Note: (i) The question paper consists of 3 parts (Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics). Each part has 4 sections.

(ii) **Section I** contains 9 multiple choice questions which have only one correct answer. Each question carries +3 marks each for correct answer and – 1 mark for each wrong answer.

(iii) **Section II** contains 4 questions. Each question contains STATEMENT-1 (Assertion) and STATEMENT-2 (Reason). Bubble (A) if both the statements are TRUE and STATEMENT-2 is the correct explanation of STATEMENT-1 Bubble (B) if both the statements are TRUE but STATEMENT-2 is NOT the correct explanation of STATEMENT-1 Bubble (C) if STATEMENT-1 is TRUE and STATEMENT-2 is FALSE. Bubble (D) if STATEMENT-1 is FALSE and STATEMENT-2 is TRUE. Each question carries +3 marks each for correct answer and – 1 mark for each wrong answer.

(iv) **Section III** contains 2 paragraphs. Based upon each paragraph, 3 multiple choice questions have to be answered. Each question has only one correct answer and carries +4 marks for correct answer and – 1 mark for wrong answer.

(v) **Section IV** contains 3 questions. Each question contains statements given in 2 columns. Statements in the first column have to be matched with statements in the second column and each question carries +6 marks and marks will be awarded if all the four parts are correctly matched. No marks will be given for any wrong match in any question. There is no negative marking.

PART- I (PHYSICS)

SECTION – I

Straight Objective Type

This section contains 9 multiple choice questions numbered 1 to 9. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which only one is correct.

1. A circuit is connected as shown in the figure with the switch S open. When the switch is closed the total amount of charge that flows from Y to X is
   (A) 0
   (B) 54μC
   (C) 27 μC
   (D) 81 μC

   ![Circuit Diagram]

   Sol. (C) 27 μC
A long, hollow conducting cylinder is kept coaxially inside another long, hollow conducting cylinder of larger radius. Both the cylinders are initially electrically neutral.

(A) A potential difference appears between the two cylinders when a charge density is given to the inner cylinder.

(B) A potential difference appears between the two cylinders when a charge density is given to the outer cylinder.

(C) No potential difference appears between the two cylinders when a uniform line charge is kept along the axis of the cylinders.

(D) No potential difference appears between the two cylinders when same charge density is given to both the cylinders.

**Sol. (A)**

\[ dV = -E \cdot d\bar{r} \]

and \[ E = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0 r} \]

where \( r \) is distance from the axis of cylindrical charge distribution (\( r \) is equal to or greater than radius of cylindrical charge distribution).

3. In the options given below, let \( E \) denote the rest mass energy of a nucleus and \( n \) a neutron. The correct option is

(A) \( E\left(\frac{236}{92}U\right) > E\left(\frac{137}{55}I\right) + E\left(\frac{97}{39}Y\right) + 2E(n) \)

(B) \( E\left(\frac{236}{92}U\right) < E\left(\frac{137}{55}I\right) + E\left(\frac{97}{39}Y\right) + 2E(n) \)

(C) \( E\left(\frac{238}{92}U\right) < E\left(\frac{140}{56}Ba\right) + E\left(\frac{83}{36}Kr\right) + 2E(n) \)

(D) \( E\left(\frac{238}{92}U\right) = E\left(\frac{140}{56}Ba\right) + E\left(\frac{83}{36}Kr\right) + 2E(n) \)

3. (A)

Rest mass energy of \( U \) will be greater than the rest mass energy of the nucleus in which it breaks (as conservation of momentum is always followed).

4. In an experiment to determine the focal length (\( f \)) of a concave mirror by the u–v method, a student places the object pin \( A \) on the principal axis at a distance \( x \) from the pole \( P \). The student looks at the pin and its inverted image from a distance keeping his/her eye in line with \( PA \). When the student shifts his/her eye towards left, the image appears to the right of the object pin. Then,

(A) \( x < f \)

(B) \( f < x < 2f \)

(C) \( x = 2f \)

(D) \( x > 2f \)

**Sol. (B)**

Due to parallax.

5. The largest wavelength in the ultraviolet region of the hydrogen spectrum is 122 nm. The smallest wavelength in the infrared region of the hydrogen spectrum (to the nearest integer) is

(A) 802 nm

(B) 823 nm

(C) 1882 nm

(D) 1648 nm

**Sol. (B)**

Transition from \( \infty \) to \( n = 3 \) will produce smallest wavelength in infrared region.

6. A resistance of 2 \( \Omega \) is connected across one gap of a metre-bridge (the length of the wire is 100 cm) and an unknown resistance, greater than 2\( \Omega \), is connected across the other gap. When these resistance are interchanged, the balance point shifts by 20 cm. Neglecting any corrections, the unknown resistance is

(A) 3 \( \Omega \)

(B) 4 \( \Omega \)

(C) 5 \( \Omega \)

(D) 6 \( \Omega \)
7. A ray of light travelling in water is incident on its surface open to air. The angle of incidence is θ, which is less than the critical angle. Then there will be
(A) only a reflected ray and no refracted ray
(B) only a refracted ray and no reflected ray
(C) a reflected ray and a refracted ray and the angle between them would be less than 180° – 2θ
(D) a reflected ray and a refracted ray and the angle between them would be greater than 180° – 2θ
Sol. (C)

8. Two particle of mass m each are tied at the ends of a light string of length 2a. The whole system is kept on a frictionless horizontal surface with the string held tight so that each mass is at a distance ‘a’ from the center P (as shown in the figure). Now, the mid-point of the string is pulled vertically upwards with a small but constant force F. As a result, the particles move towards each other on the surface. The magnitude of acceleration, when the separation between them becomes 2x is
(A) \( \frac{F}{2m} \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} \)
(B) \( \frac{F}{2m} \frac{x}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} \)
(C) \( \frac{Fx}{2ma} \)
(D) \( \frac{F}{2m} \frac{x}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} \)
Sol. (B)

9. Consider a neutral conducting sphere. A positive point charge is placed outside the sphere. The net charge on the sphere is then,
(A) negative and distributed uniformly over the surface of the sphere
(B) negative and appears only at the point on the sphere closest to the point charge
(C) negative and distributed non-uniformly over the entire surface of the sphere
(D) zero
Sol. (D)

SECTION – II

Assertion - Reason Type

This section contains 4 questions numbered 10 to 13. Each question contains STATEMENT-1 (Assertion) and STATEMENT-2 (Reason). Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) out of which ONLY ONE is correct.
10. **STATEMENT-1**
The formula connecting $u$, $v$ and $f$ for a spherical mirror is valid only for mirrors whose sizes are very small compared to their radii of curvature.

