

10. Let  $1, 2, 3, \dots$  be an arithmetic progression with  $a_1 = 7$  and common difference 8. Let  $1, 2, 3, \dots$  be such that  $a_1 = 3$  and  $a_{k+1} - a_k = 4$  for  $k \geq 1$ . Then, which of the following is/are TRUE ?

(A)  $T_{20} = 1604$

(B)  $\sum_{k=1}^{20} T_k = 10510$

(C)  $T_{30} = 3454$

(D)  $\sum_{k=1}^{30} T_k = 35610$

Ans. (B,C)

Sol.  $a_1 = 7, d = 8$

$$T_{n+1} - T_n = a_{n+1} - a_n = 8$$

$$S_n = T_1 + T_2 + T_3 + \dots + T_{n-1} + T_n$$

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on subtraction

$$T_n = T_1 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_{n-1}$$

$$T_n = 3 + (n-1)(4n-1)$$

$$T_n = 4n^2 - 5n + 4$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n T_k = 4 \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 - 5 \sum_{k=1}^n k + 4n$$

$$k=1$$

$$T_{20} = 1504$$

$$T_{30} = 3454$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{30} T_k = 35615$$

$$k=1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{20} T_k = 10510$$

$$k=1$$

Sol.  $\vec{r} = k\hat{i} + t(-\hat{j}) + p(-\hat{i} + k\hat{k})$

$\vec{n} = \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$

$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = 1$

$Q(10, 15, 20)$  and  $S(a, b, c)$

$$\frac{\alpha - 10}{1} = \frac{\beta - 15}{1} = \frac{\gamma - 20}{1} = -\frac{2 \cdot 10 + 15 + 20 - 1}{1 + 1 + 1} = -\frac{58}{3}$$

$$= -\frac{88}{3}$$

$P(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \left(-\frac{58}{3}, -\frac{43}{3}, -\frac{28}{3}\right)$

$\vec{r} \cdot \vec{n} = 1$  are correct options

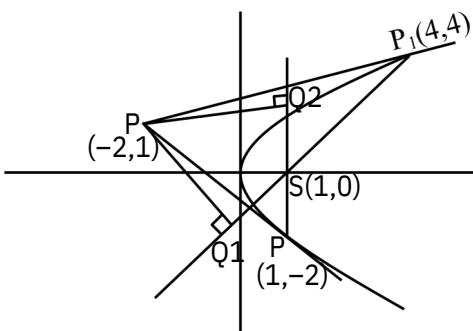
13. Consider the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ . Let  $S$  be the focus of the parabola. A pair of tangents drawn to the parabola from the point  $P(-2, 1)$  meet the parabola at  $Q_1$  and  $Q_2$ . Let  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  be points on the lines  $SQ_1$  and  $SQ_2$  respectively such that  $SP_1$  is perpendicular to  $P_1Q_1$  and  $SP_2$  is perpendicular to  $P_2Q_2$ .

Then, which of the following is/are TRUE ?

- (A)  $SQ_1 = 2$
- (B)  $Q_1Q_2 = \frac{3\sqrt{10}}{5}$
- (C)  $PQ_1 = 3$
- (D)  $SQ_2 = 1$

Ans. (B,C,D)

Sol. Let equation of tangent with slope 'm' be



$T : y = mx + \frac{1}{m}$

$T$  : passes through  $(-2, 1)$  so

$1 = -2m + \frac{1}{m}$

$\Rightarrow m = -1$  or  $m = \frac{1}{2}$

Points are given by  $\left(\frac{a}{m^2}, \frac{2a}{m}\right)$

So, one point will be (1, -2) & (4, 4)

Let P1(4, 4) & P2(1, -2)

P1S :  $4x - 3y - 4 = 0$

P2S :  $x - 1 = 0$

$PQ1 = \left| \frac{4(-2) - 3(1) - 4}{5} \right| = 3$

$SP = \sqrt{10}$  ;  $PQ2 = 3$  ;  $SQ1 = 1 = SQ2$

$\frac{1}{2} \times Q1Q2 = \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{10} = \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times 1$  (comparing Areas)

