

Time : 3 Hours
Maximum Marks : 100

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Sample Question Paper

*Note : This paper is solely for reference purpose only. The format has now been modified by CBSE for March 2020 examination.

Solved

General Instructions :

- (i) All questions are compulsory.
- (ii) The question paper consists of 29 questions divided into four sections A, B, C and D. Section A comprises of 4 questions of one mark each, Section B comprises of 8 questions of two marks each, Section C comprises of 11 questions of four marks each and Section D comprises of 6 questions of six marks each.
- (iii) All questions in Section A are to be answered in one word, one sentence or as per the exact requirement of the question.
- (iv) There is no overall choice. However, internal choice has been provided in 3 questions of four marks each and 3 questions of six marks each. You have to attempt only one of the alternative in all such questions.
- (v) Use of calculator is not permitted. You may ask for logarithmic tables, if required.

Section 'A'

1. Find the value of $\tan^{-1} \sqrt{3} - \cot^{-1}(-\sqrt{3})$.

2. If the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a & -3 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ b & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is skew symmetric, find the values of 'a' and 'b'.

3. Find the magnitude of each of the vectors \vec{a} and \vec{b} having the same magnitude such that the angle between them is 60° and their scalar product is $\frac{9}{2}$.
4. If $a * b$ denotes the large of 'a' and 'b' if $a \circ b = (a * b) + 3$, then write the value of $(5) \circ (10)$, where $*$ and \circ are binary operations. [Out of Syllabus]

Section 'B'

5. Prove that :

$$3\sin^{-1} x = \sin^{-1} (3x - 4x^3), x \in \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$$

6. Given $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$, compute A^{-1} and show that $2A^{-1} = 9I - A$.
7. Differentiate $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1+\cos x}{\sin x}\right)$ with respect to x .
8. The total cost $C(x)$ associated with the production x units of an item is given by $C(x) = 0.005x^3 - 0.02x^2 + 30x + 5000$. Find the marginal cost when 3 units are produced, where by marginal cost we mean the instantaneous rate of change of total cost at any level of output.
9. Evaluate : $\int \frac{\cos 2x + 2\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} dx$
10. Find the differential equation representing the family of curves $y = ae^{bx+5}$, where a and b are arbitrary constants.
11. If θ is the angle between two vectors $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ and $3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$, find $\sin \theta$.
12. A black and a red dice are rolled together. Find the conditional probability of obtaining the sum 8, given that the red dice resulted in a number less than 4.

Section 'C'

13. Using properties of determinants, prove that $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1+3x \\ 1+3y & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1+3z & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 9(3xyz + xy + yz + zx)$

14. If $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = xy$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

OR

If $x = a(2\theta - \sin 2\theta)$ and $y = a(1 - \cos 2\theta)$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ when $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$.

15. If $y = \sin(\sin x)$, prove that $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \tan x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \cos^2 x = 0$.

16. Find the equations of the tangent and the normal, to the curve $16x^2 + 9y^2 = 144$ at the point (x_1, y_1) , where $x_1 = 2$ and $y_1 > 0$.

OR

Find the intervals in which the function $f(x) = \frac{x^4}{4} - x^3 - 5x^2 + 24x + 12$ is (a) strictly increasing, (b) strictly decreasing.

17. An open tank with a square base and vertical sides is to be constructed from a metal sheet so as to hold a given quantity of water. Show that the cost of material will be least when the depth of the tank is half of its width. If the cost is to be borne by nearby settled lower income families, for whom water will be provided, what kind of value is hidden in this question?

18. Find : $\int \frac{2\cos x}{(1-\sin x)(1+\sin^2 x)} dx$

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19. Find the particular solution of the differential equation $e^x \tan y dx + (2 - e^x) \sec^2 y dy = 0$, given that $y = \frac{\pi}{4}$ when $x = 0$.

OR

Find the particular solution of the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y \tan x = \sin x$, given that $y = 0$ when $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$.

20. Let $\vec{a} = 4\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} - \hat{k}$, $\vec{b} = \hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$ and $\vec{c} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j} - \hat{k}$. Find a vector \vec{d} which is perpendicular to both \vec{c} and \vec{b} and $\vec{d} \cdot \vec{a} = 21$.
21. Find the shortest distance between the lines $\vec{r} = (4\hat{i} - \hat{j}) + \lambda(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 3\hat{k})$ and $\vec{r} = (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + \mu(2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k})$.
22. Suppose a girl throws a die. If she gets 1 or 2, she tosses a coin three times and notes the number of tails. If she gets 3, 4, 5 or 6, she tosses a coin once and notes whether a 'head' or 'tail' is obtained. If she obtained exactly one 'tail', what is the probability that she threw 3, 4, 5 or 6 with the die?
23. Two numbers are selected at random (without replacement) from the first five positive integers. Let X denote the larger of the two numbers obtained. Find the mean and variance of X .

Section 'D'

24. Let $A = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : 0 \leq x \leq 12\}$. Show that

$R = \{(a, b) : a, b \in A, |a - b| \text{ is divisible by } 4\}$ is an equivalence relation. Find the set of all elements related to 1. Also, write the equivalence class $[2]$.

OR

Show that the function $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + 1}$, $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ is neither one-one nor onto. Also,

if $g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined as $g(x) = 2x - 1$, find $f \circ g(x)$.

25. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, find A^{-1} and use it to solve the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} 2x - 3y + 5z &= 11 \\ 3x + 2y - 4z &= -5 \\ x + y - 2z &= -3. \end{aligned}$$

OR

Using elementary row transformations, find the inverse of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 \\ -2 & -4 & -5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

26. Using integration, find the area of the region in the first quadrant enclosed by the x -axis, the line $y = x$ and the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 32$.

27. Evaluate : $\int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{\sin x + \cos x}{16 + 9 \sin 2x} dx$

OR

Evaluate : $\int_1^3 (x^2 + 3x + e^x) dx$, as the limit of the sum.

- [B] 28. Find the distance of the point $(-1, -5, -10)$ from the point of intersection of the line

$$\vec{r} = 2\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 2\hat{k} + \lambda(3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) \text{ and the plane } \vec{r} \cdot (\hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}) = 5.$$

29. A factory manufactures two types of screws A and B , each type requiring the use of two machines, an automatic and a hand-operated. It takes 4 minutes on the automatic and 6 minutes on the hand-operated machines to manufacture a packet of screws ' A ' while it takes 6 minutes on the automatic and 3 minutes on the hand-operated machine to manufacture a packet of screws ' B '. Each machine is available for at most 4 hours on any day. The manufacturer can sell a packet of screws ' A ' at a profit of 70 paise and screws ' B ' at a profit of ₹ 1. Assuming that he can sell all the screws he manufactures, how many packets of each type should the factory owner produce in a day in order to maximize his profit? Formulate the above LPP and solve it graphically and find the maximum profit.

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