because

**STATEMENT-2**
Laws of reflection are strictly valid for plane surfaces, but not for large spherical surfaces.
(A) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement -2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(B) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement -2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(C) Statement -1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(D) Statement -1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
Sol. (C)

11. **STATEMENT-1**
If the accelerating potential in an X-ray tube is increased, the wavelengths of the characteristic X-rays do not change.

because

**STATEMENT-2**
When an electron beam strikes the target in an X-ray tube, part of the kinetic energy is converted into X-ray energy.
(A) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement -2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(B) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement -2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(C) Statement -1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(D) Statement -1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
Sol. (B)

12. **STATEMENT-1**
A block of mass $m$ starts moving on a rough horizontal surface with a velocity $v$. It stops due to friction between the block and the surface after moving through a certain distance. The surface is now tilted to an angle of $30^\circ$ with the horizontal and the same block is made to go up on the surface with the same initial velocity $v$. The decrease in the mechanical energy in the second situation is smaller than that in the first situation.

because

**STATEMENT-2**
The coefficient of friction between the block and the surface decreases with the increase in the angle of inclination.
(A) Statement -1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for statement-1.
(B) Statement -1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for statement-1.
(C) Statement -1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(D) Statement -1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
Sol. (C)

13. **STATEMENT-1**
In an elastic collision between two bodies, the relative speed of the bodies after collision is equal to the relative speed before the collision.

because

**STATEMENT-2**
In an elastic collision, the linear momentum of the system is conserved.
(A) Statement -1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement -2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(B) Statement -1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement -2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(C) Statement -1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(D) Statement -1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
Sol. (B)

**SECTION – III**

Linked Comprehension Type

This section contains 2 paragraphs $P_{14-16}$ and $P_{17-19}$. Based upon each paragraph, 3 multiple choice questions have to be answered. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.
14. The piston is now pulled out slowly and held at a distance 2L from the top. The pressure in the cylinder between its top and the piston will then be (A) $P_0$ (B) $P_0 \frac{Mg}{\pi R^2}$ (C) $\frac{P_0 + Mg}{\pi R^2}$ (D) $\frac{P_0 - Mg}{\pi R^2}$

Sol. (A)

15. While the piston is at a distance 2L from the top, the hole at the top is sealed. The piston is then released, to a position where it can stay in equilibrium. In this condition, the distance of the piston from the top is (A) $\left(\frac{\pi R^2}{P_0} - \frac{Mg}{P_0}\right)$ (2L) (B) $\left(\frac{\pi R^2}{P_0} - \frac{Mg}{P_0}\right)$ (2L) (C) $\left(\frac{\pi R^2}{P_0} + \frac{Mg}{P_0}\right)$ (2L) (D) $\left(\frac{\pi R^2}{P_0} + \frac{Mg}{P_0}\right)$ (2L)

Sol. (D)

16. The piston is taken completely out of the cylinder. The hole at the top is sealed. A water tank is brought below the cylinder and put in a position so that the water surface in the tank is at the same level as the top of the cylinder as shown in the figure. The density of the water is $\rho$. In equilibrium, the height $H$ of the water column in the cylinder satisfies (A) $\rho g (L_0 - H)^2 + P_0 (L_0 - H) + L_0 P_0 = 0$ (B) $\rho g (L_0 - H)^2 - P_0 (L_0 - H) - L_0 P_0 = 0$ (C) $\rho g (L_0 - H)^2 + P_0 (L_0 - H) - L_0 P_0 = 0$ (D) $\rho g (L_0 - H)^2 - P_0 (L_0 - H) + L_0 P_0 = 0$

Sol. (C)

P17–19 : Paragraph for Question Nos. 17 to 19

Two discs A and B are mounted coaxially on a vertical axle. The discs have moments of inertia $I$ and $2I$ respectively about the common axis. Disc A is imparted an initial angular velocity $2\omega$ using the entire potential energy of a spring compressed by a distance $x_1$. Disc B is imparted an angular velocity $\omega$ by a spring having the same spring constant and compressed by a distance $x_2$. Both the discs rotate in the clockwise direction.

17. The ratio of $x_1/x_2$ is (A) 2 (B) $\frac{1}{2}$ (C) $\sqrt{2}$ (D) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Sol. (C)

$\frac{1}{2}kx_1^2 = \frac{1}{2}(2\omega)^2$
\[ \frac{1}{2}kx^2 = \frac{1}{2}(2I)\omega^2 \]

\[ \frac{x_1}{x_2} = \sqrt{2} \]

18. When disc B is brought in contact with disc A, they acquire a common angular velocity in time t. The average frictional torque on one disc by the other during this period is

(A) \[ \frac{2\omega}{3t} \]

(B) \[ \frac{9\omega}{2t} \]

(C) \[ \frac{9\omega}{4t} \]

(D) \[ \frac{9\omega}{4t} \]

Sol. (A)

Applying conservation of angular momentum

\[ \omega' = \frac{I(2\omega) + 2I(\omega)}{3I} = \frac{4\omega}{3} \] \hspace{1cm} . . . (i)

\[ \omega' = \omega + \frac{\tau}{2I} \] \hspace{1cm} . . . (ii)

From (i) & (ii), \[ \tau = \frac{2\omega}{3t} \]

19. The loss of kinetic energy during the above process is

(A) \[ \frac{\omega^2}{2} \]

(B) \[ \frac{\omega^2}{3} \]

(C) \[ \frac{\omega^2}{4} \]

(D) \[ \frac{\omega^2}{6} \]

Sol. (B)

SECTION – IV

Matrix-Match Type

This section contains 3 questions. Each question contains statements given in two columns which have to be matched. Statements (A, B, C, D) in column I have to be matched with statements (p, q, r, s) in column II. The answers to these questions have to be appropriately bubbled as illustrated in the following example.

If the correct match are A-p, A-s, B-r, C-p, C-q and D-s, then the correctly bubbled 4 x 4 matrix should be as follows:

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20. Some physical quantities are given in Column I and some possible SI units in which these quantities may be expressed are given in Column II. Match the physical quantities in Column I with the units in Column II and indicate your answer by darkening appropriate bubbles in the 4 x 4 matrix given in the ORS.

