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PART : MATHEMATICS

1. The value of $\sum_{k=1}^{13} \frac{1}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{(k-1)\pi}{6}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{k\pi}{6}\right)}$ is equal to $a\sqrt{3} - b$ then $a^2 + b^2$

Ans. (4)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Sol. } & \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{13} \frac{\sin\left[\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{k\pi}{6}\right) - \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + (k-1)\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right]}{\sin\frac{\pi}{6} \left(\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{k\pi}{6}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + (k-1)\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \right)} = 2 \sum_{k=1}^{13} \left(\cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + (k-1)\frac{\pi}{6}\right) - \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{k\pi}{6}\right) \right) \\
 & = 2 \left(\cot\frac{\pi}{4} - \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{13\pi}{6}\right) \right) = 2 \left(1 - \cot\left(\frac{29\pi}{12}\right) \right) = 2 \left(1 - \cot\left(\frac{5\pi}{12}\right) \right) = 2 (1 - (2 - \sqrt{3})) = 2 (-1 + \sqrt{3}) \\
 & = 2(\sqrt{3} - 1) \\
 & = 2\sqrt{3} - 2 = a\sqrt{3} - b \\
 a & = 2, b = 2 \\
 a^2 + b^2 & = 4 + 4 = 8.
 \end{aligned}$$

2. Let $f(x) = \int \frac{dx}{x^{1/4}(x^{1/4} + 1)}$. If $f(0) = -6$, then $f(1)$

Ans. (1)

Sol. let $x^{1/4} = t$

$$x = t^4$$

$$dx = 4t^3 dt$$

$$= \int_0^t s^3 dt$$

$$4 \cdot \frac{t-1}{t(t+1)}$$

$$= t^2 dt$$

$$= 4 \left| \frac{t \, dt}{(t+1)} \right|$$

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$$= 4 \int \left| \frac{U -$$

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$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\infty} (t-1)$$

(t²)

$$f(t) = 4 \left| \frac{t}{2} \right|$$

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$$f(x) = 2x^3$$

$$f(0) = -6$$

C = -6

$$f(1) = 2 -$$

3. The area bounded by curve $x(1+y^2)=1$ & $y^2=2x$ is

(1) $\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{3}$

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

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

(4) $\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{1}{2}$

Ans. (2)

Sol. $x(1+y^2)=1$ & $y^2=2x$

for point of intersection

$$x(1+2x)=1$$

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

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

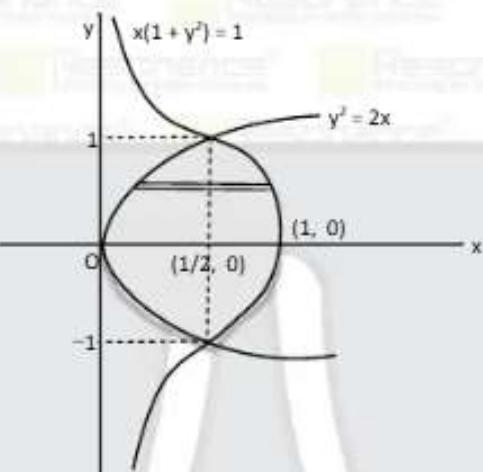
$$(2x-1)(x+1)=0$$

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

$$A = 2 \int_0^1 \left(\frac{1}{1+y^2} - \frac{y^2}{2} \right) dy$$

$$= 2 \left[\tan^{-1} y - \frac{y^3}{6} \right]_0^1$$

$$= 2 \left[\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{6} - 0 + 0 \right] = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{3}$$



4. There are 3 Bags B_1, B_2, B_3 Which contain 6 black, 4 white and 4 black, 6 white and 5 black, 5 white balls respectively. If one ball is randomly selected from a bag and is found to be white. Find the probability that ball came from B_2 is:

(1) $\frac{1}{5}$

(2) $\frac{2}{5}$

(3) $\frac{3}{5}$

(4) $\frac{4}{5}$

Ans. (2)

Sol.

