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STRAIGHT LINES AND PAIR OF STRAIGHT LINES

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1. Let the orthocentre and centroid of a triangle be $(-3, 5)$ and $B(3, 3)$ respectively. If C is the circumcentre of the triangle then the radius of the circle having line segment AC as diameter, is

A. $2\sqrt{10}$

B. $3\sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$

C. $\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{2}$

D. $\sqrt{10}$

Answer: B



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2. The straight line through a fixed point (2,3) intersects the coordinate axes at distinct point P and Q. If O is the origin and the rectangle OPRQ is completed then the locus of R is

A. $2x + 3y = xy$

B. $3x + 2y = xy$

C. $3x + 2y = 6xy$

D. $3x + 2y = 6$

Answer: B



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3. Two sides of a rhombus are along the lines, $x - y + 1 = 0$ and $7x - y - 5 = 0$. If its diagonals intersect at $(-1, -2)$, then which one of the following is a vertex of this rhombus ?

(1) $(-3, -9)$ (2) $(-3, -8)$ (3) $\left(\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{8}{3}\right)$ (4) $\left(-\frac{10}{3}, -\frac{7}{3}\right)$

A. $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{8}{3}\right)$

B. $\left(-\frac{10}{3}, -\frac{7}{3}\right)$

C. $(-3, -9)$

D. $(-3, -8)$

Answer: A



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4. If a variable line drawn through the intersection of the lines

$$\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{4} = 1 \text{ and } \frac{x}{4} + \frac{y}{3} = 1 \text{ meets the coordinate axes at } A$$

and B , ($A \neq B$), then the locus of the midpoint of AB is (A)

$$6xy = 7(x + y) \quad (\text{B}) \quad 4(x + y)^2 - 28(x + y) + 49 = 0 \quad (\text{C})$$

$$7xy = 6(x + y) \quad (\text{D}) \quad 14(x + y)^2 - 97(x + y) + 168 = 0$$

A. $7xy = 6(x + y)$

B. $4(x + y)^2 - 28(x + y) + 49 = 0$

C. $6xy = 7(x + y)$

D. $14(x + y)^2 - 97(x + y) + 168 = 0$

Answer: A

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5. The point $(2, 1)$ is translated parallel to the line $L: x - y = 4$ by $2\sqrt{3}$ units. If the new point Q lies in the third quadrant, then the equation of the line passing through Q and perpendicular to L is

A. $x + y = 2 - \sqrt{6}$

B. $2x + 2y = 1 - \sqrt{6}$

C. $x + y = 3 - 3\sqrt{6}$

D. $x + y = 3 - 2\sqrt{6}$

Answer: D

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6. Let L be the line passing through the point $P(1,2)$ such that its intercepted segment between the co-ordinate axes is bisected at P . If L_1 is the line perpendicular to L and passing through the point $(-2,1)$, then the point of intersection of L and L_1 is

A. $\left(\frac{4}{5}, \frac{12}{5}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{3}{5}, \frac{23}{10}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{11}{20}, \frac{29}{10}\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{3}{10}, \frac{17}{5}\right)$

Answer: A



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7. The points $\left(0, \frac{8}{3}\right)$, $(1, 3)$ and $(82, 30)$ are vertices of

- A. form an acute angled triangle.
- B. form a right angled triangle
- C. lie on a straight line.
- D. form an obtuse angled triangle

Answer: C



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8. Let a, b, c and d be non-zero numbers. If the point of intersection of the lines $4ax + 2ay + c = 0$ and $5bx + 2by + d = 0$ lies in the fourth quadrant and is equidistant from the two axes, then

A. $3bc - 2ad = 0$

B. $3bc + 2ad = 0$

C. $2bc - 3ad = 0$

D. $2bc + 3ad = 0$

Answer: A



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9. Let PS be the median of the triangle with vertices $P(2, 2)$, $Q(6, -1)$ and $R(7, 3)$ Then equation of the line passing through $(1, -1)$ and parallel to PS is

$2x - 9y - 7 = 0$ $2x - 9y - 11 = 0$ $2x + 9y - 11 = 0$

$2x + 9y + 7 = 0$

A. $4x + 7y + 3 = 0$

B. $2x - 9y - 11 = 0$

C. $4x - 7y - 11 = 0$

D. $2x + 9y + 7 = 0$

Answer: D



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10. Given three points P,Q,R with P(5,3) and R lies on the x-axis.