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<tr>
<td>(A) GM_eM_s</td>
<td>(p) (volt) (coulomb) (metre)</td>
</tr>
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<td>G \rightarrow universal gravitational constant, \ M_e \rightarrow mass of the earth, \ M_s \rightarrow mass of the Sun</td>
<td></td>
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(B) \[
\frac{3RT}{M} ; \quad R \rightarrow \text{universal gas constant}, \quad T \rightarrow \text{absolute temperature}, \\
M \rightarrow \text{molar mass}
\]

(C) \[
\frac{F^2}{q^2B^2} ; \quad F \rightarrow \text{force}, \quad q \rightarrow \text{charge}, \quad B \rightarrow \text{magnetic field}
\]

(D) \[
\frac{GM_e}{R_e^2} , \quad G \rightarrow \text{universal gravitational constant}, \\
M_e \rightarrow \text{mass of the earth}, \quad R_e \rightarrow \text{radius of the earth}
\]

Sol.
A \rightarrow (p) \& (q), \quad B \rightarrow (r) \& (s), \quad C \rightarrow (r) \& (s), \quad D \rightarrow (r) \& (s)

21. Some laws/processes are given in **Column I**. Match these with the physical phenomena given in **Column II** and indicate your answer by darkening appropriate bubbles in the 4 \times 4 matrix given in the ORS.

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<td>(A) Transition between two atomic energy levels</td>
<td>(p) Characteristic X-rays</td>
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<td>(B) Electron emission from a material</td>
<td>(q) Photoelectric effect</td>
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<td>(C) Mosley’s law</td>
<td>(r) Hydrogen spectrum</td>
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<td>(D) Change of photon energy into kinetic energy of electrons</td>
<td>(s) (\beta)-decay</td>
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Sol.
A \rightarrow (p) \& (r), \quad B \rightarrow (q) \& (s), \quad C \rightarrow (p), \quad D \rightarrow (q)

22. **Column I** gives certain situations in which a straight metallic wire of resistance R is used and **Column II** gives some resulting effects. Match the statements in **Column I** with the statements in **Column II** and indicate your answer by darkening appropriate bubbles in the 4 \times 4 matrix given in the ORS.

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<td>(A) A charged capacitor is connected to the ends of the wire</td>
<td>(p) A constant current flows through the wire</td>
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<td>(B) The wire is moved perpendicular to its length with a constant velocity in a uniform magnetic field perpendicular to the plane of motion</td>
<td>(q) Thermal energy is generated in the wire</td>
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<td>(C) The wire is placed in a constant electric field that has a direction along the length of the wire.</td>
<td>(r) A constant potential difference develops between the ends of the wire</td>
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<td>(D) A battery of constant emf is connected to the ends of the wire</td>
<td>(s) Charges of constant magnitude appear at the ends of the wire</td>
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Sol.
A \rightarrow (q), \quad B \rightarrow (r) \& (s), \quad C \rightarrow (r) \& (s), \quad D \rightarrow (p), \quad (q) \& (r)
PART- II (CHEMISTRY)

SECTION – I

Straight Objective Type

This section contains 9 multiple choice questions numbered 23 to 31. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which ONLY ONE is correct.

23. The number of structural isomers for C₆H₁₄ is
   (A) 3  (B) 4  (C) 5  (D) 6

   Sol. (C)

   ![Structural Isomers]

   Hence (C) is correct.

24. In the following reaction,

   ![Reaction](image)

   the structure of the major product ‘X’ is
   (A)  (B)  (C)  (D)

   Sol. (B)

   ![Major Product]

   Due to presence of lone pair of electron on nitrogen atom, it will activate the ring and it will stabilize intermediate cation at o and p positions.

   Hence (B) is correct.
25. When 20 g of naphthoic acid (C\(_{11}\)H\(_8\)O\(_2\)) is dissolved in 50 g of benzene (K\(_f\) = 1.72 K kg mol\(^{-1}\)), a freezing point depression of 2 K is observed. The van’t Hoff factor (\(i\)) is

\[
\Delta T_f = K_f \times \text{molality} \times i
\]

\[
2 = 1.72 \times \frac{20}{172} \times \frac{1000}{50} \times i
\]

\(i = 0.5\)

Hence (A) is correct.

26. Among the following, the paramagnetic compound is

- (A) Na\(_2\)O\(_2\)
- (B) O\(_3\)
- (C) N\(_2\)O
- (D) KO\(_2\)

\(2O^- = \sigma s^2 \sigma^* s^2 \sigma^* 2s^2 \sigma^* 2p^2, \pi 2p_x^2, \pi^* 2p_y^2 = \pi^* 2p_z^2\)

Number of unpaired electrons = 0.
N = N \(\rightarrow\) O

\(O = O \quad O \quad O\)

Number of unpaired electrons = 0

\(O_2^- = \sigma s^2 \sigma^* s^2 \sigma^* 2s^2 \sigma^* 2p^2, \pi 2p_x^2, \pi^* 2p_y^2 = \pi^* 2p_z^2\)

Number of unpaired electrons = 1

Thus \(O_2^-\) is paramagnetic.

Hence (D) is correct.

27. The value of \(\log_{10}K\) for a reaction \(A \rightarrow B\) is

\(\text{Given: } \Delta H_{298K} = -54.07 \text{kJ mol}^{-1}, \Delta S_{298K} = 10 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}; \text{ and } R = 8.314 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}; 2.303 \times 8.314 \times 298 = 5705\)

(A) 5
(B) 10
(C) 95
(D) 100

\(\Delta G = \Delta H - T \Delta S = -54.07 \times 1000 - 298 \times 10 = -57050 \text{ J mol}^{-1}\)

\(-57050 = -5705 \log_{10} K\)

\(\log_{10} K = 10\)

Hence (B) is correct.

28. The species having bond order different from that in CO is

- (A) NO\(^-\)
- (B) NO\(^+\)
- (C) CN\(^-\)
- (D) N\(_2\)

\(\text{NO}^- \) (16 electron system)
Bond order = 2.
NO\(^0\), CN\(^-\) and N\(_2\) are isoelectronic with CO therefore all have same bond order (= 3)

Hence (A) is correct.

29. The percentage of p-character in the orbitals forming P–P bonds in P\(_4\) is

(A) 25
(B) 33
(C) 50
(D) 75

\(\text{P is sp}^3 \text{ hybridized in P}_4\).

Hence (D) is correct.
30. Extraction of zinc from zinc blende is achieved by
(A) electrolytic reduction  (B) roasting followed by reduction with carbon
(C) roasting followed by reduction with another metal  (D) roasting followed by self-reduction
Sol.  (B)
Option (B) is correct.

31. The reagent(s) for the following conversion,
\[
\text{Br} = \text{Br} \rightarrow \text{H} = \text{H}
\]
is/are
(A) alcoholic KOH  (B) alcoholic KOH followed by NaNH₂
(C) aqueous KOH followed by NaNH₂  (D) Zn/CH₃OH
Sol.  (B)

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{Br} & = \text{Br} \rightarrow \text{Alc. KOH} \\
\text{H} & = \text{H} \rightarrow \text{NaNH}_2
\end{align*}
\]
Because CH₂ = CH – Br has partial C – Br double bond character, it requires more stronger base to remove HBr.
Hence (B) is correct.

