



**MARCH -2024 (TS)**

**PREVIOUS PAPERS****IPE: MARCH-2024(TS)**

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**MATHS-1A**

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**SECTION-A****I. Answer ALL the following VSAQ:** **$10 \times 2 = 20$** 

1. If  $f: R - \{0\} \rightarrow R$  is defined by  $f(x) = x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3}$ , then show that  $f(x) + f(1/x) = 0$ .
2. Find the domain of the real function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{(x^2 - 1)(x + 3)}$
3. If  $\begin{bmatrix} x-3 & 2y-8 \\ z+2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ -2 & a-4 \end{bmatrix}$  then find the values of x, y, z and a.
4. If  $\omega$  is a complex cube root of 1 then show that  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ \omega & \omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & \omega \end{vmatrix} = 0$
5. Let  $\bar{a} = \bar{i} + 2\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{b} = 3\bar{i} + \bar{j}$ . Find a unit vector in the direction of  $\bar{a} + \bar{b}$
6. Find the vector equation (V.E) of the line passing through the point  $2\bar{i} + 3\bar{j} + \bar{k}$  and parallel to  $4\bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}$ .
7. If the vectors  $2\bar{i} + \lambda\bar{j} - \bar{k}$ ,  $4\bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + 2\bar{k}$  are perpendicular to each other then find  $\lambda$ .
8. Prove that  $\sin 78^\circ + \cos 132^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4}$
9. Find the value of  $\sin^2 82\frac{1}{2}^\circ - \sin^2 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ$
10. Show that  $\operatorname{Tanh}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \log_e 3$ .

**SECTION-B****II. Answer any FIVE of the following SAQs:** **$5 \times 4 = 20$** 

11. If  $I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  then show that  $(aI + bE)^3 = a^3 I + 3a^2 bE$ .
12. If  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$  are non-coplanar vectors, then prove that the four points  $3\vec{a} + 2\vec{b} - 5\vec{c}$ ,  $-3\vec{a} + 8\vec{b} - 5\vec{c}$  and  $-3\vec{a} + 2\vec{b} + \vec{c}$  are coplanar.
13. For any three vectors  $\bar{a}, \bar{b}, \bar{c}$  prove that  $[\bar{b}+\bar{c} \quad \bar{c}+\bar{a} \quad \bar{a}+\bar{b}] = 2[\bar{a} \bar{b} \bar{c}]$ .
14. Prove that  $\tan 70^\circ - \tan 20^\circ = 2 \tan 50^\circ$
15. Solve  $\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x = \sqrt{2}$
16. Prove that  $\operatorname{Tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} + \operatorname{Tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{5} + \operatorname{Tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .
17. In a  $\Delta ABC$  if  $a:b:c = 7:8:9$ , then find  $\cos A : \cos B : \cos C$

**SECTION-C****III. Answer any FIVE of the following LAQs:** **$5 \times 7 = 35$** 

18. Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $B = \{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\}$ ,  $C = \{p, q, r\}$  and  $f: A \rightarrow B, g: B \rightarrow C$  are defined by  $f = \{(1, \alpha), (2, \gamma), (3, \beta)\}$ ,  $g = \{(\alpha, q), (\beta, r), (\gamma, p)\}$  then show that  $f$  and  $g$  are bijective functions and  $(gof)^{-1} = f^{-1}og^{-1}$
19. Using P.M.I, prove that  $\frac{1}{1.4} + \frac{1}{4.7} + \frac{1}{7.10} + \dots n \text{ terms} = \frac{n}{3n+1} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ .
20. Show that  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 1 & b^2 & b^3 \\ 1 & c^2 & c^3 \end{vmatrix} = (a-b)(b-c)(c-a)(ab+bc+ca)$
21. Solve  $x+y+z=1$ ,  $2x+2y+3z=6$ ,  $x+4y+9z=3$  by using Matrix inversion method.
22. If  $\bar{a} = 2\bar{i} + \bar{j} - 3\bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{b} = \bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + \bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{c} = -\bar{i} + \bar{j} - 4\bar{k}$  and  $\bar{d} = \bar{i} + \bar{j} + \bar{k}$  then compute  $|(\bar{a} \times \bar{b}) \times (\bar{c} \times \bar{d})|$
23. If  $A+B+C=180^\circ$ , then show that  $\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C = 4 \sin A \sin B \sin C$ .
24. If  $r_1 = 2$ ,  $r_2 = 3$ ,  $r_3 = 6$  and  $r = 1$ , prove that  $a = 3$ ,  $b = 4$  and  $c = 5$ .

