

WEST BENGAL BOARD CLASS 11 MATHS SAMPLE PAPER SOLUTIONS

ANSWERS AND EXPLANATIONS

1. Solution

Option: a

$$A' = \{2, 4, 9, 10, 11, 12\}$$

$$B' = \{2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12\}$$

$$A' \cap B' = \{2, 4, 12\}$$

$$(A \cup B)' = \{2, 4, 12\}$$

Hence $A' \cap B' = (A \cup B)'$ therefore option (a) is the correct answer.

2. Solution

Option: c

n

$$\frac{(3^n \cdot 3^3 \cdot 4^{2n})}{9} \text{ where } n \in 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, \dots$$

$$= \frac{3^{n+3+2n}}{9}$$

$$= \frac{3^{3n+3}}{9}$$

$$\frac{(3^{3n} \cdot 3^3)}{9} = \frac{(3^{3n} \times 27)}{9} = 3^{3n} \times 3 = 3^{3n+1}$$

Hence the remainder is 3^{3n+1}

3. Solution

Option: c

The sum of squares of two values is zero only when each value is equal to zero.

$$x - a + b = 0 \text{ and } x - b + c = 0$$

$$x = a - b \text{ and } x = b - c$$

$$\therefore a - b = b - c$$

Hence a, b, and c are in A.P

4. Solution

Option: a

Number of ways for selecting 3 numbers from 0, 1, 2... 9 is $^{10}C_3$

These selected three numbers can be arranged in descending order in one way

Required number of three-digit numbers = $^{10}C_3 = 120$

5. Solution

Option: a

Midpoint of $(a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)$ lies on $(a_1 - a_2)x + (b_1 - b_2)y = c$

Hence,

$$(a_1 - a_2)\left(\frac{a_1 + a_2}{2}\right) + (b_1 - b_2)\left(\frac{b_1 + b_2}{2}\right) = c$$

$$a_1^2 + b_1^2 - a_2^2 - b_2^2 = 2c$$

6. Solution

Option: b

From given $(\pm ae, 0) = (\pm 2, 0)$ and $e = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore a = 4$$

Since,

$$b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2) = 16\left(1 - \frac{1}{4}\right) = 12$$

Equation of ellipse is $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{12} = 1$

7. Solution

Option: d

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+x+x^2}-1}{x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\sqrt{1+x+x^2}-1)(\sqrt{1+x+x^2}+1)}{x(\sqrt{1+x+x^2}+1)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1+x)}{x(\sqrt{1+x+x^2}+1)} \\ &= \frac{1+0}{\sqrt{1+0+0}+1} \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+x+x^2}-1}{x} &= \frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

8. Solution

Option: c

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5^n - 1}{3^n + 1} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^n \left(\frac{1 - \frac{1}{5^n}}{1 + \frac{1}{3^n}}\right) \\ &= \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^\infty \left(\frac{1-0}{1+0}\right) = \infty \\ \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5^n - 1}{3^n + 1} &= \infty\end{aligned}$$

9. Solution

Option: b

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Arithmetic mean} &= \frac{1+2+2^2+\dots+\dots+2^{n-1}}{n} \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{x^n-1}{x-1}\right) = \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{2^n-1}{2-1}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1+2+2^2+\dots+\dots+2^{n-1}}{n} &= \frac{2^n-1}{n}\end{aligned}$$

10. Solution

Option: b

$$\text{Required Probability} = \frac{nC_1 + nC_2 + nC_3 + \dots + \dots}{2^n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Probability} = \frac{2^{n-1}}{2^n}$$

$$\therefore \text{Probability} = \frac{1}{2}$$

SECTION-B

11. Solution:

$$f \circ g(x) = f(g(x)) = \sqrt{(\sqrt[3]{x^2+1})^3 - 1} = \sqrt{x^2+1-1} = x$$

$$g \circ f(x) = g(f(x)) = \sqrt[3]{(\sqrt{x^3-1})^2 + 1} = \sqrt[3]{x^3-1+1} = x$$

12. Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^4 A + \cos^4 A &= (\sin^2 A)^2 + (\cos^2 A)^2 + 2\sin^2 A \cos^2 A - 2\sin^2 A \cos^2 A \\ &= (\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A)^2 - 2\sin^2 A \cos^2 A \\ &= 1 - 2\sin^2 A \cos^2 A \end{aligned}$$

On equating,

$$l + 3 + k\sin^2 A \cos^2 A = 1 - 2\sin^2 A \cos^2 A$$

$$l + 3 = 1 \text{ and } k\sin^2 A \cos^2 A = -2\sin^2 A \cos^2 A$$

$$\therefore l = -2 \text{ and } k = -2$$

13. Solution:

CASE 1

$$X + 10 \geq \frac{5}{2}$$

$$X + 10 \geq \frac{5}{2} \text{ or } -X - 10 \geq \frac{5}{2}$$

$$X \geq \frac{5}{2} - 10 \text{ or } -10 - \frac{5}{2} \geq X$$

$$X \geq -7.5 \text{ or } X \leq -12.5$$

$$(-\infty, -7.5] \cup [-12.5, \infty) \rightarrow (1)$$

CASE 2

$$X + 10 \geq \frac{7}{2}$$

$$X + 10 \geq \frac{7}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad -X - 10 \geq \frac{7}{2}$$

$$X \geq \frac{7}{2} - 10 \quad \text{or} \quad -10 - \frac{7}{2} \geq X$$

$$X \geq -6.5 \quad \text{or} \quad X \leq -13.5 \rightarrow (2)$$

Combining equations, we get:

$$\text{Answer: } [-13.5, -12.5] \cup [-7.5, -6.5].$$

14. Solution:

$$S_N = \frac{N}{2} (2A + (N - 1)D)$$

$$\frac{A + 3D}{A + D} = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$\frac{10 + 3D}{10 + D} = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$30 + 9D = 50 + 5D$$

$$4D = 20$$

$$D = 5$$

$$\text{if } D = 5; A = 10$$

$$\text{Then the sum is } 760 = \frac{N}{2} ((2 \times 10) + (N - 1)5)$$

$$760 = \frac{N}{2} ((2 \times 10) + (N - 1)5)$$

$$760 = \frac{5N}{2} ((2 \times 2) + (N - 1))$$

$$760 \cdot \frac{2}{5} = N((4) + (N - 1))$$

$$304 = N(3 + N)$$

$$304 = N^2 + 3N$$

$$N = 16, -19$$

The value of number of terms cannot be negative; hence answer 16 is the correct answer.

15. Solution:

Let (x, y, z) be the third vertex.

$$\left(\frac{3-2+x}{3}, \frac{-9+5+y}{3}, \frac{11+7+z}{3}\right) = (-3, 0, 3)$$

$$1 + x = -9; -4 + y = 0; 18 + z = 9$$

$$x = -8; y = 4; z = -9$$

Thus, third vertex is $(-8, 4, -9)$

16. Solution:

Given,

$$\lim_{X \rightarrow 3} \frac{X}{3} + \frac{3X+15}{X^2+5X+3}$$

$$= \frac{(3)}{3} + \frac{3(3)+15}{3^2+5(3)+3}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{24}{27}$$

$$= \frac{51}{27}$$

$$= \frac{17}{9}$$

$$\text{Answer} = \frac{17}{9}$$

17. Solution:

First, rearrange the numbers in ascending and common order: 1, 1, 5, 10, 12, 12, 17, 17, 40, 50, 60, 60, 70, and 90

There are 14 terms in the order: According to the formula as there are even terms.

