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Answer & Solutions

MATHEMATICS

1. Let $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ and $\vec{b} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ and $\vec{c} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$. There is a vector \vec{u} such that $\vec{u} \times \vec{a} = \vec{b} \times \vec{c}$ and $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{a} = 0$. find $25|\vec{u}|^2$
- A. 560
B. $\frac{925}{7}$
C. 446
D. 330

Answer (B)

Solution:

$$|\vec{u} \times \vec{a}|^2 + |\vec{u} \cdot \vec{a}|^2 = |\vec{u}|^2 |\vec{a}|^2$$

$$|\vec{b} \times \vec{c}|^2 + 0 = |\vec{u}|^2 \times 14$$

$$\vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\vec{b} \times \vec{c} = \hat{i}(-8) - \hat{j}(-1) + \hat{k}(3)$$

$$\vec{b} \times \vec{c} = -8\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$$

$$|\vec{b} \times \vec{c}| = \sqrt{74}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sqrt{74})^2 = |\vec{u}|^2 \times 14$$

$$\Rightarrow 25|\vec{u}|^2 = \frac{74}{14} \times 25$$

$$= \frac{925}{7}$$

2. The range of $y = \frac{x^2+2x+1}{x^2+8x+1}$ in the domain of function is :

A. $(-\infty, -\frac{2}{3}] \cup [2, \infty)$

B. $(-\infty, 0] \cup [\frac{2}{5}, \infty)$

C. $(-\infty, \infty)$

D. $(-\infty, -\frac{2}{5}] \cup [1, \infty)$

Answer (B)

Solution:

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2(y-1) + x(8y-2) + y-1 = 0, x \in R$$

$$\text{If } y \neq 1$$

$$D \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(4y-1)^2 - 4(y-1)(y-1) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4y-1)^2 - (y-1)^2 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4y-1 - (y-1))(4y-1 + (y-1)) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3y)(5y - 2) \geq 0$$

$$y \in (-\infty, 0] \cup \left[\frac{2}{5}, \infty\right) - \{1\}$$

$$\text{If } y = 1$$

$$6x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$\therefore y \in (-\infty, 0] \cup \left[\frac{2}{5}, \infty\right)$$

3. If $a, b \in I$ and relation R_1 is defined as $a^2 - b^2 \in I$ and relation R_2 is defined as $2 + \frac{a}{b} > 0$, then:

- A. R_1 is symmetric but R_2 is not
- B. R_2 is symmetric but R_1 is not
- C. R_1 and R_2 are both symmetric
- D. R_1 and R_2 are both transitive

Answer (A)

Solution:

$$R_1 \rightarrow a^2 - b^2 \in I$$

$$\text{As } a, b \in Z \text{ if } a^2 - b^2 \in Z \text{ then } b^2 - a^2 \in Z$$

$$\text{Also } a^2 - b^2 \in Z \text{ \& } b^2 - c^2 \in Z \Rightarrow a^2 - c^2 \in Z$$

$\therefore R_1$ is symmetric as well as transitive.

$$R_2 \rightarrow 2 + \frac{a}{b} > 0$$

$$\text{Let } a = -1 \text{ and } b = 10$$

$$\text{So, for } (a, b) \in R_2 \Rightarrow 2 + \frac{a}{b} > 0$$

$$\text{Now, for } (b, a) \in R_2 \Rightarrow 2 + \frac{b}{a} = 2 - 10 < 0$$

$$2 + \frac{b}{a} \notin R_2 \Rightarrow R_2 \text{ is NOT symmetric.}$$

4. If $\int \frac{x dx}{\sqrt{x^2+x+2}} = Af(x) + Bg(x) + C$ where C is constant of integration, then $A + 2B$ is equal to:

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

Answer (B)

Solution:

$$\text{Let } x = \alpha(2x + 1) + \beta$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2}, \beta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x dx}{\sqrt{x^2+x+2}} &= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{x^2+x+2}} dx - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2+x+2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 2\sqrt{x^2+x+2} - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{\left(x+\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{7}{4}}} dx + C \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sqrt{x^2+x+2} - \frac{1}{2} \ln \left| x + \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{x^2+x+2} \right| + C$$

$$I = Af(x) + Bg(x) + C$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 1, B = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore A + 2B = 0$$

5. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\sqrt{3x^2+1} + \sqrt{3x^2-1})^6}{(x+\sqrt{x^2-1})^6 + (x-\sqrt{x^2-1})^6}$ is equal to:

A. 27

B. $\frac{27}{2}$

C. 18

D. 6

Answer (A)

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\sqrt{3x^2+1} + \sqrt{3x^2-1})^6}{(x+\sqrt{x^2-1})^6 + (x-\sqrt{x^2-1})^6} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^6 \left(\sqrt{3 + \frac{1}{x^2}} + \sqrt{3 - \frac{1}{x^2}} \right)^6}{x^6 \left[\left(1 + \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{x^2}} \right)^6 + \left(1 - \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{x^2}} \right)^6 \right]} \\ &= \frac{(\sqrt{3} + \sqrt{3})^6}{(1 + \sqrt{1})^6 + (1 - \sqrt{1})^6} \\ &= \frac{(2\sqrt{3})^6}{2^6} \\ &= (\sqrt{3})^6 \\ &= 27 \end{aligned}$$

6. Foot of perpendicular from origin to a plane which cuts the coordinate axes at A, B, C is $(2,0,4)$. Volume of tetrahedron $OABC$ is 144 m^3 . Which of the following point does not lie on plane?

A. $(2,2,4)$

B. $(0,3,4)$

C. $(1,1,5)$

D. $(5,5,1)$

Answer (B)

Solution:

Equation of required plane :

$$2(x - 2) + a(y - a) + 4(z - 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + ay + 4z = 20 + a^2$$

$$A \left(10 + \frac{a^2}{2}, 0, 0 \right), B \left(0, \frac{20+a^2}{a}, 0 \right), C \left(0, 0, \frac{20+a^2}{4} \right)$$

$$\text{Volume of tetrahedron } \frac{1}{6} [\vec{a} \ \vec{b} \ \vec{c}] = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{6} \left(\frac{20+a^2}{2} \right) \left(\frac{20+a^2}{a} \right) \left(\frac{20+a^2}{4} \right) = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow (20 + a^2)^3 = 144 \times 48a$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2$$

$$\therefore \text{equation of plane : } 2x + 2y + 4z = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y + 2z = 12$$

$(0,3,4)$ does not lie on the plane.

7. If $z = \frac{i-1}{\sin\frac{\pi}{6} + i \cos\frac{\pi}{6}}$, then z is:

- A. $\sqrt{2} \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{12} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{12} \right)$
- B. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos \frac{5\pi}{12} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{12} \right)$
- C. $\sqrt{2} \left(\cos \frac{5\pi}{12} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{12} \right)$
- D. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{12} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{12} \right)$

Answer (C)

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \frac{i-1}{\sin\frac{\pi}{6} + i \cos\frac{\pi}{6}} \\ &= \frac{i-1}{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}} \\ &= \frac{2(i-1)}{(1+i\sqrt{3})} \times \frac{(1-i\sqrt{3})}{(1-i\sqrt{3})} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{3}-1) + \frac{i}{2}(\sqrt{3}+1) \\ \therefore \text{Arg}(z) &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1} \right) = \frac{5\pi}{12} \\ |z| &= \sqrt{2} \\ z &= \sqrt{2} \left(\cos \frac{5\pi}{12} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{12} \right) \end{aligned}$$

8. Given that $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$, the largest interval of values of θ which satisfy the inequation $\sin^{-1} \sin \theta - \cos^{-1} \sin \theta \geq 0$ is:

- A. $\left[\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4} \right]$
- B. $\left[\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$
- C. $[0, \pi]$
- D. $\left[\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{4} \right]$

Answer (A)

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^{-1} \sin \theta - \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1} \sin \theta \right) &\geq 0 \\ \Rightarrow \sin^{-1} \sin \theta &\geq \frac{\pi}{4} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} &\leq \sin \theta \leq 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4} &\leq \theta \leq \frac{3\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

9. If $((p \wedge q) \Rightarrow (r \vee q)) \wedge ((p \wedge r) \Rightarrow q)$ is tautology, where $r \in \{p, q, \sim p, \sim q\}$, then the number of values of r is

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4

Answer (B)