SECTION – II
Assertion-Reason Type

This section contains 4 questions numbered 32 to 35. Each question contains STATEMENT-1 (Assertion) and STATEMENT-2 (Reason). Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) out of which ONLY ONE is correct.

32. STATEMENT-1: p-Hydroxybenzoic acid has a lower boiling point than o-hydroxybenzoic acid.
   because STATEMENT-2: o-Hydroxybenzoic acid has intramolecular hydrogen bonding.
   (A) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
   (B) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
   (C) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
   (D) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
Sol.  (D)

More stabilized by intramolecular hydrogen bonding

More stronger intermolecular forces increases the boiling point.
Hence (D) is correct.
33. STATEMENT-1: Micelles are formed by surfactant molecules above the critical micellar concentration (CMC). because STATEMENT-2: The conductivity of a solution having surfactant molecules decreases sharply at the CMC.
(A) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(B) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(C) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(D) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
Sol. (B)
The formation of micelles takes place only above a particular temperature called Kraft temperature (T_k) and above a particular concentration called critical micelle concentration (CMC). Each micelle contains at least 100 molecules. Therefore conductivity of the solution decreases sharply at the CMC. Hence (B) is correct.

34. STATEMENT-1: Boron always forms covalent bond. because STATEMENT-2: The small size of B^{3+} favours formation of covalent bond.
(A) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(B) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(C) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(D) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
Sol. (A)
According to Fajan’s rule small cations having high charge density always have tendency to form covalent bond. Hence (A) is correct.

35. STATEMENT-1: In water, orthoboric acid behaves as a weak monobasic acid. because STATEMENT-2: In water, orthoboric acid acts as a proton donor.
(A) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(B) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(C) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(D) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
Sol. (C)
H_3BO_3 (orthoboric acid) is a weak lewis acid.
H_3BO_3 + H_2O \rightleftharpoons B(OH)_4^- + H^+
It does not donate proton rather it accepts OH^- form water. Hence (C) is correct.

SECTION – III
Linked Comprehension Type
This section contains 2 paragraphs C 36-38 and C 39-41. Based upon each paragraph, 3 multiple choice questions have to be answered. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which ONLY ONE is correct.

C 36-38 : Paragraph for question Nos 36 to 38
Chemical reactions involve interaction of atoms and molecules. A large number of atoms/molecules (approximately 6.023 \times 10^{23}) are present in a few grams of any chemical compound varying with their atomic/molecular masses. To handle such large numbers conveniently, the mole concept was introduced. This concept has implications in diverse areas such as analytical chemistry, biochemistry, electrochemistry and radiochemistry. The following example illustrates a typical case, involving chemical/electrochemical reaction, which requires a clear understanding of the mole concept.

A 4.0 molar aqueous solution of NaCl is prepared and 500 mL of this solution is electrolysed. This leads to the evolution of chlorine gas at one of the electrodes (atomic mass: Na = 23, Hg = 200; 1 Faraday=96500 coulombs)

36. The total number of moles of chlorine gas evolved is
(A) 0.5  (B) 1.0
(C) 2.0  (D) 3.0
Sol. (B)
NaCl → Na⁺ + Cl⁻

At anode:

2Cl⁻ → Cl₂

Moles of Cl⁻ = 2 in 500 ml.
Therefore 1 mole of Cl₂ evolves.
Hence (B) is correct.

37. If the cathode is a Hg electrode, the maximum weight (g) of amalgam formed from this solution is
(A) 200  (B) 225
(C) 400  (D) 446

Sol. (D)
Na – Hg (amalgam) formed = 2 moles at cathode.
Hence (D) is correct.

38. The total charge (coulombs) required for complete electrolysis is
(A) 24125  (B) 48250
(C) 96500  (D) 193000

Sol. (D)
2 moles of electrons (2 Faraday) are required.
1F = 96500
2F = 193000
Hence (D) is correct.

C39-41: Paragraph for Question Nos. 39 to 41

The noble gases have closed-shell electronic configuration and are monoatomic gases under normal conditions. The low boiling points of the lighter noble gases are due to weak dispersion forces between the atoms and the absence of other interatomic interactions.

The direct reaction of xenon with fluorine leads to a series of compounds with oxidation numbers +2, +4 and +6. XeF₄ reacts violently with water to give XeO₃. The compounds of xenon exhibit rich stereochemistry and their geometries can be deduced considering the total number of electron pairs in the valence shell.

39. Argon is used in arc welding because of its
(A) low reactivity with metal  (B) ability to lower the melting point of metal
(C) flammability  (D) high calorific value

Sol. (A)
Argon is used mainly to provide an inert atmosphere in high temperature metallurgical (arc welding of metals/alloys) extraction.
Hence (A) is correct.

40. The structure of XeO₃ is
(A) linear  (B) planar
(C) pyramidal  (D) T-shaped

Sol. (C)

\[
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O} \\
\text{Xe} \\
\text{O} \\
\end{array}
\]

sp³ hybridized pyramidal structure.

Hence (C) is correct.

41. XeF₄ and XeF₆ are expected to be
(A) oxidizing  (B) reducing
(C) unreactive  (D) strongly basic

Sol. (A)

\[
\begin{align*}
6\text{XeF}_4 + 12\text{H}_2\text{O} & \rightarrow 4\text{Xe} + 2\text{XeO}_3 + 24\text{HF} + 3\text{O}_2 \\
\text{XeF}_6 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} & \rightarrow \text{XeO}_3 + 6\text{HF}
\end{align*}
\]

Hence (A) is correct.
SECTION – IV

Matrix-Match Type

This section contains 3 questions. Each question contains statements given in two columns which have to be matched. Statements (A, B, C, D) in Column-I have to be matched with statements (p, q, r, s) in Column-II. The answers to these questions have to be appropriately bubbled as illustrated in the following example.

If the correct matches are A-p, A-s, B-q, B-r, C-p, C-q and D-s, then the correctly bubbled 4 × 4 matrix should be as follows:

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<th>p</th>
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<th>r</th>
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42. Match the complexes in Column-I with their properties listed in Column-II. Indicate your answer by darkening the appropriate bubbles of the 4 × 4 matrix given in the ORS.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Column-I</th>
<th>Column-II</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(A) [Co(NH₃)₄(H₂O)₂]Cl₂</td>
<td>(p) geometrical isomers</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(B) [Pt(NH₃)₂Cl₂]</td>
<td>(q) paramagnetic</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(C) [Co(H₂O)₅Cl]Cl</td>
<td>(r) diamagnetic</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(D) [Ni(H₂O)₆]Cl₂</td>
<td>(s) metal ion with +2 oxidation state</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Sol. A → p, q, s, B → p, r, s, C → q, s, D → q, s

(A)

Co²⁺ = 3d⁷ (Paramagnetic)

(B) [Pt(NH₃)₂Cl₂] is square planar.

