

TEST PAPER OF JEE(MAIN) EXAMINATION - 2019

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MATHEMATICS

1. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2q & r \\ p & q & -r \\ p & -q & r \end{pmatrix}$. It $AA^T = I_3$, then |p|

is:

- (1) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
- (2) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$
- (3) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$
- (4) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

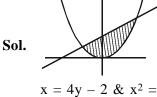
Ans. (1)

Sol. A is orthogonal matrix

$$\Rightarrow 0^2 + p^2 + p^2 = 1 \Rightarrow |p| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

- 2. The area (in sq. units) of the region bounded by the curve $x^2 = 4y$ and the straight line x = 4y 2:
 - (1) $\frac{5}{4}$
 - (2) $\frac{9}{8}$
 - (3) $\frac{3}{4}$
 - (4) $\frac{7}{8}$

Ans. (2)



 $x = 4y - 2 & x^2 = 4y$ $\Rightarrow x^2 = x + 2 \Rightarrow x^2 - x - 2 = 0$ x = 2, -1

So,
$$\int_{-1}^{2} \left(\frac{x+2}{4} - \frac{x^2}{4} \right) dx = \frac{9}{8}$$

- 3. The outcome of each of 30 items was observed; 10 items gave an outcome $\frac{1}{2}$ d each, 10 items gave outcome $\frac{1}{2}$ each and the remaining 10 items gave outcome $\frac{1}{2}$ + d each. If the variance of this outcome data is $\frac{4}{3}$ then |d| equals:-
 - (1) 2 (2) $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$ (3) $\frac{2}{3}$ (4) $\sqrt{2}$

Ans. (4)

Sol. Variance is independent of origin. So we shift the given data by $\frac{1}{2}$.

so,
$$\frac{10d^2 + 10 \times 0^2 + 10d^2}{30} - (0)^2 = \frac{4}{3}$$

 $\Rightarrow d^2 = 2 \Rightarrow |d| = \sqrt{2}$

- 4. The sum of an infinite geometric series with positive terms is 3 and the sum of the cubes of its terms is $\frac{27}{19}$. Then the common ratio of this series is:
 - (1) $\frac{4}{9}$ (2) $\frac{2}{9}$
 - 3) $\frac{2}{3}$ (4) $\frac{1}{3}$

Ans. (3)

Sol. $\frac{a}{1-r} = 3$...(1)

$$\frac{a^3}{1-r^3} = \frac{27}{19} \Rightarrow \frac{27(1-r)^3}{1-r^3} = \frac{27}{19}$$
$$\Rightarrow 6r^2 - 13r + 6 = 0$$

 $\Rightarrow r = \frac{2}{3} \text{ as } |r| < 1$



- Let $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + \lambda\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$ and $\vec{c} = 2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + (\lambda^2 - 1)\hat{k}$ be coplanar vectors. Then the non-zero vector $\vec{a} \times \vec{c}$ is :

 - (1) $-14\hat{i} 5\hat{i}$ (2) $-10\hat{i} 5\hat{i}$
 - $(3) -10\hat{i} + 5\hat{i}$
- $(4) -14\hat{i} + 5\hat{i}$
- Ans. (3)
- **Sol.** $[\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & \lambda & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & \lambda^2 - 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^3 - 2\lambda^2 - 9\lambda + 18 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2(\lambda - 2) - 9(\lambda - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda - 3)(\lambda + 3)(\lambda - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 2, 3, -3$$

So, $\lambda = 2$ (as \vec{a} is parallel to \vec{c} for $\lambda = \pm 3$)

Hence
$$\vec{a} \times \vec{c} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -10\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 5\hat{\mathbf{j}}$$

6. Let $\left(-2 - \frac{1}{2}i\right)^3 = \frac{x + iy}{27}(i = \sqrt{-1})$, where x

and y are real numbers, then y - x equals :

- (1) -85
- (2) 85
- (3) -91
- (4) 91

Ans. (4)

Sol.
$$\left(-2 - \frac{i}{3}\right)^3 = -\frac{(6+i)^3}{27}$$

$$= \frac{-198 - 107i}{27} = \frac{x + iy}{27}$$

Hence, y - x = 198 - 107 = 91

7. Let
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -1, -2 \le x < 0 \\ x^2 - 1, 0 \le x \le 2 \end{cases}$$
 and

g(x) = |f(x)| + f(|x|). Then, in the interval

- (-2, 2), g is :-
- (1) differentiable at all points
- (2) not differentiable at two points
- (3) not continuous
- (4) not differentiable at one point
- Ans. (4)

Sol.
$$|f(x)| = \begin{cases} 1, & -2 \le x < 0 \\ 1 - x^2, & 0 \le x < 1 \\ x^2 - 1, & 1 < x < 2 \end{cases}$$

and
$$f(|x|) = x^2 - 1$$
, $x \in [-2, 2]$

Hence
$$g(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 &, x \in [-2,0) \\ 0 &, x \in [0,1) \\ 2(x^2 - 1) &, x \in [1,2] \end{cases}$$

It is not differentiable at x = 1

Let $f: R \to R$ be defined by $f(x) = \frac{x}{1 + x^2}$, 8.

