

MATHEMATICS 2015

Time: 30 minutes

Max. Marks: 20

SECTION 'A' MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTION

1. Choose the correct answer for each from the given options: (20)

- The central angle of a minor arc is ----- than the inscribed angle of its corresponding major arc:
 - Less
 - double
 - half
 - none of these
- The short cut formula of arithmetic mean is:
 - $\frac{\sum x}{n}$
 - $A + \frac{\sum fd}{\sum f}$
 - $\frac{n+1}{2}$
 - $\frac{\sum fx}{n}$
- The reciprocal of $\cot \theta$ is:
 - $\frac{1}{\cos \theta}$
 - $\tan \theta$
 - $\frac{1}{\tan \theta}$
 - none of these
- The set of first three prime numbers is:
 - {1,2,3}
 - {2,3,5}
 - {1,3,5}
 - {2,3,7}
- If $\sqrt{x} = 9$ then $x =$ -----
 - 3
 - ± 3
 - 81
 - 1/2
- $\sqrt[n]{x}$, y is called the ----- of the root:
 - radical
 - quantity
 - index
 - none of these
- $1 + \cot^2 \theta =$ -----
 - $\csc^2 \theta$
 - $\tan^2 \theta$
 - $\sec^2 \theta$
 - $\cos^2 \theta$
- If $\log_7 x = 2$ the value of x is:
 - $x^2 = 7$
 - $x = 7^2$
 - $2^x = x$
 - $7^2 = x$
- The third proportion to 6 and 18 is:
 - 12
 - 54
 - 36
 - 324
- The square root of $(a-b)^2$ is:
 - $\pm(a-b)$
 - $\pm(a-b)(a-b)$
 - $\pm(a+b)$
 - none of these
- A set which contains all the sets under consideration is called:
 - universal
 - null
 - sub
 - none of these
- The set $A = \{2,3,5,7,11, \dots\}$ is closed with respect to:
 - Addition
 - Multiplication
 - division
 - none of these
- A triangle having no sides congruent is called ----triangle
 - right
 - obtuse
 - isosceles
 - scalene
- If $(x+2, 3y-6) = (2x, y)$, then $x =$ -----
 - 4
 - 2
 - 6
 - none of the above
- If a, b, c are in continued proportion, then:
 - $ab = c^2$
 - $a^2 = bc$
 - $ac = b^2$
 - none of these
- Line segment joining the vertex to the mid point of the opposite side of a triangle is called:
 - altitude
 - centroid
 - median
 - none of these
- $(9, -3)$ is in ----- quadrant.
 - 1st
 - 4th
 - 2nd
 - 3rd
- The scientific notation of 756837 is:
 - 7.56837×10^5
 - 7.56837×10^{-5}
 - 7.56837×10^{-4}
 - none of these
- If $\bar{x} = 6$, $n = 5$, then $\sum x =$ -----
 - 1.5
 - 1.2
 - 30
 - 11
- $\operatorname{Cosec}(90^\circ - 30^\circ) = \sec$ -----
 - 30°
 - 60°
 - 90°
 - none of these

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SECTION "B" (SHORT-ANSWER QUESTIONS)

Note: Answer any 10 questions from this section. (50)

- If $A = \{a, b, c\}$ and $B = \{x, y\}$ find only two binary relations in $A \times B$.
- Simplify: $\frac{(216)^{2/3} (25)^{1/2}}{(25)^{-3/2} (216)^{1/3}}$
- With the help of logarithmic table find the value of $\frac{\sqrt{431.5} \times (1.2)^2}{\sqrt[3]{36.98}}$
- Find the value of $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$ when $a + b + c = 15$ and $ab + bc + ca = 74$
- Resolve into factors: $4a^2(3b-4c) + 9b^2(4c-2a) + 16c^2(2a-3b)$
- Find the solution set of: $-6 + |5x-3| = 3$
- If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ Find A^{-1} and verify that $A.A^{-1} = I$
- If a side of a triangle is extended the exterior angle so formed is, in measure, greater than either of the two interior opposite angles. Prove it.
- Eliminate "a" from the following equation: $a^2 + \frac{1}{a^2} = m^2, a^4 + \frac{1}{a^4} = b^4$
- Congruent chords of a circle (or congruent circles) are equidistant from its (or their) centre (s). Prove it.
- If in $\theta = 3/5$, find the remaining trigonometric ratios, using trigonometric identities.

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- The line segment, joining the mid points of two sides of a triangle is parallel to the third side and half as long. Prove it.
- What should be added to $x^4 + 4x^3 + 10x^2 + 5$ so that it may be a perfect square?
- If $\frac{x}{a} = \frac{y}{b} = \frac{z}{c}$, Prove that $\frac{x^3}{a^2} + \frac{y^3}{b^2} + \frac{z^3}{c^2} = \frac{(x+y+z)^3}{(a,b,c)^2}$
- Find the solution set of the following inequation: $\frac{x+5}{10} < \frac{25-4x}{5}, \forall x \in N$

SECTION 'C' (DETAILED - ANSWER QUESTION)

NOTE: Attempt 3 questions from this section.

Including Q.no.19 which is compulsory. (30)

- Factorize the following:
 - $(x-2y)^3 - 64z^3$
 - $4a^4 + 625b^4$
 - $x^2 + 15x + 36$
 - $ax^4 - a^3x$
- Find the solution set of the following equations graphically. (Find four ordered pairs for each equation). $3x - 4y = 12; x - 3y = 9$
- In a correspondence of two triangles, if three sides of one triangle are congruent to the corresponding three sides of the other, the two triangles are congruent. Prove it.
- (a) A set of data contains the values as 148, 145, 160, 157, 156, 160, 160, 165, show that the mode > median > Mean.
(b) Find the factors of $x^3 - 21x + 20$ by means of the remainder theorem.
- Construct a triangle PQR in which $m\overline{PQ} = 6\text{cm}$, $m\overline{QR} = 5\text{cm}$, and $m\angle Q = 70^\circ$. Draw the in-circle of the triangle and write the steps of construction.