6 B 4 W	4 B 6 W	5 B 5 W
B_1	B_2	B_3

Probability:- First select bag and then select Ball

$$\frac{\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{6}{10}}{\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{4}{10} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{6}{10} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{5}{10}}$$

favourable event
total event

$$= \frac{6}{4+6+5} = \frac{6}{15} = \frac{2}{5}$$

5. $f(x) = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 36x + 7$, $(f(x) : [0, 3] \rightarrow A)$ is onto function and

$g(x) = \frac{x^{2025}}{x^{2025} + 1}$, ($(g : [0, \infty) \rightarrow B)$ is onto function). Then, number of integer in $(A \cup B)$:

Ans. 30

Sol. $f(x) = 6x^2 - 30x + 36$

$$f(x) = 6(x-2)(x-3)$$

$$f(2) = 35, f(3) = 34, f(0) = 7$$

$$A \in [7, 35]$$

Total number of integers in A = 29.

$$g(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{x^{2025} + 1}$$

$$B \in [0, 1)$$

Number of integers in B = 1.

So, total number of integers in the range of $(A \cup B) = 30$.

Because no elements are common in A and B.

6. $f(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\tan\left(\frac{x}{2^{r+1}}\right) + \tan^3\left(\frac{x}{2^{r+1}}\right)}{1 - \tan^2\left(\frac{x}{2^{r+1}}\right)}$ then find the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - e^{f(x)}}{x - f(x)}$.

Ans. 1

Sol. $\because \frac{\tan 0 + \tan^3 0}{1 - \tan^2 0} = \frac{\tan 0}{\cos 20} = \tan 20 - \tan 0$

$$\therefore f(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \tan\left(\frac{x}{2^r}\right) - \tan\left(\frac{x}{2^{r+1}}\right)$$

$$\left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\tan x - \tan(x/2)) + (\tan x/2 - \tan(x/2^2)) + \tan(x/2^2) - \tan(x/2^3) + \dots + (\tan(x/2^n) - \tan(x/2^{n+1})) \right)$$

$$= \tan x - \tan 0 = \tan x$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - e^{\tan x}}{x - \tan x} \quad \left(\frac{0}{0} \text{ form} \right)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x \left(\frac{e^{x-\tan x} - 1}{x - \tan x} \right)}{x - \tan x} = e^0 \cdot 1 = 1.$$

7. If all natural numbers are listed from 212 to 999 then find number of natural numbers whose sum of digits is equal to 15.

Ans. 64

Sol. Coefficients of x^{15} in $(1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots + x^9)^3$

$$\text{Coefficients of } x^{15} \text{ in } \left(\frac{1 - x^{10}}{1 - x} \right)^3$$

$$\text{Coefficients of } x^{15} \text{ in } (1 - x^{10})^3 (1 - x)^{-3}$$

$$\text{Coefficients of } x^{15} \text{ in } (1 - 3x^{10} + {}^3C_2 x^{20} + \dots) (1 - x)^{-3}$$

$$= (\text{Coefficients of } x^{15} \text{ in } (1 - x)^{-3}) - 3(\text{Coefficients of } x^5 \text{ in } (1 - x)^{-3})$$

$$= {}^{3+15-1}C_{15} - 3 \cdot {}^{3+5-1}C_5$$

$$= {}^{17}C_{15} - 3 \cdot {}^7C_5 = \frac{17 \times 16}{2} - \frac{3 \times 7 \times 6}{2} = 17 \times 8 - 9 \times 7 = 73.$$

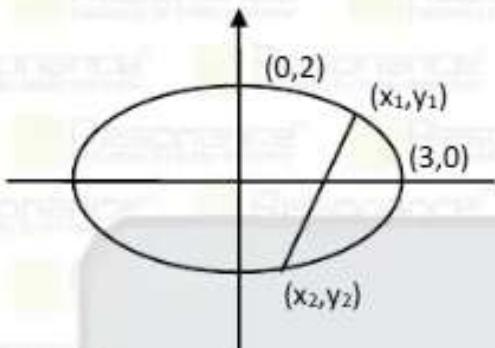
Number less than 212 whose sum of digits is (078, 087, 069, 096, 195, 159, 186, 177, 168).