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} & ((p \wedge q) \Rightarrow (r \vee q)) \wedge ((p \wedge r) \Rightarrow q) \\ & \Rightarrow ((\sim p \vee \sim q) \vee (r \vee q)) \wedge (\sim p \vee \sim r \vee q) \\ & \Rightarrow (\sim p \vee r \vee (q \vee \sim q)) \wedge (\sim p \vee \sim r \vee q) \\ & \Rightarrow T \wedge (\sim p \vee \sim r \vee q) \\ & \Rightarrow (\sim p \vee \sim r \vee q) \end{aligned}$$

For the above statements to be tautology

r can be $\sim p$ or q

\therefore Two values of r is possible.

10. If $|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{31}$, $4|\vec{b}| = |\vec{c}| = 2$, Given that $2(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) = 3(\vec{c} \times \vec{a})$ and angle between \vec{b} and \vec{c} is $\frac{2\pi}{3}$, then find $\frac{|\vec{a} \times \vec{c}|}{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}$

- A. 3
- B. $-\sqrt{3}$
- C. 1
- D. -3

Answer (B)

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} 2(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) &= 3(\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \\ 2(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) - 3(\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) &= 0 \\ 2(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) + 3(\vec{a} \times \vec{c}) &= 0 \\ \vec{a} \times (2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \vec{a} &= \lambda(2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}) \\ \Rightarrow |\vec{a}|^2 &= \lambda^2 (4|\vec{b}|^2 + 9|\vec{c}|^2 + 12\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c}) \\ \Rightarrow 31 &= 31\lambda^2 \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm 1 \\ \Rightarrow \vec{a} &= \pm(2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}) \\ |\vec{b} \times \vec{c}|^2 &= |\vec{b}|^2 |\vec{c}|^2 - (\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c})^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \times 4 - \left(1 \times \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\right)^2 \\ |\vec{b} \times \vec{c}|^2 &= 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4} \\ |\vec{b} \times \vec{c}| &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{|\vec{a} \times \vec{c}|}{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}} &= \frac{|(2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}) \times \vec{c}|}{(2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}) \cdot \vec{b}} \\ \frac{|\vec{a} \times \vec{c}|}{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}} &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\frac{1}{2} + 3 \times 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{|\vec{a} \times \vec{c}|}{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}} &= -\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

11. Number of 7 digit odd no's formed using 7 digits 1, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3, 5 will be:

- A. 80
- B. 420
- C. 240
- D. 140

Answer (C)

Solution:

Even number formed

— — — — — 2

$$\text{Number of ways} = \frac{6!}{2!2!} = 180$$

$$\text{Total number of ways} = \frac{7!}{3!2!} = \frac{7 \cdot 20 \cdot 7}{12} = 420$$

$$\text{Odd numbers} = 420 - 180 = 240$$

12. The minimum value of the function $f(x) = |x^2 - x + 1| + [x^2 - x + 1]$ where $[.]$ denotes greatest integer function, is:

- A. $\frac{3}{4}$
- B. $\frac{5}{4}$
- C. $\frac{1}{4}$
- D. 0

Answer (A)

Solution:

$$g(x) = x^2 - x + 1$$

$$= x^2 - 2 \cdot x \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} + 1$$

$$= \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}$$

$g(x)$ attains minimum value when $x = \frac{1}{2}$

So $f(x)$ is minimum when $x = \frac{1}{2}$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{4} + 0$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

13. The foci and eccentricity of a hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ are $(\pm 4, 0)$ and $\sqrt{3}$ respectively. Then the length of latus rectum of the hyperbola is:

- A. 8
- B. $\frac{16}{\sqrt{3}}$
- C. 4
- D. $2\sqrt{3}$

Answer (B)

Solution:

$$ae = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Length of LR} = \frac{2b^2}{a}$$

$$= \frac{2}{a} a^2 (e^2 - 1)$$

$$= 2a(e^2 - 1)$$

$$= \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}}(3 - 1)$$

$$= \frac{16}{\sqrt{3}}$$

14. If $[\alpha \beta \gamma] \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 & 8 \\ 6 & 3 & 8 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = [0 \ 0 \ 0]$ where (α, β, γ) be a point on $2x + 5y + 3z = 5$, then $6\alpha + 5\beta + 9\gamma$ is equal to:

A. 20

B. $\frac{20}{3}$

C. 21

D. 7

Answer (B)

Solution:

$$5\alpha + 6\beta - \gamma = 0$$

$$6\alpha + 3\beta + 3\gamma = 0$$

$$8\alpha + 8\beta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = -\beta \text{ \& } \beta = \gamma$$

$$\text{Let } \alpha = k, \beta = -k, \gamma = -k$$

$$(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) \text{ lie on } 2x + 5y + 3z = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(k) + 5(-k) + 3(-k) = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow k = -\frac{5}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = -\frac{5}{6}, \beta = \frac{5}{6}, \gamma = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$\therefore 6\alpha + 5\beta + 9\gamma = -5 + \frac{25}{6} + \frac{45}{6} = \frac{20}{3}$$

15. Coefficient of x^{-6} in expansion of $\left(\frac{4x}{5} - \frac{5}{2x^2}\right)^9$ is:

Answer (-5040)

Solution:

$$T_{r+1} = {}^9C_r \left(\frac{4x}{5}\right)^{9-r} \left(-\frac{5}{2x^2}\right)^r$$

$$\Rightarrow T_{r+1} = {}^9C_r \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{9-r} \left(-\frac{5}{2}\right)^r x^{9-r-2r}$$

$$\text{For coefficient of } x^{-6}: 9 - r - 2r = -6$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 5$$

$$\therefore \text{Coefficient of } x^{-6} = {}^9C_5 \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^4 \left(-\frac{5}{2}\right)^5$$

$$= \frac{9!}{5!4!} \times \frac{4^4}{5^4} \times \frac{(-5)^5}{2^5}$$

$$= -5040$$

16. The value of sum $1 \cdot 1^2 - 2 \cdot 3^2 + 3 \cdot 5^2 - 4 \cdot 7^2 + \dots + 15 \cdot (29)^2$ is _____.

Answer (6952)

Solution:

$$S = 1 \cdot 1^2 - 2 \cdot 3^2 + 3 \cdot 5^2 - 4 \cdot 7^2 + \dots + 15 \cdot (29)^2$$

$$S = 1 \cdot 1^2 + 2 \cdot 3^2 + 3 \cdot 5^2 + 4 \cdot 7^2 + \dots + 15 \cdot (29)^2 - 2(2 \cdot 3^2 + 4 \cdot 7^2 + \dots + 14 \cdot (27)^2)$$

$$S = \sum_{n=1}^{15} n(2n-1)^2 - 2 \sum_{n=1}^7 (2n)(4n-1)^2$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{15} (4n^3 - 4n^2 + n) - 4 \sum_{n=1}^7 (16n^3 - 8n^2 + n)$$

$$= \left[4 \times \left(\frac{15 \times 16}{2} \right)^2 - 4 \times \frac{(15)(16)(31)}{6} + \frac{15 \times (16)}{2} \right] - \left[64 \times \left(\frac{7 \times 8}{2} \right)^2 - 32 \times \frac{7(8)(15)}{6} + 4 \times \frac{7(8)}{2} \right]$$

$$= (4(14400) - 4(1240) + 120) - (64(28)^2 - 140(32) + 112)$$

$$= 52760 - 45808 = 6952$$

17. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ be a 2×2 matrix such that $a, b, c, d \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$. The number of matrices A such that sum of elements of A is a prime number lying between 2 and 13 is _____.

Answer (204)

Solution:

As given $a + b + c + d = 3$ or 5 or 7 or 11

If $a + b + c + d = 3$

x^3 coefficient in $(1 + x + x^2 + \dots + x^4)^4$

x^3 coefficient in $(1 - x^5)^4(1 - x)^{-4}$

$$= {}^{4+3-1}C_3 = {}^6C_3 = 20 \quad [\because x^r \text{ coefficient in } (1 - x)^{-n} = {}^{n+r-1}C_r]$$

If $a + b + c + d = 5$

$$x^5 \text{ coefficient in } (1 - x^5)^4(1 - x)^{-4} = (1 - 4x^5 + \dots)(1 - x)^{-4} = {}^{4+5-1}C_5 - 4^{4+0-1}C_0 = {}^8C_5 - 4 = 52$$