If equation of RQ is $x - 2y = 2$ and PQ is parallel to the x-axis,

then the centroid of $\triangle PQR$ lies on the line:

A. $2x + y - 9 = 0$

B. $x - 2y + 1 = 0$

C. $5x - 2y = 0$

D. $2x - 5y = 0$

Answer: D



Exercise 1 Concept Builder

1. Let $A\left(\alpha, \frac{1}{\alpha}\right), B\left(\beta, \frac{1}{\beta}\right), C\left(\gamma, \frac{1}{\gamma}\right)$ be the vertices of a $\triangle ABC$ where α, β are the roots of the equation $x^2 - 6p_1x + 2 = 0$, β, γ are the roots of the equation $x^2 - 6p_2x + 3 = 0$ and γ, α are the roots of the equation $x^2 - 6p_3x + 6 = 0$, p_1, p_2, p_3 being positive. Then the coordinates of the centroid of $\triangle ABC$ is

A. $\left(1, \frac{11}{18}\right)$

B. $\left(0, \frac{11}{8}\right)$

C. $\left(2, \frac{11}{18}\right)$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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2. Locus of centroid of the triangle whose vertices are $(a \cos t, a \sin t)$, $(b \sin t, -b \cos t)$ and $(1, 0)$, where is a

A. $(3x + 1)^2 + (3y)^2 = a^2 - b^2$

B. $(3x - 1)^2 + (3y)^2 = a^2 - b^2$

C. $(3x - 1)^2 + (3y)^2 = a^2 + b^2$

D. $(3x + 1)^2 + (3y)^2 = a^2 + b^2$

Answer: C



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3. ABC is an isosceles triangle. If the coordinates of the base are B(1, 3) and C(-2, 7). The coordinates of vertex A can be

A. (1,6)

B. $(-1/2, 5)$

C. $(5/6, 6)$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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4. The three points

$[(a + b)(a + 2b), (a + b)]$, $[(a + 2b)(a + 3b), (a + 2b)]$ and

$[(a + 3b)(a + 4b), (a + 3b)]$

A. are collinear

B. form a triangle whose area is independent of a

C. form a triangle whose area is independent of b

D. form a triangle whose area is independent of a,b

Answer: B



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5. The locus of the moving point whose coordinates are given

by $(e^t + e^{-t}, e^t - e^{-t})$ where t is a parameter, is $xy = 1$ (b)

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

A. $xy = 1$

B. $x + y = 2$

C. $x^2 - y^2 = 4$

D. $x^2 - y^2 = 2$

Answer: C



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6. The coordinates of the point A and B are $(a, 0)$ and $(-a, 0)$, respectively. If a point P moves so that $PA^2 - PB^2 = 2k^2$, when k is constant, then find the equation to the locus of the point P .

A. $2ax - k^2 = 0$

B. $2ax + k^2 = 0$

C. $2ay - k^2 = 0$

D. $2ay + k^2 = 0$

Answer: B



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7. A point A divides the join of $P(-5, 1)$ and $Q(3, 5)$ in the ratio $k:1$. Then the integral value of k for which the area of ABC , where B is $(1, 5)$ and C is $(7, -2)$, is equal to 2 units in magnitude is___

A. $7, \frac{30}{9}$

B. $7, \frac{31}{9}$

C. $4, \frac{31}{9}$

D. $7, \frac{31}{3}$

Answer: B



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8. The coordinates of A , B , C are $(6, 3)$, $(-3, 5)$ and $(4, -2)$ respectively and P is any point (x, y) . Show that the ratio of the areas of triangles PBC and ABC is $\left| \frac{x + y - 2}{7} \right|$.

A. $\left| \frac{x + y - 2}{7} \right|$

B. $\left| \frac{x - y + 2}{2} \right|$

C. $\left| \frac{x - y - 2}{7} \right|$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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9. Let $A(h, k)$, $B(1, 1)$ and $C(2, 1)$ be the vertices of a right angled triangle with AC as its hypotenuse. If the area of the triangle is 1, then the set of values which k can take is given by (1) $\{1, 3\}$ (2) $\{0, 2\}$ (3) $\{-1, 3\}$ (4) $\{-3, -2\}$

A. $\{-1, 3\}$

B. $\{-3, -2\}$

C. $\{1, 3\}$

D. $\{0, 2\}$

Answer: A



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10. All points lying inside the triangle formed by the points (1, 3), (5, 0) and (-1, 2) satisfy (A) $3x + 2y \geq 0$ (B) $2x + y - 13 \geq 0$ (C) $2x - 3y - 12 \leq 0$ (D) $-2x + y \geq 0$

A. $3x + 2 \geq 0$

B. $2x + y - 13 \leq 0$

C. $2x - 3y - 12 \geq 0$

D. All the above

Answer: D



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11. The straight lines $x + 2y - 9 = 0$, $3x + 5y - 5 = 0$, and $ax + by - 1 = 0$ are concurrent, if the straight line

$35x - 22y + 1 = 0$ passes through the point (a, b) (b) (b, a)

$(-a, -b)$ (d) none of these

A. (a, b)

B. (b, a)

C. $(a, -b)$

D. $(-a, b)$

Answer: A



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12. Let $A(2, -3)$ and $B(-2, 1)$ be vertices of a triangle ABC .

