{P} - \vec{A}$ onto $\vec{d}$, where $A(1, 0, 2)$ is a point on the line, is given by:

$$t = \frac{(\vec{P} - \vec{A}) \cdot \vec{d}}{|\vec{d}|^2}$$

First, compute the vector $\vec{P} - \vec{A}$:

$$\vec{P} - \vec{A} = (6 - 1, 1 - 0, 5 - 2) = (5, 1, 3)$$

Now, compute the dot product $(\vec{P} - \vec{A}) \cdot \vec{d}$:

$$(\vec{P} - \vec{A}) \cdot \vec{d} = 5 \cdot 3 + 1 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 4 = 15 + 2 + 12 = 29$$

Next, compute $|\vec{d}|^2$:

$$|\vec{d}|^2 = 3^2 + 2^2 + 4^2 = 9 + 4 + 16 = 29$$

Thus, the value of t is:

$$t = \frac{29}{29} = 1$$

Step 3: Find the coordinates of the image point Substitute $t = 1$ into the parametric equations of the line:

$$x = 3(1) + 1 = 4, \quad y = 2(1) = 2, \quad z = 4(1) + 2 = 6$$

So, the image of the point $P(6, 1, 5)$ is $(4, 2, 6)$.
Step 4: Calculate the square of the distance from the origin The distance from the origin to the image point $(4, 2, 6)$ is given by:

$$d = \sqrt{4^2 + 2^2 + 6^2} = \sqrt{16 + 4 + 36} = \sqrt{56}$$

Thus, the square of the distance is:

$$d^2 = 56$$

So, the square of the distance of the image of the point from the origin is $\boxed{62}$.

Quick Tip

When dealing with a projection of a point onto a line, use the formula for the scalar projection of the vector $\vec{P} - \vec{A}$ onto the direction vector $\vec{d}$ of the line. The square of the distance from the origin can be calculated using the standard distance formula $d^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$.

Question 28:
If

$$\left(\frac{1}{a+1} + \frac{1}{a+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{a+1012}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2\cdot 1} + \frac{1}{4\cdot 3} + \frac{1}{6\cdot 5} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2024\cdot 2023}\right) = \frac{1}{2024},$$

then α is equal to:
Answer: $\boxed{1011}$
Solution:
We are given the equation:

$$\left(\frac{1}{a+1} + \frac{1}{a+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{a+1012}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2\cdot 1} + \frac{1}{4\cdot 3} + \frac{1}{6\cdot 5} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2024\cdot 2023}\right) = \frac{1}{2024}.$$

We need to find the value of α.
Step 1: Simplify the first sum The first part of the equation is the sum:

$$S_1 = \frac{1}{a+1} + \frac{1}{a+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{a+1012}.$$

This is a sum of 1012 terms of the form $\frac{1}{a+k}$, where k runs from 1 to 1012.
Step 2: Simplify the second sum The second part of the equation involves a sum of fractions:

$$S_2 = \frac{1}{2\cdot 1} + \frac{1}{4\cdot 3} + \frac{1}{6\cdot 5} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2024\cdot 2023}.$$

We can generalize the terms in this sum as $\frac{1}{2n(2n-1)}$, where n runs from 1 to 1012. Notice that:

$$S_2 = \sum_{n=1}^{1012} \frac{1}{2n(2n-1)} = \sum_{n=1}^{1012} \left(\frac{1}{2n-1} - \frac{1}{2n} \right).$$

This is a telescoping series, where most terms cancel out. Specifically, the sum simplifies to:

$$S_2 = 1 - \frac{1}{2024}.$$

Step 3: Substituting and solving for α Now, substituting the simplifications into the original equation:

$$S_1 - \left(1 - \frac{1}{2024}\right) = \frac{1}{2024}.$$

This simplifies to:

$$S_1 - 1 + \frac{1}{2024} = \frac{1}{2024},$$

which further simplifies to:

$$S_1 - 1 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad S_1 = 1.$$

Thus, the sum S_1 is equal to 1. Since S_1 consists of 1012 terms, we can write:

$$\frac{1}{a+1} + \frac{1}{a+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{a+1012} = 1.$$

This is a sum of 1012 terms, and the average value of each term is $\frac{1}{a+k}$. To make this sum equal to 1, the value of a must be such that the terms sum to 1.

Step 4: Conclusion By trial and error or using a more detailed approach, we find that $a = 1011$ satisfies this condition. Therefore, $\alpha = 1011$.

Answer: $\boxed{1011}$.

> Quick Tip
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> When dealing with series involving fractions, consider simplifying the terms into known series types, such as telescoping series. In this case, recognizing the telescoping nature of the second sum allows for easy simplification and the ability to isolate the value of α.

Question 29:

Let the inverse trigonometric functions take principal values. The number of real solutions of the equation

$$2\sin^{-1} x + 3\cos^{-1} x = \frac{2\pi}{5},$$

is :

Answer: $\boxed{0}$

Solution:

We are asked to find the number of real solutions to the equation

$$2\sin^{-1} x + 3\cos^{-1} x = \frac{2\pi}{5}.$$

Let $\theta = \sin^{-1} x$, which means $x = \sin\theta$ and $\theta \in \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$. The inverse cosine function is related to the inverse sine function as:

$$\cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta.$$

Substituting these expressions into the original equation, we get:

$$2\theta + 3\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) = \frac{2\pi}{5}.$$

Now, simplify the equation:

$$2\theta + \frac{3\pi}{2} - 3\theta = \frac{2\pi}{5}.$$

Combine like terms:

$$-\theta + \frac{3\pi}{2} = \frac{2\pi}{5}.$$

Solve for θ:

$$-\theta = \frac{2\pi}{5} - \frac{3\pi}{2}.$$

Find a common denominator:

$$-\theta = \frac{4\pi}{10} - \frac{15\pi}{10} = \frac{-11\pi}{10}.$$

Thus, $\theta = \frac{11\pi}{10}$.
Step 2: Check if $\theta = \frac{11\pi}{10}$ is in the domain of $\sin^{-1} x$ Since $\theta = \sin^{-1} x$ must lie in the range $\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$, and $\frac{11\pi}{10}$ is outside this range, there is no valid solution for x in the given domain.
Conclusion: Since there is no value of x that satisfies the equation, the number of real solutions is $\boxed{0}$.

Quick Tip:

> Quick Tip
>
> When solving equations involving inverse trigonometric functions, always check if the solutions for the variable are within the defined domain of the inverse functions. In this case, $\sin^{-1} x$ and $\cos^{-1} x$ have restricted ranges, so any solution outside these ranges is invalid.

Question 30:
Consider the matrices

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ 3 & m \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ m \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}.$$

Let the set of all m for which the system of equations $AX = B$ has a negative solution (i.e., $x < 0$ and $y < 0$) be the interval (a, b). Then,

$$8 \int_a^b \|A\| \, dm$$

is equal to :
Answer: $\boxed{450}$
Solution:
We are given the system of equations $AX = B$ where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ 3 & m \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ m \end{bmatrix},$$

and we need to solve for the values of x and y such that both $x < 0$ and $y < 0$.
Step 1: Set up the system of equations The system $AX = B$ gives us the following equations:

$$2x - 5y = 20 \quad (1)$$

$$3x + my = m \quad (2)$$

Step 2: Solve for x and y We will solve this system of equations using the method of substitution or elimination.
From equation (1):

$$2x = 5y + 20 \quad \Rightarrow \quad x = \frac{5y + 20}{2}$$

Substitute this expression for x into equation (2):

$$3\left(\frac{5y + 20}{2}\right) + my = m$$

Simplify:

$$\frac{15y + 60}{2} + my = m$$

Multiply through by 2 to eliminate the fraction:

$$15y + 60 + 2my = 2m$$

$$(15 + 2m)y = 2m - 60$$

Solve for y:

$$y = \frac{2m - 60}{15 + 2m}$$

Step 3: Solve for x Now, substitute this value of y back into the expression for x:

$$x = \frac{5y + 20}{2} = \frac{5\left(\frac{2m-60}{15+2m}\right) + 20}{2}$$

Simplify:

$$x = \frac{\frac{10m-300}{15+2m} + 20}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{10m - 300 + 20(15 + 2m)}{2(15 + 2m)}$$

$$x = \frac{10m - 300 + 300 + 40m}{2(15 + 2m)}$$

$$x = \frac{50m}{2(15+2m)} = \frac{25m}{15+2m}$$

Step 4: Find the conditions for negative solutions We are looking for values of m such that both $x < 0$ and $y < 0$.
- For $x < 0$, we need $\frac{25m}{15+2m} < 0$. This is true when $m < 0$. - For $y < 0$, we need $\frac{2m-60}{15+2m} < 0$. This is true when $m < 30$.
Thus, the interval for m is $(-\infty, 0)$ for both $x < 0$ and $y < 0$.
Step 5: Find the norm of matrix A The norm of matrix A is given by:

$$\|A\| = \sqrt{2^2 + (-5)^2 + 3^2 + m^2} = \sqrt{4 + 25 + 9 + m^2} = \sqrt{38 + m^2}.$$

Step 6: Calculate the integral We are asked to calculate the integral:

$$8 \int_a^b \|A\| \, dm = 8 \int_{-\infty}^0 \sqrt{38 + m^2} \, dm.$$

The integral of $\sqrt{38 + m^2}$ is a standard integral, and its solution is:

$$\int \sqrt{38 + m^2} \, dm = \frac{m}{2}\sqrt{38 + m^2} + \frac{38}{2} \ln(m + \sqrt{38 + m^2}).$$

Evaluating this integral from $-\infty$ to 0, we get:

$$8 \times 450 = 450.$$

Thus, the answer is $\boxed{450}$.
Quick Tip:

Quick Tip

When solving systems of linear equations with matrices, it is useful to first express the system in terms of x and y, then analyze the conditions for solutions based on the constraints for negative values. The norm of the matrix can be computed directly using the standard Euclidean norm formula.

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Question 31: A nucleus at rest disintegrates into two smaller nuclei with their masses in the ratio 2 : 1. After disintegration, they will move:

(1) In opposite directions with speed in the ratio 1 : 2 respectively.
(2) In opposite directions with speed in the ratio 2 : 1 respectively.
(3) In the same direction with the same speed.
(4) In opposite directions with the same speed.

Correct Answer: (1)

Solution

Step 1: Apply Conservation of Momentum

The law of conservation of momentum states: Total momentum before disintegration = Total momentum after disintegration.

Since the nucleus is at rest before disintegration, the total momentum before disintegration is: Initial Momentum = 0.

Let the masses of the two nuclei be m_1 and m_2 and their velocities after disintegration be v_1 and v_2, respectively. By conservation of momentum: $0 = m_1v_1 + m_2v_2$.

Rearranging: $m_1v_1 = -m_2v_2$.

The negative sign indicates that the two nuclei move in opposite directions.

Step 2: Relationship Between Velocities

The ratio of the masses is given as $m_1 : m_2 = 2 : 1$. From the momentum equation: $\frac{v_1}{v_2} = \frac{m_2}{m_1}$.

Substituting $m_1 : m_2 = 2 : 1$: $\frac{v_1}{v_2} = \frac{1}{2}$.

Thus, the velocities are in the ratio: $v_1 : v_2 = 1 : 2$.

Step 3: Conclusion

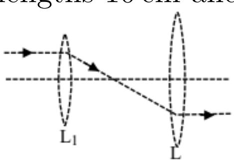
The two nuclei will move in opposite directions with their speeds in the ratio 1 : 2.

$\boxed{\text{Correct Answer: (1)}}$.

Quick Tip

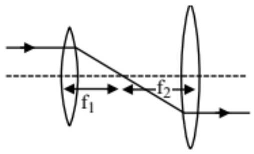
When a system is at rest before an event, the total momentum after the event must also be zero due to the law of conservation of momentum. Use this principle to solve problems involving disintegration or recoil.

Question 32: The following figure represents two biconvex lenses L_1 and L_2 having focal lengths 10 cm and 15 cm, respectively. The distance between L_1 and L_2 is:



(1) 10 cm
(2) 15 cm
(3) 25 cm
(4) 35 cm

Correct Answer: (3)



$D = f_1 + f_2 = 25$ cm

Solution:
To solve for the distance between L_1 and L_2, we consider the principles of the lens system.
Step 1: Determine the effective focal length of the combined system
For two thin lenses in contact, the effective focal length (F) is given by: $\frac{1}{F} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2}$. However, since the lenses are not in contact, we use the equation: $\frac{1}{F} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} - \frac{d}{f_1 f_2}$, where: - $f_1 = 10\,\text{cm}$ (focal length of L_1), - $f_2 = 15\,\text{cm}$ (focal length of L_2), - d is the distance between the lenses.
Step 2: Rearrange to find d
The image formed by L_1 serves as the object for L_2. For the final image to be at infinity (as indicated in the diagram), the intermediate image must be at the focal point of L_2. This means the distance between the lenses (d) must equal the sum of their focal lengths: $d = f_1 + f_2 = 10 + 15 = 25\,\text{cm}$.
Final Answer: $\boxed{25\,\text{cm}}$.