 $x \in R$. Then the range of f is:

(1)
$$(-1, 1) - \{0\}$$
 (2) $\left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$

(3)
$$R - \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right]$$
 (4) $R - [-1, 1]$

- Ans. (2)
- **Sol.** f(0) = 0 & f(x) is odd.

Further, if x > 0 then

$$f(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{\mathbf{x} + \frac{1}{\mathbf{x}}} \in \left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right]$$

Hence,
$$f(\mathbf{x}) \in \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right]$$



The sum of the real values of x for which the middle term in the binomial expansion of

$$\left(\frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{3}{x}\right)^8 \text{ equals 5670 is :}$$

- (1) 6
- (2) 8
- (3) 0
- (4) 4

Ans. (3)

- **Sol.** $T_5 = {}^8C_4 \frac{x^{12}}{81} \times \frac{81}{x^4} = 5670$
 - $\Rightarrow 70x^8 = 5670$
 - $\Rightarrow x = \pm \sqrt{3}$
- The value of r for which 10.

 ${}^{20}C_r\, {}^{20}C_0 + {}^{20}C_{r-1}\, {}^{20}C_1 + {}^{20}C_{r-2}\, {}^{20}C_2 + \dots \, {}^{20}C_0\, {}^{20}C_r$ is maximum, is

- (1) 20
- (2) 15
- (3) 11
- (4) 10

Ans. (1)

Given sum = coefficient of x^r in the expansion of $(1 + x)^{20}(1 + x)^{20}$,

which is equal to ⁴⁰C_r

It is maximum when r = 20

Let a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{10} be a G.P. If $\frac{a_3}{a_3} = 25$, then

$$\frac{a_9}{a_5}$$
 equals:

- $(1) 2(5^2)$
- (2) 4(5²)
- (3) 54
- (4) 5³

Ans. (3)

Sol. $a_1, a_2,, a_{10}$ are in G.P.,

Let the common ratio be r

$$\frac{a_3}{a_1} = 25 \implies \frac{a_1 r^2}{a_1} = 25 \implies r^2 = 25$$

$$\frac{a_9}{a_5} = \frac{a_1 r^8}{a_1 r^4} = r^4 = 5^4$$

12. If $\int \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{x^4} dx = A(x) \left(\sqrt{1-x^2}\right)^m + C$, for

a suitable chosen integer m and a function A(x), where C is a constant of integration then $(A(x))^m$ equals:

- (1) $\frac{-1}{3x^3}$
- (2) $\frac{-1}{27x^9}$

Sol. $\int \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{x^4} dx = A(x) (\sqrt{1-x^2})^m + C$

$$\int \frac{|x|\sqrt{\frac{1}{x^2}-1}}{x^4} dx$$

Put
$$\frac{1}{x^2} - 1 = t \implies \frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{-2}{x^3}$$

Case-1 $x \ge 0$

$$-\frac{1}{2}\int\sqrt{t}\ dt\ \Rightarrow\ -\frac{t^{3/2}}{3}+C$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{r}^2} - 1 \right)^{3/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\left(\sqrt{1-x^2}\right)^3}{-3x^2} + C$$

$$A(x) = -\frac{1}{3x^3}$$
 and $m = 3$

$$(A(x))^m = \left(-\frac{1}{3x^3}\right)^3 = -\frac{1}{27x^9}$$

Case-II $x \le 0$

We get
$$\frac{(\sqrt{1-x^2})^3}{-3x^3} + C$$

$$A(x) = \frac{1}{-3x^3}, m = 3$$

$$\left(A(x)\right)^{m} = \frac{-1}{27x^{9}}$$





- 13. In a triangle, the sum of lengths of two sides is x and the product of the lengths of the same two sides is y. If $x^2 - c^2 = y$, where c is the length of the third side of the triangle, then the circumradius of the triangle is:

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

- Ans. (2)
- **Sol.** Given a + b = x and ab = yIf $x^2 - c^2 = y \implies (a + b)^2 - c^2 = ab$ $\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 - c^2 = -ab$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos C = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$R = \frac{c}{2\sin C} = \frac{c}{\sqrt{3}}$$

The value of the integral $\int \frac{\sin^2 x}{\left[\frac{x}{x}\right] + \frac{1}{2}} dx$

(where [x] denotes the greatest integer less than 20 Cr or equal to x) is:

(1) 4

- $(2) 4 \sin 4$
- $(3) \sin 4$
- (4) 0

- Ans. (4)
- **Sol.** $I = \int_{-2}^{2} \frac{\sin^2 x}{\left[\frac{x}{2}\right] + \frac{1}{2}} dx$

$$I = \int_{0}^{2} \left(\frac{\sin^{2} x}{\left[\frac{x}{\pi}\right] + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{\sin^{2}(-x)}{\left[-\frac{x}{\pi}\right] + \frac{1}{2}} \right) dx$$

$$\left(\left[\frac{x}{\pi} \right] + \left[-\frac{x}{\pi} \right] = -1 \text{ as } x \neq n\pi \right)$$

$$I = \int_{0}^{2} \left(\frac{\sin^{2} x}{\left\lceil \frac{x}{\pi} \right\rceil + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{\sin^{2} x}{-1 - \left\lceil \frac{x}{\pi} \right\rceil + \frac{1}{2}} \right) dx = 0$$

15. If the system of linear equations

$$2x + 2y + 3z = a$$

$$3x - y + 5z = b$$

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

where a, b, c are non-zero real numbers, has more then one solution, then:

- (1) b c a = 0
- (2) a + b + c = 0
- (3) b + c a = 0
- (4) b c + a = 0

- Ans. (1)
- **Sol.** $P_1: 2x + 2y + 3z = a$

$$P_2 : 3x - y + 5z = b$$

$$P_3: x - 3y + 2z = c$$

We find

$$P_1 + P_3 = P_2 \Rightarrow a + c = b$$

A square is inscribed inthe circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8y - 103 = 0$ with its sides parallel to the corrdinate axes. Then the distance of the vertex of this square which is nearest to the

origin is :-

- (2) $\sqrt{137}$
- (3) 6

(1) 13

(4) $\sqrt{41}$

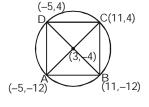
- Ans. (4)
- $R = \sqrt{9 + 16 + 103} = 8\sqrt{2}$ Sol.

$$OA = 13$$

$$OB = \sqrt{265}$$

$$OC = \sqrt{137}$$

$$OD = \sqrt{41}$$



17. Let $f_k(x) = \frac{1}{k}(\sin^k x + \cos^k x)$ for k = 1, 2,

3, Then for all $x \in R$, the value of $f_4(x) - f_6(x)$ is equal to :-

- (1) $\frac{5}{12}$ (2) $\frac{-1}{12}$ (3) $\frac{1}{4}$ (4) $\frac{1}{12}$

Ans. (4)

Sol.
$$f_4(x) - f_6(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left(\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x \right) - \frac{1}{6} \left(\sin^6 x + \cos^6 x \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 2x \right) - \frac{1}{6} \left(1 - \frac{3}{4} \sin^2 2x \right) = \frac{1}{12}$$



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18. Let [x] denote the greatest integer less than or equal to x. Then:-

$$\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{\tan(\pi\sin^2 x) + \left(|x| - \sin(x[x])\right)^2}{x^2}$$

- (1) equals π
- (2) equals 0
- (3) equals $\pi + 1$
- (4) does not exist

Ans. (4)

Sol. R.H.L. = $\lim_{x\to 0^+} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + (|x| - \sin(x[x]))^2}{x^2}$

$$(as x \to 0^+ \Rightarrow [x] = 0)$$

$$= \lim_{x \to 0^+} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x) + x^2}{x^2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \to 0^+} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^2 x)}{(\pi \sin^2 x)} + 1 = \pi + 1$$

L.H.L. =
$$\lim_{x\to 0^{-}} \frac{\tan(\pi \sin^{2} x) + (-x + \sin x)^{2}}{x^{2}}$$

(as
$$x \to 0^- \Rightarrow [x] = -1$$
)

$$\lim_{x \to 0+} \frac{\tan\left(\pi \sin^2 x\right)}{\pi \sin^2 x} \cdot \frac{\pi \sin^2 x}{x^2} + \left(-1 + \frac{\sin x}{x}\right)^2 \Rightarrow \pi$$