If the centroid of this triangle moves on the line $2x + 3y = 1$,

then the locus of the vertex C is the line $2x + 3y = 9$

$2x - 3y = 7$ $3x + 2y = 5$ $3x - 2y = 3$

A. $3x - 2y = 3$

B. $2x - 3y = 7$

C. $3x + 2y = 5$

D. $2x + 3y = 9$

Answer: D



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13. A rectangle $ABCD$, where $A \equiv (0, 0)$, $B \equiv (4, 0)$, $C \equiv (4, 2)$, $D \equiv (0, 2)$, undergoes the following transformations successively: $f_1(x, y) \xrightarrow{\overrightarrow{y, x}}$ $f_2(x, y) \xrightarrow{\overrightarrow{x + 3y, y}}$ $f_3(x, y) \xrightarrow{\overrightarrow{(x - y)/2, (x + y)/2}}$ The final figure will be square (b) a rhombus a rectangle (d) a parallelogram

- A. a square
- B. a rhombus
- C. a rectangle
- D. a parallelogram

Answer: D



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14. The ends of the base of an isosceles triangle are at $(2a, 0)$ and $(0, a)$. The equation of one side is $x = 2a$. The equation of the other side, is

A. $x + 2y - a = 0$

B. $x + 2y - 2a$

C. $3x + 4y - 4a = 0$

D. $3x - 4y + 4a = 0$

Answer: D



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15. The point (x,y) lies on the line with slope m and passes through the fixed point (x_0, y_0) if and only if its coordinates satisfy the equation $y - y_0$ is equal to

A. $m(x - x_0)$

B. $m(y - x_0)$

C. $m(y - x)$

D. $m(x - y_0)$

Answer: A



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16. The two lines $ax + by = c$ and $a'x + b'y = c'$ are perpendicular if

A. $aa' - 1 = 0$

B. $aa' + 1 = 0$

C. $ab + a'b' = 0$

D. $ab - a'b' = 0$

Answer: B



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17. The slopes of the lines which make an angle 45° with the line $3x - y = -5$ is

A. $1, -1$

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

C. $1, \frac{1}{2}$

D. $-2, \frac{1}{2}$

Answer: D



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18. The lines

$$x + 2y - 5 = 0, 2x - 3y + 4 = 0, 6x + 4y - 13 = 0$$

A. are concurrent

B. form a right angled triangle

C. form an isosceles triangle

D. form an equilateral triangle.

Answer: B



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19. Two points $P(a,0)$ and $Q(-a,0)$ are given, R is a variable on one side of the line PQ such that $\angle RPQ - \angle RQP$ is a positive constant 2α . Find the locus of point R .

A. $x^2 - y^2 + 2xy \cot 2\alpha - a^2 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 2xy \cot 2\alpha - a^2 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + 2xy \cot 2\alpha + a^2 = 0$

D. None of the above

Answer: A



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20. Consider the equation $\sqrt{3}x + y - 8 = 0$

I. Normal form of the given equation is

$$\cos 30^\circ x + \sin 30^\circ y = 4$$

II. Values of p and w are 4 and 30° respectively.

Choose the correct option.

A. Only I is true

B. Only II is true

C. Both are true

D. Both are false

Answer: C



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21. The diagonals of the parallelogram whose sides are $lx + my + n = 0, lx + my + n' = 0, mx + ly + n = 0, mx + ly + n' = 0$ include an angle

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

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

C. $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{l^2 - m^2}{l^2 + m^2} \right)$

D. $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2lm}{l^2 + m^2} \right)$

Answer: B



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22. The equation of a straight line which cuts off an intercept of 5 units on negative direction of y-axis and makes an angle of 120° with the positive direction of x-axis is

A. $\sqrt{3}x + y + 5 = 0$

B. $\sqrt{3}x + y - 5 = 0$

C. $\sqrt{3}x - y - 5 = 0$

D. $\sqrt{3}x - y + 5 = 0$

Answer: A



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23. A ray of light passing through a point (1,2) is reflected on the x-axis at point Q and passes through the point (5,8). Then

the abscissa of the point Q is

A. -3

B. $9/5$

C. $13/5$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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24. The inclination of the line $x - y + 3 = 0$ with the positive direction of x-axis is