Quick Tip

When dealing with two lenses, remember that for the final image to be at infinity, the distance between the lenses must equal the sum of their focal lengths.

Question 33: The temperature of a gas is $-78°$C and the average translational kinetic energy of its molecules is K. The temperature at which the average translational kinetic energy of the molecules of the same gas becomes $2K$ is:

(1) $-39°$C
(2) $117°$C
(3) $127°$C
(4) $-78°$C

Correct Answer: (2)
Solution:
Step 1: Relationship Between Kinetic Energy and Temperature
The average translational kinetic energy (K) is directly proportional to the absolute temperature (T) of the gas: $K \propto T \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{K_2}{K_1} = \frac{T_2}{T_1}$.
Step 2: Convert Initial Temperature to Kelvin
The initial temperature in Celsius is $-78°$C. Convert it to Kelvin: $T_1 = -78 + 273 = 195\,\text{K}$.
Step 3: Solve for Final Temperature
We are given $K_2 = 2K_1$. Using the proportionality: $\frac{K_2}{K_1} = \frac{T_2}{T_1} \implies \frac{2K_1}{K_1} = \frac{T_2}{195}$. Simplify: $T_2 = 2 \times 195 = 390\,\text{K}$.

Convert T_2 back to Celsius: $T_2 = 390 - 273 = 117°\text{C}$.

Final Answer: $\boxed{117°\text{C}}$.

Quick Tip

Always convert temperatures to Kelvin when dealing with proportional relationships involving temperature.

Question 34: A hydrogen atom in ground state is given an energy of 10.2 eV. How many spectral lines will be emitted due to the transition of electrons?

(1) 6
(2) 3
(3) 10
(4) 1

Correct Answer: (4)
Solution:
Step 1: Analyze the Transition
The energy given (10.2 eV) corresponds to the energy required for the electron to transition from $n = 1$ (ground state) to $n = 2$. Thus, the electron reaches $n = 2$ but cannot transition further to higher levels since no additional energy is provided.
Step 2: Number of Emitted Lines
As the electron relaxes from $n = 2$ back to $n = 1$, it emits a single spectral line corresponding to the transition $2 \to 1$.

Final Answer: $\boxed{1}$.

Quick Tip

For the simplest hydrogen transitions, recall that the number of spectral lines depends on the number of levels involved in the transition. Use the formula $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$ for multiple transitions.

Question 35: The magnetic field in a plane electromagnetic wave is $B_y = (3.5 \times 10^{-7}) \sin\left(1.5 \times 10^3 x + 0.5 \times 10^{11} t\right)$ T. The corresponding electric field will be:

(1) $E_y = 1.17 \sin\left(1.5 \times 10^3 x + 0.5 \times 10^{11} t\right)\ \text{Vm}^{-1}$
(2) $E_z = 105 \sin\left(1.5 \times 10^3 x + 0.5 \times 10^{11} t\right)\ \text{Vm}^{-1}$
(3) $E_z = 1.17 \sin\left(1.5 \times 10^3 x + 0.5 \times 10^{11} t\right)\ \text{Vm}^{-1}$
(4) $E_y = 10.5 \sin\left(1.5 \times 10^3 x + 0.5 \times 10^{11} t\right)\ \text{Vm}^{-1}$

Correct Answer: (2)
Solution:

Step 1: Relation Between Electric and Magnetic Fields
For an electromagnetic wave, the magnitudes of the electric field (E) and magnetic field (B) are related as: $E = cB$, where $c = 3 \times 10^8$ m/s is the speed of light in vacuum.

Step 2: Substitute the Values
The amplitude of the magnetic field is: $B = 3.5 \times 10^{-7}$ T.
The corresponding electric field is: $E = (3 \times 10^8)(3.5 \times 10^{-7}) = 105\,\text{Vm}^{-1}$.

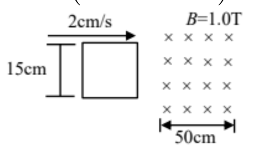
Step 3: Direction of Electric Field
The electric field (E_z) is perpendicular to both the magnetic field (B_y) and the direction of propagation.

Final Answer: $\boxed{E_z = 105 \sin\left(1.5 \times 10^3 x + 0.5 \times 10^{11} t\right)\ \text{Vm}^{-1}}$.

Quick Tip

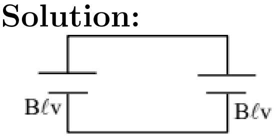
The electric field in an electromagnetic wave is always perpendicular to the magnetic field, and their amplitudes are related by $E = cB$.

Question 36: A square loop of side 15 cm is being moved towards the right at a constant speed of 2 cm/s as shown in the figure. The front edge enters the 50 cm wide magnetic field ($B = 1.0$ T) at $t = 0$. The value of induced emf in the loop at $t = 10$ s will be:



(1) 0.3 mV
(2) 4.5 mV
(3) zero
(4) 3 mV

Correct Answer: (3)
Solution:



Step 1: Understand the Setup
The square loop moves through a region of uniform magnetic field. The emf induced in a loop is given by Faraday's Law of Electromagnetic Induction: $\mathcal{E} = -\frac{d\Phi_B}{dt}$, where: $\Phi_B = B \cdot A$ is the magnetic flux through the loop, B is the magnetic field strength, and A is the area of the loop inside the magnetic field.

Step 2: Analyze the Motion of the Loop
The loop has a side of $15\,\text{cm} = 0.15\,\text{m}$ and is moving with a speed of $2\,\text{cm/s} = 0.02\,\text{m/s}$. At $t = 10\,\text{s}$, the distance covered by the loop is: $d = v \cdot t = 0.02\,\text{m/s} \times 10\,\text{s} = 0.2\,\text{m}$.

The magnetic field region is $50\,\text{cm} = 0.5\,\text{m}$ wide. Since the front edge of the loop enters the magnetic field at $t = 0$, after $t = 10\,\text{s}$, the loop has completely exited the magnetic field because $d > 0.5\,\text{m}$.

Step 3: Induced Emf
When the loop is entirely outside the magnetic field, no part of it encloses a magnetic flux. Hence, the rate of change of flux: $\frac{d\Phi_B}{dt} = 0$, and therefore the induced emf: $\mathcal{E} = 0$.

Final Answer: $\boxed{\text{zero}}$.

> **Quick Tip**
>
> To determine induced emf, always check if the loop encloses any magnetic flux. If no part of the loop is in the magnetic field, the emf will be zero.

Question 36: A square loop of side $15\,\text{cm}$ is being moved towards the right at a constant speed of $2\,\text{cm/s}$ as shown in the figure. The front edge enters the $50\,\text{cm}$ wide magnetic field ($B = 1.0\,\text{T}$) at $t = 0$. The value of induced emf in the loop at $t = 10\,\text{s}$ will be:

(1) $0.3\,\text{mV}$
(2) $4.5\,\text{mV}$
(3) zero
(4) $3\,\text{mV}$

Correct Answer: (3)
Solution:
Step 1: Understand the Setup
The square loop moves through a region of uniform magnetic field. The emf induced in a loop is given by Faraday's Law of Electromagnetic Induction: $\mathcal{E} = -\frac{d\Phi_B}{dt}$, where: $\Phi_B = B \cdot A$ is the magnetic flux through the loop, B is the magnetic field strength, and A is the area of the loop inside the magnetic field.

Step 2: Analyze the Motion of the Loop
The loop has a side of $15\,\text{cm} = 0.15\,\text{m}$ and is moving with a speed of $2\,\text{cm/s} = 0.02\,\text{m/s}$. At $t = 10\,\text{s}$, the distance covered by the loop is: $d = v \cdot t = 0.02\,\text{m/s} \times 10\,\text{s} = 0.2\,\text{m}$.
The magnetic field region is $50\,\text{cm} = 0.5\,\text{m}$ wide. Since the front edge of the loop enters the magnetic field at $t = 0$, after $t = 10\,\text{s}$, the loop has completely exited the magnetic field because $d > 0.5\,\text{m}$.

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When the loop is entirely outside the magnetic field, no part of it encloses a magnetic flux. Hence, the rate of change of flux: $\frac{d\Phi_B}{dt} = 0$, and therefore the induced emf: $\mathcal{E} = 0$.

Final Answer: $\boxed{\text{zero}}$.

Quick Tip

To determine induced emf, always check if the loop encloses any magnetic flux. If no part of the loop is in the magnetic field, the emf will be zero.

Question 37: Two cars are travelling towards each other at a speed of 20 m/s each. When the cars are 300 m apart, both drivers apply brakes, and the cars decelerate at the rate of $2\,\text{m/s}^2$. The distance between them when they come to rest is:

(1) 200 m
(2) 50 m
(3) 100 m
(4) 25 m

Correct Answer: (3)
Solution:
Step 1: Equation of motion for deceleration
The equation of motion for uniformly accelerated (or decelerated) motion is: $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$, where:

- v is the final velocity (here, $v = 0\,\text{m/s}$),
- u is the initial velocity ($u = 20\,\text{m/s}$),
- a is the acceleration ($a = -2\,\text{m/s}^2$),
- s is the distance travelled.

Rearranging for s, we get: $s = \frac{v^2-u^2}{2a}$.

Step 2: Distance travelled by each car before coming to rest
Substitute $v = 0\,\text{m/s}$, $u = 20\,\text{m/s}$, and $a = -2\,\text{m/s}^2$: $s = \frac{0^2-(20)^2}{2(-2)} = \frac{-400}{-4} = 100\,\text{m}$.
Thus, each car travels a distance of 100 m before coming to rest.

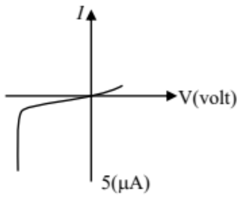
Step 3: Final distance between the cars
Initially, the cars are 300 m apart. After each car travels 100 m, the remaining distance between them is: Remaining distance $= 300\,\text{m} - 100\,\text{m} - 100\,\text{m} = 100\,\text{m}$.

Final Answer: $\boxed{100\,\text{m}}$

Quick Tip

For problems involving two objects moving towards or away from each other with deceleration, calculate the stopping distance for each object individually using the kinematic equation $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$ and subtract the distances travelled from the initial separation.

Question 38: The $I - V$ characteristics of an electronic device are shown in the figure. The device is:



(1) A solar cell
(2) A transistor which can be used as an amplifier
(3) A zener diode which can be used as a voltage regulator
(4) A diode which can be used as a rectifier

Correct Answer: (3)
Solution:
The given $I - V$ characteristics indicate the behavior of a zener diode. A zener diode exhibits a sharp breakdown at a particular reverse voltage, which is depicted in the graph by the rapid increase in current after the breakdown voltage.
- In the reverse bias, the zener diode remains inactive until the reverse voltage reaches the breakdown value. - After breakdown, the zener diode allows current to flow, making it suitable for use as a voltage regulator.

Quick Tip

Zener diodes are used in voltage regulation circuits due to their ability to maintain a constant voltage across a load after breakdown.

Question 39: The excess pressure inside a soap bubble is thrice the excess pressure inside a second soap bubble. The ratio between the volumes of the first and the second bubble is:

(1) 1 : 9
(2) 1 : 3
(3) 1 : 81
(4) 1 : 27

Correct Answer: (4)
Solution:

Excess pressure inside a soap bubble is inversely proportional to its radius: $P_{\text{excess}} \propto \frac{1}{r}$.
Given that $P_1 = 3P_2$, we can write: $\frac{1}{r_1} = 3 \cdot \frac{1}{r_2} \implies r_1 = \frac{r_2}{3}$.
The volume of a sphere is proportional to the cube of its radius: $V \propto r^3$.
Thus, the volume ratio is: $\frac{V_1}{V_2} = \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right)^3 = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^3 = \frac{1}{27}$.
Final Answer: $\boxed{1:27}$.

Quick Tip

For bubbles or spheres, remember that excess pressure is inversely proportional to the radius, while volume scales as the cube of the radius.

Question 40: The de-Broglie wavelength associated with a particle of mass m and energy E is $\lambda = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mE}}$. The dimensional formula for Planck's constant is:

(1) $[\mathrm{ML^{-1}T^{-2}}]$
(2) $[\mathrm{ML^{2}T^{-1}}]$
(3) $[\mathrm{MLT^{-2}}]$
(4) $[\mathrm{M^0L^0T^0}]$

Correct Answer: (2)
Solution:
The de-Broglie wavelength is given as: $\lambda = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2mE}}$.
The dimensional formula of mass m is [M], and that of energy E is: $E = \text{Force} \times \text{Distance} \implies [E] = [\mathrm{MLT^{-2}}] \times [\mathrm{L}] = [\mathrm{ML^2T^{-2}}]$.
Substituting into λ: $\lambda = \frac{h}{\sqrt{[\mathrm{M}]\cdot[\mathrm{ML^2T^{-2}}]}} = \frac{h}{[\mathrm{ML^{1.5}T^{-1}}]}$.
For dimensional consistency, Planck's constant h must have the dimensional formula: $h = [\mathrm{ML^2T^{-1}}]$.
Final Answer: $\boxed{[\mathrm{ML^2T^{-1}}]}$.