Required number = 73 - 9 = 64.

8. $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$, $(\sqrt{2}, \frac{4}{3})$ is a mid point of chord and length of chord is $\frac{2\sqrt{\alpha}}{3}$ then the α is :

Ans. (22)

Sol.



$$\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1 \quad \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$T = S_1$$

$$\frac{xx_1}{9} + \frac{yy_1}{4} = \frac{2}{9} + \frac{4}{9}$$

$$\frac{x\sqrt{2}}{9} + \frac{y}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$x\sqrt{2} + 3y = 6 \quad \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

(x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2) both satisfy the equation

$$x_1\sqrt{2} + 3y_1 = 6 \quad x_2\sqrt{2} + 3y_2 = 6$$

Subtracting both equations

$$\sqrt{2}(x_1 - x_2) + 3(y_1 - y_2) = 0$$

$$(x_1 - x_2) = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{2}}(y_1 - y_2) \quad \dots \dots \dots (3)$$

Value of x from (2) in (1) in terms of y

$$\left(\frac{6 - 3y}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

$$2(y - 2)^2 + y^2 = 4$$

$$3y^2 - 8y + 4 = 0$$

$$(y - 2)(3y - 2) = 0$$

$$y = 2, \frac{2}{3}$$

$$|y_1 - y_2| = |2 - \frac{2}{3}| = \frac{4}{3}$$

Length of the chord is distance between both points.

Distance formula

$$\sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

put the value of $x_2 - x_1$ from equation (3)

$$\text{Length of chord} = |y_2 - y_1| \sqrt{\frac{11}{2}} = \frac{4}{3} \sqrt{\frac{11}{2}} = \frac{2\sqrt{22}}{3} \Rightarrow \alpha = 22$$

- 9.** The interior angles of a polygon with n sides are in A.P. with common difference of 6° . If the biggest interior angle of polygon is 219° then n is equal to:

Ans. **20**

Sol. $a + (n-1)6 = 219 \quad \dots(i)$

$$\frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)6] = (n-2)180^\circ \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\frac{n}{2}[a + 219] = (n-2) \times 180^\circ$$

$$\frac{n}{2}[219 + 219 - (n-1)6] = (n-2) \times 180^\circ$$

$$\frac{n}{2}[2 \times 219 - (n-1)6] = (n-2) \times 180^\circ$$

$$n[219 - (n-1)3] = (n-2) \times 180^\circ$$

$$n[222 - 3n] = (n-2) \times 180^\circ$$

$$222n - 3n^2 = 180n - 360^\circ$$

$$3n^2 - 222n + 180n - 360 = 0$$

$$3n^2 - 42n - 360 = 0$$

$$n^2 - 14n - 120 = 0$$

$$n = 20.$$

- 10.** If $x^2 - (3-2i)x - (2i-2) = 0$ has roots $\alpha + i\beta$ and $\gamma + i\delta$, where $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \in \mathbb{R}$ and $i = \sqrt{-1}$ then the value of $\alpha\gamma + \beta\delta$.

Ans. **(2)**

Sol. $x^2 - (3-2i)x - (2i-2) = 0$

$$x = \frac{(3-2i) \pm \sqrt{(3-2i)^2 + 4 \times 1(2i-2)}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(3-2i) \pm \sqrt{9+4i^2-12+8i-8}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(3-2i) \pm \sqrt{-3-4i}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(3-2i) \pm \sqrt{(1-2i)^2}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{3-2i+1-2i}{2}, \frac{3-2i-1+2i}{2} = \frac{4-4i}{2}, \frac{2}{2}$$

$$\alpha + i\beta = 2 - 2i \quad \gamma + i\delta = 1$$

by comparing

$$\alpha = 2 \quad \gamma = 1$$

$$\beta = -2 \quad \delta = 0$$

$$\alpha\gamma + \beta\delta$$

$$2 \times 1 + 0 = 2$$

- 11.** Consider a parabola $y^2 = 4x$ & lines $L_1 : x + y + 4 = 0$ & $L_2 : y + 5 = 0$, focus of parabola is S. If line L_2 cuts mirror image of parabola about L_1 at A & B such that $AB = m$ & area of $\Delta SAB = n$ then $m + n =$