A. 45°

B. 135°

C. -45°

D. -135°

Answer: A



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25. The line parallel to the x-axis and passing through the intersection of the lines $ax + 2by + 3b = 0$ and $bx - 2y - 3a = 0$, where $(a, b) \neq (0, 0)$, is above the x-axis at a distance of $3/2$ units from it above the x-axis at a distance of $2/3$ units from it below the x-axis at a distance of $3/2$ units from it below the x-axis at a distance of $2/3$ units from it

A. Above the x-axis at a distance of $\frac{3}{2}$ from it

B. Above the x-axis at a distance of $\frac{2}{3}$ from it

C. Below the x-axis at a distance of $\frac{3}{2}$ from it

D. Below the x-axis at a distance of $\frac{2}{3}$ from it

Answer: C



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26. A straight line l with negative slope passes through $(8,2)$ and cuts the coordinate axes at P and Q . Find absolute minimum value of $OP+OQ$ where O is the origin-

A. 28

B. 15

C. 18

D. 10

Answer: C



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27. If $(-4, 5)$ is a vertex of a square and one of its diagonal is $7x - y + 8 = 0$. Find the equation of other diagonal

A. $x + 3y = 21$

B. $2x - 3y = 7$

C. $x + 7y = 31$

D. $2x + 3y = 21$

Answer: C



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28. What is the equation of the line mid way between the lines

$3x-4y+12=0$ and $3x-4y=6$?

A. $3x - 4y - 9 = 0$

B. $3x - 4y + 9 = 0$

C. $3x - 4y - 3 = 0$

D. $3x - 4y + 3 = 0$

Answer: D



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29. What is the equation of the line through (1, 2) so that the segment of the line intercepted between the axes is bisected at this point ?

A. $2x - y = 4$

B. $2x - y + 4 = 0$

C. $2x + y = 4$

D. $2x + y + 4 = 0$

Answer: C



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30. The point $(t^2 + 2t + 5, 2t^2 + t - 2)$ lies on the line $x + y = 2$ for

A. All real values of t

B. Some real values of t

C. $t = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{3}}{6}$

D. None of these

Answer: D



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31. Find the value of x for which the points $(x - 1)$, $(2, 1)$ and $(4, 5)$ are collinear.

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: A



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32. If (a, a^2) falls inside the angle made by the lines $y = \frac{x}{2}, x > 0$ and $y = 3x, x > 0$, then a belongs to the interval

A. $\left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

B. $(3, \infty)$

C. $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 3\right)$

D. $\left(-3, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$

Answer: C



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33. The perpendicular distance between the straight lines $6x + 8y + 15 = 0$ and $3x + 4y + 9 = 0$ is

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

B. $\frac{3}{10}$ unit

C. $\frac{3}{4}$ unit

D. $\frac{2}{7}$ unit

Answer: B



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34. The locus of a point that is equidistant from the lines $x + y - 2\sqrt{2} = 0$ and $x + y - \sqrt{2} = 0$ is (a)

$$x + y - 5\sqrt{2} = 0 \quad (b) \quad x + y - 3\sqrt{2} = 0 \quad (c)$$

$$2x + 2y - 3\sqrt{2} = 0 \quad (d) \quad 2x + 2y - 5\sqrt{5} = 0$$

A. $x + y - 5\sqrt{2} = 0$

B. $x + y - 3\sqrt{2} = 0$

C. $2x + 2y - 3\sqrt{2} = 0$

D. $2x + 2y - 5\sqrt{2} = 0$

Answer: C



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35. If the line segment joining the points $A(a,b)$ and $B(c,d)$ subtends an angle θ at the origin, then $\cos \theta$ is equal to

A. $\frac{ac + bd}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)(c^2 + d^2)}}$

B. $\frac{ab + cd}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)(c^2 + d^2)}}$

C. $\frac{ad + bc}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)(c^2 + d^2)}}$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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36. The angle between $y = x + 6$ and $y = \sqrt{3}x + y$ is

A. 15°

B. 12°

C. 13°

D. 14°

Answer: A

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37. If p be the length of the perpendicular from the origin on the straight line $x + 2by = 2p$. then what is the value of b ?