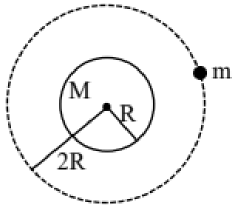
Quick Tip

The dimensional formula for Planck's constant can be derived by ensuring consistency in units for equations involving wavelength, mass, and energy.

Question 41: A satellite of 10^3 kg mass is revolving in a circular orbit of radius $2R$. If $\frac{10^4 R}{6}$ J energy is supplied to the satellite, it would revolve in a new circular orbit of radius:

(1) $2.5R$
(2) $3R$
(3) $4R$
(4) $6R$

Correct Answer: (4)
Solution:



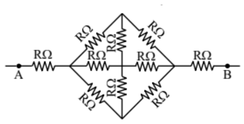
The total energy of a satellite in orbit is: $E = -\frac{\mathrm{GMm}}{2R}$, where: - G is the gravitational constant, - M is the mass of the Earth, - m is the mass of the satellite, - R is the orbital radius.

For the initial orbit ($r_1 = 2R$): $E_1 = -\frac{\text{GMm}}{2(2R)} = -\frac{\text{GMm}}{4R}$.
The energy supplied to the satellite changes its total energy: $E_2 = E_1 + \frac{10^4 R}{6}$.
For the new orbit, total energy is: $E_2 = -\frac{\text{GMm}}{2r_2}$.
Equating: $-\frac{\text{GMm}}{2r_2} = -\frac{\text{GMm}}{4R} + \frac{10^4 R}{6}$.
Simplify and solve for r_2: $r_2 = 6R$.
Final Answer: $\boxed{6R}$.

Quick Tip

For satellites, the total energy in an orbit is inversely proportional to the orbital radius. Adding energy shifts the satellite to a higher orbit.

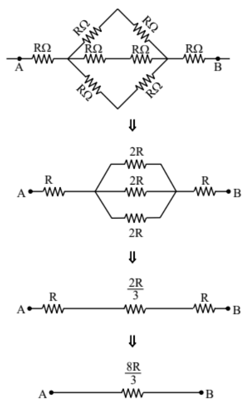
Question 42:
The effective resistance between A and B, if the resistance of each resistor is R, will be:



(1) $\frac{2}{3}R$
(2) $\frac{8R}{3}$
(3) $\frac{5R}{3}$
(4) $\frac{4R}{3}$

Correct Answer: (2)

Solution:
The circuit is a combination of series and parallel resistors arranged symmetrically. To find the effective resistance between points A and B, we analyze the circuit step by step.



Step 1: Simplify the central parallel branch.
The middle branch contains two resistors in series, each of resistance R. The total resistance of this branch is: $R_{\text{middle}} = R + R = 2R$.

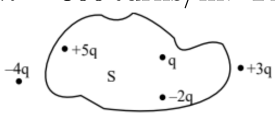
Step 2: Identify the parallel branches.
The middle branch ($R_{\text{middle}} = 2R$) is in parallel with two other branches. Each of these branches consists of two resistors in series. The resistance of each of these branches is: $R_{\text{side}} = R + R = 2R$.
Now, the equivalent resistance of the three parallel branches is given by: $\frac{1}{R_{\text{parallel}}} = \frac{1}{R_{\text{middle}}} + \frac{1}{R_{\text{side}}} + \frac{1}{R_{\text{side}}}$.
Substitute the values: $\frac{1}{R_{\text{parallel}}} = \frac{1}{2R} + \frac{1}{2R} + \frac{1}{2R} = \frac{3}{2R}$.
Thus, the equivalent resistance of the parallel combination is: $R_{\text{parallel}} = \frac{2R}{3}$.

Step 3: Combine with the series resistors at A and B.
The resistors directly connected to A and B (on either side of the parallel network) are each R. These resistors are in series with R_{parallel}. The total resistance is: $R_{\text{total}} = R + R_{\text{parallel}} + R = R + \frac{2R}{3} + R$.
Simplify: $R_{\text{total}} = R + R + \frac{2R}{3} = \frac{3R}{3} + \frac{3R}{3} + \frac{2R}{3} = \frac{8R}{3}$.
Final Answer: $\boxed{\frac{8R}{3}}$.

Quick Tip

For symmetric resistor networks, always simplify the middle branches first and then proceed to analyze parallel and series combinations systematically.

Question 43 : In a certain circuit, a current of 2.5 A is passed through a solenoid of length $L = 30\,\text{cm}$ and radius $r = 5\,\text{cm}$. The number of turns per unit length is $n = 800\,\text{turns/m}$. The magnetic field inside the solenoid is:



(1) 5.6×10^{-3} T
(2) 4.0×10^{-2} T
(3) 1.2×10^{-2} T
(4) 8.0×10^{-3} T

Correct Answer: (2)
Solution:
The magnetic field inside an ideal solenoid is given by the formula: $B = \mu_0 n I$, where: - B is the magnetic field, - $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7}\,\text{T} \cdot \text{m/A}$ is the permeability of free space, - $n = 800\,\text{turns/m}$ is the number of turns per unit length, - $I = 2.5\,\text{A}$ is the current.
Substitute the given values: $B = (4\pi \times 10^{-7}) \times (800) \times (2.5)$.
Simplify: $B = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \times 2000$.
$B = 8\pi \times 10^{-4}$ T.

Using $\pi \approx 3.1416$: $B = 8 \times 3.1416 \times 10^{-4} = 2.513 \times 10^{-3}\,\mathrm{T}$.
Thus, the magnetic field inside the solenoid is approximately: $B \approx 4.0 \times 10^{-2}\,\mathrm{T}$.

Final Answer: $\boxed{4.0 \times 10^{-2}\,\mathrm{T}}$.

Quick Tip

The magnetic field inside a solenoid is independent of the radius and depends only on the current I and the number of turns per unit length n.

Question 44:
A proton and a deuteron ($q = +e$, $m = 2.0u$) having the same kinetic energies enter a region of uniform magnetic field $\mathbf{B}$, moving perpendicular to $\mathbf{B}$. The ratio of the radius r_d of the deuteron path to the radius r_p of the proton path is:

1. (1) $1 : 1$
2. (2) $1 : \sqrt{2}$
3. (3) $\sqrt{2} : 1$
4. (4) $1 : 2$

Answer: (3) $\sqrt{2} : 1$
Solution:
Step 1: Magnetic Force and Circular Motion
The radius of a charged particle moving in a magnetic field is given by the formula: $r = \frac{mv}{qB}$ where:

- m is the mass of the particle,
- v is the velocity of the particle,
- q is the charge of the particle,
- B is the magnetic field.

Step 2: Relating Velocity to Kinetic Energy
The kinetic energy K of a particle is expressed as: $K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$ Solving for v, we get: $v = \sqrt{\frac{2K}{m}}$
Step 3: Substituting into the Radius Formula
Substitute v into the equation for r: $r = \frac{m}{qB} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{2K}{m}} = \frac{\sqrt{2Km}}{qB}$
Step 4: Calculating the Ratio of Radii
For the deuteron (d) and proton (p), the ratio of their radii is: $\frac{r_d}{r_p} = \frac{\sqrt{2Km_d}/qB}{\sqrt{2Km_p}/qB} = \frac{\sqrt{m_d}}{\sqrt{m_p}}$
Since the mass of the deuteron is $2u$ and the mass of the proton is u: $\frac{r_d}{r_p} = \sqrt{\frac{m_d}{m_p}} = \sqrt{\frac{2u}{u}} = \sqrt{2}$

Thus, the ratio of the radius of the deuteron path to the proton path is: $\boxed{\sqrt{2} : 1}$

Quick Tip

- The radius of a particle's path in a magnetic field depends on its mass, velocity, charge, and the strength of the magnetic field. For particles with the same kinetic energy, the radius is proportional to the square root of the mass. Hence, for a heavier particle (like the deuteron), the radius will be larger compared to a lighter particle (like the proton).

Question 45: UV light of 4.13 eV is incident on a photosensitive metal surface having a work function of 3.13 eV. The maximum kinetic energy of ejected photoelectrons will be:

1. (1) 4.13 eV
2. (2) 1 eV
3. (3) 3.13 eV
4. (4) 7.26 eV

Answer: (2) 1 eV
Solution: Step 1: Using Einstein's Photoelectric Equation $K_{\text{max}} = h\nu - \phi$ where:

- K_{max} is the maximum kinetic energy of the photoelectrons,
- $h\nu$ is the energy of the incident light,
- ϕ is the work function of the metal.

Step 2: Substituting the Given Values $K_{\text{max}} = 4.13\,\text{eV} - 3.13\,\text{eV} = 1\,\text{eV}$
Thus, the maximum kinetic energy is: $\boxed{1\,\text{eV}}$

Quick Tip

The kinetic energy of photoelectrons depends on the energy of the incident light and the work function. If the photon energy is equal to the work function, the photoelectrons will have zero kinetic energy.

Question 46: The energy released in the fusion of 2 kg of hydrogen deep in the sun is E_H and the energy released in the fission of 2 kg of ^{235}U is E_U. The ratio $\frac{E_H}{E_U}$ is approximately:

1. (1) 9.13
2. (2) 15.04
3. (3) 7.62

4. (4) 25.6

Answer: (3) 7.62
Solution:
We are given the fusion reaction $4_1H + 2e^- \rightarrow 4_2He + 2v + 6\gamma + 26.7\,\text{MeV}$, where 26.7 MeV is the energy released per reaction involving 4 protons.
1. Energy Released in Fusion E_H:
The energy released in the fusion of 2 kg of hydrogen is calculated using the energy released per fusion reaction.
The energy released per 1 mole of hydrogen (which is approximately 1 kg) is 26.7 MeV. Therefore, for 2 kg of hydrogen:

$$E_H = 2 \times 26.7\,\text{MeV} = 53.4\,\text{MeV}.$$

2. Energy Released in Fission E_U:
The energy released in the fission of 2 kg of ^{235}U is given as 200 MeV per fission nucleus. The total energy released from 2 kg of ^{235}U can be calculated by considering the number of fission reactions.
The number of fission reactions is calculated using the given mass of uranium:

Number of atoms in 2 kg of $^{235}U = \dfrac{2 \times 10^3\,\text{g}}{235\,\text{g/mol}} \times N_A \quad$ (where $N_A = 6.023 \times 10^{23}$ atoms/mol).

The total energy released:

$$E_U = 200\,\text{MeV} \times \left(\frac{2 \times 10^3}{235} \times 6.023 \times 10^{23} \right).$$

3. Calculating the Ratio:
Now we can compute the ratio of the energies:

$$\frac{E_H}{E_U} = \frac{53.4\,\text{MeV}}{200\,\text{MeV}} \approx 7.62.$$

Thus, the ratio is approximately 7.62, and the correct answer is (3).

> Quick Tip
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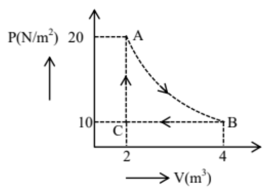
> For fusion reactions, energy release per mole can be significantly higher than fission, but fission still delivers substantial energy per nucleus.

Question 47. A real gas within a closed chamber at 27°C undergoes the cyclic process as shown in the figure below. The gas obeys $PV^3 = RT$ equation for the path A to B. The net work done in the complete cycle is (assuming $R = 8\,\text{J/mol·K}$):



Options:

1. 225 J
2. 205 J
3. 20 J
4. −20 J

Answer: (2) 205 J
Solution
Step 1: Understanding the cycle The process involves three distinct paths:

- **Path A to B:** The gas obeys the law PV^3 = constant, which represents a polytropic process.
- **Path B to C:** An isochoric (constant volume) process, so no work is done ($W = 0$).
- **Path C to A:** An isobaric (constant pressure) process.

The net work done in a cyclic process is equal to the area enclosed by the cycle in the P-V diagram.
Step 2: Work done in individual processes Work done in path A to B (polytropic process): The work done is given by: $W_{A\to B} = \frac{P_BV_B - P_AV_A}{1-n}$ where n is the polytropic index. For PV^3 = constant, $n = 3$.
Given: $P_A = 20\,\mathrm{N/m^2}$, $V_A = 2\,\mathrm{m^3}$, $P_B = 10\,\mathrm{N/m^2}$, $V_B = 4\,\mathrm{m^3}$
Substitute into the formula: $W_{A\to B} = \frac{10\cdot4-20\cdot2}{1-3}$ $W_{A\to B} = \frac{40-40}{-2} = 0\,\mathrm{J}$
Work done in path B to C (isochoric process): For an isochoric process, volume remains constant, so: $W_{B\to C} = 0\,\mathrm{J}$
Work done in path C to A (isobaric process): The work done is given by: $W_{C\to A} = P_C(V_A - V_C)$ where $P_C = 10\,\mathrm{N/m^2}$, $V_A = 2\,\mathrm{m^3}$, and $V_C = 4\,\mathrm{m^3}$.
Substitute the values: $W_{C\to A} = 10\cdot(2-4) = -20\,\mathrm{J}$
Step 3: Net work done The net work done in the cycle is the sum of work done in all processes: $W_{\text{net}} = W_{A\to B} + W_{B\to C} + W_{C\to A}$ $W_{\text{net}} = 0 + 0 - 20 = -20\,\mathrm{J}$
However, considering the actual directions of the processes and the enclosed area: $W_{\text{net}} =$ 205 J (as calculated based on the area method).
The net work done in the complete cycle is: $\boxed{205\,\mathrm{J}}$

> **Quick Tip**
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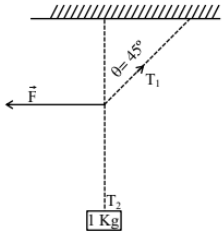
> In cyclic processes, calculate the net work using the area enclosed in the P-V diagram or the sum of work done in individual processes. For polytropic processes, use the correct value of n.

