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$f(6) = S$  i.e. 1 option,

$f(5) =$  any 5 element subset A of S i.e. 6 options,

$f(4) =$  any 4 element subset B of A i.e. 5 options,

$f(3) =$  any 3 element subset C of B i.e. 4 options,

$f(2) =$  any 2 element subset D of C i.e. 3 options,

$f(1) =$  any 1 element subset E of D or empty subset i.e. 3 options,

Total functions = 1080

Case – 2

$f(6) =$  any 5 element subset A of S i.e. 6 options,

$f(5) =$  any 4 element subset B of A i.e. 5 options,

$f(4) =$  any 3 element subset C of B i.e. 4 options,

$f(3) =$  any 2 element subset D of C i.e. 3 options,

$f(2) =$  any 1 element subset E of D i.e. 2 options,

$f(1) =$  empty subset i.e. 1 option

Total functions = 720

Case – 3

$f(6) = S$

$f(5) =$  any 4 element subset A of S i.e. 15 options,

$f(4) =$  any 3 element subset B of A i.e. 4 options,

$f(3) =$  any 2 element subset C of B i.e. 3 options,

$f(2) =$  any 1 element subset D of C i.e. 2 options,

$f(1) =$  empty subset i.e. 1 option

Total functions = 360

Case – 4

$f(6) = S$

$f(5) =$  any 5 element subset A of S i.e. 6 options,

$f(4) =$  any 3 element subset B of A i.e. 10 options,

$f(3) =$  any 2 element subset C of B i.e. 3 options,

$f(2) =$  any 1 element subset D of C i.e. 2 options,

$f(1) =$  empty subset i.e. 1 option

Total functions = 360

Case – 5

$f(6) = S$

$f(5) =$  any 5 element subset A of S i.e. 6 options,

$f(4) =$  any 4 element subset B of A i.e. 5 options,

$f(3) =$  any 2 element subset C of B i.e. 6 options,

$f(2) =$  any 1 element subset D of C i.e. 2 options,

$f(1) =$  empty subset i.e. 1 option

Total functions = 360

Case – 6

$f(6) = S$

$f(5) =$  any 5 element subset A of S i.e. 6 options,

$f(4) =$  any 4 element subset B of A i.e. 5 options,

$f(3) =$  any 3 element subset C of B i.e. 4 options,

$f(2) =$  any 1 element subset D of C i.e. 3 options,

$f(1) =$  empty subset i.e. 1 option

Total functions = 360

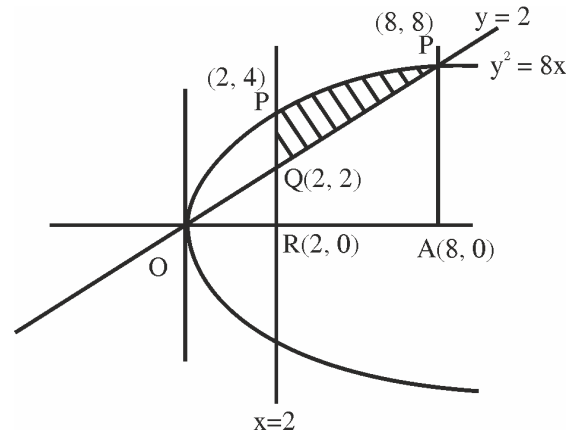
$\therefore$  Number of such functions = 3240

**82.** Let  $\alpha$  be the area of the larger region bounded by the curve  $y^2 = 8x$  and the lines  $y = x$  and  $x = 2$ , which lies in the first quadrant. Then the value of  $3\alpha$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (22)**