If $a + b + c + d = 7$

$$x^7 \text{ coefficient in } (1 - 4x^5)^4(1 - x)^{-4} = (1 - 4x^5 + \dots)(1 - x)^{-4}$$

$$= {}^{4+7-1}C_7 - 4 \cdot {}^{4+2-1}C_2 = {}^{10}C_7 - 4 \cdot {}^5C_2 = 80$$

If $a + b + c + d = 11$

$$x^{11} \text{ coefficient in } (1 - x^5)^4(1 - x)^{-4} = (1 - 4x^5 + 6x^{10})(1 - x)^{-4}$$

$$= {}^{4+11-1}C_{11} - 4 \cdot {}^{4+6-1}C_6 + 6 \cdot {}^{4+1-1}C_1$$

$$= {}^{14}C_{11} - 4 \cdot {}^9C_6 + 6 \cdot 4 = 364 - 336 + 24 = 52$$

$$\text{Total matrices} = 20 + 52 + 80 + 52 = 204$$

18. If $\frac{{}^{2n+1}P_{n-1}}{{}^{2n-1}P_n} = \frac{11}{21}$, then $n^2 + n + 15$ equals _____.

Answer (45)

Solution:

$$\frac{{}^{2n+1}P_{n-1}}{{}^{2n-1}P_n} = \frac{11}{21}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(2n+1)!(n-1)!}{(n+2)!(2n-1)!} = \frac{11}{21}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(2n+1)(2n)}{(n+2)(n+1)n} = \frac{11}{21}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2(2n+1)}{(n+1)(n+2)} = \frac{11}{21}$$

$$\Rightarrow 84n + 42 = 11n^2 + 33n + 22$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\Rightarrow 11n^2 - 51n - 20 = 0 \\
&\Rightarrow 11n^2 - 55n + 4n - 20 = 0 \\
&\Rightarrow (11n + 4)(n - 5) = 0 \\
&\Rightarrow n = 5 \text{ or } n = -\frac{4}{11} \text{ (not possible)} \\
&\Rightarrow n = 5 \\
&\Rightarrow n^2 + n + 15 = 25 + 5 + 15 = 45
\end{aligned}$$

19. $\int_0^\alpha \frac{x}{\sqrt{x+\alpha}-\sqrt{x}} dx = \frac{16+20\sqrt{2}}{15}$ then α is equal to _____.

Answer (2)

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^\alpha \frac{x}{\sqrt{x+\alpha}-\sqrt{x}} dx &= \int_0^\alpha \frac{1}{\alpha} \left[(x+\alpha)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \alpha(x+x)^{\frac{1}{2}} + x^{\frac{3}{2}} \right] dx \\
&= \frac{1}{\alpha} \left[\frac{2}{5} (x+\alpha)^{\frac{5}{2}} - \alpha \frac{2}{3} (x+\alpha)^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{2}{5} x^{\frac{5}{2}} \right]_0^\alpha \\
&= \frac{1}{\alpha} \left[\frac{2}{5} \cdot (2\alpha)^{\frac{5}{2}} - \frac{2\alpha}{3} (2\alpha)^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{2}{5} \alpha^{\frac{5}{2}} - \frac{2}{5} \alpha^{\frac{5}{2}} + \frac{2}{3} \alpha^{\frac{5}{2}} \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{\alpha} \left(\frac{2^{\frac{7}{2}} \alpha^{\frac{5}{2}}}{5} - \frac{2^{\frac{5}{2}} \alpha^{\frac{5}{2}}}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \alpha^{\frac{5}{2}} \right) \\
&= \alpha^{\frac{3}{2}} \left(\frac{2^{\frac{7}{2}}}{5} - \frac{2^{\frac{5}{2}}}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \right) \\
&= \frac{\alpha^{\frac{3}{2}}}{15} \left(3 \cdot 2^{\frac{7}{2}} - 5 \cdot 2^{\frac{5}{2}} + 10 \right) \\
&= \frac{\alpha^{\frac{3}{2}}}{15} (24\sqrt{2} - 20\sqrt{2} + 10) \\
&= \frac{\alpha^{\frac{3}{2}}}{15} (4\sqrt{2} + 10) = \frac{16+20\sqrt{2}}{15} \\
&\Rightarrow \alpha = 2
\end{aligned}$$