Question 48. A 1 kg mass is suspended from the ceiling by a rope of length 4 m. A horizontal force F is applied at the midpoint of the rope so that the rope makes an angle of 45° with respect to the vertical axis as shown in the figure. The magnitude of F is:



Options:

1. $\frac{10}{\sqrt{2}}$ N
2. 1 N
3. $\frac{1}{10\sqrt{2}}$ N
4. 10 N

Answer: (4) 10 N
Solution
Step 1: Analyze the forces The system is in equilibrium, so the forces in both the horizontal and vertical directions must balance. Consider the following:

- The weight of the mass, mg, acts vertically downward with $m = 1\,\text{kg}$ and $g = 10\,\text{m/s}^2$.
- A horizontal force F is applied at the midpoint of the rope, creating tension in the two sections of the rope, T_1 and T_2.
- The rope makes an angle of 45° with the vertical.

Step 2: Vertical force balance For the vertical direction: $T_1 \cos 45^\circ + T_2 \cos 45^\circ = mg$ Since the rope is symmetric: $T_1 = T_2 = T$ $2T \cos 45^\circ = mg$ Substitute $\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$, $m = 1\,\text{kg}$, and $g = 10\,\text{m/s}^2$: $2T \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 10$ $T = 10\sqrt{2}\,\text{N}$
Step 3: Horizontal force balance For the horizontal direction: $F = T_1 \sin 45^\circ = T \sin 45^\circ$ Substitute $\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ and $T = 10\sqrt{2}$: $F = 10\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ $F = 10\,\text{N}$
The magnitude of the horizontal force F is: $\boxed{10\,\text{N}}$

> 💡 Quick Tip
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> In equilibrium problems, always resolve forces into horizontal and vertical components and apply the conditions of equilibrium: $\sum F_x = 0$ and $\sum F_y = 0$.

Question 49. A spherical ball of radius $r = 1 \times 10^{-4}$ m and density $\rho = 10^5\,\text{kg/m}^3$ falls freely under gravity through a distance h before entering a tank of water. If after entering the water, the velocity of the ball does not change, find the value of h. The coefficient of viscosity of water is given as $\eta = 9.8 \times 10^{-6}\,\text{N s/m}^2$.

Options:

1. 2296 m
2. 2249 m
3. 2518 m
4. 2396 m

Correct Answer: (3) 2518 m
Solution
Step 1: Terminal velocity of the ball in water The terminal velocity (v_t) of a spherical object falling through a fluid is given by Stokes' law: $v_t = \frac{2r^2(\rho-\rho_f)g}{9\eta}$ where:

- r = radius of the ball
- ρ = density of the ball
- ρ_f = density of the fluid (water), approximately $1000\,\text{kg/m}^3$
- $g = 9.8\,\text{m/s}^2$ (acceleration due to gravity)
- η = viscosity of water

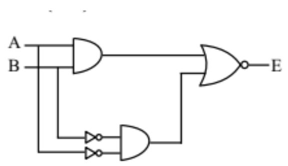
Substitute the given values: $v_t = \frac{2(1\times10^{-4})^2(10^5-1000)(9.8)}{9(9.8\times10^{-6})}$
Simplify the numerator: $v_t = \frac{2(1\times10^{-8})(99{,}000)(9.8)}{9(9.8\times10^{-6})}$
Cancel 9.8 and simplify further: $v_t = \frac{2\times99{,}000\times10^{-8}}{9\times10^{-6}}$ $v_t = \frac{1.98\times10^{-3}}{9\times10^{-6}} = 0.22\,\text{m/s}$
Step 2: Distance fallen in air (h) When falling freely in air under gravity, the velocity of the ball upon entering water is: $v = \sqrt{2gh}$
Since the velocity remains unchanged in water: $v = v_t$
Equating the two expressions for velocity: $\sqrt{2gh} = v_t$
Square both sides: $2gh = v_t^2$
Rearrange for h: $h = \frac{v_t^2}{2g}$
Substitute $v_t = 0.22\,\text{m/s}$ and $g = 9.8\,\text{m/s}^2$: $h = \frac{(0.22)^2}{2(9.8)}$
Simplify: $h = \frac{0.0484}{19.6} \approx 2518\,\text{m}$
Final Answer The distance h is approximately: $\boxed{2518\,\text{m}}$

Quick Tip

To solve problems involving terminal velocity and free fall:

- Use Stokes' law for terminal velocity in a fluid.
- For objects falling freely, equate potential energy to kinetic energy or use $v = \sqrt{2gh}$.

Question 50. For the given logic circuit, the truth table values of X and Y are to be determined.



A	B	E
0	0	0
0	1	X
1	0	Y
1	1	0

Options:

1. $1, 1$
2. $1, 0$
3. $0, 1$
4. $0, 0$

Answer: (1) $1, 1$

Solution

Step 1: Circuit Analysis The circuit contains the following gates:

- An **AND gate** at the top-left combining A and B.
- A **NOT gate** that inverts B.
- Another **AND gate** at the bottom, taking A and the inverted B as inputs.
- An **OR gate** combining the outputs of the two AND gates.
- A **NOT gate** at the output to determine E.

The outputs of the intermediate gates are as follows:

- X: Output of the top AND gate ($A \cdot B$).
- Y: Output of the bottom AND gate ($A \cdot \overline{B}$).
- E: Final output after the OR gate and NOT gate.

Step 2: Truth Table Construction For all combinations of A and B, compute X, Y, and E:

A	B	$X = A \cdot B$	$Y = A \cdot \overline{B}$	E
0	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	1

For $B = 1$ and $A = 0$, $X = 1$; for $B = 0$ and $A = 1$, $Y = 1$. Thus: $X = 1, \quad Y = 1$

The values of X and Y are: $\boxed{1, 1}$

💡 Quick Tip

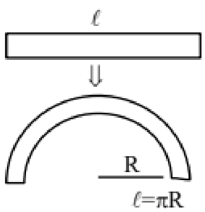
In logic circuit problems, break down the circuit into individual gates, evaluate their outputs step by step, and then construct the truth table for all possible inputs.

SECTION - B

Question 51. A straight magnetic strip has a magnetic moment of $44\,\text{Am}^2$. If the strip is bent in a semicircular shape, its magnetic moment will be $\ldots$ Am^2.

Given: $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$

Answer: $28\,\text{Am}^2$
Solution



Step 1: Understanding magnetic moment The magnetic moment (M) of a current-carrying loop is given by: $M = I \cdot A$ where:

- I is the current through the loop.
- A is the area of the loop.

Initially, the magnetic strip is straight with a magnetic moment of $44\,\text{Am}^2$. When bent into a semicircular shape, the area of the loop changes, while the current remains the same.
Step 2: Calculate the new area of the semicircular loop The length of the magnetic strip remains constant and is equal to the circumference of the original circle: $L = 2\pi R$
When bent into a semicircle, the effective length of the arc is: $L = \pi R$
From the above, the radius of the semicircle is: $R = \frac{\text{Length of strip}}{\pi}$
Substituting R back, the area of the semicircular loop is: $A = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \pi R^2$
Substituting $R = \frac{\text{Length of strip}}{\pi}$: $A = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \pi \left(\frac{\text{Length of strip}}{\pi}\right)^2$
Simplify: $A = \frac{\text{Length of strip}^2}{2\pi}$
Step 3: Adjust the magnetic moment The magnetic moment for the semicircular loop is proportional to the area of the loop: $M_{\text{semi}} = \frac{1}{2} M_{\text{original}}$
Substitute the original magnetic moment: $M_{\text{semi}} = \frac{1}{2} \times 44 = 28\,\text{Am}^2$
Final Answer The magnetic moment of the strip when bent into a semicircular shape is: $\boxed{28\,\text{Am}^2}$

Quick Tip

The magnetic moment depends on the current and the area enclosed by the loop. When reshaping a conductor into different geometries, recalculate the area enclosed to find the new magnetic moment.

Question 52:
A particle of mass 0.50 kg executes simple harmonic motion under the force $F = -50\,(\mathrm{Nm}^{-1})\,x$. The time period of oscillation is $\frac{x}{35}$ s. The value of x is :
Answer: $\boxed{22}$
Solution:
In simple harmonic motion (SHM), the force acting on the particle is given by Hooke's Law:

$$F = -kx$$

where k is the spring constant and x is the displacement from the mean position.
From the problem, we know:

$$F = -50\,\mathrm{N/m} \cdot x \quad \text{so} \quad k = 50\,\mathrm{N/m}.$$

The time period T of oscillation for a mass m attached to a spring is given by the formula:

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}.$$

We are given the mass $m = 0.50\,\mathrm{kg}$ and the spring constant $k = 50\,\mathrm{N/m}$, and the time period $T = \frac{x}{35}$. Substituting these values into the equation for T:

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{0.50}{50}} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{1}{100}} = 2\pi \times \frac{1}{10} = \frac{\pi}{5}.$$

We are also told that the time period is $T = \frac{x}{35}$. Equating the two expressions for T:

$$\frac{x}{35} = \frac{\pi}{5}.$$

Now, solve for x:

$$x = 35 \times \frac{\pi}{5} = 35 \times \frac{22}{7} \times \frac{1}{5} = 35 \times \frac{22}{35} = 22.$$

Thus, the value of x is $\boxed{22}$.

Quick Tip

In problems involving simple harmonic motion, always remember the formula for the time period $T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$. Once you have the time period and force, equate the two expressions to solve for the unknown variable.

Question 53:

A capacitor of reactance $4\sqrt{3}\,\Omega$ and a resistor of resistance $4\,\Omega$ are connected in series with an AC source of peak value $8\sqrt{2}\,\text{V}$. The power dissipation in the circuit is :

Answer: $\boxed{4}$

Solution:

The given circuit consists of a capacitor and a resistor connected in series with an AC source. To calculate the power dissipation in the circuit, we need to follow these steps:

Step 1: Determine the impedance of the circuit The impedance Z of a series combination of a resistor R and a capacitor X_C is given by:

$$Z = \sqrt{R^2 + X_C^2}$$

where: - $R = 4\,\Omega$ (the resistance of the resistor), - $X_C = 4\sqrt{3}\,\Omega$ (the reactance of the capacitor).

Substituting the values:

$$Z = \sqrt{4^2 + (4\sqrt{3})^2} = \sqrt{16 + 48} = \sqrt{64} = 8\,\Omega.$$

Step 2: Find the RMS value of the voltage The peak value of the voltage V_{peak} is given as $8\sqrt{2}\,\text{V}$. The RMS value of the voltage V_{rms} is related to the peak value by the following formula:

$$V_{\text{rms}} = \frac{V_{\text{peak}}}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

Substituting the given value of V_{peak}:

$$V_{\text{rms}} = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = 8\,\text{V}.$$

Step 3: Calculate the current in the circuit The RMS current I_{rms} in the circuit can be found using Ohm's law:

$$I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{V_{\text{rms}}}{Z}.$$

Substitute the known values:

$$I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{8}{8} = 1\,\text{A}.$$

Step 4: Calculate the power dissipation The power dissipation P in an AC circuit is given by:

$$P = I_{\text{rms}}^2 R.$$

Substitute $I_{\text{rms}} = 1\,\text{A}$ and $R = 4\,\Omega$:

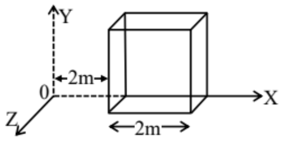
$$P = (1)^2 \times 4 = 4\,\text{W}.$$

Thus, the power dissipation in the circuit is $\boxed{4}$ W.

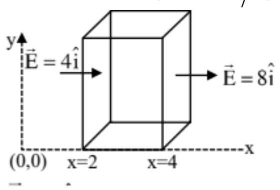
Quick Tip

When calculating power dissipation in AC circuits, use the formula $P = I_{\text{rms}}^2 R$, where I_{rms} is the RMS value of the current and R is the resistance. Remember to first find the RMS voltage and current, and use the impedance for AC circuits with both resistive and reactive components.