# IPE TS MARCH-2024 SOLUTIONS

## SECTION-A

1. If  $f : R - \{0\} \rightarrow R$  is defined by  $f(x) = x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3}$ , then show that  $f(x) + f(1/x) = 0$ .

**Sol:** Given  $f(x) = x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3} \Rightarrow f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \frac{1}{x^3} - x^3$ .

$$\therefore f(x) + f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \left(x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{x^3} - x^3\right) = 0$$

2. Find the domain of the real function  $\frac{1}{(x^2 - 1)(x + 3)}$

**Sol:** Given  $f(x)$  is defined when  $(x^2 - 1)(x + 3) \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1)(x + 1)(x + 3) \neq 0 \Rightarrow x \neq 1, -1, -3$$

$$\therefore \text{Domain} = R - \{1, -1, -3\}$$

3. If  $\begin{bmatrix} x-3 & 2y-8 \\ z+2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ -2 & a-4 \end{bmatrix}$  then find the values of  $x, y, z$  and  $a$ .

**Sol:** Given  $\begin{bmatrix} x-3 & 2y-8 \\ z+2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ -2 & a-4 \end{bmatrix}$

On equating corresponding elements, we get  $x - 3 = 5 \Rightarrow x = 5 + 3 = 8$ ;  $2y - 8 = 2$

$$\Rightarrow 2y = 2 + 8 \Rightarrow 2y = 10 \Rightarrow y = 5$$

$$z + 2 = -2 \Rightarrow z = -2 - 2 = -4; \quad a - 4 = 6 \Rightarrow a = 6 + 4 \Rightarrow a = 10$$

$$\therefore x = 8, y = 5, z = -4, a = 10$$

4. If  $\omega$  is a complex cube root of 1 then show that

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ \omega & \omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & \omega \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Sol: LHS = 
$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ \omega & \omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & \omega \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1+\omega+\omega^2 & 1+\omega+\omega^2 & 1+\omega+\omega^2 \\ \omega & \omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & \omega \end{vmatrix} \quad (\because R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3)$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \omega & \omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & \omega \end{vmatrix} = 0 = R.H.S \quad (\because 1+\omega+\omega^2 = 0)$$

5. Let  $\bar{a} = \bar{i} + 2\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}$  and  $\bar{b} = 3\bar{i} + \bar{j}$ . Find a unit vector in the direction of  $\bar{a} + \bar{b}$

Sol: Given  $\bar{a} = \bar{i} + 2\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{b} = 3\bar{i} + \bar{j}$ , then

$$\bar{a} + \bar{b} = (\bar{i} + 2\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}) + (3\bar{i} + \bar{j}) = 4\bar{i} + 3\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow |\bar{a} + \bar{b}| = \sqrt{4^2 + 3^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{16 + 9 + 9} = \sqrt{34}$$

$$\therefore \text{Required unit vector} = \frac{\bar{a} + \bar{b}}{|\bar{a} + \bar{b}|} = \frac{4\bar{i} + 3\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}}{\sqrt{34}}$$

6. Find the vector equation (V.E) of the line passing through the point  $2\bar{i} + 3\bar{j} + \bar{k}$  and parallel to  $4\bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}$ .

