

PART (A) : PHYSICS

ANSWER KEY

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|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| 1. (B) | 2. (C) | 3. (D) | 4. (C) | 5. (A) |
| 6. (A) | 7. (B) | 8. (AC) | 9. (ACD) | 10. (AD) |
| 11. (AD) | 12. (AC) | 13. (10.00) | 14. (2.80) | 15. (4.24) |
| 16. (32.00) | 17. (1.00) | 18. (2.5) | | |

SOLUTIONS

1. (B)

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & a & c \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ c & c & b \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -ac - ab + ac + c^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 = ab$$

Hence, c is the geometric mean of a and b.

2. (C)

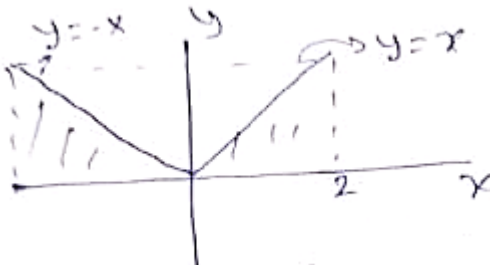
3. (D)

$$x_{cm} = \frac{m_1x_1 + m_2x_2 + m_3x_3}{m_1 + m_2 + m_3}$$

$$y_{cm} = \frac{m_1y_1 + m_2y_2 + m_2y_3}{m_1 + m_2 + m_3}$$

Using this 0.9 cm right and 2.0 cm above 1 kg mass

4. (C)



Area under graph is 4 unit.

5. (A)

6. (A)

$$AC = \frac{1}{2} g \sin(\theta + 55^\circ) t^2$$

$$AB = \frac{1}{2} g \sin(74^\circ - \theta) t^2$$

$$\frac{AC}{AB} = \frac{\sin 74^\circ}{\sin 55^\circ} = \frac{\sin(\theta + 55^\circ)}{\sin(74^\circ - \theta)}$$

So, $\theta = 74^\circ - 55^\circ = 19^\circ$

7. (B)

Basic concept of magnification

8. (AC)

$$V_{\text{net}} = \sqrt{4^2 + 4^2 - 2 \times 4 \times 4 \times \cos 60^\circ}$$

$$= 4$$

& T = constant

9. (ACD)

10. (AD)

$$U = 15 + (x - 3)^2$$

$$U(5) = 19 \text{ \& } KE(5) = 50$$

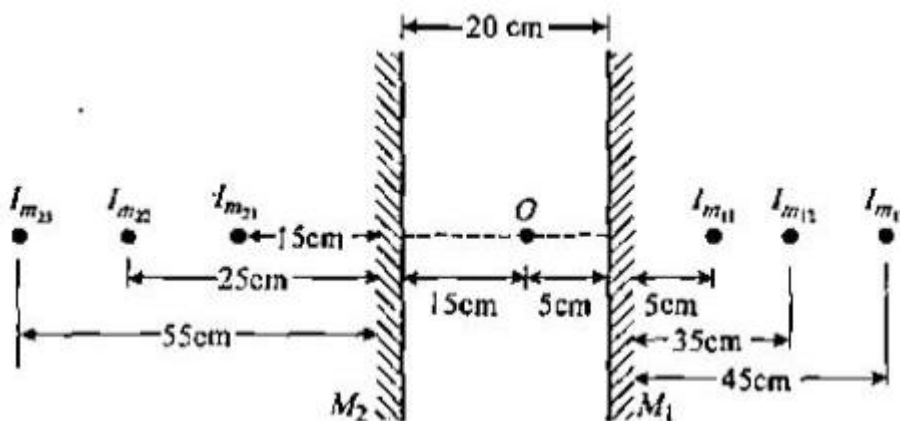
Total mechanical energy = 50 + 19 = 69 J

$$U \equiv U(x - 3) = 15 \text{ J}$$

$$KE_{\text{max.}} = 69 - U_{\text{min.}} = 69 - 15 = 54 \text{ J}$$

11. (AD)

First three images on M_1 are formed at distances 5 cm, 35 cm and 45 cm. First three images on M_2 are formatted at distances 15 cm, 25 cm and 55 cm.

