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ELLIPSE

Single Correct Answer Type

1. The second degree equation

$x^2 + 4y^2 - 2x - 4y + 2 = 0$ represents

A. a parabola

B. a pair of straight line

C. an ellipse

D. a hyperbola

Answer: C



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2. In the standard ellipse, the lines joining the ends of the minor axis to one focus are at right angles.

The distance between the focus and the nearer vertex is $\sqrt{10} - \sqrt{5}$. The equation of the ellipse

A. $\frac{x^2}{36} + \frac{y^2}{18} = 1$

B. $\frac{x^2}{40} + \frac{y^2}{20} = 1$

C. $\frac{x^2}{20} + \frac{y^2}{10} = 1$

D. $\frac{x^2}{10} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$

Answer: D



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3. The foci of an ellipse are $(-2, 4)$ and $(2, 1)$. The point $\left(1, \frac{23}{6}\right)$ is an extremity of the minor axis.

What is the value of the eccentricity?

A. $\frac{9}{13}$

B. $\frac{3}{\sqrt{13}}$

C. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}$

D. $\frac{4}{13}$

Answer: B



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4. Let $Q = (3, \sqrt{5})$, $R = (7, 3\sqrt{5})$. A point P in the XY -plane varies in such a way that perimeter of ΔPQR is 16. Then the maximum area of ΔPQR is

A. 6

B. 12

C. 18

D. 9

Answer: B



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5. The eccentricity of the ellipse

$$(x - 3)^2 + (y - 4)^2 = \frac{y^2}{9}$$

A. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

B. $\frac{1}{3}$

C. $\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$

D. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

Answer: B



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6. Area bounded by the circle which is concentric

with the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ and which passes

through $\left(4, -\frac{9}{5}\right)$, the vertical chord common to

both circle and ellipse on the positive side of x-axis

is

A. $\frac{481}{25} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{9}{20} \right) - \frac{36}{5}$

B. $2 \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{9}{20} \right)$

C. $\frac{481}{25} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{9}{20} \right)$

D. none of these

Answer: A



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7. If A and B are foci of ellipse

$$(x - 2y + 3)^2 + (8x + 4y + 4)^2 = 20 \text{ and } P \text{ is any}$$

point on it, then $PA + PB =$

A. 2

B. 4

C. $\sqrt{2}$

D. $2\sqrt{2}$

Answer: B



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8. The distance between directrix of the ellipse

$$(4x - 8)^2 + 16y^2 = (x + \sqrt{3}y + 10)^2 \text{ is}$$

A. 12

B. 16

C. 20

D. 24

Answer: B



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9. A chord is drawn passing through $P(2, 2)$ on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ such that it intersects the ellipse at A and B. Then maximum value of $PA \cdot PB$ is

A. $\frac{61}{4}$

B. $\frac{59}{4}$

C. $\frac{71}{4}$

D. $\frac{63}{4}$

Answer: B



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10. If (x, y) lies on the ellipse $x^2 + 2y^3 = 2$, then maximum value of $x^2 + y^2 + \sqrt{2}xy - 1$ is

A. $\frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{2}$

B. $\frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{2}$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{4}$

D. $\frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4}$

Answer: A



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11. If the eccentric angles of two points P and Q on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{28} + \frac{y^2}{7} = 1$ whose centre is C differ by a right angle then the area of $\triangle CPQ$ is

A. 5

B. 6

C. 7

D. 8

Answer: C



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12. P and Q are points on the ellipse

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ whose center is C . The eccentric

angles of P and Q differ by a right angle. If $\angle PCQ$

minimum, the eccentric angle of P can be (A) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (B)

$\frac{\pi}{4}$ (C) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (D) $\frac{\pi}{12}$

A. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{12}$

Answer: B



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13. If eccentric angle of a point lying in the first quadrant on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ be θ and the line joining the centre to that point makes an

angle ϕ with the x-axis, then $\theta - \phi$ will be maximum when θ is equal to

A. $\tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{a}{b}}$

B. $\tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

Answer: A



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14. Let P and Q be points of the ellipse $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$ so that $PQ = 96/25$ and P and Q lie above major axis. Circle drawn with PQ as diameter touch major axis at positive focus, then the value of slope m of PQ is

- A. -1
- B. $1/2$
- C. 2
- D. $1/3$

Answer: A



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15. If the reflection of the ellipse

$$\frac{(x - 4)^2}{16} + \frac{(y - 3)^2}{9} = 1 \text{ in the mirror line}$$

$$x - y - 2 = 0 \text{ is}$$

$$k_1x^2 + k_2y^2 - 160x - 36y + 292 = 0, \text{ then}$$

$$\frac{k_1 + k_2}{5} \text{ is equal to}$$

A. 4

B. 5

C. 6

D. 7

Answer: B



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16. A point P moves on x - y plane such that $PS + PS' = 4$ where $S(K, 0)$ and $S'(-K, 0)$, then which of the following is not true about the locus of P ?

- A. ellipse if $K \in (-2, 2)$
- B. pair of coincidence lines if $K = \pm 2$
- C. empty if $K \in (-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$
- D. none of these

Answer: D



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17. The ratio of the area enclosed by the locus of the midpoint of PS and area of the ellipse is (P-be any point on the ellipse and S, its focus)

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. $\frac{1}{3}$

C. $\frac{1}{5}$

D. $\frac{1}{4}$

Answer: D



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18. Find the set of those value(s) of α for which

$\left(7 - \frac{5\alpha}{4}, \alpha\right)$ lies inside the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: B



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19. The coordinates of the vertices B and C of a triangle ABC are $(2, 0)$ and $(8, 0)$, respectively.

Vertex A is moving in such a way that

$$4 \frac{\tan B}{2} \frac{\tan C}{2} = 1. \text{ Then find the locus of } A$$

A. $\frac{(x - 5)^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$

B. $\frac{(x - 5)^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$

C. $\frac{(x - 5)^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

D. $\frac{(x - 5)^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$

Answer: A



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20. PQ and QR are two focal chords of an ellipse and the eccentric angles of P,Q,R are $2\alpha, 2\beta, 2\gamma$, respectively then $\tan \beta\gamma$ is equal to

A. $\cot \alpha$

B. $\cot^2 \alpha$

C. $2 \cot \alpha$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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21. the value of λ for which the line

$2x - \frac{8}{3}\lambda y = -3$ is a normal to the conic

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

A. $\frac{3}{8}$

B. $\frac{1}{2}$

C. $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

D. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Answer: D



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22. If the length of the major axis intercepted between the tangent and normal at a point $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ is equal to the length of semi-major axis, then eccentricity of the ellipse is

A. $\frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{1 - \cos \theta}}$

B. $\frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos \theta}}{\cos \theta}$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos \theta}}{\sin \theta}$

D. $\frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{1 - \sin \theta}}$

Answer: B



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23. How many tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 3$ are normal to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$?

A. 3

B. 2

C. 1

D. 0

Answer: D



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24. An ellipse passes through the point (2,3) and its axes along the coordinate axes, $3x + 2y - 1 = 0$ is a tangent to the ellipse, then the equation of the ellipse is

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

B. $\frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$

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

D. No such ellipse exists

Answer: D



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25. If $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = 4$ is tangent to $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$, then the value of α is

A. $\tan^{-1}(3/\sqrt{7})$

B. $\tan^{-1}(7/3)$

C. $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}/7)$

D. $\tan^{-1}(3/7)$

Answer: A



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26. If the normal at any point P of the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

meets the coordinate axes at M and

N respectively, then $|PM| : |PN|$ equals

A. 4 : 3

B. 16 : 9

C. 9 : 16

D. 3 : 4

Answer: C



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27. If the normal at any point P on the ellipse cuts the major and minor axes in G and g respectively and C be the centre of the ellipse, then