Sol: Given point  $A(\bar{a}) = 2\bar{i} + 3\bar{j} + \bar{k}$  and given vector  $\bar{b} = 4\bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}$

V.E of the line passing through the point  $A(\bar{a})$  and parallel to the vector  $\bar{b}$  is  $\bar{r} = \bar{a} + t\bar{b}$ ,  $t \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{r} = (2\bar{i} + 3\bar{j} + \bar{k}) + t(4\bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + 3\bar{k}), t \in \mathbb{R}$$

7. If the vectors  $2\bar{i} + \lambda\bar{j} - \bar{k}$  and  $4\bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + 2\bar{k}$  are perpendicular to each other then find  $\lambda$ .

Sol: Let  $\bar{a} = 2\bar{i} + \lambda\bar{j} - \bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{b} = 4\bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + 2\bar{k}$

$$\text{Given } \bar{a} \perp \bar{b} \Rightarrow \bar{a} \cdot \bar{b} = 0$$

$$\therefore (2\bar{i} + \lambda\bar{j} - \bar{k}) \cdot (4\bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + 2\bar{k}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(4) - 2\lambda - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow 8 - 2\lambda - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow 6 - 2\lambda = 0 \Rightarrow 2\lambda = 6 \Rightarrow \lambda = 3$$

8. Prove that  $\sin 78^\circ + \cos 132^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4}$

**Sol:** L.H.S =  $\sin 78^\circ + \cos 132^\circ = \sin 78^\circ + \cos(90^\circ + 42^\circ)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sin 78^\circ - \sin 42^\circ = 2 \cos\left(\frac{78^\circ + 42^\circ}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{78^\circ - 42^\circ}{2}\right) \quad \left[ \because \sin C - \sin D = 2 \cos\left(\frac{C+D}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{C-D}{2}\right) \right] \\ &= 2 \cos 60^\circ \sin 18^\circ = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4} = \text{R.H.S} \end{aligned}$$

9. Find the value of  $\sin^2 82\frac{1}{2}^\circ - \sin^2 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ$

**Sol:** We know  $\sin^2 A - \sin^2 B = \sin(A+B)\sin(A-B)$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \sin^2 82\frac{1}{2}^\circ - \sin^2 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ &= \sin\left(82\frac{1}{2}^\circ + 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ\right) \cdot \sin\left(82\frac{1}{2}^\circ - 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ\right) \\ &= \sin(105^\circ) \cdot \sin 60^\circ = \sin(60^\circ + 45^\circ) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} (\sin 60^\circ \cos 45^\circ + \cos 60^\circ \sin 45^\circ) \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3}+1)}{4\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

10. Show that  $\operatorname{Tanh}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \log_e 3$

**Sol:** We know  $\operatorname{Tanh}^{-1} x = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left( \frac{1+x}{1-x} \right)$

$$\therefore \operatorname{Tanh}^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left( \frac{1+\frac{1}{2}}{1-\frac{1}{2}} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left( \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \log_e (3)$$

SECTION-B

11. If  $I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  then S.T  $(aI+bE)^3=a^3I+3a^2bE$ , where I is unit matrix of order 2.

**Sol:** Given  $I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$aI + bE = a \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = (aI + bE)^3 = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix}^3 = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a^2 + 0 & ab + ab \\ 0 + 0 & 0 + a^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a^2 & 2ab \\ 0 & a^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a^3 & 3a^2b \\ 0 & a^3 \end{bmatrix} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{R.H.S} = a^3I + 3a^2bE = a^3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + 3a^2b \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a^3 & 0 \\ 0 & a^3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3a^2b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a^3 & 3a^2b \\ 0 & a^3 \end{bmatrix} \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

$\therefore$  from (1), (2) L.H.S = R.H.S Hence, proved.

12. Show that the four points  $-\bar{a} + 4\bar{b} - 3\bar{c}$ ,  $3\bar{a} + 2\bar{b} - 5\bar{c}$ ,  $-3\bar{a} + 8\bar{b} - 5\bar{c}$ ,  $-3\bar{a} + 2\bar{b} + \bar{c}$  are coplanar, where  $\bar{a}, \bar{b}, \bar{c}$  are non-coplanar vectors.