Pt²⁺ = 5d⁸4s⁰ (diamagnetic)

(C)

Co²⁺ = 3d⁷ (paramagnetic)

(D)

Ni²⁺ = 3d⁸ (weak field ligand, paramagnetic)
43. Match gases under specified conditions listed in **Column-I** with their properties/laws in **Column-II**. Indicate your answer by darkening the appropriate bubbles of the 4 × 4 matrix given in the ORS.

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Column-I</th>
<th>Column-II</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(A) hydrogen gas (P = 200 atm, T = 273K)</td>
<td>(p) compressibility factor ≠ 1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(B) hydrogen gas (P ≈ 0, T = 273K)</td>
<td>(q) attractive forces are dominant</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(C) CO₂ (P = 1 atm, T = 273K)</td>
<td>(r) PV = nRT</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(D) real gas with very large molar volume</td>
<td>(s) P(V − nb) = nRT</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Sol.**

A → p, s  B → r  C → p, q  D → p, s

(A) \( Z = \frac{PV_m}{RT} \) at high pressure and low temperature.

Equation \( \left( P + \frac{an^2}{V^2} \right) (V − nb) = nRT \) reduces to \( P(V − nb) = nRT \).

(B) For hydrogen gas value of \( Z = 1 \) at \( P = 0 \) and it increase continuously on increasing pressure.

(C) CO₂ molecules have larger attractive forces, under normal conditions.

(D) \( Z = \frac{PV_m}{RT} \), at very large molar volume \( Z \neq 1 \).

44. Match the chemical substances in Column-I with type of polymers/type of bonds in Column-II. Indicate your answer by darkening the appropriate bubbles of the 4 × 4 matrix given in the ORS.

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<th>Column-I</th>
<th>Column-II</th>
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<tr>
<td>(A) cellulose</td>
<td>(p) natural polymer</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(B) nylon-6, 6</td>
<td>(q) synthetic polymer</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(C) protein</td>
<td>(r) amide linkage</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(D) sucrose</td>
<td>(s) glycoside linkage</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Sol.**

A → p, s  B → q, r  C → p, r  D → s

(A) Cellulose

![Cellulose molecule (Glycoside linkage)](image)

(B) Nylon 6, 6

![Nylon 6, 6 molecule (Amide linkage)](image)

(C) Protein

![Protein molecule (Amide linkage)](image)

(D) Sucrose

![Sucrose molecule (Glycoside linkage)](image)
PART III (MATHEMATICS)

SECTION - I

Straight Objective Type

This section contains 9 multiple choice questions numbered 45 to 53. Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D), out of which ONLY ONE is correct.

45. A hyperbola, having the transverse axis of length $2 \sin \theta$, is confocal with the ellipse $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$. Then its equation is

(A) $x^2 \csc^2 \theta - y^2 \sec^2 \theta = 1$
(B) $x^2 \sec^2 \theta - y^2 \csc^2 \theta = 1$
(C) $x^2 \sin^2 \theta - y^2 \cos^2 \theta = 1$
(D) $x^2 \cos^2 \theta - y^2 \sin^2 \theta = 1$

Sol. (A)

The given ellipse is $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$.

$\Rightarrow a = 2, b = \sqrt{3}$

$\Rightarrow 3 = 4 (1 - e^2)$

$\Rightarrow e = \frac{1}{2}$

so that $ae = 1$

Hence the eccentricity $e_1$ of the hyperbola is given by

$1 = e_1 \sin \theta$ ($\Rightarrow e_1 = \csc \theta$)

$\Rightarrow b^2 = \sin^2 \theta (\csc^2 \theta - 1) = \cos^2 \theta$

Hence the hyperbola is $\frac{x^2}{\sin^2 \theta} - \frac{y^2}{\cos^2 \theta} = 1$ or $x^2 \csc^2 \theta - y^2 \sec^2 \theta = 1$.

46. The tangent to the curve $y = e^x$ drawn at the point $(c, e^c)$ intersects the line joining the points $(c - 1, e^{c-1})$ and $(c + 1, e^{c+1})$.

(A) on the left of $x = c$
(B) on the right of $x = c$
(C) at no point
(D) at all points

Sol. (A)

Slope of the line joining the points $(c - 1, e^{c-1})$ and $(c + 1, e^{c+1})$ is equal to $\frac{e^{c+1} - e^{c-1}}{2} > e^c$.

$\Rightarrow$ tangent to the curve $y = e^x$ will intersect the given line to the left of the line $x = c$.

Alternative

The equation of the tangent to the curve $y = e^x$ at $(c, e^c)$ is $y - e^c = e^c(x - c)$ ...

Equation of the line joining the points is

$y - e^{c-1} = \frac{e^c}{2} [x - (c - 1)]$ ...

Eliminating $y$ from (1) and (2), we get

$[x - (c - 1)] [2 - (e - e^{-1})] = 2e^{-1}$

or $x - c = \frac{e + e^{-1} - 2}{2 - (e - e^{-1})} < 0$ $\Rightarrow x < c$.

$\Rightarrow$ the line (1) and (2) meet on the left of the line $x = c$.

47. A man walks a distance of 3 units from the origin towards the north-east (N 45° E) direction. From there, he walks a distance of 4 units towards the north-west (N 45° W) direction to reach a point $P$. Then the position of $P$ in the Argand plane is

(A) $3e^{i\pi/4} + 4i$
(B) $(3 - 4i) e^{i\pi/4}$
(C) $(4 + 3i) e^{i\pi/4}$
(D) $(3 - 4i) e^{i\pi/4}$

Sol. (A)

The position of $P$ in the Argand plane is $3e^{i\pi/4} + 4i$.
Sol. (D) Let OA = 3, so that the complex number associated with A is $3e^{i\pi/4}$.
If $z$ is the complex number associated with P, then
$$\frac{z - 3e^{i\pi/4}}{3e^{i\pi/4}} = \frac{4}{3} e^{i\pi/4} = \frac{4i}{3}.$$ 
$$\Rightarrow 3z - 9e^{i\pi/4} = 12ie^{i\pi/4}$$ 
$$\Rightarrow z = \left(3 + 4i\right)e^{i\pi/4}.$$

48. Let $f(x)$ be differentiable on the interval $(0, \infty)$ such that $f(1) = 1$, and
$$\lim_{t \to x} \frac{t^2f(x) - x^2f(t)}{1 - x} = 1$$
for each $x > 0$. Then $f(x)$ is
(A) $\frac{1}{3x} + \frac{2x^2}{3}$
(B) $\frac{1}{3x} + \frac{4x^2}{3}$
(C) $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{2}{x^2}$
(D) $\frac{1}{x}$

Sol. (A)
$$\lim_{t \to x} \frac{t^2f(x) - x^2f(t)}{1 - x} = 1$$
$$\Rightarrow x^2f'(x) - 2xf(x) + 1 = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow f(x) = cx^2 + \frac{1}{3x}$$
also $f(1) = 1$
$$\Rightarrow c = \frac{2}{3}.$$ 
Hence $f(x) = \frac{2}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{3x}$.