$\Rightarrow Q1Q2 = \frac{2 \times 3}{\sqrt{10}} = \frac{3\sqrt{10}}{5}$

14. Let  $| \cdot |$  denote the determinant of a square matrix  $\cdot$ . Let  $g : \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be the function defined by

$$g(q) = \sqrt{f(q)-1} + \sqrt{\frac{p \cot q - 1}{e^2}}$$

where

$$f(q) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \sin q & 1 \\ -\sin q & 1 & \sin q \\ -1 & -\sin q & 1 \end{vmatrix} + \sin \begin{vmatrix} \sin p & \cos \frac{p+q}{4} & \tan \frac{p-q}{4} \\ \frac{p}{4} & -\cos \frac{p}{2} & \log_e \frac{p}{4} \\ \cot q + \frac{p}{4} & \log_e \frac{p}{4} & \tan p \end{vmatrix}$$

function  $g(q)$  is a quadratic polynomial whose roots are the maximum and minimum values of the

function  $g(q)$  in  $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ , and  $p(2) = 2 - \sqrt{2}$ . Then, which of the following is/are TRUE ?

(A)  $p \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4} > 0$

(B)  $p \frac{1+3\sqrt{2}}{4} > 0$

(C)  $p \frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{4} > 0$

(D)  $p \frac{5-\sqrt{2}}{4} < 0$

Ans. (A,C)

$$\text{Sol. } f(q) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \sin q & 1 \\ -\sin q & 1 & \sin q \\ -1 & -\sin q & 1 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} \sin p & \cos \frac{p}{4} & \tan \frac{p}{4} \\ \sin \frac{p}{4} & -\cos \frac{p}{2} & \log_e \frac{p}{4} \\ \cot \frac{p}{4} & \log_e \frac{p}{4} & \tan p \end{vmatrix}$$

$$f(q) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & \sin q & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & \sin q \\ -\sin q & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -\sin \frac{p}{4} & \tan \frac{p}{4} \\ \sin \frac{p}{4} & 0 & \log_e \frac{p}{4} \\ -\tan \frac{p}{4} & -\log_e \frac{p}{4} & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$f(q) = (1 + \sin 2q) + 0 \text{ (skew symmetric)}$$

$$g(q) = \sqrt{f(q) - 1} + \sqrt{f(q) - 1}$$

$$= |\sin q| + |\cos q| \quad \text{for } q \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$g(q) \in (1, \sqrt{2})$$

$$\text{Again let } P(x) = k(x - \sqrt{2})(x - 1)$$

$$2 - \sqrt{2} = k(2 - \sqrt{2})(2 - 1)$$

$$\therefore k = 1 \quad (P(2) = 2 - \sqrt{2} \text{ given})$$

$$\therefore P(x) = (x - \sqrt{2})(x - 1)$$

$$\text{for option (A) } P\left(\frac{3 + \sqrt{2}}{4}\right) < 0 \text{ correct}$$

$$\text{option (B) } P\left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{4}\right) < 0 \text{ incorrect}$$

$$\text{option (C) } P\left(\frac{5\sqrt{2} - 1}{4}\right) > 0 \text{ correct}$$

$$\text{option (D) } P\left(\frac{5 - \sqrt{2}}{4}\right) > 0 \text{ incorrect}$$

SECTION-3 : (Maximum Marks : 12)

This section contains **FOUR (04)** Matching List Sets.

Each set has **ONE** Multiple Choice Question.

Each set has **TWO** lists : **List-I** and **List-II**.

**List-I** has **Four** entries (I), (II), (III) and (IV) and **List-II** has **Five** entries (P), (Q), (R), (S) and (T).

**FOUR** options are given in each Multiple Choice Question based on **List-I** and **List-II** and **ONLY ONE** of these four options satisfies the condition asked in the Multiple Choice Question.

Answer to each question will be evaluated according to the following marking scheme:

*Full Marks* : +3 **ONLY** if the option corresponding to the correct combination is chosen;  
*Zero Marks* : 0 If none of the options is chosen (i.e. the question is unanswered);  
*Negative Marks* : -1 In all other cases.