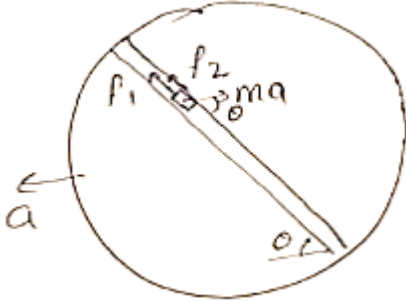


12. (AC)
Using energy conservation and circular motion

$$mg\left(\frac{R}{4} + R(1 - \cos\theta)\right) = mgR \cos\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\theta = \frac{5}{6}$$

13. (10.00)



With respect to disc along the groove

$$ma_{\text{net}} = ma \cos\theta - f_1 - f_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{\text{net}} = 10.00 \text{ m/s}$$

14. (2.80)
Friction will not reach upto its maximum limit. So blocks will not accelerates.

$$2mg \sin 45^\circ - T - f_1 = 2ma \quad \dots(1)$$

$$T - mg \sin 45^\circ - f_2 = ma \quad \dots(2)$$

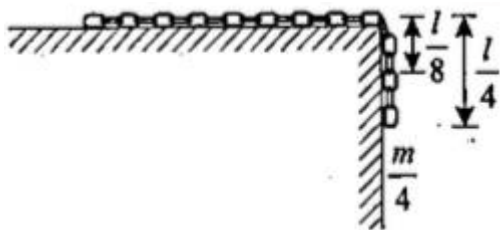
Solving it carefully

$$T = \frac{4mg}{3\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} = 2\sqrt{2} \text{ N}$$

Close to 2.80 N.

15. (4.24)

16. (32.00)



$$w = \frac{mg}{4} \left(\frac{l}{8}\right) = \frac{1}{32} mgl$$

17. (1.00)

18. (2.5)

PART (B) : CHEMISTRY

ANSWER KEY

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| 19. (B) | 20. (C) | 21. (C) | 22. (A) | 23. (B) |
| 24. (D) | 25. (AB) | 26. (ACD) | 27. (ABC) | 28. (ABD) |
| 29. (ABC) | 30. (BCD) | 31. (7.00) | 32. (2.00) | 33. (1.00) |
| 34. (5.00) | 35. (8.00) | 36. (4) | | |

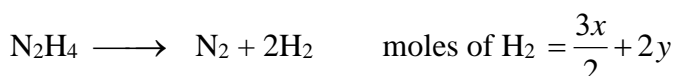
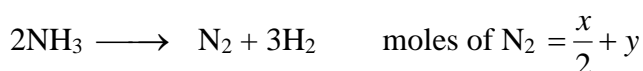
SOLUTIONS

19. (B)
Gas cools on adiabatic expansion

20. (C)

$$\begin{matrix} \text{NH}_3 & \text{N}_2\text{H}_4 & 0.75 \times V = (x+y)R300 \\ x \text{ moles} & y \text{ moles} & \end{matrix}$$

At T = 1200 K



$$8.25 \times V = (2x + 3y)R \times 1200$$

$$0.75 \times V = (x + y)R \times 300$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{825}{75} = 4 \times \frac{2x + 3y}{x + y}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{11}{4} = \frac{2x + 3y}{x + y} \Rightarrow 11x + 11y = 8x + 12y$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 3x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \% \text{N}_2\text{H}_4 &= \frac{y}{y+x} \times 100 = \frac{3x}{4x} \times 100 \\ &= 75\% \end{aligned}$$

21. (C)

22. (A)

$$\text{PM} = dZRT \Rightarrow Z = \frac{\text{PM}}{dRT}$$

$$Z = \frac{1 \times 30}{0.4 \times 0.821 \times 773} > 1$$

∴ repulsive forces dominant

23. (B)
Back bonding in :N(SiH₃)₃
24. (D)
25. (AB)
26. (ACD)
B → non bonding molecular orbital.

27. (ABC)
Conceptual.