49. The number of solutions of the pair of equations
$$2\sin^2\theta - \cos2\theta = 0$$
$$2\cos^2\theta - 3\sin\theta = 0$$
in the interval $[0, 2\pi]$ is
(A) zero  (B) one  (C) two  (D) four

Sol. (C)
$$2\sin^2\theta - \cos2\theta = 0 \Rightarrow \sin^2\theta = \frac{1}{4}$$
also $2\cos^2\theta - 3\sin\theta \Rightarrow \sin\theta = \frac{1}{2}$
$$\Rightarrow$$ two solutions in $[0, 2\pi]$.

50. Let $\alpha, \beta$ be the roots of the equation $x^2 - px + r = 0$ and $\alpha, \beta$ be the roots of the equation $x^2 - qx + r = 0$. Then the value of $r$ is
(A) $\frac{2}{9}(p - q)(2q - p)$  (B) $\frac{2}{9}(q - p)(2p - q)$
(C) $\frac{2}{9}(q - 2p)(2q - p)$  (D) $\frac{2}{9}(2p - q)(2q - p)$
Sol.  (D)
The equation \(x^2 - px + r = 0\) has roots \((\alpha, \beta)\) and the equation
\(x^2 - qx + r = 0\) has roots \(\begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix}\).

\[ r = \alpha \beta \quad \text{and} \quad \alpha + \beta = p \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\alpha}{2} + 2\beta = q \]

\[ \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{2q-p}{3} \quad \text{and} \quad \beta = \frac{2(2p-q)}{3} \]

\[ \Rightarrow \alpha \beta = \frac{2}{9} (2q-p)(2p-q). \]

51. The number of distinct real values of \(\lambda\), for which the vectors \(-\lambda^2 \hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}, \hat{i} - \lambda^2 \hat{j} + \hat{k}\) and \(\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \lambda^2 \hat{k}\) are coplanar, is
(A) zero  \quad \text{(B) one}
(C) two  \quad \text{(D) three}

Sol.  (C)
\[
\begin{vmatrix}
-\lambda^2 & 1 & 1 \\
1 & -\lambda^2 & 1 \\
1 & 1 & -\lambda^2
\end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda^6 - 3\lambda^2 - 2 = 0
\]
\[ \Rightarrow (1 + \lambda^2)(\lambda^2 - 2) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm \sqrt{2}. \]

52. One Indian and four American men and their wives are to be seated randomly around a circular table. Then the conditional probability that the Indian man is seated adjacent to his wife given that each American man is seated adjacent to his wife is
(A) \(1/2\)  \quad \text{(B) \(1/3\)}
(C) \(2/5\)  \quad \text{(D) \(1/5\)}

Sol.  (C)
Let \(E = \text{event when each American man is seated adjacent to his wife}\)
\(A = \text{event when Indian man is seated adjacent to his wife}\)

Now, \(n(A \cap E) = (4!) \times (2!)^5\)

Even when each American man is seated adjacent to his wife
Again \(n(E) = (5!) \times (2!)^4\)
\[ \Rightarrow P\left(\frac{A}{E}\right) = \frac{n(A \cap E)}{n(E)} = \frac{(4!) \times (2!)^5}{(5!) \times (2!)^4} = \frac{2}{5}. \]

Alternative
Fixing four American couples and one Indian man in between any two couples; we have 5 different ways in which his wife can be seated, of which 2 cases are favorable.
\[ \therefore \text{required probability} = \frac{2}{5}. \]

53. \[ \lim_{x \to \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\sec^2 x}{x^2 - \frac{\pi^2}{16}} \]
equals
(A) \(\frac{8}{\pi} f(2)\)  \quad \text{(B) \(\frac{2}{\pi} f(2)\)}
(C) \(\frac{2}{\pi} f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\)  \quad \text{(D) \(4f(2)\)}
**Sol.**  
\[
\lim_{x \to \frac{\pi}{2}} \int_{\frac{x}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} f(t) \, dt = \begin{cases} 
0 & \text{(0 form)} \\
\int_{0}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{f(\sec^2 x)2\sec x \sec x \tan x}{2x} \, dx \\
L = \frac{2f(2)}{\pi} = \frac{8f(2)}{\pi}.
\end{cases}
\]

**SECTION –II**

**Assertion – Reason Type**

This section contains 4 questions numbered 54 to 57. Each question contains STATEMENT – 1 (Assertion) and STATEMENT – 2 (Reason). Each question has 4 choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) out of which ONLY ONE is correct.

54. Let the vectors \( \overrightarrow{PQ}, \overrightarrow{QR}, \overrightarrow{RS}, \overrightarrow{ST}, \overrightarrow{TU} \) and \( \overrightarrow{UP} \) represent the sides of a regular hexagon.

**STATEMENT -1** : \( \overrightarrow{PQ} \times (\overrightarrow{RS} + \overrightarrow{ST}) \neq \overrightarrow{0} \).

because

**STATEMENT -2** : \( \overrightarrow{PQ} \times \overrightarrow{RS} = \overrightarrow{0} \) and \( \overrightarrow{PQ} \times \overrightarrow{ST} = \overrightarrow{0} \).

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

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

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

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

**Sol.**  
(C)

Since \( \overrightarrow{PQ} \parallel \overrightarrow{TR} \) \( \implies \overrightarrow{TR} \) is resultant of \( \overrightarrow{SR} \) and \( \overrightarrow{ST} \) vector.

\[ \overrightarrow{PQ} \times (\overrightarrow{RS} + \overrightarrow{ST}) \neq \overrightarrow{0}. \]

But for statement 2, we have \( \overrightarrow{PQ} \times \overrightarrow{RS} = \overrightarrow{0} \) which is not possible as \( \overrightarrow{PQ} \parallel \overrightarrow{RS} \).

Hence, statement 1 is true and statement 2 is false.