Ans. (14)

Sol. $P : y^2 = 4x$

$$S(1, 0)$$

$$L_1 : x + y + 4 = 0$$

Image of $(t^2, 2t)$ in $x + y + 4 = 0$ is

$$\frac{x - t^2}{1} = \frac{y - 2t}{1} = \frac{-2(t^2 + 2t + 4)}{2}$$

$$x = -2t - 4, y = -t^2 - 4$$

$$\therefore \text{Image of } P \text{ is } (x+4)^2 = -4(y+4)$$

$$\text{at } L_2 \quad (x+4)^2 = -4(-5+4)$$

$$(x+4)^2 = 4 \quad \therefore x+4 = \pm 2$$

$$x = -2, -6$$

$$\therefore A(-2, -5), B(-6, -5)$$

$$\therefore AB = 4 = m$$

$$\text{area } \Delta SAB = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -5 & 1 \\ -6 & -5 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$(R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -5 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (-4)(0+5) = 10 = n$$

$$\therefore m+n = 4+10 = 14$$

- 12.** If $f(x) = \sec^{-1}(2[x] + 1)$, then domain of $f(x)$ is:

- (1) $(-\infty, \infty)$ (2) $(-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$ (3) $(-\infty, \infty) - \{0\}$ (4) $(-\infty, -1] \cup [0, \infty)$

Ans. (1)

Sol. $\sec^{-1}(2[x] + 1)$

$$2[x] + 1 \geq 1 \quad \text{or} \quad 2[x] + 1 \leq -1$$

$$2[x] \geq 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 2[x] \leq -2$$

$$x \in [0, \infty) \quad \text{or} \quad x \in (-\infty, 0)$$

$$x \in (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$D_f \in \mathbb{R}$$

- 13.** For positive integer n , $4a_n = n^2 + 5n + 6$ and $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{a_k} \right)$ then the value of $507 S_{2025}$ is

- (1) 675 (2) 540 (3) 1350 (4) 135

Ans. (1)

Sol. $\frac{1}{a_k} = \frac{4}{k^2 + 5k + 6} = \frac{4}{(k+2)(k+3)}$

$$\frac{1}{a_k} = \frac{4}{(k+2)} - \frac{4}{(k+3)}$$

$$S_n = \frac{1}{a_1} + \frac{1}{a_2} + \frac{1}{a_3} + \dots + \frac{1}{a_n}$$

$$S_n = 4 \left(\left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{5} \right) + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{n+2} - \frac{1}{n+3} \right) \right)$$

$$S_n = 4 \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{n+3} \right) = 4 \left(\frac{n+3-3}{3(n+3)} \right)$$

$$S_n = \frac{4n}{3(n+3)}$$

$$S_{2025} = \frac{4 \times 2025}{3 \times 2028}$$

$$507 \times S_{2025} = 675$$

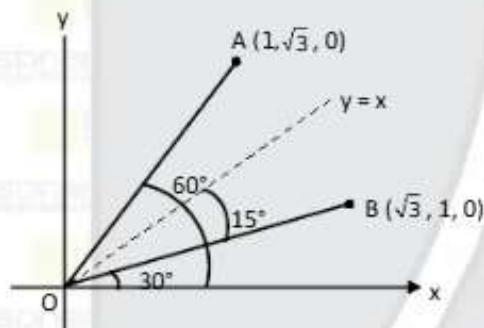
- 14.** Let $\vec{OA} = \hat{i} + \sqrt{3}\hat{j}$ & $\vec{OB} = \sqrt{3}\hat{i} + \hat{j}$ are two vectors and distance of point $C(a, 1-a, 0)$ from internal angle bisector of \vec{OA} & \vec{OB} is $\left(\frac{9}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$, then sum of all possible values of a is

Ans. (1) 4
Sol.