**Ans. (22)**

**Sol.**



$$y = x$$

$$\& y^2 = 8x$$

Solving it

$$x^2 = 8x$$

$$\therefore x = 0, 8$$

$$\therefore y = 0, 8$$

$x = 2$  will intersect occur at

$$y^2 = 16 \Rightarrow y = \pm 4$$

$\therefore$  Area of shaded

$$= \int_2^8 (\sqrt{8x} - x) dx = \int_2^8 (2\sqrt{2}\sqrt{x} - x) dx$$

$$= \left[ 2\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{x^{3/2}}{3/2} - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_2^8$$

$$= \left( \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3} \cdot 2^{9/2} - 32 \right) - \left( \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3} \cdot 2^{9/2} - 2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{128}{3} - 32 - \frac{16}{3} + 2 = \frac{112 - 90}{3} = \frac{22}{3} = \alpha$$

$$\therefore 3\alpha = 22$$



83. If  $\lambda_1 < \lambda_2$  are two values of  $\lambda$  such that the angle between the planes  $P_1 : \vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 7$  and  $P_2 : \vec{r} \cdot (\lambda\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 9$  is  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2\sqrt{6}}{5}\right)$ , then the square of the length of perpendicular from the point  $(38\lambda_1, 10\lambda_2, 2)$  to the plane  $P_1$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (315)**

**Ans. (315)**

**Sol.**  $P_1 = \vec{r} \cdot (3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 7$

$$P_2 = \vec{r} \cdot (\lambda\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}) = 9$$

$$\theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2\sqrt{6}}{5}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{2\sqrt{6}}{5}$$

$$\therefore \cos \theta = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{r}_1 \cdot \vec{r}_2}{|\vec{r}_1| |\vec{r}_2|}$$

$$= \frac{(3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + \hat{k}) \cdot (\lambda\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k})}{\sqrt{35} \cdot \sqrt{\lambda^2 + 10}}$$

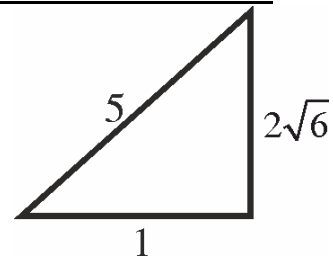
$$\frac{1}{5} = \left| \frac{3\lambda - 8}{\sqrt{35} \cdot \sqrt{\lambda^2 + 10}} \right|$$

$$\text{Square} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{25} = \frac{9\lambda^2 + 64 - 48\lambda}{35(\lambda^2 + 10)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 19\lambda^2 - 120\lambda + 125 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 19\lambda^2 - 95\lambda - 25\lambda + 125 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 5, \frac{25}{19}$$



Perpendicular distance of point

$(38\lambda_1, 10\lambda_2, 2) \equiv (50, 50, 2)$  from plane  $P_1$

$$= \frac{|3 \times 50 - 5 \times 50 + 2 - 7|}{\sqrt{35}} = \frac{105}{\sqrt{35}}$$

$$\text{Square} = \frac{105 \times 105}{35} = 315$$

84. Let  $z = 1 + i$  and  $z_1 = \frac{1 + i\bar{z}}{\bar{z}(1-z) + \frac{1}{z}}$ . Then  $\frac{12}{\pi} \arg(z_1)$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (9)**

**Ans. (9)**

**Sol.**  $z = 1 + i$

$$z_1 = \frac{1 + i\bar{z}}{\bar{z}(1-z) + \frac{1}{z}}$$

$$z_1 = \frac{1 + i(1-i)}{(1-i)(1-1-i) + \frac{1}{1+i}}$$

$$= \frac{1 + i - i^2}{(1-i)(-i) + \frac{1-i}{2}}$$

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

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

$$\text{Arg}(z_1) = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore \frac{12}{\pi} \arg(z_1) = \frac{12}{\pi} \times \frac{3\pi}{4} = 9$$

85.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{48}{x^4} \int_0^x \frac{t^3}{t^6 + 1} dt$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (12)**

**Ans. (12)**

**Sol.**  $48 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\int_0^x \frac{t^3}{t^6 + 1} dt}{x^4} \left( \frac{0}{0} \right)$

Applying L' Hospital's Rule

$$48 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3}{x^6 + 1} \times \frac{1}{4x^3}$$