**Sol:** We take  $\overline{OP} = -\bar{a} + 4\bar{b} - 3\bar{c}$ ,  $\overline{OQ} = 3\bar{a} + 2\bar{b} - 5\bar{c}$ ,

$\overline{OR} = -3\bar{a} + 8\bar{b} - 5\bar{c}$ ,  $\overline{OS} = -3\bar{a} + 2\bar{b} + \bar{c}$ , where 'O' is the origin.

$$\therefore \overline{PQ} = \overline{OQ} - \overline{OP} = (3\bar{a} + 2\bar{b} - 5\bar{c}) - (-\bar{a} + 4\bar{b} - 3\bar{c}) = 4\bar{a} - 2\bar{b} - 2\bar{c}$$

$$\overline{PR} = \overline{OR} - \overline{OP} = (-3\bar{a} + 8\bar{b} - 5\bar{c}) - (-\bar{a} + 4\bar{b} - 3\bar{c}) = -2\bar{a} + 4\bar{b} - 2\bar{c}$$

$$\overline{PS} = \overline{OS} - \overline{OP} = (-3\bar{a} + 2\bar{b} + \bar{c}) - (-\bar{a} + 4\bar{b} - 3\bar{c}) = -2\bar{a} - 2\bar{b} + 4\bar{c}$$

$$\text{Now, } [\overline{PQ} \ \overline{PR} \ \overline{PS}] = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & -2 & -2 \\ -2 & 4 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} [\bar{a} \ \bar{b} \ \bar{c}] = [4(16-4)+2(-8-4)-2(4+8)] [\bar{a} \ \bar{b} \ \bar{c}]$$

$$= [4(12)+2(-12)-2(12)] [\bar{a} \ \bar{b} \ \bar{c}] = [48-24-24] [\bar{a} \ \bar{b} \ \bar{c}] = 0 \times [\bar{a} \ \bar{b} \ \bar{c}] = 0$$

So,  $\overline{PQ}$ ,  $\overline{PR}$ ,  $\overline{PS}$  are coplanar.

Hence the four points

P,Q,R,S are coplanar.

13. For any three vectors  $\bar{a}, \bar{b}, \bar{c}$  prove that  $[\bar{b} + \bar{c} \quad \bar{c} + \bar{a} \quad \bar{a} + \bar{b}] = 2[\bar{a} \bar{b} \bar{c}]$ .

$$\text{Sol: } [\bar{b} + \bar{c} \quad \bar{c} + \bar{a} \quad \bar{a} + \bar{b}] = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} [\bar{a} \bar{b} \bar{c}] = [0(0-1) - 1(0-1) + 1(1-0)] [\bar{a} \bar{b} \bar{c}] = 2[\bar{a} \bar{b} \bar{c}]$$

14. Prove that  $\tan 70^\circ - \tan 20^\circ = 2 \tan 50^\circ$

**Sol:** Consider  $70^\circ - 20^\circ = 50^\circ \Rightarrow \tan(70^\circ - 20^\circ) = \tan 50^\circ$  Apply  $\tan(A-B)$  formula

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan 70^\circ - \tan 20^\circ}{1 + \tan 70^\circ \tan 20^\circ} = \tan 50^\circ \Rightarrow \frac{\tan 70^\circ - \tan 20^\circ}{1 + \cancel{\tan 70^\circ} \cancel{\cot 70^\circ}} = \tan 50^\circ \quad [\because \tan 20^\circ = \tan(90^\circ - 70^\circ) = \cot 70^\circ]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan 70^\circ - \tan 20^\circ}{1+1} = \tan 50^\circ \Rightarrow \frac{\tan 70^\circ - \tan 20^\circ}{2} = \tan 50^\circ \Rightarrow \tan 70^\circ - \tan 20^\circ = 2 \tan 50^\circ$$