The median will be 2 digits which are $\frac{14^{\text{th}}}{2}$ term and $\frac{14+1^{\text{th}}}{2}$ term i. e. 7th and 8th term

So, the median is the mean value of 7th and 8th term i.e. 17 and 17

Hence the median will be $\frac{17+17}{2}$

Answer: So, the median score for Virat Kohli is 17

SECTION-C

18. Solution:

We know that,

$$(a - b)^2 + (b - c)^2 + (c - a)^2 \geq 0$$

$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca \geq 0$$

$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \geq ab + bc + ca$$

$$\frac{a^2+b^2+c^2}{ab+bc+ca} \geq 1, \text{ then } \frac{ab+bc+ca}{a^2+b^2+c^2} \leq 1$$

From cosine rule,

$$a^2 + b^2 - c^2 = 2ab \cos C < 2ab$$

$$b^2 + c^2 - a^2 = 2bc \cos A < 2bc$$

$$c^2 + a^2 - b^2 = 2ca \cos B < 2ca$$

Adding above inequalities, $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 < 2(ab + bc + ca)$

$$\frac{ab+bc+ca}{a^2+b^2+c^2} > \frac{1}{2}$$

Range is $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right]$

19. Solution:

$$2\tan 2A = \frac{2\tan A}{1-\tan^2 A} + \frac{2\tan A}{1-\tan^2 A} \quad (\text{Since } \tan 2A = \frac{2\tan A}{1-\tan^2 A})$$

$$2\tan 2A = \frac{4\tan A}{1-\tan^2 A}$$

$$2\tan 2A = \frac{2(2\tan A)}{1-\tan^2 A} = \frac{2(2\tan A)}{1-\frac{\sin^2 A}{\cos^2 A}}$$

$$= \frac{2(2\tan A) \times \cos^2 A}{\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A}$$

$$= \frac{2\left(2\frac{\sin A}{\cos A} \times \cos^2 A\right)}{\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A}$$

$$= \frac{2(2\sin A \times \cos A)}{\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A}$$

$$= \frac{2(\sin 2A)}{\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A} = RHS \text{ (Hence proved)}$$

20. Solution:

The members of the committee may be of the following three types

- (a) 1 Indian, 1 European, and 2 Americans
- (b) 1 Indian, 2 European, and 1 Americans
- (c) 2 Indian, 1 European, and 1 Americans

$$\text{The number of selections of first type} = {}^6C_1 \times {}^3C_1 \times {}^4C_2 = 108$$

$$\text{The number of selections of second type} = {}^6C_1 \times {}^3C_2 \times {}^4C_1 = 72$$

$$\text{The number of selections of third type} = {}^6C_2 \times {}^3C_1 \times {}^4C_1 = 180$$

$$\text{The required number of committees} = 108 + 72 + 180 = 432$$

21. Solution:

Using Binomial Theorem

$${}^2_0C(100)^2 + {}^2_1C(100).2 + {}^2_2C(2)^2$$

$$= 10000 + 200 + 4 = 10204$$

$${}^3_0C(100)^3 + {}^3_1C(100)^2.2^1 + {}^3_2C(100)^1(2)^2 + {}^3_3C(8)^3$$

$$= 1000000 + 30000 + 300 + 512 = 1030812$$

$${}^4_0C(100)^4 + {}^4_1C(100)^3.1^1 + {}^4_2C(100)^2(1)^2 + {}^4_3C(100)^1(1)^3 + {}^4_4C(1)^4$$

$$= 100000000 + 4000000 + 60000 + 400 + 1 = 104060401$$

Hence, the answer is 105101417

22. Solution:

Slope of the base $x + y - 2 = 0$ is -1

Let m be the slope of the sides of the triangle

$$\text{Now, } \tan 60^\circ = \left| \frac{m+1}{1-m} \right|$$

$$\sqrt{3} = \pm \left(\frac{m+1}{1-m} \right)$$

$$\frac{m+1}{m-1} = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

$$\pm\sqrt{3}(m-1) = m+1$$

$$\pm\sqrt{3}m - (\pm\sqrt{3}) = m+1$$

$$\pm\sqrt{3}m - m = \pm\sqrt{3} + 1$$

$$m[\sqrt{3} - 1] = \sqrt{3} + 1$$

$$m = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{(\sqrt{3}+1)^2}{3-1^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{3+1+2\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{4+2\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{2(2+\sqrt{3})}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 2 \pm \sqrt{3}$$