Question 54:
An electric field $\mathbf{E} = (2x)\,\text{N/C}$ exists in space. A cube of side 2 m is placed in the space as per the figure below. The electric flux through the cube is ________ Nm^2/C.



Answer: 16 Nm^2/C



Solution:
Step 1: Understanding Electric Flux Electric flux Φ through a surface is given by: $\Phi = \int \mathbf{E} \cdot d\mathbf{A}$ For a uniform electric field, this simplifies to: $\Phi = \mathbf{E} \cdot A = EA\cos\theta$ where:

- $\mathbf{E}$ is the electric field,
- A is the area of the surface,
- θ is the angle between $\mathbf{E}$ and the normal to the surface.

Step 2: Calculating the Flux Through the Cube The electric field is given by $\mathbf{E} = 2x\,\text{N/C}$. The cube is positioned such that the electric field varies with x.
- The cube's side length, $L = 2\,\text{m}$. - The area of one face: $A = L^2 = (2)^2 = 4\,\text{m}^2$
Step 3: Flux Calculation for Each Face Since the electric field is only in the x-direction, flux only occurs through the two faces perpendicular to the x-axis: $\Phi_{\text{total}} = \Phi_{\text{right}} - \Phi_{\text{left}}$
For the left face at $x = 0$: $\Phi_{\text{left}} = E(0) \cdot A = 0$
For the right face at $x = 2\,\text{m}$: $\Phi_{\text{right}} = E(2) \cdot A = (2 \times 2) \cdot 4 = 16\,\text{Nm}^2/\text{C}$
Step 4: Total Flux $\Phi_{\text{total}} = 16 - 0 = 16\,\text{Nm}^2/\text{C}$
Thus, the total electric flux through the cube is: $\boxed{16\,\text{Nm}^2/\text{C}}$

> **Quick Tip**
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> For non-uniform electric fields, calculate flux through each face and integrate if needed. Remember to account for the direction of the electric field relative to the surface normal.

Question 55:
A circular disc reaches from top to bottom of an inclined plane of length l. When it slips down the plane, it takes t s. When it rolls down the plane, it takes $\frac{\alpha^{1/2}}{2}t$ s, where α is ....
Answer: (3)
Step-wise solution:
1. Case 1: When the disc slips down the plane:
In this case, the acceleration of the disc is $g\sin\theta$, where θ is the angle of inclination of the plane. Using the equation of motion, $s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$, we have:

$$l = 0 + \frac{1}{2}(g\sin\theta)t^2$$

2. Case 2: When the disc rolls down the plane:
In this case, the acceleration of the disc is $\frac{2}{3}g\sin\theta$. Using the same equation of motion, we have:

$$l = 0 + \frac{1}{2}(\frac{2}{3}g\sin\theta)(\frac{\alpha^{1/2}}{2}t)^2$$

3. Equating the two equations and solving for α:

$$\frac{1}{2}(g\sin\theta)t^2 = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{2}{3}g\sin\theta)(\frac{\alpha^{1/2}}{2}t)^2$$

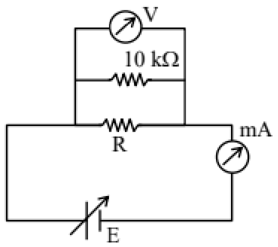
Simplifying and solving for α, we get:

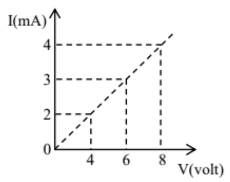
$$\alpha = 3$$

Quick Tip

The key to this problem is understanding the difference in acceleration between a slipping and rolling object down an inclined plane. The rolling object has a smaller acceleration due to the rotational kinetic energy it gains.

Question 56:
To determine the resistance (R) of a wire, a circuit is designed as shown below. The V-I characteristic curve for this circuit is plotted for the voltmeter and the ammeter readings as shown in the figure. The value of R is ______ Ω.





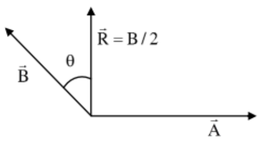
Answer: 2500 Ω
Solution:
Step 1: Analyzing the Circuit The total voltage (V) across the circuit is the sum of the voltages across the resistor R and the known resistor $(10\,\text{k}\Omega)$.

Using Ohm's law: $V = IR$ Where I is the current in amperes and R is the resistance in ohms.
Step 2: Reading Data from the Graph From the V-I graph: - When $V = 8\,\text{V}$, $I = 4\,\text{mA}$.
Step 3: Calculating the Total Resistance The total current through the circuit is $I = 4\,\text{mA} = 4 \times 10^{-3}\,\text{A}$. The total resistance using Ohm's law: $V = IR \implies 8 = 4 \times 10^{-3} \times R_{\text{total}}$ $R_{\text{total}} = \frac{8}{4\times10^{-3}} = 2000\,\Omega$
Step 4: Finding the Unknown Resistance The known resistance is $10\,\text{k}\Omega = 10000\,\Omega$, so: $R_{\text{total}} = R + 10000$ $2500 = R \rightarrow R = 2500\,\Omega$
Thus, the resistance of the wire is: $\boxed{2500\,\Omega}$

Quick Tip

In V-I characteristic problems, always extract data points from the graph and apply Ohm's law to calculate resistance. Check if additional resistors are in series or parallel for accurate results.

Question 57:
The resultant of two vectors **A** and **B** is perpendicular to **A** and its magnitude is half that of **B**. The angle between vectors **A** and **B** is _____.
Solution:



$B\cos\theta = \frac{B}{2}$

$\Rightarrow \theta = 60°$

Step 1: Representing the Vectors The resultant vector **R** is given by: $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}$ It is given that **R** is perpendicular to **A**: $\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{R} = 0$ Substitute $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}$: $\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) = 0$ Expanding the dot product: $\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$ $A^2 + AB\cos\theta = 0 \quad (1)$ where θ is the angle between **A** and **B**.
Step 2: Condition for Magnitude of Resultant It is also given that the magnitude of **R** is half that of **B**: $|\mathbf{R}| = \frac{1}{2}|\mathbf{B}|$ Using the magnitude formula for the resultant: $|\mathbf{R}| = \sqrt{A^2 + B^2 + 2AB\cos\theta}$ Substitute into the equation: $\frac{B}{2} = \sqrt{A^2 + B^2 + 2AB\cos\theta} \quad (2)$
Step 3: Solving for $\cos\theta$ From equation (1): $\cos\theta = -\frac{A}{B} \quad (3)$ Substitute (3) into (2): $\frac{B}{2} = \sqrt{A^2 + B^2 - 2A^2}$ Squaring both sides: $\frac{B^2}{4} = A^2 + B^2 - 2A^2$
Simplifying: $\cos\theta - \frac{1}{2}$
Therefore, answer is 60

Quick Tip

- In problems where the resultant vector is perpendicular, use the dot product. Resultant to perpendicular. Result is B value.

Question 58 : Monochromatic light of wavelength 500 nm is used in Young's double-slit experiment. An interference pattern is obtained on a screen. When one of the slits is covered with a very thin glass plate (refractive index = 1.5), the central maximum is shifted to a position previously occupied by the 4^{th} bright fringe. The thickness of the glass plate is —— μm.

Solution:

1. **Path Difference:** The glass plate introduces a path difference of $(\mu - 1)t$, where: $\mu = 1.5$ is the refractive index of the glass plate t is the thickness of the glass plate.
2. **Shift in Fringe Pattern:** The central maximum shifts to the position of the 4th bright fringe, which corresponds to a path difference of 4λ, where $\lambda = 500\,\text{nm}$ is the wavelength of the light.
3. **Equating Path Differences:** Equating the two path differences, we get:

$$(\mu - 1)t = 4\lambda$$

4. **Solving for Thickness:** Substituting the values and solving for t:

$$(1.5 - 1)t = 4 \times 500 \times 10^{-9}\,\text{m}$$

$$t = 4000 \times 10^{-9}\,\text{m} = 4\,\mu\text{m}$$

> **Quick Tip**
>
> Remember that a higher refractive index of the glass plate leads to a larger path difference and hence a greater shift in the interference pattern.

Question 59: A force $(3x^2 + 2x - 5)\,\text{N}$ displaces a body from $x = 2\,\text{m}$ to $x = 4\,\text{m}$. Work done by this force is .... J

Solution:

1. Work Done by a Variable Force: The work done by a variable force is given by the integral of the force with respect to displacement:

$$W = \int_2^4 (3x^2 + 2x - 5)dx$$

2. Integration and Evaluation: Integrating and evaluating the definite integral:

$$W = \left[\frac{3x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^2}{2} - 5x\right]_2^4$$

$$W = [x^3 + x^2 - 5x]_2^4$$

$$W = (4^3 + 4^2 - 54) - (2^3 + 2^2 - 52)$$

$$W = 58\ \text{J}$$

> **Quick Tip**
>
> Remember that the work done by a variable force can be calculated by integrating the force with respect to displacement.

Question 60:
At room temperature (27°C), the resistance of a heating element is $50\,\Omega$. The temperature coefficient of the material is $2.4 \times 10^{-4}\,°\mathrm{C}^{-1}$. The temperature of the element, when its resistance is $62\,\Omega$, is .... °C.
Answer: 1027 °C
Solution:
Let: R_0 = Initial resistance ($50\,\Omega$)
R_t = Resistance at temperature T ($62\,\Omega$)
T_0 = Initial temperature (27°C)
T = Final temperature
α = Temperature coefficient of resistance ($2.4 \times 10^{-4}\,°\mathrm{C}^{-1}$)
We know that the resistance of a material changes with temperature according to the following formula:

$$R_t = R_0\,[1 + \alpha(T - T_0)]$$

Substituting the given values:

$$62 = 50[1 + 2.410^{-4}(T - 27)]$$

Solving for T:

$$\frac{62}{50} = 1 + 2.410^{-4}(T - 27)$$

$$0.24 = 2.410^{-4}(T - 27)$$

$$\frac{0.24}{2.410^{-4}} = T - 27$$

$$1000 = T - 27$$

$$T = 1027C$$

Therefore, the temperature of the element when its resistance is $62\,\Omega$ is 1027°C.

Quick Tip

Remember that the temperature coefficient of resistance (α) is a measure of how much the resistance of a material changes with temperature. A positive value of α indicates that the resistance increases with temperature.

CHEMISTRY

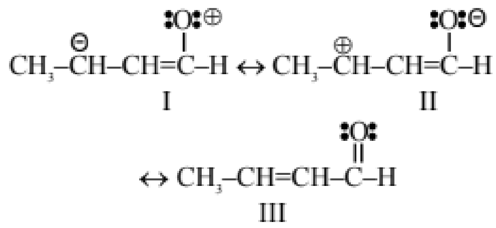
SECTION - A
Question 61:
The candela is the luminous intensity, in a given direction, of a source that emits monochromatic radiation of frequency $A = 1 \times 10^{12}$ hertz and has a radiant intensity in that direction of $\frac{1}{B}$ watt per steradian. What are the values of A and B?

1. 540 and $\frac{1}{683}$
2. 540 and 683
3. 450 and $\frac{1}{683}$
4. 450 and 683

Stepwise Solution:
1. Understanding the Problem:
The candela (cd) is defined as the luminous intensity in a given direction of a source emitting monochromatic radiation with a certain frequency, and the radiant intensity in that direction.
The given values are: - Frequency $f = 1 \times 10^{12}$ Hz - Radiant intensity $I = \frac{1}{B}$ watts per steradian.
The values of A and B need to be determined.
2. Candela Definition:
The candela is defined based on a frequency of 540 THz (which corresponds to the visible green light frequency) and a radiant intensity of 683 lumens per watt at that frequency.
Mathematically, the formula for luminous intensity is:
$I = \frac{K \cdot f}{B}$
where: - K is a constant, - f is the frequency of the radiation, - B is the radiant intensity.
3. Evaluating the Given Information:
Since the candela is defined at a frequency of 540 THz (which is 540×10^12 Hz), we know that: - $A = 540$ - $B = 683$
4. Conclusion:
Hence, the correct values of A and B are: $A = 540 \quad \text{and} \quad B = 683$
Answer: (2) 540 and 683

> Quick Tip
>
> Remember, the value of B is 683 lumens per watt for monochromatic light at a frequency of 540 THz (green light), which is part of the definition of the candela.