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

B. p

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

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

Answer: D

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38. The medians AD and BE of the triangle with vertices A(0, b), B(0, 0) and C(a, 0) are mutually perpendicular if

A. $b = \sqrt{2}a$

B. $a = \sqrt{2}b$

C. $b = -\sqrt{2}a$

D. $a = 2b$

Answer: B



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39. Let $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$ be a fixed angle . If $p = (\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$ and $Q(\cos(\alpha - \theta))$, then Q is obtained from P by

- A. clockwise rotation around the origin through an angle α
- B. anticlockwise rotation around the origin through an angle α
- C. reflection in the line through the origin with slope $\tan \alpha$
- D. reflection in the line through the origin with slope $\tan(\alpha/2)$

Answer: D



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40. If $2p$ is the length of perpendicular from the origin to the lines $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$, then $a^2, 8p^2, b^2$ are in

A. A.p.

B. G.P.

C. H.P.

D. None of these

Answer: C



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41. Angle made with the x-axis by a straight line drawn through $(1, 2)$ so that it intersects $x + y = 4$ at a distance $\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$ from $(1, 2)$ is 105° (b) 75° (c) 60° (d) 15°

A. 105°

B. 75°

C. 60°

D. 15°

Answer: B



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42. The distance of the point (1,2,3) from the coordinate axes are A, B and C respectively. $A^2 = B^2 + C^2$, $B^2 = 2C^2$, $2A^2C^2 = 13B^2$ which of these hold (s) true? (A) 1 only (B) 1 and 3 (C) 1 and 2 (D) 2 and 3

A. Only I

B. I and III

C. I and II

D. II and III

Answer: D



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43. Find the tangent of the angel between the lines whose intercepts n the axes are respectively a , $-badnb$, $-a$.

A. $\tan^{-1} \frac{a^2 - b^2}{ab}$

B. $\tan^{-1} \frac{b^2 - a^2}{2}$

C. $\tan^{-1} \frac{b^2 - a^2}{2ab}$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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44. A straight line L through the point (3,-2) is inclined at an angle 60° to the line $\sqrt{3}x + y = 1$ If L also intersects the x-axis then the equation of L is

A. $y + \sqrt{3}x + 2 - 3\sqrt{3} = 0$

B. $y - \sqrt{3}x = 2 + 3\sqrt{3} = 0$

C. $\sqrt{3}y - x + 3 + 2\sqrt{3} = 0$

D. $\sqrt{3}y + x - 3 + 2\sqrt{3} = 0$

Answer: B



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45. Number of lines that can be drawn through the point (4, -5) so that its distance from (- 2, 3) will be equal to 12 is equal to

A. 2

B. 1

C. 4

D. None of these

Answer: D



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46. The straight line $ax + by + c = 0$, where $abc \neq 0$, will pass through the first quadrant if $ac > 0, bc > 0$ $c > 0$ and $bc < 0$ $bc > 0$ and/or $ac > 0$ (d) $ac < 0$ and/or $bc < 0$

A. $ac > 0, bc > 0$

B. $c > 0$ and $bc < 0$

C. $bc > 0$ and/or $ac > 0$

D. $ac < 0$ and/or $bc < 0$

Answer: D



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47. If p_1 and p_2 are the lengths of the perpendicular from the origin to the line

$$x \sec \theta + y \csc \theta = a \text{ and } x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta = a \cos 2\theta$$

respectively then prove that $4p_1^2 + p_2^2 = a^2$

A. $m = 1, n = 1$

B. $m = 1, n = 4$

C. $m = 4, n = 1$

D. $m = 1, n = 1$

Answer: B



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48. A point moves so that the distance between the feet of perpendiculars drawn from it to the lines $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$ is a constant $2k$. The equation of its locus is

A. $(x^2 + y^2)(h^2 + ab) = \lambda^2[(a + b)^2 - 4h^2]$

B. $(x^2 + y^2)(h^2 - ab) = \lambda^2[(a - b)^2 + 4h^2]$

C. $(x^2 - y^2)(h^2 - ab) = \lambda^2[(a - b)^2 - 4h^2]$

D. None of the above

Answer: B



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49. The range of value of α such that $(0, \alpha)$ lies on or inside the triangle formed by the lines $y + 3x + 2 = 0$, $3y - 2x - 5 = 0$, $4y + x - 14 = 0$ is

A. $5 < \alpha \leq 7$

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

C. $\frac{5}{3} \leq \alpha \leq \frac{7}{2}$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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50. If P is a point (x, y) on the line $y = -3x$ such that P and the point $(3, 4)$ are on the opposite sides of the line $3x - 4y = 8$, then $x > \frac{8}{15}$ (b) $x > \frac{8}{5}$ $y < -\frac{8}{5}$ (d) $y < -\frac{8}{15}$

A. $x > \frac{8}{15}, y \leq \frac{8}{5}$

B. $x > \frac{8}{5}, y < -\frac{8}{15}$

C. $x = \frac{8}{15}, y = -\frac{8}{5}$

D. $x < \frac{8}{5}, y > -\frac{8}{15}$

Answer: A



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51. If the line $yl = \sqrt{3}x$ cuts the curve $x^2 = y^2 + 3xy + 5x^2 + 3y^2 + 4x + 5y - 1 = 0$ at the point A, B, C , then $OA \dot{O}B \dot{O}C$ is equal to $\left(\frac{k}{13}\right)(3\sqrt{3} - 1)$. The value of k is _____

