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Virudhunagar District  
Common Half Yearly Exam, December - 2024

**Standard 12**  
**MATHS**  
**PART - I**

Time: 3.00 Hours

Marks: 90

Answer all the questions. Choose the correct answer:

20×1=20

- 1) If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$  and  $A(\text{adj } A) = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$  then  $K =$
- a) 0                                      b)  $\sin \theta$                                       c)  $\cos \theta$                                       d) 1
- 2) If  $z = x+iy$  is a complex number such that  $|z+2| = |z-2|$ , then the locus of  $z$  is
- a) real axis                                      b) imaginary axis                                      c) ellipse                                      d) circle
- 3)  $\sum_{n=1}^{12} i^n$  is equal to
- a) 1                                      b) -1                                      c)  $i$                                       d) 0
- 4) Which of the following is/are correct?
- i) Adjoint of a symmetric matrix is also a symmetric matrix  
ii) Adjoint of a diagonal matrix is also a diagonal matrix  
iii) If  $A$  is a square matrix of order  $n$  and  $\lambda$  is a scalar, then  $\text{adj}(\lambda A) = \lambda^n \text{adj}(A)$   
iv)  $A(\text{adj } A) = (\text{adj } A) A = |A|I$
- a) only (i)                                      b) (ii) and (iii)                                      c) (iii) and (iv)                                      d) (i) (ii) and (iv)
- 5) If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the roots of  $x^2+x+1 = 0$ , then  $\alpha^{2020} + \beta^{2020}$  is
- a) -2                                      b) -1                                      c) 1                                      d) 2
- 6)  $\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{4} + \tan^{-1} \frac{2}{9}$  is equal to
- a)  $\frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5}$                                       b)  $\frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5}$                                       c)  $\frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \frac{3}{5}$                                       d)  $\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$
- 7) The domain of  $\text{cosec}^{-1}x$  function is
- a)  $R \setminus (-1, 1)$                                       b)  $R \setminus [-1, 1]$                                       c)  $-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}$                                       d)  $R \setminus \{0\}$
- 8) The radius of the circle  $3x^2+by^2+4bx-6by+b^2 = 0$  is
- a) 1                                      b) 3                                      c)  $\sqrt{10}$                                       d)  $\sqrt{11}$
- 9) If two tangents drawn from a point  $P$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  are at right angles then the locus of  $P$  is
- a)  $2x+1 = 0$                                       b)  $x = -1$                                       c)  $2x-1 = 0$                                       d)  $x = 1$
- 10) With usual notation which one is not equal to  $\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})$ ?
- a)  $-\vec{a} \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{b})$                                       b)  $\vec{c} \cdot (\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$                                       c)  $-\vec{b} \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{a})$                                       d)  $(\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \cdot \vec{b}$
- 11) If  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  are unit vectors such that  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}, \vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \frac{1}{4}$  then the angle between  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  is
- a)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$                                       b)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$                                       c)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$                                       d)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
- 12) Find the point on the curve  $6y = x^3+2$  at which  $y$ -coordinate changes 8 times as fast as  $x$ -coordinate is
- a) (4, 11)                                      b) (4, -11)                                      c) (-4, 11)                                      d) (-4, -11)



## PART - III

Answer any 7 questions. (Question number 40 is compulsory)

7×3=21

31) Find  $\text{adj}(\text{adj } A)$  if  $\text{adj } A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

32) Show that  $\frac{19+9i}{5-3i}^{15} - \frac{8+i}{1+2i}^{15}$  is purely imaginary.

33) Show that the equation  $x^9 - 5x^5 + 4x^4 + 2x^2 + 1 = 0$  has at least 6 imaginary solutions.34) Find the domain of  $\sin^{-1}(2-3x^2)$ 35) Find the equation of the parabola with vertex  $(1, -2)$  and focus  $(4, -2)$ 

36) Evaluate:  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 17x + 29}{x^4}$

37) Solve:  $(1+x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} = 1+y^2$

38) Suppose two coins are tossed once. If  $X$  denotes the number of tails (i) write down the sample space (ii) find the inverse image of 1 (iii) the values of the random variable and the number of elements in its inverse images.39) Let  $A$  be  $\mathcal{Q} \setminus \{1\}$ . Define  $*$  on  $A$  by  $x*y = x+y - xy$ . Is  $*$  a binary on  $A$ ?40) Find the distance between the planes  $\vec{r} \cdot (2\hat{i} - \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}) = 6$  and  $\vec{r} \cdot (6\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}) = 27$ 

## PART - IV

Answer all the questions:

7×5=35

41) a) Investigate the values of  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  the system of linear equations  $2x+3y+5z = 9$ ,  $7x+3y-5z = 8$ ,  $2x+3y+\lambda z = \mu$ , have (i) no solution (ii) a unique solution (iii) an infinite number of solution.

(OR)

b) Sketch the curve  $y = f(x) = x^2 - x - 6$ 42) a) If  $z = x+iy$  and  $\arg \frac{z-1}{z+1} = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , show that  $x^2+y^2 = 1$ .

(OR)

b) If  $v(x, y, z) = x^3+y^3+z^3+3xyz$ , show that  $\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y \partial z} = \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial z \partial y}$ 43) a) Solve the equation:  $x^4 - 10x^3 + 26x^2 - 10x + 1 = 0$ 

(OR)

b) The growth of a population is proportional to the number present. If the population of a colony doubles in 50 years, in how many years will the population become triple?

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44) a) If  $\tan^{-1}x + \tan^{-1}y + \tan^{-1}z = \pi$ , show that  $x+y+z = xyz$

(OR)

b) Verify (i) closure property (ii) commutative property (iii) associative property (iv) existence of identity and (v) existence of inverse for the operation  $X_{11}$  on a subset  $A = \{1, 3, 4, 5, 9\}$  of the set of remainders  $\{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$

45) a) Find the equations of tangent and normal to the parabola  $x^2 + 6x + 4y + 5 = 0$  at  $(1, -3)$

(OR)

b) A random variable  $x$  has the following probability mass function

x	1	2	3	4	5	6
f(x)	K	2K	6K	5K	6K	10K

Find (i)  $P(2 < x < 6)$  (ii)  $P(2 \leq X < 5)$  (iii)  $P(X \leq 4)$  (iv)  $P(3 < X)$

46) a) By Vector method, prove that  $\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta$

(OR)

b) Prove that the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 8$  and the hyperbola  $x^2 - 2y^2 = 4$  intersect orthogonally.

47) a) On lighting a rocket cracker it gets projected in a parabolic path and reaches a maximum height of 4 m when it is 6 m away from the point of projection. Finally it reaches the ground 12 m away from the starting point. Find the angle of projection.

(OR)

b) Find the parametric form of vector equation and Cartesian equation of the plane passing through the points  $(2, 2, 1)$   $(9, 3, 6)$  and perpendicular to the plane  $2x + 6y + 6z = 9$

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