28. (ABD)

$$W_{AB} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{P}{2} \times V + \frac{P}{2} \times V = \frac{3pV}{4} = 00.75 PV$$

Along the isotherm $W = PV \ln 2 = 0.693 PV$

$$\frac{P - P_0}{V - V_0} = \frac{P_0}{2 \times (V_0)} = -\frac{P_0}{2V_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2PV_0 - P_0 2V_0 = -P_0 V + P_0 V_0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2V_0 \frac{RT}{V} = -P_0 V + 3P_0 V_0$$

$$\Rightarrow RTV_0 = -P_0 V^2 + 3P_0 V_0 V$$

$$2RV_0 \left(\frac{dT}{dV} \right) = 3P_0 V_0 - P_0 2V = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3P_0 V_0 = 2P_0 V$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{at } V = \frac{3V_0}{2} \text{ (T is maximum)}$$

$$\frac{d^2T}{dV^2} \text{ is -ve.}$$

29. (ABC)
Conceptual

30. (BCD)
Factual

31. (7.00)

32. (2.00)

$$Z = 1 + \frac{1}{RT} \left(b - \frac{a}{RT} \right) P + \frac{a}{(RT)^3} \left(2b - \frac{a}{RT} \right) P^2 + (\text{other terms})$$

$$\frac{\partial Z}{\partial P} = \frac{1}{RT} \left(b - \frac{a}{RT} \right) + \frac{a}{(RT)^3} \left(2b - \frac{a}{RT} \right) 2P + \text{other terms of } P$$

$$\lim_{P \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial Z}{\partial P} = \frac{1}{RT} \left(b - \frac{a}{RT} \right)$$

The expression $\frac{1}{RT} \left(b - \frac{a}{RT} \right)$ is maximum

$$y = \frac{1}{RT} \left(b - \frac{a}{RT} \right)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dT} = -\frac{b}{RT^2} - \frac{a}{R^2} \left(-\frac{2}{T^3} \right) = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dT} = 0 \text{ at } T = \frac{2a}{Rb}$$

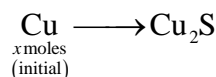
33. (1.00)

34. (5.00)

$$\frac{3072/2}{20/32} = \left(\frac{240/2}{1600/32} \right) \left(\frac{32}{2} \right)^{\frac{n-1}{2}}$$

$\Rightarrow n = 6$, effusion steps = 5

35. (8.00)



Let y moles get converted into Cu_2S

$$\therefore \frac{y}{x} \times 100 = 31.75$$

Gain in wt. of copper = Final wt. – Initial wt.

$$= \frac{y}{2} \times M_{\text{Cu}_2\text{S}} + (x - y)M_{\text{Cu}} - xM_{\text{Cu}}$$

$$= y \left[\frac{159}{2} - 63.5 \right] = 16y$$

$$\% \text{ gain in wt.} = \frac{16y}{x \times 63.5} \times 100 = 8$$

36. (4)

PART (C) : MATHEMATICS

ANSWER KEY

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| 37. (B) | 38. (D) | 39. (B) | 40. (A) | 41. (C) |
| 42. (B) | 43. (AC) | 44. (ABCD) | 45. (A) | 46. (ABC) |
| 47. (B) | 48. (BC) | 49. (240.00) | 50. (10.00) | 51. (4.00) |
| 52. (1.00) | 53. (5.00) | 54. (2.00) | | |

SOLUTIONS

37. (B)
We can write the given equation
 $(x - 3a)^2 = 2a - 2$
Note the $a \geq 1$ and

$$x = 3a \pm \sqrt{2a - 2}$$

Both the roots will exceed 3 if smaller of the two roots exceed 3, that is, if

$$3a - \sqrt{2a - 2} > 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(a - 1) > \sqrt{2} \sqrt{a - 1}$$

$$\therefore a > 1 \text{ and } \sqrt{a - 1} > \sqrt{2} / 3$$

$$\Rightarrow a > 1 + \frac{2}{9} = \frac{11}{9}$$

38. (D)
 $(2 + x)^{40} = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3 + \dots + a_{40}x^{40}$