A. $\frac{4}{13}(3\sqrt{3} - 1)$

B. $3\sqrt{3} + 1$

C. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} + 7$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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52. The equation of a straight line, which passes through the point $(a,0)$ and whose perpendicular distance from the point $(2a,2a)$ is a , is

A. $3x - 4y - 3a = 0$

B. $x - a = 0$

C. both a and b

D. Neither of a and b

Answer: C



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53. $P(m, n)$ (where m, n are natural numbers) is any point in the interior of the quadrilateral formed by the pair of lines $xy = 0$

and the lines $2x + y - 2 = 0$ and $4x + 5y = 20$. The possible number of positions of the point P is.

- A. six
- B. five
- C. four
- D. eleven

Answer: A



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54. Find the distance between the parallel lines $3x + 4y + 7 = 0$ and $3x + 4y + 5 = 0$.

- A. 2

B. 5

C. 7

D. 3

Answer: C



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55. The value of h for which the equation $3x^2 + 2hxy - 3y^2 - 40x + 30y - 75 = 0$ represents a pair of straight lines, are

A. 4,4

B. 4,6

C. 4,-4

D. 0,4

Answer: A



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56. If the slope of one of the lines represented by $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$ is the square of the other , then

$$\frac{a+b}{h} + \frac{8h^2}{ab} =$$

A. 0.04

B. 0.06

C. 0.08

D. None of these

Answer: B

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57. The slopes of lines represented by $x^2 + 2hxy + 2y^2 = 0$ are in the ratio 1 : 2, then h equals .

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

B. $\pm \frac{3}{2}$

C. ± 1

D. ± 3

Answer: B

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58. Two pairs of straight lines have the equations $y^2 + xy - 12x^2 = 0$ and $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$. One line will be common among them if. $a + 8h - 16b = 0$ (b) $a - 8h + 16b = 0$ $a - 6h + 9b = 0$ (d) $a + 6h + 9b = 0$

A. $a = -3(2h + 3b)$

B. $a = 8(h - 2b)$

C. $a = 2(b + h)$

D. Both a and b

Answer: D



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59. If the pair of straight lines $x^2 - 2pxy - y^2 = 0$ and $x^2 - 2qxy - y^2 = 0$ be such that each pair bisects the angle between the other pair, then

- A. 1
- B. -1
- C. 0
- D. $-1/2$

Answer: B



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60. The equation $8x^2 + 8xy + 2y^2 + 26x + 13y + 15 = 0$ represents a pair of straight lines. The distance between them

is

A. $7 / \sqrt{5}$

B. $7 / 2\sqrt{5}$

C. $\sqrt{7} / 5$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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1. If the point $P(x, y)$ be equidistant from the points $A(a + b, b - a)$ and $B(a - b, a + b)$, then prove that $bx = ay$

A. $ax = by$

B. $bx = qay$ and P can (a,b)

C. $x^2 - y^2 = 2(ax + by)$

D. None of the above

Answer: B



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2. Let $O(0, 0)$, $P(3, 4)$, and $Q(6, 0)$ be the vertices of triangle OPQ . The point R inside the triangle OPQ is such that the triangles OPR , PQR , OQR are of equal area. The coordinates of R are $\left(\frac{4}{3}, 3\right)$ (b) $\left(3, \frac{2}{3}\right)$ $\left(3, \frac{4}{3}\right)$ (d) $\left(\frac{4}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$

A. $(4/3, 3)$

B. $(3, 2/3)$

C. $(3, 4/3)$

D. $(4/3, 2/3)$

Answer: C



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3. The co-ordinates of the orthocentre of the triangle bounded by the lines, $4x - 7y + 10 = 0$; $x + y = 5$ and $7x + 4y = 15$ is

A. $(1, 2)$

B. $(1, -2)$

C. $(-1, -2)$

D. (-1,2)

Answer: A



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4. The equations of the sides of a triangle are

$$x + y - 5 = 0, x - y + 1 = 0, \text{ and } x + y - \sqrt{2} = 0 \text{ is}$$

$$\left(-\infty, -\frac{4}{3}\right) \cup \left(\frac{4}{3}, +\infty\right) \quad \left(-\frac{4}{3}, \frac{4}{3}\right) \quad (c) \quad \left(-\frac{3}{4}, \frac{4}{3}\right)$$

none of these

A. $\left(-\frac{4}{3}, \frac{4}{3}\right)$

B. $\left(-\infty, -\frac{4}{3}\right) \cup \left(\frac{4}{3}, \infty\right)$

C. $\left(-\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}\right)$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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5. A light ray coming along the line $3x + 4y = 5$ gets reflected from the line $ax + by = 1$ and goes along the line $5x - 12y = 10$. Then,

$$a = \frac{14}{15}, b = -\frac{8}{115}$$

$$a = \frac{64}{15}, b = \frac{14}{15}$$

$$a = \frac{64}{115}, b = \frac{112}{15}$$
$$a = \frac{64}{115}, b = -\frac{8}{115}$$