55. Let \( F(x) \) be an indefinite integral of \( \sin^2 x \).

**STATEMENT -1** : The function \( F(x) \) satisfies \( F(x + \pi) = F(x) \) for all real \( x \).

because

**STATEMENT -2** : \( \sin^2 (x + \pi) = \sin^2 x \) for all real \( x \).

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

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

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

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

**Sol.**  
(D)

\[
F(x) = \int \sin^2 x \, dx = \int \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \, dx
\]

\[ \implies F(x) = \frac{1}{4} (2x - \sin 2x) + c. \]

Since, \( F(x + \pi) \neq F(x) \).

Hence statement 1 is false.

But statement 2 is true as \( \sin^2 x \) is periodic with period \( \pi \).
56. Let \( H_1, H_2, \ldots, H_n \) be mutually exclusive and exhaustive events with \( P(H_i) > 0, \) \( i = 1, 2, \ldots, n. \) Let \( E \) be any other event with \( 0 < P(E) < 1. \)

**STATEMENT -1**: \( P(H_i \mid E) > P(E \mid H_i) \cdot P(H_i) \) for \( i = 1, 2, \ldots, n \)

because

**STATEMENT -2**: \( \sum_{i=1}^{n} P(H_i) = 1 \)

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

Sol. (D)

Statement : 1

If \( P(H_i \cap E) = 0 \) for some \( i, \) then

\[
P(H_i \mid E) = P(E \mid H_i) = 0
\]

If \( P(H_i \cap E) \neq 0 \) for \( \forall \) \( i = 1, 2 \ldots n, \) then

\[
P(H_i \mid E) = \frac{P(H_i \cap E)}{P(H_i)} \times \frac{P(H_i)}{P(E)} = \frac{P(E \mid H_i)}{P(E)} \cdot P(H_i)
\]

\[
\Rightarrow \frac{P(E \mid H_i)}{P(E)} \cdot P(H_i) > P(H_i) \quad \text{[as} 0 < P(E) < 1]\]

Hence statement 1 may not always be true.

Statement : 2

Clearly \( H_1 \cup H_2 \ldots \cup H_n = S \) (sample space)

\( \Rightarrow P(H_1) + P(H_2) + \ldots + P(H_n) = 1. \)

57. Tangents are drawn from the point \((17, 7)\) to the circle \(x^2 + y^2 = 169.\)

**STATEMENT -1**: The tangents are mutually perpendicular.

because

**STATEMENT -2**: The locus of the points from which mutually perpendicular tangents can be drawn to the given circle is \(x^2 + y^2 = 338\)

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

Sol. (A)

Since the tangents are perpendicular \(\Rightarrow\) locus of perpendicular tangents to circle \(x^2 + y^2 = 169\) is a director circle having equation \(x^2 + y^2 = 338.\)

SECTION – III

Linked Comprehension Type

This section contains 2 paragraphs \( M_{58-60} \) and \( M_{61-63}. \) Based upon each paragraph, 3 multiple choice questions have to be answered. Each question has 4 choice \((A), (B), (C)\) and \((D)\), out of which ONLY ONE is correct.

\( M_{58-60} : \) Paragraph for question Nos. 58 to 60

Consider the circle \(x^2 + y^2 = 9\) and the parabola \(y^2 = 8x.\) They intersect at P and Q in the first and the fourth quadrants, respectively. Tangents to the circle at P and Q intersect the x-axis at R and tangents to the parabola at P and Q intersect the x-axis at S.

58. The ratio of the areas of the triangles PQS and PQR is

(A) \(1 : \sqrt{2}\)  \hspace{1cm}  (B) \(1 : 2\)

(C) \(1 : 4\)  \hspace{1cm}  (D) \(1 : 8\)
Sol. \( \text{(C)} \)

Coordinates of \( P \) and \( Q \) are \( (1, +2\sqrt{2}) \) and \( (1, -2\sqrt{2}) \).

Area of \( \Delta PQR = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4\sqrt{2} \cdot 8 = 16\sqrt{2} \)

Area of \( \Delta PQS = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4\sqrt{2} \cdot 2 = 4\sqrt{2} \)

Ratio of area of triangle \( PQS \) and \( PQR \) is 1 : 4.

59. The radius of the circumcircle of the triangle \( PRS \) is

(A) 5 \hspace{1cm} (B) \( 3\sqrt{3} \) \hspace{1cm} (C) \( 3\sqrt{2} \) \hspace{1cm} (D) \( 2\sqrt{3} \)

Sol. \( \text{(B)} \)

Equation of circumcircle of \( \DeltaPRS \) is \((x + 1)(x - 9) + y^2 + \lambda y = 0\)

It will pass through \((1, 2\sqrt{2})\), then \(-16 + 8 + \lambda 2\sqrt{2} = 0\)

\[ \lambda = \frac{8}{2\sqrt{2}} = 2\sqrt{2} \]

Equation of circumcircle is \(x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 2\sqrt{2}y - 9 = 0\).

Hence its radius is \(3\sqrt{3}\).

Alternative

Let \( \angle PSR = \theta \)

\[ \Rightarrow 2\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = 8 \]

\[ \Rightarrow PR = 6\sqrt{2} = 2R \cdot \sin 0 \Rightarrow R = 3\sqrt{3} \]

60. The radius of the incircle of the triangle \( PQR \) is

(A) 4 \hspace{1cm} (B) 3 \hspace{1cm} (C) \(\frac{8}{3} \) \hspace{1cm} (D) 2

Sol. \( \text{(D)} \)

Radius of incircle is \( r = \frac{A}{s} \)

as \( A = 16\sqrt{2} \)

\[ s = \frac{6\sqrt{2} + 6\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{2}}{2} = 8\sqrt{2} \]

\[ r = \frac{16\sqrt{2}}{8\sqrt{2}} = 2 \]

M61-63 : Paragraph for Question Nos. 61 to 63

Let \( V_r \) denote the sum of the first \( r \) terms of an arithmetic progression (A.P.) whose first term is \( r \) and the common difference is \((2r - 1)\). Let \( T_r = V_{r+1} - V_r = 2 \) and \( Q_r = T_{r+1} - T_r \) for \( r = 1, 2, \ldots \)

61. The sum \( V_1 + V_2 + \ldots + V_n \) is

(A) \( \frac{1}{12} n(n+1)(3n^2 - n + 1) \) \hspace{1cm} (B) \( \frac{1}{12} n(n+1)(3n^2 + n + 2) \)

(C) \( \frac{1}{2} n(2n^2 - n + 1) \) \hspace{1cm} (D) \( \frac{1}{3}(2n^3 - 2n + 3) \)
Sol. (B)

\[ V_r = \frac{r}{2} [2r + (r-1)(2r-1)] = \frac{1}{2} (2r^3 - r^2 + r) \]

\[ \sum V_r = \frac{1}{12} n(n+1)(2n^2 + n + 2). \]

62. \( T_r \) is always

(A) an odd number  \quad  (B) an even number

(C) a prime number  \quad  (D) a composite number

Sol. (D)

\[ V_{r+1} - V_r = (r+1)^2 - r^2 - \frac{1}{2} [(r+1)^2 - r^2] + \frac{1}{2} (1) \]

\[ = 3r^2 + 2r + 1 \]

\[ T_r = 3r^2 + 2r - 1 = (r+1)(3r-1) \]

which is a composite number.