15. Solve  $\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x = \sqrt{2}$

**Sol:** Given equation is  $\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x = \sqrt{2}$

On dividing by  $\sqrt{1^2 + (\sqrt{3})^2} = \sqrt{1+3} = \sqrt{4} = 2$ , we get

$$\frac{1}{2} \sin x + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cos x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \Rightarrow \sin 30^\circ \sin x + \cos 30^\circ \cos x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + \sin x \sin \frac{\pi}{6} = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \cos \left( x - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) = \cos \frac{\pi}{4}. \quad \text{Here P.V is } \alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$\therefore$  General solution is given by  $\theta = 2n\pi \pm \alpha, n \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\Rightarrow x - \frac{\pi}{6} = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

16. Prove that  $\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{5} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4}$

**Sol:** We know,  $\tan^{-1}x + \tan^{-1}y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy}\right)$

$$\therefore \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{5} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{5}}{1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{5}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\frac{5+2}{10}}{\frac{10-1}{10}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \frac{7}{9}$$

$$\therefore \text{L.H.S} = \tan^{-1} \frac{7}{9} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{8} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\frac{7}{9} + \frac{1}{8}}{1 - \frac{7}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{8}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\frac{56+9}{72}}{\frac{72-7}{72}} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{65}{65} \right) = \tan^{-1} 1 = \frac{\pi}{4} = \text{R.H.S}$$

17. In a  $\triangle ABC$  if  $a:b:c = 7:8:9$  then show that  $\cos A : \cos B : \cos C = 14:11:6$

**Sol:** Given that  $a:b:c = 7:8:9 \Rightarrow a=7k, b=8k, c=9k$

$$\text{Now } \cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \frac{(8k)^2 + (9k)^2 - (7k)^2}{2(8k)(9k)} = \frac{k^2(8^2 + 9^2 - 7^2)}{2(8)(9)(k^2)}$$

$$= \frac{64 + 81 - 49}{(2)(8)(9)} = \frac{96}{(2)(8)(9)} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\cos B = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac} = \frac{(7k)^2 + (9k)^2 - (8k)^2}{2(7k)(9k)} = \frac{k^2(7^2 + 9^2 - 8^2)}{(2)(7)(9)(k^2)}$$

$$= \frac{49 + 81 - 64}{(2)(7)(9)} = \frac{66}{(2)(7)(9)} = \frac{11}{21}$$

$$\cos C = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = \frac{(7k)^2 + (8k)^2 - (9k)^2}{2(7k)(8k)} = \frac{k^2(7^2 + 8^2 - 9^2)}{(2)(7)(8)(k^2)}$$

$$= \frac{49 + 64 - 81}{(2)(7)(8)} = \frac{32}{(2)(7)(8)} = \frac{2}{7}$$

$$\therefore \cos A : \cos B : \cos C = \frac{2}{3} : \frac{11}{21} : \frac{2}{7} = 21\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) : 21\left(\frac{11}{21}\right) : 21\left(\frac{2}{7}\right) = 14 : 11 : 6$$

### SECTION-C

18. Let  $A = \{1,2,3\}$ ,  $B = \{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\}$ ,  $C = \{p, q, r\}$  and  $f: A \rightarrow B, g: B \rightarrow C$  are defined by  
 $f = \{(1, \alpha), (2, \gamma), (3, \beta)\}$ ,  $g = \{(\alpha, q), (\beta, r), (\gamma, p)\}$  then show that  $f$  and  $g$  are bijective  
functions and  $(gof)^{-1} = f^{-1}og^{-1}$