 $R.H.L. \neq L.H.L.$

19. The direction ratios of normal to the plane through the points (0, -1, 0) and (0, 0, 1) and

making an anlge $\frac{\pi}{4}$ with the plane y-z+5=0 are:

$$(1) \ 2\sqrt{3}, \ 1, \ -1$$

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

Ans. (2, 4)

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Sol. Let the equation of plane be

$$a(x - 0) + b(y + 1) + c(z - 0) = 0$$

It passes through (0,0,1) then

$$b + c = 0$$
 ...(1)

Now
$$\cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{a(0) + b(1) + c(-1)}{\sqrt{2}\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $a^2 = -2bc$ and $b = -c$

we get
$$a^2 = 2c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \pm \sqrt{2} c$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 direction ratio (a, b, c) = $(\sqrt{2}, -1, 1)$ or

$$(\sqrt{2}, 1, -1)$$

20. If $x\log_e(\log_e x) - x^2 + y^2 = 4(y > 0)$, then dy/dx at x = e is equal to :

$$(1) \frac{e}{\sqrt{4+e^2}}$$

$$(2) \frac{(1+2e)}{2\sqrt{4+e^2}}$$

(3)
$$\frac{(2e-1)}{2\sqrt{4+e^2}}$$

(4)
$$\frac{(1+2e)}{\sqrt{4+e^2}}$$

Ans. (3)

Sol. Differentiating with respect to x,

$$x.\frac{1}{\ell nx}.\frac{1}{x} + \ell n(\ell nx) - 2x + 2y.\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

at x = e we get

$$1-2e+2y\frac{dy}{dx}=0 \implies \frac{dy}{dx}=\frac{2e-1}{2y}$$

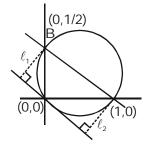
$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2e-1}{2\sqrt{4+e^2}}$$
 as $y(e) = \sqrt{4+e^2}$



- 21. The straight line x + 2y = 1 meets the coordinate axes at A and B. A circle is drawn through A, B and the origin. Then the sum of perpendicular distances from A and B on the tangent to the circle at the origin is:
 - (1) $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{4}$
 - (2) $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$
 - (3) $2\sqrt{5}$
 - (4) $4\sqrt{5}$

Ans. (2)

Sol.



Equation of circle

$$(x-1)(x-0) + (y-0)\left(y-\frac{1}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - x - \frac{y}{2} = 0$$

Equation of tangent of origin is 2x + y = 0

$$\ell_1 + \ell_2 = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \frac{4+1}{2\sqrt{5}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

- 22. If q is false and $p \land q \leftrightarrow r$ is true, then which one of the following statements is a tautology?
 - $(1) (p \lor r) \to (p \land r)$
 - $(2) p \vee r$
 - (3) $p \wedge r$
 - $(4)(p \land r) \to (p \lor r)$

Ans. (4)

Sol. Given q is F and $(p \land q) \leftrightarrow r$ is T

 \Rightarrow p \land q is F which implies that r is F

- \Rightarrow q is F and r is F
- \Rightarrow (p \land r) is always F
- \Rightarrow (p \wedge r) \rightarrow (p \wedge r) is tautology.

23. If y(x) is the solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \left(\frac{2x+1}{x}\right)y = e^{-2x}, x > 0,$$

where
$$y(1) = \frac{1}{2}e^{-2}$$
, then :

- (1) y(x) is decreasing in (0, 1)
- (2) y(x) is decreasing in $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$
- (3) $y(\log_e 2) = \frac{\log_e 2}{4}$
- (4) $y(\log_e 2) = \log_e 4$

Ans. (2)

Sol.
$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \left(\frac{2x+1}{x}\right)y = e^{-2x}$$

$$I.F. = e^{\int \left(\frac{2x+1}{x}\right)dx} = e^{\int \left(2+\frac{1}{x}\right)dx} = e^{2x+\ell nx} = e^{2x}.x$$

So,
$$y(xe^{2x}) = \int e^{-2x} .xe^{2x} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow xye^{2x} = \int x dx + C$$

$$\Rightarrow 2xye^{2x} = x^2 + 2C$$

It passess through $\left(1, \frac{1}{2}e^{-2}\right)$ we get C = 0

$$y = \frac{xe^{-2x}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}e^{-2x}(-2x+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(\mathbf{x})$$
 is decreasing in $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$

$$y(\log_e 2) = \frac{(\log_e 2)e^{-2(\log_e 2)}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \log_e 2$$



- The maximum value of the function $f(x) = 3x^3 - 18x^2 + 27x - 40$ on the set
 - $S = \{x \in R : x^2 + 30 \le 11x\}$ is :
 - (1) 122
- (2) -222
- (3) -122
- (4) 222