A. $a = 67/115, b = 112/15$

B. $a = 14/15, b = 8/115$

C. $a = 64/115, b = -8/115$

D. $a = 64/15, b = 14/15$

Answer: C

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6. A line AB makes zero intercepts on X-axis and Y-axis and it is perpendicular to another line $CD, 3x + 4y + 6 = 0$. The equation of line AB is

A. $y = 4$

B. $4x - 3y + 8 = 0$

C. $4x - 3y = 0$

D. $4x - 3y + 6 = 0$

Answer: C

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7. A light ray emerging from the point source placed at $P(2, 3)$ is reflected at a point Q on the y -axis. It then passes through the point $R(5, 10)$. The coordinates of Q are (a) $(0, 3)$ (b) $(0, 2)$ (c) $(0, 5)$ (d) none of these

A. $(0,3)$

B. $(0,2)$

C. $(0,5)$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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8. If $(-4, 5)$ is a vertex of a square and one of its diagonal is $7x - y + 8 = 0$. Find the equation of other diagonal

A. $x + 3y = 21$

B. $2x - 3y = 7$

C. $x + 7y = 31$

D. $2x + 3y + 21$

Answer: C



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9. If the lines $y = 3x + 1$ and $2y = x + 3$ are equally inclined to the line $y = mx + 4$, $\left(\frac{1}{2} < m < 3\right)$ then find the values m

A. $\frac{1}{7}(1 \pm 5\sqrt{3})$

B. $\frac{1}{7}(1 \pm 5\sqrt{5})$

C. $\frac{1}{7}(1 \pm 5\sqrt{2})$

D. $\frac{1}{7}(1 \pm 2\sqrt{5})$

Answer: C



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10. For which value of ' p ', $y^2 + xy + px^2 - x - 2y = 0$ represents a pair of straight lines

A. 2

B. $\frac{2}{3}$

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

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

Answer: C



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11. Let PQR be a right-angled isosceles triangle, right angled at $P(2, 1)$. If the equation of the line QR is $2x + y = 3$, then the equation representing the pair of lines PQ and PR is

$$3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy + 20x + 10y + 25 = 0$$

$$3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy - 20x - 10y + 25 = 0$$

$$3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy + 10x + 15y + 20 = 0$$

$$3x^2 - 3y^2 - 8xy - 15y - 20 = 0$$

A. $3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy + 20x + 10y + 25 = 0$

B. $3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy - 20x - 10y + 25 = 0$

C. $3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy + 10x + 15y + 20 = 0$

D. $3x^2 - 3y^2 - 8xy - 15y - 20 = 0$

Answer: B



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12. The number of lines that are parallel to $2x + 6y - 7 = 0$ and have an intercept 10 between the coordinate axes is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 4

D. Infinitely many

Answer: B

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13. A vertex of an equilateral triangle is $(2;3)$ and the equation of the opposite sides is $x + y = 2$.Find the equation of the other sides of triangle .

A. $y - 3 = (2 \pm \sqrt{3})(x - 2)$

B. $y + 3 = (2 \pm \sqrt{3})(x + 2)$

C. $y = 3 = ((3 \pm \sqrt{2})(x + 2)$

D. $y - 3 = (3 \pm \sqrt{2})(x - 2)$

Answer: A

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14. The value of λ for which the lines joining the point of intersection of curves C_1 and C_2 to the origin are equally inclined to the axis of x.

$$C_1: \lambda x^2 + 3y^2 - 2\lambda xy + 9x = 0, C_2: 3x^2 - 4y^2 + 8xy - 3x = 0$$

A. $\lambda = \frac{4}{3}$

B. $\lambda = 12$

C. $\lambda = 1$

D. $\lambda = \frac{5}{6}$

Answer: B



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15. For $a > b > c > 0$ if the distance between $(1,1)$ and the point of intersection of the lines $ax + by + c = 0$ and $bx + ay + c = 0$ is less than $2\sqrt{2}$ then

A. $a + b - c > 0$

B. $a - b + c < 0$

C. $a - b + c > 0$

D. $a + b - c < 0$

Answer: A



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16. Point $P(p, 0)$, $Q(q, 0)$, $R(0, p)$, $S(0, q)$ form parallelogram rhombus cyclic quadrilateral (d) none of these