(2) 2

(3) 3

(4) 1



$$A(1, \sqrt{3}, 0) \quad B(\sqrt{3}, 1, 0)$$

$$\text{Angle bisector} = y = x \\ \Rightarrow y - x = 0$$

distance of point $C(a, 1-a, 0)$ from line $y - x = 0$ is $\frac{9}{\sqrt{2}}$

$$\left| \frac{1-a-a}{\sqrt{2}} \right| = \frac{9}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$|1-2a| = 9$$

$$1-2a = \pm 9 \Rightarrow a=5 \text{ & } a=-4$$

$$\text{sum} = 1$$

- 15.** $A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ & $P = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix}$, $\theta > 0$ if $B = PAP^T$. $C = (P^TBP)^{10}$, then sum of diagonal element of C is $\frac{m}{n}$ where $\text{gcd}(m, n) = 1$ then $(m+n)$ is

Ans. (65)

$$\text{Sol. } P = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \quad P^T = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$PP^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I = P^T P$$

$$C = (P^T B P)^{10}$$

$$= (P^T P A P^T P)^{10}$$

$$= (IAI)^{10}$$

$$C = A^{10}$$

$$\text{tr}(C) = \text{tr}(A^{10}) = \frac{1}{32} + 1$$

$$\frac{m}{n} = \frac{33}{32}$$

$$m+n=65$$

- 16.** Let the coefficient of three consecutive terms $T_r, T_{r+1} & T_{r+2}$ in the Binomial expansion of $(a+b)^{12}$ be in a G.P. and let p be the number of all possible value of r . Let q be the sum of all rational terms in the expansion of $(\sqrt[3]{3} + \sqrt[3]{4})^{12}$ then $p+q$ is

(1) 299

(2) 287

(3) 295

(4) 283

Ans. (4)

Sol. ${}^n C_{r-1}, {}^n C_r, {}^n C_{r+1} \rightarrow \text{G.P.}$

$$n=12$$

$$\frac{{}^{12} C_{r-1}}{{}^{12} C_r} = \frac{{}^{12} C_r}{{}^{12} C_{r+1}}$$

$$\frac{r}{13-r} = \frac{r+1}{12-r} \Rightarrow 12r - r^2 = 13r + 13 - r^2 - r$$

$$-r = 13 - r \Rightarrow 13 = 0 \text{ (not possible)}$$

$$p=0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } & \left(3^{\frac{1}{4}} + 4^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^{12} = {}^{12} C_0 \left(3^{\frac{1}{4}}\right)^{12} \left(4^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^0 + {}^{12} C_{12} \left(3^{\frac{1}{4}}\right)^0 \left(4^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^{12} \\ & = 3^3 + 4^4 = 27 + 256 \\ & = 283 = q \\ & p+q = 283 \end{aligned}$$

- 17.** If $y = y(x)$ satisfies differential equation $\sqrt{4-x^2} \frac{dy}{dx} = \left(\sin^{-1} \frac{x}{2}\right) \left(\left(\sin^{-1} \frac{x}{2}\right)^2 - y\right)$, such that $y(0) = \frac{\pi^2 - 8}{4}$

then $y(2) =$

$$(1) \left(\frac{\pi^2 - 8}{4}\right) + \frac{\pi^2}{4} \cdot e^{\frac{x^2}{8}}$$

$$(2) \left(\frac{\pi^2 - 2}{4}\right) + \frac{\pi^2}{4} \cdot e^{\frac{x^2}{8}}$$

$$(3) \left(\frac{\pi^2 - 4}{8}\right) + \frac{\pi^2}{4} \cdot e^{\frac{x^2}{8}}$$

$$(4) \left(\frac{\pi^2 - 8}{8}\right) + \frac{\pi^2}{4} \cdot e^{\frac{x^2}{8}}$$