A. $a^2(CG)^2 + b^2(Cg)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2$

B. $a^2(CG)^2 - b^2(Cg)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2$

C. $a^2(CG)^2 - b^2(Cg)^2 = (a^2 + b^2)^2$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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28. The area of the parallelogram formed by the tangents at the points whose eccentric angles are

$\theta, \theta + \frac{\pi}{2}, \theta + \pi, \theta + \frac{3\pi}{2}$ on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ is

- A. ab
- B. $4ab$
- C. $3ab$
- D. $2ab$

Answer: D



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29. The straight line $\frac{x}{4} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$ intersects the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ at two points A and B, there is a point P on this ellipse such that the area of ΔPAB is equal to $6(\sqrt{2} - 1)$. Then the number of such points (P) is/are

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: D



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30. The tangent at any point on the ellipse $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$ meets the tangents at the ends of the major axis at T_1 and T_2 . The circle on T_1T_2 as diameter passes through

- A. $(3, 0)$
- B. $(0, 0)$
- C. $(0, 3)$
- D. $(4, 0)$

Answer: A



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31. The minimum value of

$$\left\{ (r + 5 - 4|\cos \theta|)^2 + (r - 3|\sin \theta|)^2 \right\} \forall r, \theta \in R$$

is

A. 0

B. 2

C. 3

D. None of these

Answer: A



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32. Let S_1 and S_2 denote the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 10x - 24y - 87 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 24y + 153 = 0$ respectively. The value of a for which the line $y = ax$ contains the centre of a circle which touches S_2 externally and S_1 internally is

A. $\pm \frac{3}{10}$

B. $\pm \frac{1}{5}$

C. $\pm \frac{\sqrt{13}}{10}$

D. $\pm \frac{10}{13}$

Answer: C



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33. If ω is one of the angles between the normals to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ at the point whose eccentric angles are θ and $\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta$, then prove that

$$\frac{2 \cot \omega}{\sin 2\theta} = \frac{e^2}{\sqrt{1 - e^2}}$$

A. $\frac{e^2}{\sqrt{1 - e^2}}$

B. $\frac{e^2}{\sqrt{1 + e^2}}$

C. $\frac{e^2}{1 - e^2}$

D. $\frac{e^2}{1 + e^2}$

Answer: A



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34. From any point on the line $(t + 2)(x + y) = 1, t \neq -2$, tangents are drawn to the ellipse $4x^2 + 16y^2 = 1$. It is given that chord of contact passes through a fixed point. Then the number of integral values of 't' for which the fixed point always lies inside the ellipse is

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: C



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35. At a point P on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ tangents PQ is drawn. If the point Q be at a distance $\frac{1}{p}$ from the point P, where 'p' is distance of the tangent from the origin, then the locus of the point Q is

$$\text{A. } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 + \frac{1}{a^2b^2}$$

$$\text{B. } \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 - \frac{1}{a^2b^2}$$

$$\text{C. } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{1}{a^2b^2}$$

$$\text{D. } \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{1}{a^2b^2}$$

Answer: A



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36. From a point P perpendicular tangents PQ and PR are drawn to ellipse $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$, then locus of circumcentre of triangle PQR is

$$A. x^2 + y^2 = \frac{16}{5} (x^2 + 4y^2)^2$$

$$B. x^2 + y^2 = \frac{5}{16} (x^2 + 4y^2)^2$$

$$C. x^2 + 4y^2 = \frac{16}{5} (x^2 + y^2)^2$$

$$D. x^2 + 4y^2 = \frac{16}{5} (x^2 + y^2)^2$$

Answer: B



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37. If the normal at any point P on ellipse

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ meets the auxiliary circle at Q and R

such that $\angle QOR = 90^\circ$ where O is centre of

ellipse, then

A. $a^4 + 2b^3 \geq 3a^2b^2$

B. $a^4 + 2b^4 \geq 5a^2b^2 + 2a^3b$

C. $a^4 + 2b^4 \geq 3a^2b^2 + ab$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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38. Tangents are drawn from any point on the circle