**Sol:** From the ordered pairs of  $f, g$  it is clear that both  $f$  &  $g$  are one-one and onto, hence bijective.

Given  $f = \{(1, \alpha), (2, \gamma), (3, \beta)\}$ ,  $g = \{(\alpha, q), (\beta, r), (\gamma, p)\}$

$$\Rightarrow gof = \{(1, q), (2, p), (3, r)\} \Rightarrow (gof)^{-1} = \{(q, 1), (p, 2), (r, 3)\}$$

$$\text{Also } g^{-1} = \{(q, \alpha), (r, \beta), (p, \gamma)\}, f^{-1} = \{(\alpha, 1), (\gamma, 2), (\beta, 3)\}$$

$$\Rightarrow f^{-1}og^{-1} = \{(q, 1), (p, 2), (r, 3)\}.$$

19. Using P.M.I, prove that  $\frac{1}{1.4} + \frac{1}{4.7} + \frac{1}{7.10} + \dots + n \text{ terms} = \frac{n}{3n+1}$

**Sol:** To find  $n^{\text{th}}$  term:

1,4,7... are in A.P with  $a=1, d=3$

$$\therefore T_n = a + (n-1)d \Rightarrow T_n = 1 + (n-1)3 = 1 + 3n - 3 = 3n - 2$$

4,7,10... are in A.P with  $a=4, d=3$

$$\therefore T_n = 4 + (n-1)3 = 3n + 1$$

$$\therefore n^{\text{th}} \text{ term is } T_n = \frac{1}{(3n-2)(3n+1)}$$

$$\text{Let } S(n) : \frac{1}{1.4} + \frac{1}{4.7} + \frac{1}{7.10} + \dots + \frac{1}{(3n-2)(3n+1)} = \frac{n}{3n+1}$$

$$\text{Step 1: L.H.S of } S(1) = \frac{1}{1.4} = \frac{1}{4}; \text{ R.H.S of } S(1) = \frac{1}{3.1+1} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore \text{L.H.S} = \text{R.H.S.}$$

So,  $S(1)$  is true

**Step 2:** Assume that  $S(k)$  is true ,for  $k \in \mathbb{N}$

$$S(k) : \frac{1}{1.4} + \frac{1}{4.7} + \frac{1}{7.10} + \dots + \frac{1}{(3k-2)(3k+1)} = \frac{k}{3k+1} \quad \dots(1)$$

**Step 3:** We show that  $S(k+1)$  is true

$$(k+1)^{\text{th}} \text{ term} = \frac{1}{(3(k+1)-2)(3(k+1)+1)} = \frac{1}{(3k+1)(3k+4)}$$

On adding  $(k+1)^{\text{th}}$  term to both sides of (1), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S} &= \left[ \frac{1}{1.4} + \frac{1}{4.7} + \frac{1}{7.10} + \dots + \frac{1}{(3k-2)(3k+1)} \right] + \frac{1}{(3k+1)(3k+4)} \\ &= \frac{k}{3k+1} + \frac{1}{(3k+1)(3k+4)} \\ &= \frac{k(3k+4)+1}{(3k+1)(3k+4)} = \frac{3k^2+4k+1}{(3k+1)(3k+4)} \\ &= \frac{(k+1)\cancel{(3k+1)}}{\cancel{(3k+1)}(3k+4)} = \frac{k+1}{3k+4} = \frac{k+1}{3k+3+1} = \frac{k+1}{3(k+1)+1} = \text{R.H.S} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{L.H.S} = \text{R.H.S.}$$

So,  $S(k+1)$  is true whenever  $S(k)$  is true

Hence, by P.M.I the given statement is true, for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$

20. Show that  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 1 & b^2 & b^3 \\ 1 & c^2 & c^3 \end{vmatrix} = (a-b)(b-c)(c-a)(ab+bc+ca)$

**Sol:** L.H.S =  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 1 & b^2 & b^3 \\ 1 & c^2 & c^3 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 0 & b^2 - a^2 & b^3 - a^3 \\ 0 & c^2 - a^2 & c^3 - a^3 \end{vmatrix}$  ( $\because R_2 \Rightarrow R_2 - R_1$   
 $R_3 \Rightarrow R_3 - R_1$ )