$$A = a_0 + a_2 + a_4 + \dots + a_{40}$$

$$B = a_1 + a_3 + a_5 + \dots + a_{39}$$

Put $x = 1$ and $x = -1$ in given expression to get

$$3^{40} = a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \dots + a_{40}$$

$$\text{or } 3^{40} = A + B \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

$$\text{and } 1 = a_0 - a_1 + a_2 - a_3 + \dots$$

$$\text{or } 1 = A - B \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

From the equations (i) and (ii), we get

$$B = \left(\frac{3^{40} - 1}{2} \right)$$

39. (B)
 $T_5 = {}^n C_4 a^{n-4} (-2b)^4$

$$\text{and } T_6 = {}^n C_5 a^{n-5} (-2b)^5$$

As $T_5 + T_6 = 0$, we get

$${}^n C_4 2^4 a^{n-4} b^4 = {}^n C_5 2^5 a^{n-5} b^5$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^{n-4}b^4}{a^{n-5}b^5} = \frac{n!2^5}{5!(n-5)!} \cdot \frac{4!(n-4)!}{n!2^4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} = \frac{2(n-4)}{5}$$

40. (A)

Let the equation of the line through (1, 2) be $y - 2 = m(x - 1)$

If p denotes the length of the perpendicular from (3, 1) on this line, then

$$p = \left| \frac{2m+1}{\sqrt{m^2+1}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 = \frac{4m^2+4m+1}{m^2+1} = 4 + \frac{4m-3}{m^2+1} = s(\text{say}), \text{ then } p^2 \text{ is greatest if and only if } s \text{ is greatest}$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{ds}{dm} = \frac{(m^2+1)(4) - 2m(4m-3)}{(m^2+1)^2}$$

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

$$\frac{ds}{dm} = 0 \Rightarrow m = -1/2. \text{ Also } \frac{ds}{dm} < 0 \text{ if } m < -1/2$$

$$< 0 \text{ if } -1/2 < m < 2$$

$$< 0 \text{ if } m > 2$$

So, s is greatest for $m = 2$

And thus the equation of the required line is $y = 2x$.

Alternative Solutions:

Distance maximum when line is perpendicular to line joining of point A(1, 2) & B(3, 1)

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{-1}{m_{AB}}$$

$$\text{So slope is } m = \frac{-1}{\frac{2-1}{1-3}} = 2$$

Equation of line $y - 2 = 2(x - 1)$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2x$$

41. (C)

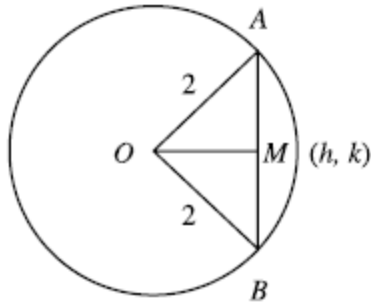
Let O be the centre of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, and let AB be a chord of this circle, so that $\angle AOB = \pi/2$. Let M(h, k) be the mid-point of AB. Then OM is perpendicular to AB.

$$\therefore (AB)^2 = (OA)^2 + (OB)^2 = 4 + 4 = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow AM = (1/2)AB = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (OM)^2 = (OA)^2 - (AM)^2 = 4 - 2 = 2 \Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = 2$$

Therefore, the locus of (h, k) is $x^2 + y^2 = 2$.



42. (B)

The given equation can be written as

$$1 - 2\sin^2 x + a \sin x = 2a - 7$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 x - a \sin x + 2a - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \frac{a \pm \sqrt{a^2 - 8(2a - 8)}}{4} = \frac{a \pm \sqrt{a^2 - 16a + 64}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{a \pm (a - 8)}{4}$$

Hence, $\sin x = (a - 4)/2$ (the other value is not possible as $|\sin x| \leq 1$). This value is possible only when

$$-1 \leq \frac{a - 4}{2} \leq 1 \text{ or } -2 \leq a - 4 \leq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \leq a \leq 6.$$

43. (A), (C)