$x^2 + y^2 = 41$ to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ then

the angle between the two tangents is

A. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Answer: D



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39. If radius of the director circle of the ellipse

$$\frac{(3x + 4y - 2)^2}{100} + \frac{(4x - 3y + 5)^2}{625} = 1 \text{ is}$$

A. 6

B. $\sqrt{34}$

C. $\sqrt{29}$

D. $\sqrt{26}$

Answer: C



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40. If the curve $x^2 + 3y^2 = 9$ subtends an obtuse angle at the point $(2\alpha, \alpha)$ then a possible value of α^2 is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: B



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41. An ellipse has the points $(1, -1)$ and $(2, -1)$ as its foci and $x + y = 5$ as one of its tangent then the value of $a^2 + b^2$ where a, b are the length of semi major and minor axes of ellipse respectively is :

A. $\frac{41}{2}$

B. 10

C. 19

D. $\frac{81}{4}$

Answer: D



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42. An ellipse has foci at $F_1(9, 20)$ and $F_2(49, 55)$ in the xy -plane and is tangent to the x -axis. Find the length of its major axis.

A. 85

B. 75

C. 65

D. 55

Answer: A



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43. The maximum distance of the centre of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ from the chord of contact of mutually perpendicular tangents of the ellipse is

A. $\frac{144}{5}$

B. $\frac{9}{5}$

C. $\frac{16}{5}$

D. $\frac{8}{5}$

Answer: C



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44. P_1 and P_2 are the lengths of the perpendicular from the foci on the tangent of the ellipse and P_3 and P_4 are perpendiculars from extremities of major axis and P from the centre of the ellipse on

the same tangent, then $\frac{P_1P_2 - P^2}{P_3P_4 - P^2}$ equals (where e is the eccentricity of the ellipse)

A. e

B. \sqrt{e}

C. e^2

D. none of these

Answer: C



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45. From the focus $(-5, 0)$ of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{45} + \frac{y^2}{20} = 1$, a ray of light is sent which makes angle $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$ with the positive direction of X-axis upon reacting the ellipse the ray is reflected from it. Slope of the reflected ray is

A. $-\frac{3}{2}$

B. $-\frac{7}{3}$

C. $-\frac{5}{4}$

D. $-\frac{2}{11}$

Answer: D



46. Let $5x - 3y = 8\sqrt{2}$ be normal at $P\left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ to an ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, a > b$. If m, m' are feet of perpendiculars from foci s, s' respectively. or tangents at p, then point of intersection of sm' and $s'm$ is

- A. $\left(\frac{5}{2}, 0\right)$
- B. $\left(0, \frac{5}{2}\right)$
- C. $\left(\frac{41}{10\sqrt{2}}, \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}, \frac{41}{10\sqrt{2}} \right)$

Answer: C



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47. If the normals at α, β, γ and δ on an ellipse are concurrent then the value of $(\sigma \cos \alpha)(\sigma \sec \alpha) |$

A. 2

B. 4

C. 6

D. none of these

Answer: B



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48. Prove that the chords of contact of pairs of perpendicular tangents to the ellipse

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ touch another fixed ellipse.

A. $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{1}{(2a^2 + b^2)}$

B. $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{2}{(a^2 - b^2)}$

C. $\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{(a^2 + b^2)}$

D. $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{2}{(3a^2 - b^2)}$

Answer: C



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49. Consider an ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ with centre c and a point P on it with eccentric angle $\frac{\pi}{4}$. Normal drawn at P intersects the major and minor axes in A and B respectively. N_1 and N_2 are the feet of the perpendiculars from the foci S_1 and S_2 respectively on the tangent at P and N is the foot of the perpendicular from the centre of the ellipse on the normal at P . Tangent at P intersects the axis of x at T .