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 0 & (b-a)(b+a) & (b-a)(b^2 + ba + a^2) \\ 0 & (c-a)(c+a) & (c-a)(c^2 + ca + a^2) \end{vmatrix} \left( \begin{array}{l} a^2 - b^2 = (a-b)(a-b) \\ a^3 - b^3 = (a-b)(a^2 + ab + b^2) \end{array} \right)$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 0 & a+b & a^2 + ab + b^2 \\ 0 & a+c & a^2 + ac + c^2 \end{vmatrix}$$
 (Taking  $(b-a)$  common from  $R_2$  and  
 $(c-a)$  common from  $R_3$ )

$$= (b-a)(c-a) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 0 & a+b & a^2 + ab + b^2 \\ 0 & c-b & ac - ab + c^2 - b^2 \end{vmatrix}$$
 ( $\because R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$ )

$$= (b-a)(c-a) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 0 & a+b & a^2 + ab + b^2 \\ 0 & c-b & a(c-b) + (c+b)(c-b) \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 0 & a+b & a^2 + ab + b^2 \\ 0 & c-b & (c-b)(a+b+c) \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a)(c-b) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 0 & a+b & a^2 + ab + b^2 \\ 0 & 1 & (a+b+c) \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a)(c-b)[(a+b)(a+b+c) - (a^2 + ab + b^2)]$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a)(c-b)[(a+b)^2 + c(a+b) - (a^2 + ab + b^2)]$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a)(c-b)[(a^2 + b^2 + 2ab) + (ca + cb) - a^2 - ab - b^2]$$

$$= (a-b)(b-c)(c-a)(ab+bc+ca) = R.H.S$$

21. By using Matrix inversion method, solve  $x+y+z=1$ ,  $2x+2y+3z=6$ ,  $x+4y+9z=3$ .

**Sol:** Matrix equation of the given system of equations is  $AX=D$ , where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix}; X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}, D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore \text{The solution of } AX=D \text{ is } X=A^{-1}D$$

First we find  $A^{-1}$

$$\det A = |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 9 \end{vmatrix} = 1(18 - 12) - 1(18 - 3) + 1(8 - 2) = 1(6) - 1(15) + 1(6) = 6 - 15 + 6 = -3 \neq 0$$

The co-factor matrix of A is

$$\begin{bmatrix} +\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 9 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 9 \end{vmatrix} & +\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \\ -\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 9 \end{vmatrix} & +\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 9 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \\ +\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} & +\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (18 - 12) & -(18 - 3) & (4 - 2) \\ -(9 - 4) & (9 - 1) & -(4 - 1) \\ (3 - 2) & -(3 - 2) & (2 - 2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -15 & 6 \\ -5 & 8 & -3 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -5 & 1 \\ -15 & 8 & -1 \\ 6 & -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det A} (\text{Adj } A) = \frac{1}{-3} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -5 & 1 \\ -15 & 8 & -1 \\ 6 & -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Now, } X = A^{-1}D = \frac{1}{-3} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -5 & 1 \\ -15 & 8 & -1 \\ 6 & -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{-1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 6 - 30 + 3 \\ -15 + 48 - 3 \\ 6 - 18 + 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{-1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} -21 \\ 30 \\ -12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -10 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -10 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore$  The solution is  $x=7$ ,  $y=-10$ ,  $z=4$

22. If  $\bar{a} = 2\bar{i} + \bar{j} - 3\bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{b} = \bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + \bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{c} = -\bar{i} + \bar{j} - 4\bar{k}$  and  $\bar{d} = \bar{i} + \bar{j} + \bar{k}$ , then compute  $((\bar{a}\bar{b})\bar{x})(\bar{c}\bar{d})$ .