The equation of the triangle is given below,

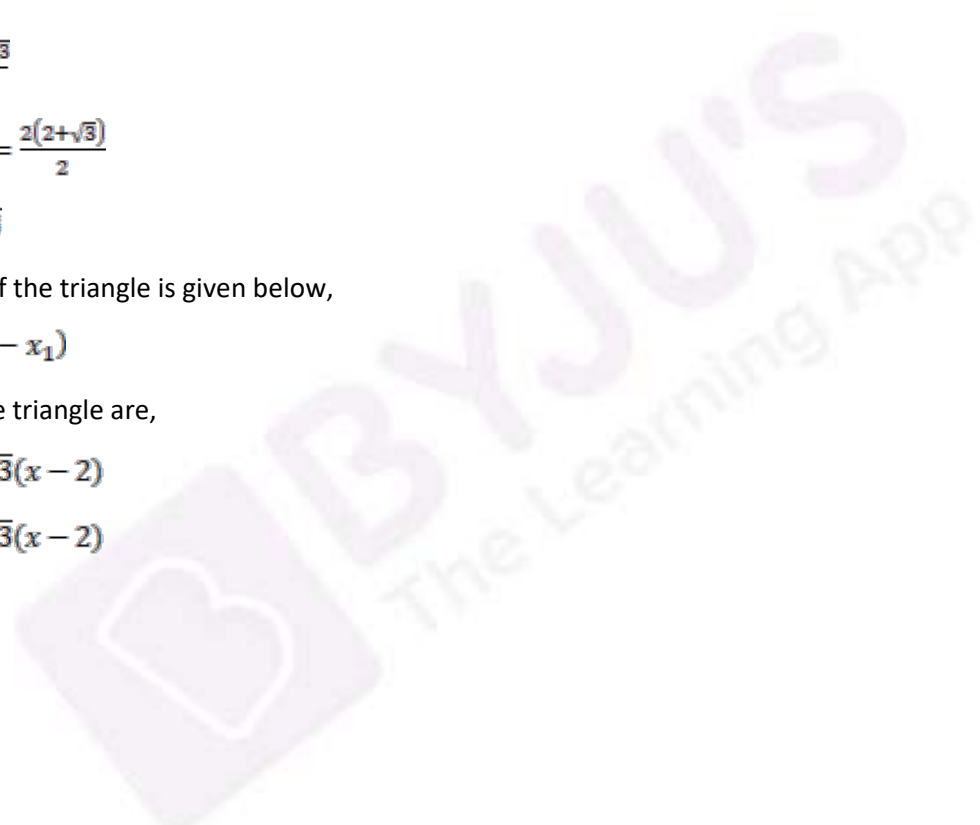
$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

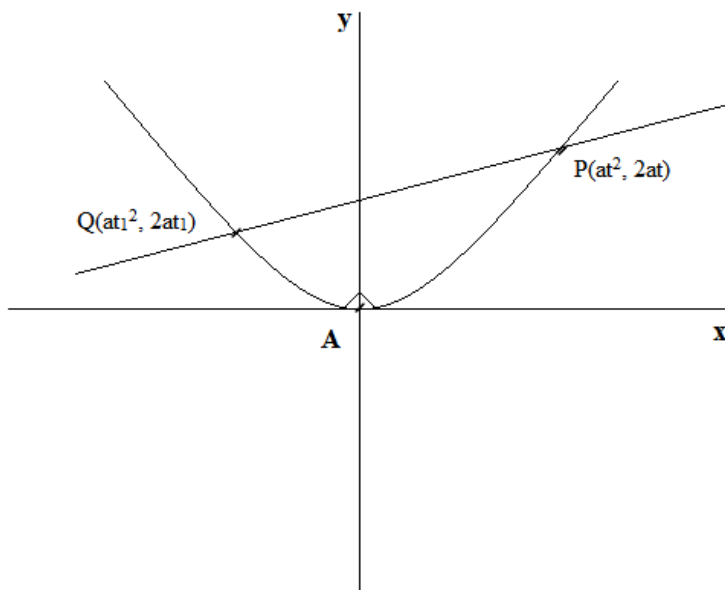
The sides of the triangle are,

$$y + 1 = 2 + \sqrt{3}(x - 2)$$

$$y + 1 = 2 - \sqrt{3}(x - 2)$$

23. Solution:





$$\therefore t_1 = -t - \frac{2}{t} = \frac{-(2+t^2)}{t}$$

Vertex of the parabola is A (0, 0)