63. Which one of the following is a correct statement?

(A) \( Q_1, Q_2, Q_3, \ldots \) are in A.P. with common difference 5

(B) \( Q_1, Q_2, Q_3, \ldots \) are in A.P. with common difference 6

(C) \( Q_1, Q_2, Q_3, \ldots \) are in A.P. with common difference 11

(D) \( Q_1 = Q_2 = Q_3 = \ldots \)

Sol. (B)

\[ T_r = 3r^2 + 2r - 1 \]

\[ T_{r+1} = 3(r+1)^2 + 2(r+1) - 1 \]

\[ Q_r = T_{r+1} - T_r = 3[2r + 1] + 2[1] \]

\[ Q_r = 6r + 5 \]

\[ Q_{r+1} = 6(r + 1) + 5 \]

Common difference = \( Q_{r+1} - Q_r = 6 \).

SECTION – IV

Matrix-Match Type

This section contains 3 questions. Each question contains statements given in two columns which have to be matched. Statements (A, B, C, D) in Column I have to be matched with statements (p, q, r, s) in Column II. The answers to these questions have to be appropriately bubbled as illustrated in the following example.

If the correct matches are \( A \rightarrow p, A \rightarrow s, B \rightarrow q, B \rightarrow r, C \rightarrow q \) and \( D \rightarrow s \), then the correctly bubbled \( 4 \times 4 \) matrix should be as follows:

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64. Consider the following linear equations

\[ ax + by + cz = 0 \]

\[ bx + cy + az = 0 \]

\[ cx + ay + bz = 0 \]

Match the conditions / expressions in Column I with statements in Column II and indicate your answers by darkening the appropriate bubbles in \( 4 \times 4 \) matrix given in the ORS.

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<td>(A) ( a + b + c \neq 0 ) and ( a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = ab + bc + ca )</td>
<td>(p) the equations represent planes meeting only at a single point.</td>
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<td>(B) ( a + b + c = 0 ) and ( a^3 + b^2 + c^2 \neq ab + bc + ca )</td>
<td>(q) the equations represent the line ( x = y = z ).</td>
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<td>(C) ( a + b + c \neq 0 ) and ( a^3 + b^2 + c^2 \neq ab + bc + ca )</td>
<td>(r) the equations represent identical planes.</td>
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<td>(D) ( a + b + c = 0 ) and ( a^3 + b^2 + c^2 = ab + bc + ca )</td>
<td>(s) the equations represent the whole of the three dimensional space.</td>
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Sol.  A – r  B – q  C – p  D – s

\[
\Delta = \begin{vmatrix}
a & b & c \\
b & c & a \\
c & a & b \\
\end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} (a + b + c)[(a - b)^2 + (b - c)^2 + (c - a)^2]
\]

(A). If \( a + b + c \neq 0 \) and \( a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = ab + bc + ca \)

\[\Rightarrow \Delta = 0 \] and \( a = b = c \neq 0 \)

\[\Rightarrow \text{the equations represent identical planes.}\]

(B). \( a + b + c = 0 \) and \( a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \neq ab + bc + ca \)

\[\Rightarrow \Delta = 0 \] \[\Rightarrow \text{the equations have infinitely many solutions.}\]

\[ax + by = (a + b)z\]

\[bx + cy = (b + c)z\]

\[\Rightarrow (b^2 - ac)y = (b^2 - ac)z \Rightarrow y = z\]

\[\Rightarrow ax + by + cy = 0 \Rightarrow ax = ay \Rightarrow x = y = z.\]

(C). \( a + b + c \neq 0 \) and \( a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \neq ab + bc + ca \)

\[\Rightarrow \Delta \neq 0 \]

\[\Rightarrow \text{the equations represent planes meeting at only one point.}\]

(D). \( a + b + c = 0 \) and \( a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = ab + bc + ca \)

\[\Rightarrow a = b = c = 0\]

\[\Rightarrow \text{the equations represent whole of the three dimensional space.}\]

65. Match the integrals in Column I with the values in Column II and indicate your answer by darkening the appropriate bubbles in the 4 × 4 matrix given in the ORS.

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<td>(B) ( \int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} )</td>
<td>(q) ( 2 \log \left( \frac{2}{3} \right) )</td>
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<td>(C) ( \int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx}{1-x^2} )</td>
<td>(r) ( \frac{\pi}{3} )</td>
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<td>(D) ( \int_{-1}^{1} \frac{dx}{x \sqrt{x^2 - 1}} )</td>
<td>(s) ( \frac{\pi}{2} )</td>
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Sol.  A – s  B – s  C – p  D – r

(A). \( \int_{-1}^{1} \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{\pi}{2} \)

(B). \( \int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \frac{\pi}{2} \)

(C). \( \int_{-1}^{1} \frac{dx}{1-x^2} = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{2}{3} \)

(D). \( \int_{-1}^{1} \frac{dx}{x \sqrt{x^2 - 1}} = \frac{\pi}{3} \)
66. In the following \([x]\) denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to \(x\).

Match the functions in Column I with the properties Column II and indicate your answer by darkening the appropriate bubbles in the \(4 \times 4\) matrix given in the ORS.

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<td>(B) (\sqrt{x})</td>
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<td>(C) (x + [x])</td>
<td>(r) strictly increasing in ((-1, 1))</td>
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<td>(D) (</td>
<td>x - 1</td>
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Sol.  
A – p, q, r  
B – p, s  
C – r, s  
D – p, q

(A). \(x\mid x\) is continuous, differentiable and strictly increasing in \((-1, 1)\).

(B). \(\sqrt{x}\) is continuous in \((-1, 1)\) and not differentiable at \(x = 0\).

(C). \(x + [x]\) is strictly increasing in \((-1, 1)\) and discontinuous at \(x = 0\) \(\Rightarrow\) not differentiable at \(x = 0\).

(D). \(|x - 1| + |x + 1| = 2\) in \((-1, 1)\)  
\(\Rightarrow\) the function is continuous and differentiable in \((-1, 1)\).