

1. Two ions having same mass have charges in the ratio 1 : 2. They are projected normally in a uniform magnetic field with their speeds in the ratio 2 : 3. The ratio of the radii of their circular trajectories is : [July 25, 2021 (II)]
(a) 1:4 (b) 4:3 (c) 3:1 (d) 2:3

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(b) Given,

$$\frac{q_1}{q_2} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ \& } \frac{v_1}{v_2} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Radius of circular path,

$$R = \frac{mv}{qB} \text{ Where,}$$

m = mass of charged particle

B = magnetic field

$$\therefore \frac{R_1}{R_2} = \frac{\frac{mv_1}{Q_1 B}}{\frac{mv_2}{Q_2 B}} = \frac{v_1}{v_2} \times \frac{q_2}{q_1} = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{1} = \frac{4}{3}$$