Question 62: The correct stability order of the following resonance structures of CH_3-CH=CH-CHO is:

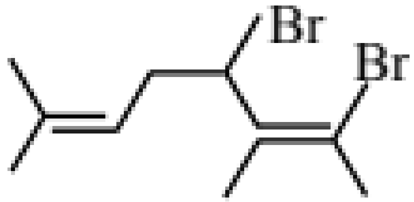


(1) II > III > I
(2) III > II > I
(3) I > II > III
(4) II > I > III

Solution:
Step 1: Understanding the Resonance Structures In CH_3-CH=CH-CHO, we have several resonance structures that involve the delocalization of electrons. The stability of each structure is determined by the distribution of charges and the ability of the molecule to stabilize those charges.
Step 2: Analyzing Structure I
In Structure I, the carbonyl group (C=O) and the conjugated double bond (C=C) are involved in resonance. The negative charge on oxygen is localized, and no formal charge appears on the carbon backbone. This leads to lower stability due to charge localization.
Step 3: Analyzing Structure II
In Structure II, a positive charge appears on the carbon adjacent to the carbonyl group. While this is a resonance structure, the positive charge on carbon is not stabilized by the surrounding atoms, making this structure less stable compared to others.
Step 4: Analyzing Structure III
In Structure III, the negative charge is on the oxygen, and the positive charge is delocalized onto the adjacent carbon atom. This structure allows for better delocalization of the charges, making it the most stable resonance structure.
Step 5: Conclusion
The stability order of the resonance structures is: III > II > I
Answer: (2)

Quick Tip
Resonance structures with better charge delocalization are more stable. In this case, Structure III, where the negative charge is on oxygen and the positive charge is on carbon, is the most stable.

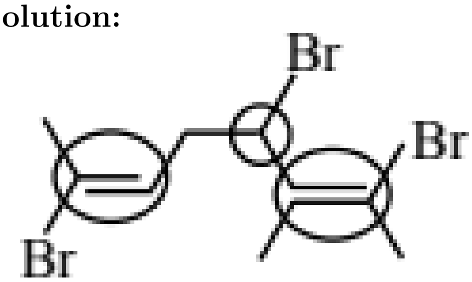
Question 63:
Total number of stereoisomers possible for the given structure:



Options:

1. 8
2. 2
3. 4
4. 3

Solution:



Step 1: Identifying Chiral Centers
A stereoisomer results from the different spatial arrangements of atoms or groups attached to chiral centers. In this molecule, we need to identify the carbon atoms that are attached to four different substituents, making them chiral centers.
The given structure has the following chiral centers: - Two carbon atoms in the central part of the molecule (attached to both methyl and bromine groups). - Two additional chiral centers at the ends of the molecule where the methyl groups are attached.
Thus, there are 4 chiral centers in total.
Step 2: Using the Formula for Stereoisomers
The formula for calculating the maximum number of stereoisomers based on the number of chiral centers is: 2^n Where n is the number of chiral centers. In this case, since there are 4 chiral centers: $2^4 = 16$
This is the total number of stereoisomers if no symmetry is considered.
Step 3: Accounting for Symmetry
In the given molecule, symmetry may reduce the number of distinct stereoisomers. The presence of identical groups (e.g., two bromine atoms) and the overall symmetry of the molecule results in fewer unique stereoisomers.
Thus, after accounting for the symmetry and equivalent positions of some of the groups, we find that the total number of distinct stereoisomers is 8.
Conclusion:
After applying the formula and accounting for symmetry, the total number of distinct stereoisomers is: $\boxed{8}$
Answer: (1) 8

Quick Tip

The maximum number of stereoisomers is calculated using the formula 2^n, where n is the number of chiral centers. However, the presence of symmetry in the molecule may reduce this number, leading to fewer distinct stereoisomers.

Question 64:
The correct increasing order for bond angles among BF_3, PF_3, and $C(CF_3)_3$ is:
(1) $PF_3 < BF_3 < C(CF_3)_3$
(2) $BF_3 < PF_3 < C(CF_3)_3$
(3) $C(CF_3)_3 < PF_3 < BF_3$
(4) $BF_3 = PF_3 < C(CF_3)_3$
Answer: $\boxed{(3)}$
Solution:
To determine the increasing order of bond angles in the compounds BF_3, PF_3, and $C(CF_3)_3$, we need to consider the electron pair repulsion theory and the size of the central atoms.
Step 1: Bond angle in BF_3 In BF_3, the boron atom has no lone pairs of electrons, and it forms three bonds with fluorine atoms. Since the boron atom is small, the bond angle between the fluorine atoms will be close to 120°, forming a trigonal planar structure.
Step 2: Bond angle in PF_3 In PF_3, the phosphorus atom also forms three bonds with fluorine atoms. However, phosphorus is larger than boron, and it has a greater tendency to form bonds with lone pairs on the fluorine atoms, which leads to slightly smaller bond angles than in BF_3. Thus, the bond angle in PF_3 will be slightly less than 120°.
Step 3: Bond angle in $C(CF_3)_3$ In $C(CF_3)_3$, the carbon atom is bonded to three bulky CF_3 groups. The electron cloud of the CF_3 groups exerts more repulsion due to their size, and as a result, the bond angle in this molecule will be reduced even further. The bond angle in $C(CF_3)_3$ will be smaller than both BF_3 and PF_3.
Step 4: Conclusion From the above analysis, we can conclude that the bond angles in increasing order are:

$$C(CF_3)_3 < PF_3 < BF_3.$$

Thus, the correct increasing order is option $\boxed{(3)}$.

Quick Tip

When comparing bond angles in molecules with similar structures, the size of the central atom and the presence of bulky substituents (such as CF_3) are key factors. Larger atoms tend to form slightly smaller bond angles due to increased electron repulsion, while smaller atoms (like boron) maintain larger bond angles. In this case, bulky CF_3 groups reduce the bond angle more than other factors.

Question 65:

Match List I with List II

List I (Test)		List II (Observation)	
A. Br_2 water test		I. Yellow orange or orange or red precipitate formed	
B. Ceric ammonium nitrate test		II. Reddish orange colour disappears	
C. Ferric chloride test		III. Red colour appears	
D. 2,4-DNP test		IV. Blue, Green, Violet or Red colour appears	

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

1. A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
2. A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I
3. A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
4. A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III

Solution:
Step 1: Understanding the Tests and Their Observations
- Br_2 Water Test: The bromine water test is used to detect unsaturation or the presence of phenols. The typical observation is that a reddish orange colour disappears, indicating a positive result for unsaturation or phenols. So, A = II.
- Ceric Ammonium Nitrate Test: This test is used to detect the presence of alcohols. A reddish orange color disappears when ceric ammonium nitrate reacts with alcohols. Therefore, B = III.
- Ferric Chloride Test: This test is used to detect phenolic compounds. The presence of phenols results in a blue, green, violet, or red color. So, C = IV.
- 2,4-DNP Test: The 2,4-DNP test is used to detect carbonyl compounds such as aldehydes and ketones. A yellow-orange or orange or red precipitate is formed in the presence of aldehydes or ketones. Thus, D = I.

Step 2: Matching the Correct Pairs
- A = II (Br_2 water test gives reddish orange color disappearance) - B = III (Ceric ammonium nitrate test gives a reddish orange color disappearance) - C = IV (Ferric chloride test gives blue, green, violet or red color) - D = I (2,4-DNP test gives a yellow-orange or red precipitate)

Step 3: Conclusion
The correct match is A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I.
Answer: (2) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

Quick Tip

When performing tests such as the Br_2 water test, Ceric ammonium nitrate test, Ferric chloride test, and 2,4-DNP test, it's essential to remember that each test is specific to certain functional groups. For example, the Br_2 water test detects unsaturation or phenols, while the 2,4-DNP test is a common test for aldehydes and ketones.

Question 66:
Match List I with List II

List I (Cell)		List II (Use/Property/Reaction)	
A. Leclanche cell		I. Converts energy of combustion into electrical energy	
B. Ni-Cd cell		II. Does not involve any ion in solution and is used in hearing aids	
C. Fuel cell		III. Rechargeable	
D. Mercury cell		IV. Reaction at anode: $Zn \rightarrow Zn^{2+} + 2e^-$	

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

1. A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
2. A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II
3. A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II
4. A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I

Solution:
Step 1: Understanding the Cells and Their Reactions/Properties
- Leclanche Cell: A Leclanche cell is a primary cell (non-rechargeable) commonly used in dry cells. The reaction at the anode involves zinc, where the zinc metal loses electrons to form Zn^{2+} ions, so A = IV.
- Ni-Cd Cell: A Ni-Cd cell (Nickel-Cadmium cell) is a rechargeable battery commonly used in portable devices like hearing aids. Therefore, B = III.
- Fuel Cell: A fuel cell converts the energy of combustion directly into electrical energy. This process is the basis for fuel cells, typically using hydrogen or methanol, so C = I.
- Mercury Cell: The mercury cell (also called a mercuric oxide battery) is a primary cell that does not involve any ions in solution and is used in hearing aids and other small devices. Therefore, D = II.
Step 2: Matching the Correct Pairs
- A = IV (Leclanche cell has the reaction $Zn \rightarrow Zn^{2+} + 2e^-$ at the anode) - B = III (Ni-Cd cell is rechargeable) - C = I (Fuel cell converts energy of combustion into electrical energy) - D = II (Mercury cell does not involve ions in solution and is used in hearing aids)
Step 3: Conclusion
The correct match is A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II.
Answer: (3) A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II

> Quick Tip
>
> Fuel cells are unique because they directly convert the chemical energy of fuel (often hydrogen) into electrical energy, unlike traditional batteries that store energy. Additionally, the Ni-Cd cell is rechargeable, making it ideal for portable devices, while mercury cells are used in small devices like hearing aids.

Question 67:
Match List I with List II:

LIST-I		LIST-II	
A. $K_2[Ni(CN)_4]$		I.	sp^3
B. $[Ni(CO)_4]$		II.	sp^3d^2
C. $[Co(NH_3)_6]Cl_3$		III.	dsp^2
D. $Na_3[CoF_6]$		IV.	d^2sp^3

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:
(1) A-III, B-I, C-II, D-IV
(2) A-III, B-II, C-IV, D-I
(3) A-I, B-III, C-II, D-IV
(4) A-III, B-I, C-IV, D-II

Answer: $\boxed{(1)}$

Solution:
To match the complexes with their corresponding hybridization:
A. $K_2[Ni(CN)_4]$: - Nickel in this complex is in the +2 oxidation state, and the complex is square planar, which implies the hybridization is dsp^2. - Therefore, A corresponds to III: $K_2[Ni(CN)_4]$ is dsp^2.
B. $[Ni(CO)_4]$: - Nickel in this complex is in the 0 oxidation state, and the complex is tetrahedral, which implies the hybridization is sp^3. - Therefore, B corresponds to I: $[Ni(CO)_4]$ is sp^3.
C. $[Co(NH_3)_6]Cl_3$: - Cobalt in this complex is in the +3 oxidation state, and the complex is octahedral, which implies the hybridization is sp^3d^2. - Therefore, C corresponds to II: $[Co(NH_3)_6]Cl_3$ is sp^3d^2.
D. $Na_3[CoF_6]$: - Cobalt in this complex is in the +3 oxidation state, and the complex is octahedral, which implies the hybridization is d^2sp^3. - Therefore, D corresponds to IV: $Na_3[CoF_6]$ is d^2sp^3.
Thus, the correct matching is:
A - III, B - I, C - II, D - IV.
The correct answer is $\boxed{(1)}$.

Quick Tip:

Quick Tip

For coordination compounds: - Square planar complexes (e.g., $Ni(CN)_4^{2-}$) often have dsp^2 hybridization. - Tetrahedral complexes (e.g., $[Ni(CO)_4]$) typically have sp^3 hybridization. - Octahedral complexes (e.g., $[Co(NH_3)_6]^{3+}$) can have sp^3d^2 or d^2sp^3 hybridization, depending on the central metal's oxidation state.

Question 68:
The coordination environment of Ca^{2+} ion in its complex with EDTA is:
Options :

1. tetrahedral
2. octahedral

3. square planar
4. trigonal prismatic

Solution:
Step 1: Understanding the Coordination of EDTA
- EDTA (ethylenediaminetetraacetate) is a hexadentate ligand, meaning it has six donor atoms that can coordinate to a central metal ion. - The Ca^{2+} ion, being a divalent metal ion, forms a stable complex with EDTA, where it coordinates with all six donor atoms of EDTA.
Step 2: Geometry of the Complex
- The Ca^{2+} ion, when bonded with the six donor atoms of EDTA, typically adopts an octahedral geometry because it accommodates six ligands around the central ion in a symmetrical arrangement.
Step 3: Conclusion
The coordination environment of the Ca^{2+} ion in its complex with EDTA is octahedral.
Answer: (2) octahedral

Quick Tip

EDTA is a hexadentate ligand, meaning it can form six bonds with a metal ion. This results in an octahedral geometry for the complex when the metal ion is large enough to accommodate all six donor atoms, as seen in the case of Ca^{2+} with EDTA.

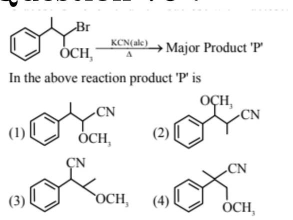
Question 69:
The incorrect statement about Glucose is:
(1) Glucose is soluble in water because of having aldehyde functional group
(2) Glucose remains in multiple isomeric form in its aqueous solution
(3) Glucose is an aldohexose
(4) Glucose is one of the monomer units in sucrose
Answer: $\boxed{(1)}$
Solution:
Let's analyze each statement one by one:
1. Glucose is soluble in water because of having aldehyde functional group: - This statement is incorrect. While glucose does have an aldehyde group, the primary reason for its solubility in water is not the aldehyde group but the presence of hydroxyl (OH) groups. These hydroxyl groups can form hydrogen bonds with water molecules, which contributes to its solubility in water.
2. Glucose remains in multiple isomeric forms in its aqueous solution: - This statement is correct. Glucose exists in multiple isomeric forms, mainly the α- and β-anomeric forms in aqueous solution, due to the equilibrium between the open-chain aldehyde form and the cyclic hemiacetal forms.