- Ans. (1)
- **Sol.** $S = \{x \in R, x^2 + 30 11x \le 0\}$ $= \{x \in R, 5 \le x \le 6\}$
 - Now $f(x) = 3x^3 18x^2 + 27x 40$
 - $\Rightarrow f'(x) = 9(x-1)(x-3),$
 - which is positive in [5, 6]
 - $\Rightarrow f(x)$ increasing in [5, 6]
 - Hence maximum value = f(6) = 122
- If one real root of the quadratic equation **25.** $81x^2 + kx + 256 = 0$ is cube of the other root, then a value of k is
- (1) 81
- (2) 100
- (3) -300
- (4) 144

- Ans. (3)
- **Sol.** $81x^2 + kx + 256 = 0$; $x = \alpha$, α^3

$$\Rightarrow \alpha^4 = \frac{256}{81} \Rightarrow \alpha = \pm \frac{4}{3}$$

Now
$$-\frac{k}{81} = \alpha + \alpha^3 = \pm \frac{100}{27}$$

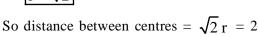
- \Rightarrow k = ±300
- **26.** Two circles with equal radii are intersecting at the points (0, 1) and (0, -1). The tangent at the point (0, 1) to one of the circles passes through the centre of the other circle. Then the distance between the centres of these circles is:
 - (1) 1

- (2) $\sqrt{2}$
- (3) $2\sqrt{2}$
- (4) 2

- Ans. (4)
- **Sol.** In $\triangle APO$

$$\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}\,\mathrm{r}}{2}\right)^2 + 1^2 = \mathrm{r}^2$$





- 27. Equation of a common tangent to the parabola $y^2 = 4x$ and the hyperbole xy = 2 is :
 - (1) x + 2y + 4 = 0
 - (2) x 2y + 4 = 0
 - (3) x + y + 1 = 0
 - (4) 4x + 2y + 1 = 0
- Ans. (1)
- Sol. Let the equation of tangent to parabola

$$y^2 = 4x \text{ be } y = mx + \frac{1}{m}$$

It is also a tangent to hyperbola xy = 2

$$\Rightarrow x \left(mx + \frac{1}{m} \right) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 m + \frac{x}{m} - 2 = 0$$

$$D=0 \Rightarrow m=-\frac{1}{2}$$

So tangent is 2y + x + 4 = 0

The plane containing the line $\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y+2}{-1} = \frac{z-1}{3}$ 28.

and also containing its projection on the plane 2x + 3y - z = 5, contains which one of the following points?

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

- Ans. (1)
- The normal vector of required plane Sol.

$$= (2\hat{\mathbf{i}} - \hat{\mathbf{j}} + 3\hat{\mathbf{k}}) \times (2\hat{\mathbf{i}} + 3\hat{\mathbf{j}} - \hat{\mathbf{k}})$$

$$= -8\hat{i} + 8\hat{j} + 8\hat{k}$$

So, direction ratio of normal is (-1, 1, 1)

So required plane is

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

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $-x + y + z + 4 = 0$

Which is satisfied by (2, 0, -2)

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29. If tangents are drawn to the ellipse $x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$ at all points on the ellipse other than its four vertices then the mid points of the tangents intercepted betwen the coordinate axes lie on the curve:

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

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

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

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

Sol. Equation of general tangent on ellipse

$$\frac{x}{a \sec \theta} + \frac{y}{b \csc \theta} = 1$$
$$a = \sqrt{2}, b = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{\sqrt{2}\sec\theta} + \frac{y}{\csc\theta} = 1$$

Let the midpoint be (h, k)

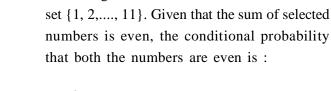
$$h = \frac{\sqrt{2} \sec \theta}{2} \implies \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}h}$$

and
$$k = \frac{\csc\theta}{2} \implies \sin\theta = \frac{1}{2k}$$

$$: \sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2h^2} + \frac{1}{4k^2} = 1$$

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



Two integers are selected at random from the

(1)
$$\frac{2}{5}$$

(2)
$$\frac{1}{2}$$

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

$$(4) \frac{7}{10}$$

Ans. (1)

Since sum of two numbers is even so either Sol. both are odd or both are even. Hence number of elements in reduced samples space

$$= {}^{5}C_{2} + {}^{6}C_{2}$$

so required probability =
$$\frac{{}^{5}C_{2}}{{}^{5}C_{2} + {}^{6}C_{2}}$$



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