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**JEE MAIN JANUARY 2025 | 24TH JANUARY SHIFT-2****SECTION - A**

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1. The number of real solution(s) of the equation $x^2 + 3x + 2 = \min\{|x - 3|, |x + 2|\}$ is :

- (1) 2 (2) 0 (3) 3 (4) 1

Ans. Official answer NTA(1)**Sol.**

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2. Let $A = \left\{ x \in (0, \pi) - \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2} \right\} : \log_{(2/\pi)} |\sin x| + \log_{(2/\pi)} |\cos x| = 2 \right\}$ and $B = \left\{ x \geq 0 : \sqrt{x}(\sqrt{x} - 4) - 3|\sqrt{x} - 2| + 6 = 0 \right\}$. Then $n(A \cup B)$ is equal to :

- (1) 4 (2) 2 (3) 6 (4) 8

Ans. Official answer NTA(4)**Sol.**

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3. Let $[x]$ denote the greatest integer function, and let m and n respectively be the numbers of the points, where the function $f(x) = [x] + |x - 2|$, $-2 < x < 3$, is not continuous and not differentiable. Then $m + n$ is equal to :

- (1) 6 (2) 8 (3) 7 (4) 9

Ans. Official answer NTA(2)**Sol.**

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4. If $7 = 5 + \frac{1}{7}(5 + \alpha) + \frac{1}{7^2}(5 + 2\alpha) + \frac{1}{7^3}(5 + 3\alpha) + \dots \infty$, then the value of α is :

- (1) 1 (2)
- $\frac{1}{7}$
- (3)
- $\frac{6}{7}$
- (4) 6

Ans. Official answer NTA(4)**MATRIX JEE ACADEMY****Office : Piprali Road, Sikar (Raj.) | Ph. 01572-241911****Website : www.matrixedu.in ; Email : smd@matrixacademy.co.in**

**Sol.**

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5. In an arithmetic progression, if $S_{40} = 1030$ and $S_{12} = 57$, then $S_{30} - S_{10}$ is equal to :
- (1) 525 (2) 515 (3) 510 (4) 505

Ans. Official answer NTA(2)**Sol.**

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6. Let $f : (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function which is differentiable at all points of its domain and satisfies the condition $x^2 f'(x) = 2xf(x) + 3$, with $f(1) = 4$. Then $2f(2)$ is equal to :
- (1) 23 (2) 29 (3) 19 (4) 39

Ans. Official answer NTA(4)**Sol.**

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7. Let $A = [a_{ij}]$ be a square matrix of order 2 with entries either 0 or 1. Let E be the event that A is an invertible matrix. Then the probability P(E) is :
- (1) $\frac{1}{8}$ (2) $\frac{5}{8}$ (3) $\frac{3}{16}$ (4) $\frac{3}{8}$

Ans. Official answer NTA(4)**Sol.**

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8. Let the points $\left(\frac{11}{2}, \alpha\right)$ lie on or inside the triangle with sides $x + y = 11$, $x + 2y = 16$ and $2x + 3y = 29$. Then the product of the smallest and the largest values of α is equal to ::
- (1) 22 (2) 44 (3) 33 (4) 55

Ans. Official answer NTA(3)**Sol.****MATRIX JEE ACADEMY**

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9. For some a, b , let $f(x) = \begin{vmatrix} a + \frac{\sin x}{x} & 1 & b \\ a & 1 + \frac{\sin x}{x} & b \\ a & 1 & b + \frac{\sin x}{x} \end{vmatrix}$, $x \neq 0$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lambda + \mu a + \nu b$. Then

 $(\lambda + \mu + \nu^2)$ is equal to :

(1) 9

(2) 36

(3) 16

(4) 25

Ans. Official answer NTA (3)**Sol.**

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10. Let the position vectors of three vertices of a triangle be $4\vec{p} + \vec{q} - 3\vec{r}$, $-5\vec{p} + \vec{q} + 2\vec{r}$ and $2\vec{p} - \vec{q} + 2\vec{r}$. If the position vectors of the orthocenter and the circumcenter of the triangle are $\frac{\vec{p} + \vec{q} + \vec{r}}{4}$ and $\alpha\vec{p} + \beta\vec{q} + \gamma\vec{r}$ respectively, then $\alpha + 2\beta + 5\gamma$ is equal to :

(1) 6

(2) 3

(3) 1

(4) 4

Ans.**Ans.** Official answer NTA (2)

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11. If $\alpha > \beta > \gamma > 0$, then the expression $\cot^{-1} \left\{ \beta + \frac{(1+\beta^2)}{(\alpha-\beta)} \right\} + \cot^{-1} \left\{ \gamma + \frac{(1+\gamma^2)}{(\beta-\gamma)} \right\} + \cot^{-1} \left\{ \alpha + \frac{(1+\alpha^2)}{(\gamma-\alpha)} \right\}$ is equal to :

(1) 0

(2) π (3) $\frac{\pi}{2} - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)$ (4) 3π **Ans.** Official answer NTA (2)**Sol.****MATRIX JEE ACADEMY**