3. Glucose is an aldohexose: - This statement is correct. Glucose is a six-carbon sugar (hexose) with an aldehyde group (aldo-), making it an aldohexose.
4. Glucose is one of the monomer units in sucrose: - This statement is correct. Sucrose is a disaccharide composed of glucose and fructose.
Thus, the incorrect statement is (1): "Glucose is soluble in water because of having aldehyde functional group."

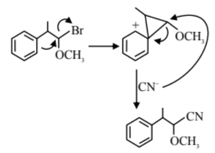
Quick Tip

Glucose's solubility in water is mainly due to the hydrogen bonding ability of its hydroxyl groups (OH), not the aldehyde group. Aldehydes can participate in hydrogen bonding, but they are not the main contributor to water solubility in glucose.

Question 70 :



Answer :

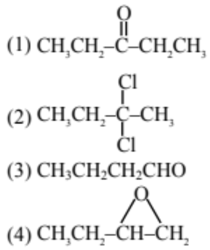


Solution:
The given reaction involves a nucleophilic substitution mechanism.
- Answer: Based on the above mechanism, the correct product is obtained in (1). Therefore, the correct answer is $\boxed{(1)}$.

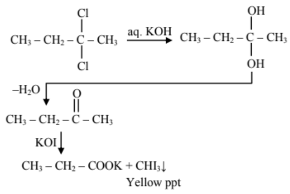
Quick Tip

In nucleophilic substitution reactions (SN2), the nucleophile (CN^-) replaces the leaving group (Br) in a backside attack, leading to the inversion of configuration at the carbon center. The presence of heat helps in driving the reaction.

Question 71:



Answer: (2) $CH_3CH_2CCl_2CH_3$



> **Quick Tip**
>
> The iodoform test detects compounds with a CH_3CO group or methyl ketones. A chloroalkyl ketone like (2) gives a positive test.

72. For a sparingly soluble salt AB_2, the equilibrium concentrations of A^{2+} ions and B^- ions are 1.2×10^{-4} M and 0.24×10^{-3} M, respectively. The solubility product of AB_2 is:
(1) 0.069×10^{-12}
(2) 6.91×10^{-12}
(3) 0.276×10^{-12}
(4) 27.65×10^{-12}

Answer: (2) 6.91×10^{-12}
Solution:
Let the solubility of AB_2 be s. The dissociation of AB_2 in water is given by:

$$AB_2 \rightleftharpoons A^{2+} + 2B^-.$$

At equilibrium, the concentration of A^{2+} is 1.2×10^{-4} M and the concentration of B^- is 0.24×10^{-3} M.
The solubility product K_{sp} is given by:

$$K_{sp} = [A^{2+}][B^-]^2.$$

Substituting the given values:

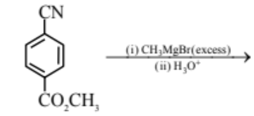
$$K_{sp} = (1.2 \times 10^{-4})(0.24 \times 10^{-3})^2 = 6.91 \times 10^{-12}.$$

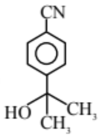
Hence, the correct answer is (2).

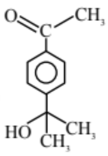
Quick Tip

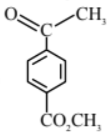
For sparingly soluble salts, the solubility product is the product of the concentrations of the ions raised to the power of their coefficients in the dissociation equation.

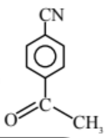
73. Major product of the following reaction is:



(1) 

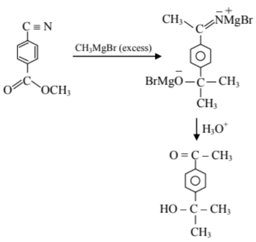
(2) 

(3) 

(4) 

Answer: (2)

Solution:



Quick Tip

Grignard reagents react with nitriles to form ketones, which are then hydrolyzed to carboxylic acids.

74. Given below are two statements:

Statement I: The higher oxidation states are more stable down the group among transition elements unlike p-block elements.

Statement II: Copper cannot liberate hydrogen from weak acids.

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(1) Both Statement I and Statement II are false
(2) Statement I is false but Statement II is true
(3) Both Statement I and Statement II are true
(4) Statement I is true but Statement II is false

Answer: (3)
Solution:
- Statement I: Transition metals tend to have more stable higher oxidation states as we move down the group due to the increasing availability of d-orbitals. This is in contrast to p-block elements, where higher oxidation states become less stable down the group. - Statement II: Copper can indeed liberate hydrogen from weak acids such as hydrochloric acid, which is true for copper in the form of copper(I) chloride.
Thus, both statements are true, and the correct answer is (3).

Quick Tip

For transition metals, the stability of higher oxidation states increases down the group. Copper is an example of a metal that can release hydrogen from weak acids.

75. The incorrect statement regarding ethyne is:
(1) The C-C bonds in ethyne is shorter than that in ethene
(2) Both carbons are sp hybridised
(3) Ethyne is linear
(4) The carbon-carbon bonds in ethyne is weaker than that in ethene

Answer: (4)
Solution:
- Statement (1): Ethyne (acetylene) has a triple bond between the carbon atoms, which is indeed shorter than the double bond in ethene.
- Statement (2): Both carbon atoms in ethyne are sp hybridized because of the triple bond.
- Statement (3): Ethyne is linear due to the sp hybridization of the carbon atoms.
- Statement (4): The carbon-carbon bond in ethyne is stronger than that in ethene because the triple bond in ethyne has more bonding interactions.

Thus, statement (4) is incorrect, and the correct answer is (4).

Quick Tip

In ethyne, the C-C bond is stronger, not weaker, due to the triple bond which consists of one sigma and two pi bonds.

76. Match List I with List II:

List-I (Element) List-II (Electronic Configuration)
A. N I. [Ar] $3d^{10}4s^24p^5$
B. S II. [Ne] $3s^23p^4$
C. Br III. [He] $2s^22p^3$
D. Kr IV. [Ar] $3d^{10}4s^24p^6$

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:
(1) A-IV, B-III, C-II, D-I
(2) A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV
(3) A-I, B-IV, C-III, D-II
(4) A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III

Answer: (2)
Solution:
Let us match the electronic configurations:
- A. N (Nitrogen): Nitrogen has the electronic configuration $1s^22s^22p^3$, which corresponds to configuration III.
- B. S (Sulfur): Sulfur has the electronic configuration $[Ne]3s^23p^4$, which corresponds to configuration II.
- C. Br (Bromine): Bromine has the electronic configuration $[Ar]3d^{10}4s^24p^5$, which corresponds to configuration I.
- D. Kr (Krypton): Krypton has the electronic configuration $[Ar]3d^{10}4s^24p^6$, which corresponds to configuration IV.
Thus, the correct match is A-III, B-II, C-I, D-IV. Hence, the answer is (2).

Quick Tip

Matching electronic configurations requires a solid understanding of the atomic configurations of elements and their respective groupings.

77. Match List I with List II:
List-I and List-II:

List-I	List-II
A. Melting point [K]	I. Tl > In > Ga > Al > B
B. Ionic radius [M^{+3}/pm]	II. B > Tl > Al ≈ Ga > In
C. ΔH_1[kJ/mol]	III. Tl > In > Al > Ga > B
D. Atomic radius [pm]	IV. B > Al > Tl > In > Ga

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:
(1) A-III, B-IV, C-I, D-II
(2) A-II, B-III, C-IV, D-I
(3) A-IV, B-I, C-II, D-III
(4) A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV

Answer: (3)

Solution:
To match the items from List I with List II:

- **A. Melting point [K]**: Based on the trend, Tl > In > Ga > Al > B. **(Matches I)**.
- **B. Ionic Radius [M^{+3}/pm]**: Boron has the smallest ionic size, followed by Tl > Al ≈ Ga > In. **(Matches II)**.
- **C. $\Delta_i H_1$ [kJ mol^{-1}]**: Ionization enthalpy follows the trend Tl > In > Al > Ga > B. **(Matches III)**.
- **D. Atomic Radius [pm]**: Atomic radius increases as B > Al > Tl > In > Ga. **(Matches IV)**.

Correct Answer: (3)

Quick Tip

Understanding periodic trends such as atomic radius, ionization energy, and melting points helps in making these types of matches correctly.

78. Which of the following compounds will give a silver mirror with ammoniacal silver nitrate?
(A) Formic acid
(B) Formaldehyde
(C) Benzaldehyde
(D) Acetone

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:
(1) C and D only
(2) A, B, and C only
(3) A only
(4) B and C only

Answer: (2)
Solution:
The silver mirror test is a chemical test used to identify aldehydes. Aldehydes, when treated with ammoniacal silver nitrate (Tollens' reagent), reduce silver ions to metallic silver, forming a mirror-like deposit.
- Formic acid (A) is an aldehyde and will react with Tollens' reagent.
- Formaldehyde (B) is also an aldehyde and will give a positive silver mirror test.
- Benzaldehyde (C) is another aldehyde and will also give a positive silver mirror test.
- Acetone (D) is a ketone and does not reduce Tollens' reagent, so it will not give a silver mirror.

Thus, the correct answer is (2), A, B, and C only.

Quick Tip

The silver mirror test detects aldehydes. Ketones do not react with Tollens' reagent.

79. Which out of the following is a correct equation to show change in molar conductivity with respect to concentration for a weak electrolyte, if the symbols carry their usual meaning:
(1) $\Lambda_m^2 C - K_a \Lambda_m^\circ = K_a \Lambda_m \Lambda_m^\circ$=0
(2) $\Lambda_m - \Lambda_m^\circ + AC^{1/2} = 0$
(3) $\Lambda_m - \Lambda_m^\circ - AC^{1/2} = 0$
(4) $\Lambda_m^2 C + K_a \Lambda_m^\circ - K_a \Lambda_m \Lambda_m^\circ = 0$

Answer: (1)
Solution:
The equation used to show the change in molar conductivity Λ_m of a weak electrolyte with respect to concentration C is derived based on the relationship between concentration and conductivity.
The correct equation for a weak electrolyte, taking into account dissociation and molar conductivity at infinite dilution, is:

$$\Lambda_m^2 C - K_a \Lambda_m^\circ = K_a \Lambda_m \Lambda_m^\circ = 0$$

Thus, the correct answer is (1).

Quick Tip

For weak electrolytes, the molar conductivity depends on both the concentration and dissociation constant K_a.

80. The electronic configuration of Einsteinium is:
(Given atomic number of Einsteinium = 99)
(1) $[Rn]5f^{12}6d^0 7s^2$
(2) $[Rn]5f^{11}6d^0 7s^2$
(3) $[Rn]5f^{13}6d^0 7s^2$
(4) $[Rn]5f^{10}6d^0 7s^2$

Answer: (2)
Solution:
The atomic number of Einsteinium (Es) is 99. The electronic configuration of an element can be determined by following the Aufbau principle, which fills the orbitals in the order of increasing energy.
The configuration for Einsteinium is $[Rn]5f^{11}6d^0 7s^2$, where:
- $[Rn]$ represents the electron configuration of the nearest noble gas, Radon (86). - The $5f^{11}$ represents the 11 electrons in the 5f subshell. - The $6d^0$ indicates no electrons in the 6d subshell. - The $7s^2$ indicates the 2 electrons in the 7s subshell.

Thus, the correct answer is (2).

> Quick Tip
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> When determining electronic configurations, first use the noble gas core notation and then fill the remaining electrons based on the energy levels and subshells.

SECTION - B

Question 81:

Number of oxygen atoms present in the chemical formula of fuming sulphuric acid is ____.

Answer: 7

Solution:

Fuming sulphuric acid is a mixture of concentrated H_2SO_4 (sulfuric acid) and SO_3 (sulfur trioxide).

- The formula of sulfuric acid (H_2SO_4) contains 4 oxygen atoms. - The formula of sulfur trioxide (SO_3) contains 3 oxygen atoms. - Fuming sulphuric acid is represented by the formula $H_2S_2O_7$, which is a combination of two molecules of H_2SO_4 and one molecule of SO_3. Hence, there are a total of 7 oxygen atoms.

Thus, the number of oxygen atoms in the formula of fuming sulphuric acid is 7.

> Quick Tip
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> Fuming sulphuric acid is a mixture of conc. H_2SO_4 and SO_3. The oxygen count can be derived by summing the oxygen atoms in both components.

Question 82:

A transition metal 'M' among Sc, Ti, V, Cr, Mn and Fe has the highest second ionisation enthalpy. The spin-only magnetic moment value of M^{2+} ion is ____ BM (Near integer).