- A. P Q R S
2 3 4 1
- B. P Q R S
3 1 4 2
- C. P Q R S
2 4 1 3
- D. P Q R S
4 1 2 3

Answer: C



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Multiple Correct Answers Type

1. In triangle ABC , $a = 4$ and $b = c = 2\sqrt{2}$. A point P moves within the triangle such that the

square of its distance from BC is half the area of rectangle contained by its distance from the other two sides. If D be the centre of locus of P, then

A. locus of P is an ellipse with eccentricity $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$

B. locus of P is a hyperbola with eccentricity $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$

C. area of the quadrilateral $ABCD = \frac{16}{3}$ sq. units

D. area of the quadrilateral $ABCD = \frac{32}{3}$ sq. units

Answer: A::C



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2. Extremities of the latera recta of the ellipses

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 (a > b) \text{ having a given major axis } 2a$$

lies on

A. $x^2 = a(a - y)$

B. $x^2 = a(a + y)$

C. $y^2 = a(a + x)$

D. $y^2 = a(a - x)$

Answer: A::B



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3. Identify correct statement(s) about conic

$$\sqrt{(x - 5)^2 + (y - 7)^2} + \sqrt{(x + 1)^2 + (y + 1)^2} = 12$$

A. centre of conic is (2,3)

B. conic is hyperbola with foci (5,7) and
(-1, -1)

C. conic is ellipse with major axis

$$4x - 3y + 1 = 0$$

D. eccentricity of conic is $\frac{5}{7}$

Answer: A::C



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4. P and Q are two points on the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ whose eccentric angles are differ by}$$

90° , then

A. Locus of point of intersection of tangents at

$$P \text{ and } Q \text{ is } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$$

B. Locus of mid-point (P, Q) is $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{1}{2}$

C. Product of slopes of OP and OQ where O is

$$\text{the centre is } \frac{-b^2}{a^2}$$

D. Max. area of ΔOPQ is $\frac{1}{2}ab$

Answer: A::B::C::D



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5. For the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ and $\frac{x^2}{b^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2} = 1$

- A. The foci of each ellipse always lie within the other ellipse
- B. Their auxiliary circles are the same
- C. Their director circles are the same
- D. The ellipses encloses the same area

Answer: B::C::D



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6. AB and CD are two equal and parallel chords of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$. Tangents to the ellipse at A and B intersect at P and tangents at C and D at Q. The line PQ

- A. passes through the origin
- B. is bisected at the origin
- C. cannot pass through the origin
- D. is not bisected at the origin

Answer: A::B



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Question Bank

1. Let P be any point on ellipse $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$ and S, S^1 are its foci then the locus of the centroid of triangle PSS^1 is a conic C whose length of latus rectum is



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2. A triangle is formed by the points $A(0, 0)$, $B(3, 0)$ and $C(3, 4)$. A and C are foci of ellipse and B lies on the ellipse. If area of ellipse is $\frac{7\pi}{2} \sqrt{P}$ ($P \in N$), then the value of P is



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3. An ellipse with foci $(1, 4)$ and (α, β) touches x -axis at $(5, 0)$. Then value of $(\alpha - \beta)$ is



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4. The minimum value of the segment of a tangent to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{12321} + \frac{y^2}{1234321} = 1$ intercepted by the coordinate axes is



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5. The area of the triangle formed by a tangent to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ and the co-ordinate axes is always greater than or equal to



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6. Let PQ is a tangent to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ meeting the positive x & y axis at points P & Q respectively. Point R divides PQ internally in the ratio $2:1$. -If locus of R is $\frac{a^2}{x^2} + \frac{4b^2}{y^2} = \lambda$, then λ is equal to



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7. If a tangent of slope m at a point of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ passes through $(2a, 0)$ and if e denotes the eccentricity of ellipse, then $3m^2 + e^2$ is



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8. If the eccentricity of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + 2 + \frac{y^2}{a^2} + 5 = 1$ be $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$, then length of latus rectum of ellipse is



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9. Area of the ellipse $(2x + 3y - 5)^2 + 4(-3x + 2y + 1)^2 = 52$ is equal to