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12. Let $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = \vec{a} \times (\hat{i} - 2\hat{k})$ and $\vec{c} = \vec{b} \times \hat{k}$. Then the projection of $\vec{c} - 2\hat{j}$ on \vec{a} is :

- (1)
- $\sqrt{14}$
- (2)
- $2\sqrt{7}$
- (3)
- $2\sqrt{14}$
- (4)
- $3\sqrt{7}$

Ans. Official answer NTA(3)**Sol.**

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13. The area of the region enclosed by the curves $y = e^x$, $y = |e^x - 1|$ and y-axis is :

- (1)
- $\log_e 2$
- (2)
- $1 + \log_e 2$
- (3)
- $1 - \log_e 2$
- (4)
- $2\log_e 2 - 1$

Ans. Official answer NTA(3)**Sol.**

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14. If the system of equations $x + 2y - 3z = 2$

$$2x + \lambda y + 5z = 5$$

$$14x + 3y + \mu z = 33$$

has infinitely many solutions, then $\lambda + \mu$ is equal to ::

- (1) 13 (2) 12 (3) 10 (4) 11

Ans. Official answer NTA(2)**Sol.**

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15. Suppose A and B are the coefficients of 30^{th} and 12^{th} terms respectively in the binomial expansion of $(1 + x)^{2n-1}$. If $2A = 5B$, then n is equal to :

- (1) 21 (2) 20 (3) 19 (4) 22

Ans. Official answer NTA(1)**Sol.**



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16. The equation of the chord, of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$, whose mid-point is (3, 1) is :

- (1) $48x + 25y = 169$ (2) $25x + 101y = 176$ (3) $5x + 16y = 31$ (4) $4x + 122y = 134$

Ans. Official answer NTA(1)

Sol.

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17. Group A consists of 7 boys and 3 girls, while group B consists of 6 boys and 5 girls. The number of ways, 4 boys and 4 girls can be invited for a picnic if 5 of them must be from group A and the remaining 3 from group B, is equal to :

- (1) 8925 (2) 8750 (3) 8575 (4) 9100

Ans. Official answer NTA(1)

Sol.

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18. If the equation of the parabola with vertex $V\left(\frac{3}{2}, 3\right)$ and the directrix $x + 2y = 0$ is $\alpha x^2 + \beta y^2 - \gamma xy - 30x -$

$60y + 225 = 0$, then $\alpha + \beta + \gamma$ is equal to :

- (1) 6 (2) 7 (3) 9 (4) 8

Ans. Official answer NTA(3)

Sol.

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19. The function $f : (-\infty, \infty) \rightarrow (-\infty, 1)$, defined by $f(x) = \frac{2^x - 2^{-x}}{2^x + 2^{-x}}$ is :

- (1) Both one-one and onto (2) Neither one-one nor onto
(3) One-one but not onto (4) Onto but not one-one

Ans. Official answer NTA(3)

Sol.

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20. Let $(2, 3)$ be the largest open interval in which the function $f(x) = 2\log_e(x-2) - x^2 + ax + 1$ is strictly increasing and (b, c) be the largest open interval, in which the function $g(x) = (x-1)^3(x+2-a)^2$ is strictly decreasing. Then $100(a+b-c)$ is equal to :

- (1) 420 (2) 280 (3) 360 (4) 160

Ans. Official answer NTA (3)

Sol.

SECTION - B

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21. If $\int \frac{2x^2 + 5x + 9}{\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1}} dx = x\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} + \alpha\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} + \beta \log_e \left| x + \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} \right| + C$, where C is the constant of integration, then $\alpha + 2\beta$ is equal to _____.

Ans. Official answer NTA (16)

Sol.

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22. Let P be the image of the point $Q(7, -2, 5)$ in the line $L : \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y+1}{3} = \frac{z}{4}$ and $R(5, p, q)$ be a point on L . Then the square of the area of ΔPQR is _____.

Ans. Official answer NTA (957)

Sol.



Question ID : 656445475

23. Let $H_1 : \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ and $H_2 : -\frac{x^2}{A^2} + \frac{y^2}{B^2} = 1$ be two hyperbolas having length of latus rectums $15\sqrt{2}$ and $12\sqrt{5}$ respectively. Let their eccentricities be $e_1 = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$ and e_2 respectively. If the product of the lengths of their transverse axes is $100\sqrt{10}$, then $25e_2^2$ is equal to _____.

Ans. Official answer NTA(55)**Sol.**

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24. Let $y = y(x)$ be the solution of the differential equation $2 \cos x \frac{dy}{dx} = \sin 2x - 4y \sin x$, $x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$. If $y\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 0$, then $y'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + y\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ is equal to _____.

Ans. Official answer NTA(1)**Sol.**

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25. Number of functions $f: \{1, 2, \dots, 100\} \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$, that assign 1 to exactly one of the positive integers less than or equal to 98, is equal to _____.

Ans. Official answer NTA(392)**Sol.**