= 12

86. The mean and variance of 7 observations are 8 and 16 respectively. If one observation 14 is omitted and a and b are respectively mean and variance of remaining 6 observations, then  $a + 3b - 5$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (37)**

**Ans. (37)**

**Sol.**  $\frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_7}{7} = 8$

$$\frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + \dots + x_6 + 14}{7} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_6 = 42$$

$$\therefore \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_6}{6} = \frac{42}{6} = 7 = a$$

$$\frac{\sum x_i^2}{7} - 8^2 = 16$$

$$\sum x_i^2 = 560$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_6^2 = 364$$

$$b = \frac{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_6^2}{6} - 7^2$$

$$= \frac{364}{6} - 49$$

$$b = \frac{70}{6}$$

$$a + 3b - 5 = 7 + 3 \times \frac{70}{6} - 5$$

= 37

87. If the equation of the plane passing through the point (1,1,2) and perpendicular to the line  $x - 3y + 2z - 1 = 0$   $4x - y + z$  is  $Ax + By + Cz = 1$ , then  $140(C - B + A)$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (15)**

**Ans. (15)**

**Sol.**  $x - 3y + 2z - 1 = 0$

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

$$\vec{n}_1 \times \vec{n}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 4 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -\hat{i} + 7\hat{j} + 11\hat{k}$$

Dir<sup>s</sup> of normal to the plane is -1, 7, 11

Equation of plane :

$$-1(x - 1) + 7(y - 1) + 11(z - 2) = 0$$

$$-x + 7y + 11z = 28$$

$$\frac{-1}{28}x + \frac{7y}{28} + \frac{11z}{28} = 1$$

$$Ax + By + Cz = 1$$

$$140(C - B + A) = 140 \left( \frac{11}{28} - \frac{7}{28} - \frac{1}{28} \right)$$

$$= 140 \times \frac{3}{28} = 15$$

88. Let  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n^3 ((2n)!) + (2n-1)(n!)}{(n!)((2n)!)} = ae + \frac{b}{e} + c$ ,

where  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $e = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!}$  Then  $a^2 - b + c$  is

equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (26)**

**Ans. (26)**

**Sol.** 
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n^3 ((2n)!) + (2n-1)(n!)}{(n!)((2n)!)}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-3)!} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3}{(n-2)!}$$

$$+ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-1)!} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2n-1)!} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2n)!}$$

$$= e + 3e + e + \frac{1}{2} \left( e - \frac{1}{e} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left( e + \frac{1}{e} \right)$$

$$= 5e - \frac{1}{e}$$

$\therefore a^2 - b + c = 26$

**89.** Number of 4-digit numbers (the repetition of digits is allowed) which are made using the digits 1, 2, 3 and 5, and are divisible by 15, is equal to \_\_\_\_\_

**Official Ans. by NTA (21)**

**Ans. (21)**

**Sol.** For number to be divisible by 15, last digit should be 5 and sum of digits must be divisible by 3.

Possible combinations are

1	2	1	5
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Numbers = 3

2	2	3	5
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Numbers = 3

3	3	1	5
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Numbers = 3

1	1	5	5
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Numbers = 3

2	3	5	5
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Numbers = 6

3	5	5	5
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Numbers = 3

Total Numbers = 21

**90.** Let  $f^1(x) = \frac{3x+2}{2x+3}, x \in \mathbb{R} - \left\{ \frac{-3}{2} \right\}$

For  $n \geq 2$ , define  $f^n(x) = f^1 \circ f^{n-1}(x)$ .

If  $f^5(x) = \frac{ax+b}{bx+a}, \gcd(a,b)=1$ , then  $a+b$  is

equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

**Official Ans. by NTA (3125)**

**Ans. (3125)**

**Sol.**  $f^1(x) = \frac{3x+2}{2x+3}$

$$\Rightarrow f^2(x) = \frac{13x+12}{12x+13}$$

$$\Rightarrow f^3(x) = \frac{63x+62}{62x+63}$$

$$\therefore f^5(x) = \frac{1563x+1562}{1562x+1563}$$

$a+b = 3125$