- A. parallelogram
- B. rhombus
- C. cyclic quadrilateral
- D. None of these

Answer: C



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17. Find the image of the point $(4, -13)$ in the line

$$5x + y + 6 = 0.$$

- A. $(-1, -14)$
- B. $(3, 4)$
- C. $(1, 2)$

D. $(-4,13)$

Answer: A



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18. If a pair of perpendicular straight lines drawn through the origin forms an isosceles triangle with the line $2x + 3y = 6$, then area of the triangle so formed is $36/13$ (b) $12/17$ (c) $13/5$ (d) $17/14$

A. $36/13$

B. $44/182$

C. $13/5$

D. $17/13$

Answer: A



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19. The equation of straight line passing through $(-a, 0)$ and making a triangle with the axes of area T is

$$2Tx + a^2y + 2aT = 0$$

$$2Tx - a^2y + 2aT = 0$$

$$2Tx - a^2y - 2aT = 0 \text{ none of these}$$

A. $2Tx + a^2y + 2aT = 0$

B. $2Tx - a^2y + 2aT = 0$

C. $2Tx - a^2 - 2aT = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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20. Given a family of lines $a(2x + y + 4) + b(x - 2y - 3) = 0$. The number of lines belonging to the family at a distance of $\sqrt{10}$ from point $(2, -3)$ is

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 4

Answer: B



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21. If $\lambda x^2 - 10xy + 12y^2 + 5x - 16y - 3 = 0$, represents a pair of straight lines, then the value of λ is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 5

D. 4

Answer: B



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22. The image of the pair of lines represented by $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$ by the line mirror $y = 0$ is

A. $ax^2 - 2hxy - by^2 = 0$

B. $bx^2 - 2hxy + ay^2 = 0$

C. $bx^2 + 2hxy + ay^2 = 0$

D. $ax^2 - 2hxy + by^2 = 0$

Answer: D



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23. Find the combined equation of the pair of lines through the point $(1, 0)$ and parallel to the lines represented by $2x^2 - xy - y^2 = 0$

A. $2x^2 - xy - y^2 - 4x - y = 0$

B. $2x^2 - xy - y^2 - 4x + y + 2 = 0$

C. $2x^2 + xy + y^2 - 2xy + y = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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24. A ray of light coming from the point $(1, 2)$ is reflected at a point A on the x-axis and then passes through the point $(5, 3)$.

The coordinates of the point A is :

A. $\left(\frac{13}{5}, 0\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{5}{13}, 0\right)$

C. $(-7, 0)$

D. None of these

Answer: A

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25. Vertices of a variable triangle are $(3, 4)$, $(5 \cos \theta, 5 \sin \theta)$ and $(5 \sin \theta, -5 \cos \theta)$, where $\theta \in R$. Locus of its orthocentre is

A. $(x + y - 1)^2 + (x - y - 7)^2 = 100$

B. $(x + y - 7)^2 + (x - y - 1)^2 = 100$

C. $(x + y - 7)^2 + (x + y - 1)^2 = 100$

D. $(x + y - 7)^2 + (x - y + 1)^2 = 100$

Answer: D

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26. If the angle between the two lines represented by $2x^2 + 5xy + 3y^2 + 6x + 7y + 4 = 0$ is $\tan^{-1}(m)$, then m is equal to

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

B. 1

C. $\frac{7}{5}$

D. 7

Answer: A



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27. A line L intersects three sides BC, CA and AB of a triangle in

P,Q,R respectively, show that $\frac{BP}{PC} \cdot \frac{CQ}{QA} \cdot \frac{AR}{RB} = -1$

A. 1

B. 0

C. -1

D. None of these

Answer: C



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28. The distance of the line $2x + y = 3$ from the point $(-1, 3)$ in the direction whose slope is 1 is

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

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

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

D. $\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{3}$

Answer: C



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29. If the circumcenter of an acute-angled triangle lies at the origin and the centroid is the middle point of the line joining the points $(a^2 + 1, a^2 + 1)$ and $(2a, -2a)$, then find the orthocentre.

A. $y - 2ax = 0$

B. $y - (a^2 + 1)x = 0$

C. $y + x = 0$

D. $(a - 1)^2x - (a + 1)^2y = 0$

Answer: D



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30. Given vertices $A(1, 1)$, $B(4, -2)$ & $C(5, 5)$ of a triangle, find the equation of the perpendicular dropped from C to the interior bisector of the angle A.

A. $y - 5 = 0$

B. $x - 5 = 0$

C. $2x + 3y - 7 = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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