If α is a common root of the two equations,

$$\alpha^2 + b\alpha + c = 0, \quad b\alpha^2 + c\alpha + 1 = 0$$

Multiply the first by b and subtracting we get

$$(b^2 - c)\alpha + bc - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1 - bc}{b^2 - c}$$

Thus,

$$(1 - bc)^2 + b(1 - bc)(b^2 - c) + c(b^2 - c)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b^3 + c^3 + 1 - 3bc = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (b + c + 1)(b^2 + c^2 + 1 - bc - b - c) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(b + c + 1)[(b - c)^2 + (b - 1)^2 + (c - 1)^2] = 0$$

44. (A), (B), (C), (D)

$\frac{1}{a}, \frac{1}{b}, \frac{1}{c}$ are in A.P.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a + b + c}{a}, \frac{a + b + c}{b}, \frac{a + b + c}{c} \text{ are in A.P.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b + c}{a}, \frac{c + a}{b}, \frac{a + b}{c} \text{ are in A.P.}$$

[subtracting 1 from each term]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b+c}{a} - 1, \frac{c+a}{b} - 1, \frac{a+b}{c} - 1 \text{ are in A.P.}$$

[subtracting 1 from each term]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b+c-a}{a} - 1, \frac{c+a-b}{b} - 1, \frac{a+b-c}{c} \text{ are in A.P.}$$

Also $b = 2ac/(a + c)$, so

$$\frac{1}{b-a} + \frac{1}{b-c} = \frac{2b-(a+c)}{(b-a)(b-c)} = \frac{2b-(a+c)}{b^2 - b(a+c) + ac}$$

$$\frac{2b-2ac/b}{b^2 - b(2ac)/b + ac} = \frac{2}{b} \cdot \frac{b^2 - ac}{b^2 - ac} = \frac{2}{b}$$

Lastly, $\left(a - \frac{b}{2}\right)\left(c - \frac{b}{2}\right) = ac - \frac{b}{2}(a+c) + \frac{b^2}{4}$

$$= ac - \frac{b}{2} \cdot \frac{2ac}{b} + \frac{b^2}{4} = \frac{b^2}{4}$$

$$\therefore a - \frac{b}{2}, \frac{b}{2}, c - \frac{b}{2} \text{ are in G.P.}$$

45. (A)

We are given

$${}^m C_0 + {}^m C_1 + {}^m C_2 = 46 \Rightarrow 2m + m(m-1) = 90$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 + m - 90 = 0 \Rightarrow m = 9 \text{ as } m > 0$$

Now, $(r + 1)$ th term of $\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^m$ is

$${}^m C_r (x^2)^{m-r} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^r = {}^m C_r x^{2m-3r}$$

For this to be independent of x is

$$2m - 3r = 0 \Rightarrow r = 6$$

$$\therefore \text{term independent of } x \text{ is } {}^9 C_6 = 84$$

46. (A), (B), (C)

The given equation can be written as

$$(2x + 3y - 5) \cos \theta + (3x - 5y + 2) \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\text{or } (2x + 3y - 5) + \tan \theta (3x - 5y + 2) = 0$$

This passes through the point of intersection of the lines $2x + 3y - 5 = 0$ and $3x - 5y + 2 = 0$ for all values of θ . The coordinates of the point P of intersection are (1, 1). Let Q(h, k) be the reflection of P(1, 1) in the line

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

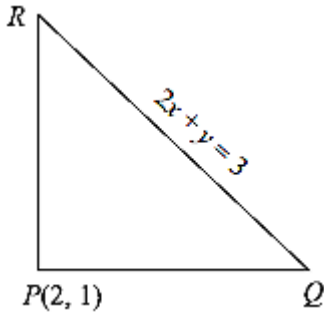
Then PQ is perpendicular to (1) and the mid-point of PQ lies on (1).

$$\therefore \frac{k-1}{h-1} = -1 \Rightarrow k = h$$

$$\text{And } \frac{h+1}{2} + \frac{k+1}{2} = \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow h = k = \sqrt{2} - 1$$