15. Consider the following lists:

| List-I |                        | List-II |                    |
|--------|------------------------|---------|--------------------|
| (I)    | $\cos x + \sin x = 1$  | (P)     | has two elements   |
| (II)   | $\sqrt{3} \tan 3x = 1$ | (Q)     | has three elements |
| (III)  | $2\cos(2x) = \sqrt{3}$ | (R)     | has four elements  |
| (IV)   | $\sin x - \cos x = 1$  | (S)     | has five elements  |
|        |                        | (T)     | has six elements   |

The correct option is:

- (A) (I) → (P); (II) → (S); (III) → (P); (IV) → (S)  
 (B) (I) → (P); (II) → (P); (III) → (T); (IV) → (R)  
 (C) (I) → (Q); (II) → (P); (III) → (T); (IV) → (S)  
 (D) (I) → (Q); (II) → (S); (III) → (P); (IV) → (R)

**Ans. (B)**

Sol. (I)  $\cos x + \sin x = 1$

$\cos x + \sin x = 1$

$$\text{p } \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{p } \cos x + \sin x = 1$$

$$\text{p } x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}; n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{p } x = 2n\pi; x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}; n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$x \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}$  given range has two solutions

(II) i)  $\hat{x} \in \left[ \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6} \right]; \sqrt{3} \tan 3x = 1$

$$\sqrt{3} \tan 3x = 1 \Rightarrow \tan 3x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \Rightarrow 3x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{p } x = (6n+1) \frac{\pi}{18}; n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$x \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{18}, \frac{5\pi}{18} \right\}$  given range has two solutions

(III) i)  $\hat{x} \in \left[ \frac{\pi}{5}, \frac{6\pi}{5} \right]; 2 \cos(2x) = \sqrt{3}$

$$2 \cos 2x = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{p } \cos 2x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \cos \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{p } 2x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}; n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{p } x = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{12}; n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$x \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{12}, \frac{5\pi}{12}, \frac{7\pi}{12}, \frac{11\pi}{12} \right\}$$

Six solutions in given range

(IV) i)  $\hat{x} \in \left[ \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4} \right]; \sin x - \cos x = -1$

$$\cos x - \sin x = -1$$

$$\text{p } \cos x + \sin x = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}; n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{p } x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{p } x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ or } x = 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{2}; n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$x \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2} \right\}$  four solutions in given range

17. Let  $a, v, \Delta$  be nonzero real numbers that are, respectively, the 10<sup>th</sup>, 100<sup>th</sup> and 1000<sup>th</sup> terms of a harmonic progression. Consider the system of linear equations

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= x + y + z \\ 10x + 100y + 1000z &= 0 \\ 0 &= \Delta x + \Delta y + \Delta z \end{aligned}$$

| List-I |  | List-II |   |
|--------|--|---------|---|
| (I)    | If $\frac{q}{r} = 10$ , then the system of linear equations has  | (P)     | $x = 0, y = \frac{10}{9}, z = -\frac{1}{9}$ as a solution |
| (II)   | If $\frac{p}{r} = 100$ , then the system of linear equations has | (Q)     | $x = \frac{10}{9}, y = -\frac{1}{9}, z = 0$ as a solution |
| (III)  | If $\frac{p}{q} = 10$ , then the system of linear equations has  | (R)     | infinitely many solutions                                 |
| (IV)   | If $\frac{p}{q} = 10$ , then the system of linear equations has  | (S)     | no solution   |
|        |  | (T)     | at least one solution                                     |

The correct option is:

- (A) (I) → (T); (II) → (R); (III) → (S); (IV) → (T)
- (B) (I) → (Q); (II) → (S); (III) → (S); (IV) → (R)
- (C) (I) → (Q); (II) → (R); (III) → (P); (IV) → (R)
- (D) (I) → (T); (II) → (S); (III) → (P); (IV) → (T)

**Ans. (B)**

**Sol.** If  $\frac{q}{r} = 10$  ∴  $A = D$  ∴  $Dx = Dy = Dz = 0$

So, there are infinitely many solutions

Look of infinitely many solutions can be given as

$$x + y + z = 1$$

$$\& 10x + 100y + 1000z = 0 \quad \text{∴} \quad x + 10y + 100z = 0$$

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Let  $z = l$

then  $x + y = 1 - l$

and  $x + 10y = -100l$

$$\begin{cases} x = \frac{10}{9} + 10l \\ y = \frac{-1}{9} - 11l \end{cases}$$

i.e.,  $(x, y, z) = \left( \frac{10}{9} + 10l, \frac{-1}{9} - 11l, l \right)$

$\left( \frac{10}{9}, \frac{-1}{9}, 0 \right)$  valid for  $l = 0$

$\left( 0, \frac{10}{9}, \frac{-1}{9} \right)$  not valid for any  $l$ .