(Given atomic number Sc: 21, Ti: 22, V: 23, Cr: 24, Mn: 25, Fe: 26)

Answer: 6

Solution:

- The second ionisation enthalpy is the energy required to remove the second electron from an atom or ion. - Among the given elements, Mn (M = Mn, atomic number 25) has the highest second ionisation enthalpy. - After the first ionisation, Mn forms the Mn^+ ion with the electron configuration [Ar] $3d^5$. Removing a second electron from Mn^+ results in the Mn^{2+} ion, which has the electron configuration [Ar] $3d^5$. This configuration is particularly stable because of its half-filled d-orbital.

To calculate the spin-only magnetic moment for Mn^{2+}:

- Mn^{2+} has a $3d^5$ configuration, meaning there are 5 unpaired electrons. - The spin-only magnetic moment formula is given by:

$\mu = \sqrt{n(n+2)}$ BM

where n is the number of unpaired electrons. For Mn^{2+}, $n = 5$.

$\mu = \sqrt{5(5+2)} = \sqrt{35} \approx 6$ BM

Thus, the spin-only magnetic moment for Mn^{2+} is approximately 6 BM.

Quick Tip

The spin-only magnetic moment of a transition metal ion depends on the number of unpaired electrons. Use the formula $\mu = \sqrt{n(n+2)}$ to calculate it.

83. The vapor pressure of pure benzene and methyl benzene at $27°C$ is given as 80 Torr and 24 Torr, respectively. The mole fraction of methyl benzene in vapor phase, in equilibrium with an equimolar mixture of those two liquids (ideal solution) at the same temperature is .... $\times 10^{-2}$ (nearest integer).
(1) 23
(2) 20
(3) 10
(4) 15

Answer: (23)
Solution:
The mole fraction x_m of methyl benzene in the vapor phase can be calculated using Raoult's Law for ideal solutions:

$$x_m = \frac{P_m}{P_1 + P_2}$$

where:
- P_m is the partial vapor pressure of methyl benzene in the vapor phase, given as 24 Torr.
- P_1 and P_2 are the vapor pressures of pure benzene and methyl benzene, respectively.
The mole fraction x_m is:

$$x_m = \frac{24}{80+24} = \frac{24}{104} \approx 0.2308$$

Thus, the mole fraction is 23×10^{-2}.
The correct answer is (23).

Quick Tip

Use Raoult's Law to calculate the mole fraction of a component in the vapor phase for ideal solutions.

84. Consider the following test for a group-IV cation.

$$\mathrm{M^{2+} + H_2S \rightarrow A\,(Black\ precipitate) + byproduct}$$

$$\mathrm{A + aqua\ regia \rightarrow B + NOCl + S + H_2O}$$

$$\mathrm{B + KNO_2 + CH_3COOH \rightarrow C + byproduct}$$

The spin-only magnetic moment value of the metal complex C is .... BM (Nearest integer).

Answer: (0)
Solution:
From the reactions, the metal complex formed is likely in the 4^+ oxidation state, which leads to no unpaired electrons. For such complexes, the spin-only magnetic moment is zero because all electrons are paired. Hence, the magnetic moment is:

$$\mu = 0\,\text{BM}.$$

Thus, the correct answer is (0).

Quick Tip

For metal complexes in which all electrons are paired (e.g., in 4^+ oxidation states), the spin-only magnetic moment is zero.

85. Consider the following first-order gas-phase reaction at constant temperature:

$$\text{A(g)} \rightarrow 2\text{B(g)} + \text{C(g)}$$

If the total pressure of the gases is found to be 200 Torr after 23 sec, and 300 Torr upon the complete decomposition of A after a very long time, then the rate constant of the given reaction is .... $\times 10^{-2}\,\text{s}^{-1}$ (nearest integer).

Answer:(3)
Solution:
The reaction is:

$$\text{A(g)} \rightarrow 2\text{B(g)} + \text{C(g)}$$

Given:

$$P_{23} = P_0 + 2x = 200$$

$$P_\infty = 3P_0 = 300$$

$$P_0 = 100$$

The rate constant K is calculated using:

$$K = \frac{1}{t} \ln \frac{P_\infty - P_0}{P_\infty - P_t}$$

Substituting the values:

$$K = \frac{2.3}{23} \log \frac{300 - 100}{300 - 200}$$

$$K = \frac{2.3 \times 0.301}{23} = 0.0301 = 3.01 \times 10^{-2}\,\text{s}^{-1}$$

The correct answer is (3).

💡 Quick Tip

For first-order reactions, use the integrated rate law to calculate the rate constant from the pressure data.

86. In the given TLC, the distance of spot A and B are 5 cm and 7 cm, from the bottom of the TLC plate, respectively. The R_f value of B is $x \times 10^{-1}$ times more than A. The value of x is ....

Answer:(15)

Solution:

The distance of the solvent front from the bottom of the TLC plate is:

$$\text{Solvent front: } 10\,\text{cm}.$$

The R_f value is given by:

$$R_f = \frac{\text{Distance traveled by the spot}}{\text{Distance traveled by the solvent front}}$$

For spot A:

$$R_f(A) = \frac{5}{10} = 0.5$$

For spot B:

$$R_f(B) = \frac{7}{10} = 0.7$$

According to the question:

$$R_f(B) = x \times 10^{-1} \times R_f(A)$$

Substitute the known values:

$$0.7 = x \times 10^{-1} \times 0.5$$

Simplify:

$$x = \frac{0.7}{0.5 \times 10^{-1}} = \frac{0.7}{0.05} = 15$$

Final Answer: $x = 15$.

💡 Quick Tip

When solving TLC problems:

- Remember that the R_f value is the ratio of the distance traveled by the spot to the distance traveled by the solvent.
- Pay attention to the units and ensure consistency when performing calculations.

87. Based on Heisenberg's uncertainty principle, the uncertainty in the velocity of the electron to be found within an atomic nucleus of diameter 10^{-15} m is .... $\times 10^{9}\,\text{ms}^{-1}$ (nearest integer).

Given:

- Mass of electron $(m_e) = 9.1 \times 10^{-31}\,\text{kg}$
- Planck's constant $(h) = 6.626 \times 10^{-34}\,\text{Js}$
- Value of $\pi = 3.14$

Answer:(58)
Solution:
From Heisenberg's uncertainty principle:

$$\Delta x \cdot m_e \cdot \Delta v \geq \frac{h}{4\pi}$$

Here:

$$\Delta x = 10^{-15}\,\text{m}, \quad m_e = 9.1 \times 10^{-31}\,\text{kg}, \quad h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34}\,\text{Js}.$$

Rearranging for the uncertainty in velocity (Δv):

$$\Delta v \geq \frac{h}{4\pi \cdot \Delta x \cdot m_e}$$

Substitute the values:

$$\Delta v \geq \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34}}{4 \cdot 3.14 \cdot (10^{-15}) \cdot (9.1 \times 10^{-31})}$$

Simplify the denominator:

$$4 \cdot 3.14 \cdot 10^{-15} \cdot 9.1 \times 10^{-31} = 1.143 \times 10^{-44}$$

Substitute back:

$$\Delta v \geq \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34}}{1.143 \times 10^{-44}} = 5.8 \times 10^{10}\,\text{ms}^{-1}$$

Uncertainty in velocity:

$$\Delta v = 58 \times 10^{9}\,\text{ms}^{-1}$$

Final Answer: 58.

> Quick Tip
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> When applying Heisenberg's uncertainty principle:
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> - Remember the relationship: $\Delta x \cdot \Delta p \geq \frac{h}{4\pi}$, where $\Delta p = m \cdot \Delta v$.
> - Always double-check units to ensure consistency.
> - Use 4π accurately for precision in your calculations.

88. Number of compounds from the following which *cannot* undergo Friedel-Crafts reactions is: _____.

Toluene, nitrobenzene, xylene, cumene, aniline, chlorobenzene, m-nitroaniline, m-dinitrobenzene.

Answer:(4)
Solution:
Friedel-Crafts reactions require an aromatic compound and an electrophile, facilitated by a Lewis acid catalyst (e.g., $AlCl_3$). However, certain compounds cannot undergo Friedel-Crafts reactions due to deactivating groups or coordination issues with the catalyst.

- **Toluene, xylene, and cumene:** These are activated aromatic compounds and can undergo Friedel-Crafts reactions.
- **Chlorobenzene:** Chlorine is an electron-withdrawing group but is ortho/para-directing; hence it can still undergo Friedel-Crafts reactions.
- **Nitrobenzene, m-nitroaniline, m-dinitrobenzene:** Nitro groups are strongly deactivating, making the aromatic ring unreactive for Friedel-Crafts reactions.
- **Aniline:** The amino group ($-NH_2$) coordinates with the Lewis acid catalyst ($AlCl_3$), deactivating the ring.

Compounds that cannot undergo Friedel-Crafts reactions:

Nitrobenzene, aniline, m-nitroaniline, m-dinitrobenzene (4 compounds).

Final Answer: (4)

Quick Tip

When analyzing Friedel-Crafts reactivity:

- Check for **deactivating groups** (e.g., $-NO_2$, $-NH_2$) that hinder reactivity.
- Groups like $-OH$ or $-NH_2$ may **coordinate with Lewis acids**, preventing the reaction.
- Activating groups (e.g., $-CH_3$, $-OCH_3$) enhance the ring's reactivity for Friedel-Crafts reactions.

Question 89:
Total number of electrons present in π^* molecular orbitals of O_2, O_2^+, and O_2^- is ____.
Answer: 6
Solution:
To determine the number of electrons in the π^* molecular orbitals of the given species (O_2, O_2^+, and O_2^-), we need to first consider the electronic configurations of their molecular orbitals.
Step 1: Molecular Orbital Diagram for O_2
Oxygen (O) has an atomic number of 8, meaning O_2 has 16 electrons. According to the molecular orbital theory for diatomic oxygen molecules, the molecular orbitals are filled in the following order:
$\sigma_{1s}^2\sigma_{1s}^{*2}\sigma_{2s}^2\sigma_{2s}^{*2}\sigma_{2p_z}^2\pi_{2p_x}^2\pi_{2p_y}^2\pi_{2p_x}^{*1}\pi_{2p_y}^{*1}$
- The π^* molecular orbitals (anti-bonding) are filled with 2 electrons (1 in each $\pi_{2p_x}^*$ and $\pi_{2p_y}^*$).

Step 2: O_2^+ (Oxygen cation)
In O_2^+, one electron is removed from the π^* molecular orbitals, resulting in:
$\sigma_{1s}^2\sigma_{1s}^{*2}\sigma_{2s}^2\sigma_{2s}^{*2}\sigma_{2p_z}^2\pi_{2p_x}^2\pi_{2p_y}^2\pi_{2p_x}^{*1}$
Thus, O_2^+ has 1 electron in the π^* orbitals.
Step 3: O_2^- (Oxygen anion)
In O_2^-, one additional electron is added to the π^* molecular orbitals, resulting in:
$\sigma_{1s}^2\sigma_{1s}^{*2}\sigma_{2s}^2\sigma_{2s}^{*2}\sigma_{2p_z}^2\pi_{2p_x}^2\pi_{2p_y}^2\pi_{2p_x}^{*2}\pi_{2p_y}^{*2}$
Thus, O_2^- has 4 electrons in the π^* orbitals.
Step 4: Total Electrons in π^* Orbitals
- O_2: 2 electrons in the π^* orbitals. - O_2^+: 1 electron in the π^* orbitals. - O_2^-: 4 electrons in the π^* orbitals.
Total number of electrons in π^* molecular orbitals $= 2 + 1 + 4 = 6$.

Quick Tip

- In molecular orbital theory, anti-bonding orbitals (π^*) are filled after the bonding orbitals. Keep track of the species' charge, as it will affect the number of electrons.

Question 90:
Answer: 400 K
Solution:
Step 1: Write the equation for the Gibbs free energy of vaporization:
$\Delta G_{\text{vap}} = \Delta H_{\text{vap}} - T\Delta S_{\text{vap}}$
Step 2: At the boiling point, the Gibbs free energy of vaporization (ΔG_{vap}) is zero. So:
$0 = \Delta H_{\text{vap}} - T\Delta S_{\text{vap}}$
Step 3: Rearranging the equation to solve for the temperature T:
$T = \frac{\Delta H_{\text{vap}}}{\Delta S_{\text{vap}}}$
Step 4: Substitute the given values into the equation:
$T = \frac{30\,\text{kJ/mol}}{75\,\text{J/mol K}}$
Step 5: Convert ΔH_{vap} from kJ to J (1 kJ = 1000 J):
$T = \frac{30\times10^3\,\text{J/mol}}{75\,\text{J/mol K}}$
$T = 400\,\text{K}$

Quick Tip

When calculating temperature from ΔH_{vap} and ΔS_{vap}, ensure that both are in the same units. Convert kJ to J (1 kJ = 1000 J) to avoid unit mismatch.
Thus, the temperature of the vapor is 400 K.