



I Semester B.B.A. Examination, March 2023
(CBCS) (2014 – 2015 and Onwards) (Repeaters)
1.5 : QUANTITATIVE METHODS FOR BUSINESS – I

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instruction : Answers should be written in **English** only.

SECTION – A

(5×2=10)

Answer **any five** sub-questions. **Each** carries 2 marks.

1. a) What is natural number ?
- b) Find the HCF of 20, 32 and 48.
- c) What do you mean by linear equation ?
- d) Find the LCM of 40, 72 and 135.
- e) What is scalar matrix ?
- f) Solve for 'x' if $3x + 6 = 27$.
- g) Find the simple interest @ 10% p.a. for 5 years on ₹ 10,000.

SECTION – B

Answer **any three** questions from the following. **Each** carries 6 marks. (3×6=18)

2. Solve the equation by Elimination method.

$$x + y = 15 \text{ and } 3x - y = 21.$$

3. Find the difference between the simple interest and compound interest on ₹ 3,000 in 3 years at 4% p.a.

4. Solve by Cramer's rule :

$$3x + 2y = 8$$

$$4x - 3y = 5.$$

5. The price of 2 kg of rice and 5 kgs of wheat is ₹ 85 and price of 3 kgs of rice and 8 kgs of wheat is ₹ 132. Find the price of rice and wheat.

6. If the 3rd and 6th term of a A.P. are 7 and 13 respectively. Find the A. P. and the 15th term.

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SECTION – C

Answer **any three** of the following. **Each** question carries **14** marks. **(3×14=42)**

7. a) A bill for ₹ 84,000 was drawn on 2-04-2021 at 6 months date. It was discounted on 12-05-2021 at 10% p.a. Calculate :

- i) Bankers discount
- ii) True discount
- iii) Bankers gain.

- b) The present age of three persons are in the ratio of 4 : 7 : 9. Eight years ago, the sum of their ages was 56. Find their present ages.

8. a) Solve for x :

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & x & 0 \\ 3 & 5 & 8 \end{vmatrix}$$

b) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

verify $(AB)' = B'A'$.

9. a) A sum of three terms in A.P. is 36 and their product is 1536. Find the numbers.

- b) A sum of three terms in G.P. is 26 and their product is 216. Find the numbers.

10. a) Solve for A and B in $2A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ 6 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $3A + 2B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$.

- b) Solve by Cramer's rule.

$$6x + 5y = 2$$

$$4x - 3y = 14$$

11. a) Nine tables and eight chairs cost ₹ 456. Eight tables and nine chairs cost ₹ 462. Determine the cost of each table and chair.

- b) Find the HCF and LCM of 440, 1800 and 2800.