**Sol:** Given  $\bar{a} = 2\bar{i} + \bar{j} - 3\bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{b} = \bar{i} - 2\bar{j} + \bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{c} = -\bar{i} + \bar{j} - 4\bar{k}$ ,  $\bar{d} = \bar{i} + \bar{j} + \bar{k}$ ,

$$\bar{a} \times \bar{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \bar{i} & \bar{j} & \bar{k} \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \bar{i}(1-6) - \bar{j}(2+3) + \bar{k}(-4-1) = -5\bar{i} - 5\bar{j} - 5\bar{k} \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\bar{c} \times \bar{d} = \begin{vmatrix} \bar{i} & \bar{j} & \bar{k} \\ -1 & 1 & -4 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \bar{i}(1+4) - \bar{j}(-1+4) + \bar{k}(-1-1) = 5\bar{i} - 3\bar{j} - 2\bar{k} \quad \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

From (1) & (2),

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (\bar{a} \times \bar{b}) \times (\bar{c} \times \bar{d}) &= \begin{vmatrix} \bar{i} & \bar{j} & \bar{k} \\ -5 & -5 & -5 \\ 5 & -3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = \bar{i}(10-15) - \bar{j}(10+25) + \bar{k}(15+25) = -5\bar{i} - 35\bar{j} + 40\bar{k} \\ &= 5(-\bar{i} - 7\bar{j} + 8\bar{k}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore |(\bar{a} \times \bar{b}) \times (\bar{c} \times \bar{d})| = 5\sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-7)^2 + 8^2} = 5\sqrt{1+49+64} = 5\sqrt{114}$$

23. If  $A+B+C=180^\circ$ , then show that  $\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C = 4 \sin A \sin B \sin C$ .

**Sol:** L.H.S =  $\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C$

$$= 2\sin\left(\frac{2A+2B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{2A-2B}{2}\right) + \sin 2C \quad \left[ \because \sin C + \sin D = 2\sin\frac{C+D}{2}\cos\frac{C-D}{2} \right]$$

$$= 2\sin(A+B)\cos(A-B) + 2\sin C \cos C \quad [\because \sin 2\theta = 2\sin \theta \cos \theta]$$

$$= 2 \sin (180^\circ - C) \cos(A-B) + 2\sin C \cos C \quad [\because (A+B)+C=180^\circ]$$

$$= 2\sin C \cos(A-B) + 2\sin C \cos C \quad [\because \sin(180^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta]$$

$$= 2\sin C [\cos(A-B) + \cos C] \quad [\text{Taking } 2\sin C \text{ common}]$$

$$= 2\sin C [\cos(A-B) + \cos(180^\circ - (A+B))] \quad [\because (A+B)+C=180^\circ]$$

$$= 2\sin C [\cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B)] \quad [\because \cos(180^\circ - \theta) = -\cos \theta]$$

$$= 2\sin C (2\sin A \sin B) \quad [\because \cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B) = 2\sin A \sin B]$$

$$= 4\sin A \sin B \sin C = \text{R.H.S}$$

24. If  $r_1 = 2$ ,  $r_2 = 3$ ,  $r_3 = 6$ ,  $r = 1$ , then prove that  $a = 3$ ,  $b = 4$ ,  $c = 5$ .

**Sol:** Given  $r_1 = 2$ ,  $r_2 = 3$ ,  $r_3 = 6$  and  $r = 1$ , then

$$\Delta = \sqrt{r r_1 r_2 r_3} = \sqrt{1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 6} = \sqrt{36} = 6$$

$$\text{Now, } r = \frac{\Delta}{s} \Rightarrow 1 = \frac{6}{s} \quad \therefore s = 6$$

$$(i) \quad r_1 = \frac{\Delta}{s - a} \Rightarrow s - a = \frac{\Delta}{r_1} = \frac{6}{2} = 3$$

$$\therefore s - a = 3 \Rightarrow 6 - a = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 6 - 3 = 3$$

$$(ii) \quad r_2 = \frac{\Delta}{s - b} \Rightarrow s - b = \frac{\Delta}{r_2} = \frac{6}{3} = 2$$

$$\therefore s - b = 2 \Rightarrow 6 - b = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 6 - 2 = 4$$

$$(iii) \quad r_3 = \frac{\Delta}{s - c} \Rightarrow s - c = \frac{\Delta}{r_3} = \frac{6}{6} = 1$$

$$\therefore s - c = 1 \Rightarrow 6 - c = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 6 - 1 = 5$$