Ans. (1)

Sol. Given $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)y}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} = \frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^3}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}$

$$\text{I.F.} = e^{\int \frac{\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx} = e^{\frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2}{2}}$$

Solution is

$$y \cdot e^{\frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2}{2}} = \int \frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^3}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} e^{\frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2}{2}} dx + C$$

$$\text{Let } \left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2 = t \quad \therefore \frac{2\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx = dt$$

$$y \cdot e^{\frac{t}{2}} = \int \frac{t}{2} e^{\frac{t}{2}} dt + C$$

$$y \cdot \text{IF} = t \cdot e^{\frac{t}{2}} - 2e^{\frac{t}{2}} + C$$

$$y \cdot \text{IF} = (t-2)e^{\frac{t}{2}}$$

$$ye^{\frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2}{2}} = \left(\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2 - 2\right) e^{\frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2}{2}} + C$$

$$\therefore y(0) = \frac{\pi^2 - 8}{4}$$

$$\frac{\pi^2 - 8}{4} = -2 + C$$

$$C = \frac{\pi^2}{4}$$

$$ye^{\frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2}{2}} = \left(\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2 - 2\right) e^{\frac{\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{x}{2}\right)^2}{2}} + \frac{\pi^2}{4}$$

Put $x=2$

$$y(2) = \left(\left(\frac{\pi^2 - 8}{4} \right) e^{\frac{\pi^2}{8}} + \frac{\pi^2}{4} \right) e^{-\frac{\pi^2}{8}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(2) = \left(\frac{\pi^2 - 8}{4} \right) + \frac{\pi^2}{4} \cdot e^{-\frac{\pi^2}{8}}$$

- 18.** A hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ cuts parabola $y^2 = 2x$ at two points A and B. If P is point on $2x+3y=4$ then

locus of centroid of ΔPAB is

- (1) $9x+6y=28$ (2) $6x+9y=28$ (3) $9x-6y=28$ (4) $6x-9y=28$

Ans. (2)

Sol. hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$

parabola $y^2 = 2x$ $\therefore \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{2x}{4} = 1$

$$2x^2 - 9x - 18 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 12x + 3x - 18 = 0$$

$$(2x+3)(x-6) = 0$$

$$x = 6, -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\therefore x = 6 \therefore y^2 = 12 \Rightarrow y = \pm 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$x = -\frac{3}{2}, y^2 = -3 \text{ (not possible)}$$

$$A(6, 2\sqrt{3}), B(6, -2\sqrt{3})$$

Let P (α, β) s.t. $2\alpha + 3\beta = 4$

Centroid of ΔPAB is $\left(\frac{\alpha+6+6}{3}, \frac{\beta}{3}\right) = (h, k)$

$$\therefore \alpha = 3h - 12, \beta = 3k$$

\therefore locus of centroid is

$$2(3h-12) + 3(3k) = 4$$

$$6x + 9y = 28$$

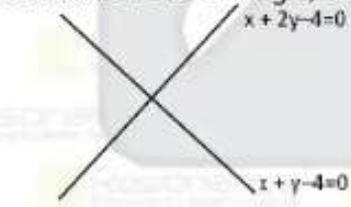
Ans.

- 19.** In an isosceles triangle two sides are $x + 2y = 4$ and $x + y = 4$, then the sum of all possible values of slope of third side of triangle is

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

Ans. (2)

Sol. For an isosceles triangle, the third side is parallel to the angle bisectors of two sides.



Equation of angle bisectors

$$\frac{x+2y-4}{\sqrt{5}} = \pm \frac{x+y-4}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$L_1 = (\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{5})x + (2\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{5})y - 4\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{5} = 0$$

$$L_2 = (\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5})x + (2\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5})y - 4\sqrt{2} - 4\sqrt{5} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 = -\frac{(\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{5})}{2\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{5}}, m_2 = -\frac{(\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5})}{2\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5}}$$

$$m_1 + m_2 = \frac{2}{3}$$

Ans.