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Course code & title : MA1501/GE1358 Coordinate Geometry

Session : Semester B 2020/21

Time allowed : 1.5 hours

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1. Attempt all **NINE** questions in this paper.
 2. Start each question on a new page.
 3. **Show all steps clearly** in order to get full credits.
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1. Given the matrices

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & x \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} \end{pmatrix}, C = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & -4 \\ -8 & y \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Evaluate \mathbf{A}^2 and \mathbf{A}^{-1} .
- (b) Find the value of x such that \mathbf{AB} equals the identity matrix. State the relationship between the matrices \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{B} , and \mathbf{A}^{-1} ?
- (c) Find the value of y such that $\det(\mathbf{A}) = \det(\mathbf{C})$.
- (d) Calculate the determinant of the matrix \mathbf{AC} , for the value of y found above.
- (e) Find the transpose of \mathbf{A} .

2. Given the matrices $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $I = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, find constants p and q such that $A^2 = pA + qI$.
Hence find A^{-1} .

3. Let $\vec{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $\vec{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Show that $(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}) \times \vec{B} = 0$ (**YOU MUST SHOW ALL RELEVANT FORMULA AND WORK TO RECEIVE FULL MARKS.**)

4. Prove that $\det \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ a & b & c \\ a^2 & b^2 & c^2 \end{vmatrix} = (a-b)(b-c)(c-a)$.

5. Find c so that the points $(c, -2)$, $(3,1)$, and $(-2,4)$ shall be collinear, that is, lie on the line.

6. Name the type of triangle (i.e. equilateral, isosceles, or scalene) with the vertices $(6,-5)$, $(2,-4)$ and $(5,-1)$. Provide an explanation using relevant formula. **SKETCHING THE GRAPH ALONE IS INSUFFICIENT AND RECEIVES A GRADE OF ZERO.**

7. (a) Find an equation of all lines parallel to the line $8x - 2y + 1 = -2$ and in particular of the one passing through the point $M(3, -1)$.

(b) Find an equation of all lines perpendicular to the line $8x - 2y + 1 = -2$, and in particular of the one passing through the point $N(-8, 10)$.

8. Find an equation of the first degree in x , y , and z which has $(1, -2, 3)$ for a solution but which has no solution in common with the equation $5x + 2y - 3z + 1 = 0$.

9. A plane is through the point $(1, -1, 1)$ and is perpendicular to the line intersection of the two planes, namely, $2x - 3y + z + 2 = 0$ and $3x + 2y - z + 2 = 0$. Find the equation of such plane.

Useful Trigonometric Identities

Pythagorean identities

$$1. \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1.$$

$$2. 1 + \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta.$$

$$3. 1 + \cot^2 \theta = \csc^2 \theta.$$

Double-angle formulas

$$4. \sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta.$$

$$5. \cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta.$$

Half-angle formulas

$$6. \sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos 2\theta).$$

$$7. \cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 2\theta).$$

Compound-angle formulas

$$8. \sin(A \pm B) = \sin A \cos B \pm \cos A \sin B.$$

$$9. \cos(A \pm B) = \cos A \cos B \mp \sin A \sin B.$$

$$10. \tan(A \pm B) = \frac{\tan A \pm \tan B}{1 \mp \tan A \tan B}.$$

Sum-to-product formulas

$$11. \sin A + \sin B = 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2}.$$

$$12. \sin A - \sin B = 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A-B}{2}.$$

$$13. \cos A + \cos B = 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2}.$$

$$14. \cos A - \cos B = -2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A-B}{2}.$$

Product-to-sum formulas

$$15. \sin A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B)].$$

$$16. \cos A \sin B = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(A+B) - \sin(A-B)].$$

$$17. \cos A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(A+B) + \cos(A-B)].$$

$$18. \sin A \sin B = -\frac{1}{2} [\cos(A+B) - \cos(A-B)].$$

Euler's formulas

$$19. e^{\pm i\theta} = \cos \theta \pm i \sin \theta.$$

$$20. e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta} = 2 \cos \theta, \quad \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} (e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}).$$

$$21. e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta} = 2i \sin \theta, \quad \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2i} (e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta}).$$

Remark. Formulas of the form $A \pm B = C \pm D$ contain two separate formulas

$$A + B = C + D, \quad \text{and} \quad A - B = C - D.$$

Likewise, formulas of the form $A \pm B = C \mp D$ contain two separate formulas

$$A + B = C - D, \quad \text{and} \quad A - B = C + D.$$

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