Given angle $PAQ = 90^\circ$,

We know that,

Slope of AP \times *Slope of AQ* = -1

$$\left(\frac{2at}{at^2}\right) \left(\frac{2at_1}{at_1^2}\right) = -1$$

$$\left(\frac{2}{t}\right) \left(\frac{2}{t_1}\right) = -1$$

$$t \cdot t_1 = -4$$

$$t \left[\frac{-(2+t^2)}{t}\right] = -4$$

$$t^2 + 2 = 4, \quad t = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

24. Solution:

$$\left(X + \frac{1}{X}\right) \left(X + \frac{1}{X}\right) = \frac{X^4 + 2X^2 + 1}{X^2}$$

$$Y = \frac{X^4}{X^2} + \frac{2X^2}{X^2} + \frac{1}{X^2}$$

Hence differentiating

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(x^2) + \frac{d}{dx}(2) + \frac{d}{dx} \cdot \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - \frac{2}{x^3} \text{ is the derivative of } F(X) = \left(X + \frac{1}{X}\right)^2$$

25. Solution:

Let A_1, A_2, A_3 be the events of selecting Bag-1, Bag-2, Bag-3 respectively.

Then,

$$P(A_1) = P(A_3) = P(A_2) = \frac{1}{3}$$

Let E be the event of drawing a white ball from the selected bag.

$$P\left(\frac{E}{A_1}\right) = \frac{1}{3}; P\left(\frac{E}{A_2}\right) = \frac{2}{5}; P\left(\frac{E}{A_3}\right) = \frac{3}{5}$$

Applying Baye's theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(\frac{A_3}{E}\right) &= \frac{P(A_3) \cdot P\left(\frac{E}{A_3}\right)}{P(A_1) \cdot P\left(\frac{E}{A_1}\right) + P(A_2) \cdot P\left(\frac{E}{A_2}\right) + P(A_3) \cdot P\left(\frac{E}{A_3}\right)} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{3}{5}}{\left(\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{3}{5}\right)} \\ &= \frac{\frac{3}{15}}{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{2}{15} + \frac{3}{15}} \\ \Rightarrow P\left(\frac{A_3}{E}\right) &= \frac{9}{20} \end{aligned}$$

26. Solution:

i) The number of times Aman got more than 60% is 4 (72, 69, 91, 89). Hence the Probability will be

$$P(i) = \frac{4}{5} = 0.8$$

ii) The number of times both Aman and Ruhi got more than 80% is (91, 89, 91, 89, 82). Hence the

Probability will be $P(i) = \frac{5}{10} = 0.8$

iii) The number of times Ruhi got more than 90% is 4 (91). Hence the Probability will be $P(i) = \frac{1}{5} = 0.2$

SECTION-D

27. Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}f(A) &= \frac{1 - \sin 2A + \cos 2A}{2 \cos 2A} \\&= \frac{(\cos A - \sin A)^2 + (\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A)}{2(\cos A - \sin A)(\cos A + \sin A)} \\&= \frac{\cos A}{\cos A + \sin A} \\f(A) &= \frac{1}{1 + \tan A} \\f(11^\circ) \cdot f(34^\circ) &= \frac{1}{(1 + \tan 11)} \times \frac{1}{(1 + \tan 34)} \\&= \frac{1}{(1 + \tan 11)} \times \frac{1}{(1 + \tan(45 - 11))} \\&= \frac{1}{(1 + \tan 11)} \times \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1 - \tan 11}{1 + \tan 11}\right)} \\&= \frac{1}{(1 + \tan 11)} \times \frac{(1 + \tan 11)}{2} \\f(11^\circ) \cdot f(34^\circ) &= \frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned}8f(11^\circ) \cdot f(34^\circ) &= 8 \times \frac{1}{2} \\&\Rightarrow 8f(11^\circ) \cdot f(34^\circ) = 4\end{aligned}$$