(I)  $\otimes$  Q,R,T

(II) If  $\frac{p}{r} \neq 100$ , then  $Dy \neq 0$

So no solution

(II)  $\otimes$  (S)

(III) If  $\frac{p}{q} \neq 10$ , then  $Dz \neq 0$  so, no solution

(III)  $\otimes$  (S)

(IV) If  $\frac{p}{q} = 10$   $\Rightarrow$   $Dz = 0 \Rightarrow Dx = Dy = 0$

so infinitely many solution

(IV)  $\otimes$  Q,R,T



18. Consider the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1.$$

Let  $H(2 >, 0)$ ,  $0 <$  be a point. A straight line drawn through  $H$  parallel to the  $y$ -axis crosses the ellipse and its auxiliary circle at points  $P$  and  $Q$  respectively, in the first quadrant. The tangent to the ellipse at the point  $P$  intersects the positive  $x$ -axis at a point  $R$ . Suppose the straight line joining  $Q$  and the origin makes an angle  $f$  with the positive  $x$ -axis.

| List-I |   | List-II |                          |
|--------|---|---------|--------------------------|
| (I)    | If $f = \frac{\rho}{4}$ , then the area of the triangle $OPQ$ is  | (P)     | $\frac{(\sqrt{3}-1)}{8}$ |
| (II)   | If $f = \frac{\rho}{3}$ , then the area of the triangle $OPQ$ is  | (Q)     | 1                        |
| (III)  | If $f = \frac{\rho}{6}$ , then the area of the triangle $OPQ$ is  | (R)     | $\frac{3}{4}$            |
| (IV)   | If $f = \frac{\rho}{12}$ , then the area of the triangle $OPQ$ is | (S)     | $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}$    |
|        |   | (T)     | $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$    |

- The correct option is: (A) (I) → (R); (II) → (S); (III) (B) (I) → (Q); (IV) → (P)  
 (R); (II) → (T); (III) → (S); (IV) → (P)  
 (C) (I) → (Q); (II) → (T); (III) → (S); (IV) → (P)  
 (D) (I) → (Q); (II) → (S); (III) → (Q); (IV) → (P)

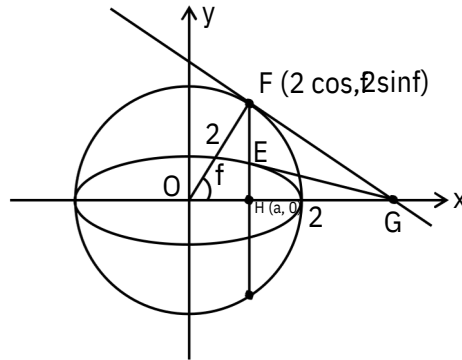
Ans. (C)

Sol. Let  $F(2\cos f, 2\sin f)$

&  $E(2\cos f, \sqrt{3}\sin f)$

$$EG : \frac{x}{2}\cos f + \frac{y}{\sqrt{3}}\sin f = 1$$

$$\therefore G \left( \frac{2}{\cos f}, 0 \right) \text{ and } a = 2\cos f$$



$$\text{ar}(\triangle FGH) = \frac{1}{2} HG \times FH$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{2}{\cos f} - 2\cos f \right) \cdot 2\sin f$$

$$f(f) = 2\tan f \sin 2f$$

$$\therefore \text{(I) } \frac{f}{4} = 1 \quad \text{(II) } \frac{f}{3} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \quad \text{(III) } \frac{f}{6} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{(IV) } f = 2(2\sqrt{3}) \frac{(\sqrt{3}-1)^2}{2\sqrt{2}} = (4-2\sqrt{3}) \frac{(\sqrt{3}-1)^2}{8} = \frac{(\sqrt{3}-1)^2}{8}$$

$$\therefore \text{(I)} \rightarrow \text{(Q)} ; \text{(II)} \rightarrow \text{(T)} ; \text{(III)} \rightarrow \text{(S)} ; \text{(IV)} \rightarrow \text{(P)}$$