47. (B)
Let the slopes of PQ and PR be m and $-1/m$ respectively.
Since PQR is an isosceles triangle

$$|PQR| = |PRQ|$$



$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{m+2}{1-2m} \right| = \left| \frac{-\frac{1}{m} + 2}{1 + \frac{2}{m}} \right|$$

[\because slope of QR = -2]

$$\Rightarrow m + 2 = \pm(1 - 2m) \Rightarrow m = 3 \text{ or } -1/3$$

So the equations of PQ and PR are

$$(y - 1) = 3(x - 2) \text{ and } y - 1 = (-1/3)(x - 2)$$

Thus, joint equation representing PQ and PR is

$$\begin{aligned} & [3(x - 2) - (y - 1)][(x - 2) + 3(y - 1)] = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & 3(x - 2)^2 - 3(y - 1)^2 + 8(x - 2)(y - 1) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & 3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy - 20x - 10y + 25 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

48. (B), (C)

The given relation can be written as

$$(m + 2) \tan \theta + (2m - 1) = (2m + 1) \sec \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow (m + 2)^2 \tan^2 \theta + 2(m + 2)(2m - 1) \tan \theta + (2m - 1)^2 = (2m + 1)^2 (1 + \tan^2 \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow [(m + 2)^2 - (2m + 1)^2] \tan^2 \theta + 2(m + 2)(2m - 1) \tan \theta + (2m - 1)^2 - (2m + 1)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(1 - m^2) \tan^2 \theta + (4m^2 + 6m - 4) \tan \theta - 8m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3 \tan \theta - 4)[(1 - m^2) \tan \theta + 2m] = 0$$

Which is true if $\tan \theta = 4/3$ or $\tan \theta = 2m / (m^2 - 1)$.

49. (240.00)

$$M R T I \boxed{A U}$$

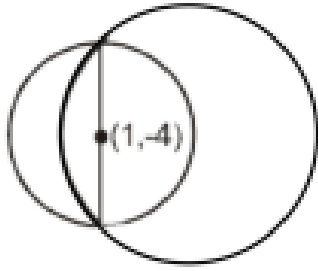
$$\text{No. of ways } ((5!))_2 = (120)(2) = 240$$

50. (10.00)

Common chord of given circle

$$6x + 4y + (p + q) = 0$$

This is diameter of $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 8y - q = 0$



Centre (1, -4)

$$6 - 16 + (p + q) = 0 \Rightarrow p + q = 10$$

51. (4.00)

$x = 1$ does not satisfy (1)

for $x \neq 1$, we get

$$\left(\frac{x^3 - 1}{x - 1}\right)\left(\frac{x^{11} - 1}{x - 1}\right) = \left(\frac{x^7 - 1}{x - 1}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{14} + x^3 + x^{11} + 1 = x^{14} - 2x^7 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{11} - 2x^7 + x^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^8 - 2x^4 + 1 = 0 \quad [\because x \neq 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^4 - 1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow x^4 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1$$

Thus, $x + 5 = 4$

52. (1.00)

Coefficient of x^6 in exp. of ${}^6C_0(1+x)^{12} - {}^6C_1(1+x)^{11} + {}^6C_2(1+x)^{10} - \dots + {}^6C_6(1+x)^6$

= coefficient of x^6 in exp. of $(1+x)^6 \left[{}^6C_0(1+x)^6 - {}^6C_1(1+x)^5 + {}^6C_2(1+x)^4 - \dots + {}^6C_6(1+x)^0 \right]$

= coefficient of x^6 in $x^6(1+x)^6$

= coefficient of x^0 in $(1+x)^6 = 1$

53. (5.00)

$$S = \sum_{r=1}^{25} [(3r - 2) + (3r - 1)(3r)]$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^{25} (9r^2 - 2)$$

$$= \frac{9}{6} (25)(26)(51) - 50$$

$$= 49675$$

$$S / 9935 = 5$$

54. (2.00)

All different letters $\rightarrow {}^5C_2 = 10$

2 same 1 different $(1)({}^4C_1) = 4$

No. of ways $14 \Rightarrow \frac{K}{7} = 2$