28. Solution:

$$\text{Let, } (1 + i)^{2n} + (1 - i)^{2n} = 2^{n+1} \cos\left(n \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

Now LHS equals to,

$$\begin{aligned}(1 + i)^{2n} + (1 - i)^{2n} &= \left[\sqrt{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + i \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\right]^{2n} + \left[\sqrt{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - i \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\right]^{2n} \\&= \sqrt{2}^{2n} \left[\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + i \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\right]^{2n} + \sqrt{2}^{2n} \left[\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - i \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\right]^{2n} \\&= 2^n \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^{2n} + 2^n \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^{2n} \\&= 2^n \left(\cos \frac{2n\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{2n\pi}{4}\right) + 2^n \left(\cos \frac{2n\pi}{4} - i \sin \frac{2n\pi}{4}\right)\end{aligned}$$

$$= 2^n \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - i \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \right)$$

$$\therefore (1+i)^{2n} + (1-i)^{2n} = 2^n \cdot 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} = 2^{n+1} \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} = \text{RHS}$$

29. Solution:

$$C_0 + \frac{3}{2} \cdot C_1 + \frac{9}{3} \cdot C_2 + \frac{27}{4} \cdot C_3 + \dots + \frac{3^n}{n+1} \cdot C_n = 1 + \frac{3}{2} \cdot n + \frac{9}{3} \cdot \frac{n(n-1)}{2!} + \frac{27}{4} \cdot \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{3!} + \dots + \frac{3^n}{n+1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3^{(n+1)}} \left[3(n+1) + \frac{3^2}{2} \cdot \frac{(n+1)n}{1!} + \frac{3^3}{3} \cdot \frac{(n+1)n(n-1)}{2!} + \dots + 3^{n+1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3^{(n+1)}} \left[\frac{(n+1)}{0!} + \frac{(n+1)}{1!} \cdot 3 + \frac{(n+1)n}{2!} \cdot 3^2 + \frac{(n+1)n(n-1)}{3!} \cdot 3^3 + \dots + 3^{n+1} - \frac{(n+1)}{0!} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3^{(n+1)}} \left[(n+1)C_0 + (n+1)C_1 \cdot 3 + (n+1)C_2 \cdot 3^2 + \dots + (n+1)C_{(n+1)} \cdot 3^{n+1} - 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3^{(n+1)}} \left[(1+3)^{n+1} - 1 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow C_0 + \frac{3}{2} \cdot C_1 + \frac{9}{3} \cdot C_2 + \frac{27}{4} \cdot C_3 + \dots + \frac{3^n}{n+1} \cdot C_n = \frac{4^{n+1} - 1}{3^{(n+1)}}$$

30. Solution:

Let \vec{n}_1, \vec{n}_2 be normal vectors to sides OPQ, PQR and θ is the angle between two sides.

$$\vec{n}_1 = \vec{OP} \times \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$$

$$\therefore (\vec{PQ} = \vec{OQ} - \vec{OP})$$

$$\therefore (\vec{PR} = \vec{OR} - \vec{OP})$$

$$\vec{n}_2 = \vec{PQ} \times \vec{PR} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -1 & 2 & -5 \\ 1 & 5 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 21\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} - 7\vec{k}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{|\vec{n}_1 \cdot \vec{n}_2|}{|\vec{n}_1| |\vec{n}_2|} = \frac{(-\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}) \cdot (21\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} - 7\vec{k})}{7\sqrt{1+49+9} \cdot \sqrt{9+1+1}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{649}}$$

$$\therefore \text{Angle between two faces} = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{649}} \right)$$