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10. Let P be a point in the first quadrant lying on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{y^2}{18} = 1$. Let AB be the tangent at P to the ellipse meeting the x -axis at A and y axis at B . If O is the origin, then the minimum, possible area of $\triangle OAB$ is (in square units)



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11. If maximum distance of any point on the curve $5x^2 + 4y^2 + xy - 2 = 0$ from its centre be L and $L = \frac{a}{\sqrt{b} - \sqrt{2}}$, then $(b-a)$ is



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12. A tangent is drawn to the curve, $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ at the point P meeting the co-ordinate axis in T and t . If OY is the perpendicular from the origin on the tangent then find the value of the product $(Tt)(PY)$



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13. The maximum and minimum distance of point $(3, -1)$ from the ellipse $x^2 + 4y^2 - 4x + 8y - 8 = 0$ is M and m respectively, where $M^\beta + m^3$ is



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14. If the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + k = 0$ and director circle of ellipse $\frac{x^2}{4} + y^2 = 1$ intersects orthogonally then k equals



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15. Least value of modulus of slope of a line for which the line may touch the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{l} (a^3 + a^2 + a)^2 = 1$ is (a is non-zero real number)



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16. A normal to the hyperbola $x^2 - 4y^2 = 4$ has equal intercepts on positive x and y axes. If this normal touches the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$, then $3(a^2 + b^2)$ -is equal to



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17. Let any double ordinate PNP of the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{25} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ be produced both sides to meet the asymptotes in Q and Q , then $PQ \cdot P^1Q$ is equal to



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18. Let AB is the latus rectum of the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \text{such that triangle } OAB \text{ is}$$

equilateral where O is origin and under this

condition eccentricity of the hyperbola is given as

$$\frac{1 + \sqrt{p}}{2\sqrt{q}} \quad (\text{where } p, q \text{ are numbers}) \text{ then } p - q \text{ is}$$



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19. If e and e_1 are the eccentricities of the

hyperbolas $xy = 5$ and $x^2 - y^2 = 18$, then $e^2 + e_1^2$

is



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20. Let the focus of conic

$$\frac{(y+x)^2}{16} - \frac{(y-x)^2}{8} = 1$$

is at (a, b) then $\frac{a^2 + b^2}{4}$ is



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21. Let $H: y(3y + 4x) = -4$ is a hyperbola and

$y = mx + c$ is its conjugate axis. Length of latus

rectum of H is L , eccentricity e and (x_1, y_1) is one.

vertex with $y_1 > 0$, then $4e^2$ is equal to



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22. A tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ intersects the hyperbola $x^2 - 2y^2 = 2$ at P and Q . If locus of mid-point of PQ is $(x^2 - 2y^2)^2 = \lambda(x^2 + 4y^2)$, then λ equals



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23. If equation of common tangent to parabola

$y^2 - 8x = 0$ and hyperbola $y^2 - 3x^2 + 3 = 0$ is

$2x + \frac{cy}{\sqrt{2}} + 1 = 0 (c \in R)$ then absolute value of 'c'

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24. If the set of values of λ for which two distinct

tangents are drawn from a point $(2, \lambda)$ to the

curve $x = 4\sqrt{1 + \frac{y^2}{9}}$ is a_1, a_2 then $|a_1 - a_2|$ is

equal to



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25. A normal to the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{6} - \frac{y^2}{2}$ has equal intercepts on positive x and y -axis. If this normal touches the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$, then find the value of $a^2 + \frac{b^2}{4}$.



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26. If $\frac{(3x - 4y - 1)^2}{100} - \frac{(4x + 3y - 1)^2}{225} = 1$,
then length of latusrectum of hyperbola is



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27. The eccentricity of the conic section represented by $(x + y)^2 - 4 = x^2 + y^2$ is



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28. The maximum distance between the tangents drawn to the hyperbola $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$ at $P(\theta)$ and $Q(\pi - \theta)$ is



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