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LEVEL-I

1. If equation of ellipse is $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$, then eccentricity of the ellipse
(A) $\frac{2}{5}$ (B) $\frac{4}{5}$
(C) $\frac{3}{5}$ (D) $\frac{1}{5}$
2. If any tangent to the ellipse is $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ intercepts lengths h and k on the axes, then
(A) $\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} = 1$ (B) $\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} = 2$
(C) $\frac{a^2}{h^2} + \frac{b^2}{k^2} = 1$ (D) $\frac{a^2}{h^2} + \frac{b^2}{k^2} = 2$
3. Two perpendicular tangents drawn to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ intersect on the curve
(A) $x = 4$ (B) $y = 5$
(C) $x^2 + y^2 = 41$ (D) $x^2 + y^2 = 9$
4. Equation to an ellipse whose centre is $(-2, 3)$ and whose semi-axes are 3 and 2 and major axis parallel to x-axis, is given by
(A) $4x^2 + 9y^2 + 16x - 54y - 61 = 0$ (B) $4x^2 + 9y^2 - 16x + 54y + 61 = 0$
(C) $4x^2 + 9y^2 + 16x - 54y + 61 = 0$ (D) none of these
5. The angle between the tangents drawn from the point $(1, 2)$ to the ellipse $3x^2 + 2y^2 = 5$ is
(A) $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{12}{5}\right)$ (B) $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$
(C) $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{12}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$ (D) $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6}{5}\right)$
6. Eccentric angle of a point on the ellipse $x^2 + 3y^2 = 6$ at a distance 2 units from the centre of the ellipse is
(A) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ or $\frac{3\pi}{4}$ (B) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ or $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ (C) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ or $\frac{5\pi}{6}$ (D) none of these
7. If latus rectum of the ellipse $x^2 \tan^2 \alpha + y^2 \sec^2 \alpha = 1$ is $1/2$ then α ($0 < \alpha \leq \pi$) is
(A) $\frac{\pi}{12}$ (B) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (C) $\frac{8\pi}{12}$ (D) none of these

8. Equation of the ellipse whose minor axis is equal to the distance between foci and whose latus rectum is 10, is given by
 (A) $2x^2 + 3y^2 = 100$ (B) $2x^2 + 3y^2 = 80$
 (C) $x^2 + 2y^2 = 100$ (D) none of these
9. If P is a point on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{20} = 1$ whose foci are S and S'. Then PS + PS' is
 (A) 8 (B) $4\sqrt{5}$
 (C) 10 (D) 4
10. The distance between the directrices of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ is
 (A) $\frac{9}{\sqrt{5}}$ (B) $\frac{24}{\sqrt{5}}$
 (C) $\frac{18}{\sqrt{5}}$ (D) none of these
11. If $F_1 \equiv (0,0)$, $F_2 \equiv (3,4)$ and $|PF_1| + |PF_2| = 10$, then the locus of P is
 (A) An ellipse (B) A straight line
 (C) A hyperbola (D) A line segment
12. The locus of a point represented by $x = \frac{a}{2} \left(\frac{t+1}{t} \right)$, $y = \frac{a}{2} \left(\frac{t-1}{t} \right)$ is
 (A) an ellipse (B) a circle
 (C) a pair of line (D) none of these
13. The eccentricity of the conic $7x^2 + 16y^2 = 112$ is
 (A) $\sqrt{\frac{23}{7}}$ (B) $-\frac{3}{4}$
 (C) $\frac{3}{4}$ (D) none of these
14. The area of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$ is
 (A) 16π (B) 20π
 (C) 25π (D) 36π
15. The locus of the point $(3h+2, k)$, where (h, k) lies on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ is
 (A) a hyperbola (B) a circle
 (C) a parabola (D) an ellipse
16. The equation of ellipse, whose focus is $(1, 0)$, directrix is $x = 4$ and whose eccentricity is a root of the quadratic equation $2x^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$, is-
 (A) $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$ (B) $\frac{x^2}{3} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$
 (C) $4x^2 + 3y^2 = 24$ (D) None of these

17. Area of the quadrilateral formed by the tangents to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{4} + y^2 = 1$ at the end points of its major and minor axes is
(A) 8 (B) 4
(C) 16 (D) 2
18. The centre of the ellipse $3x^2 + 6x + 4y^2 - 8y - 5 = 0$, is
(A) (1, 1) (B) (1, -1)
(C) (-1, 1) (D) None of these
19. Length of major axis of the ellipse, $3x^2 - 6x + 4y^2 - 8y - 5 = 0$, is
(A) 4 (B) 1
(C) $\sqrt{3}$ (D) 2
20. Length of minor axis of the ellipse, $3x^2 - 6x + 4y^2 - 8y - 5 = 0$, is
(A) 4 (B) 2
(C) 3 (D) $2\sqrt{3}$

LEVEL-II

1. The equation $\frac{x^2}{2-r} + \frac{y^2}{r-5} + 1 = 0$ represents an ellipse only if
 (A) $r > 2$ (B) $r < 5$
 (C) $2 < r < 5$ (D) none of these
2. If any tangent to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ intercepts equal length l on the axes, then l equals to
 (A) 25 (B) 7
 (C) 12 (D) 5
3. An ellipse has its axes along co-ordinate axes. The distance between its foci is $2h$ and the focal distance of an end of the minor axis is k . The equation of the ellipse is
 (A) $\frac{x^2}{h^2} + \frac{y^2}{k^2} = 1$ (B) $\frac{x^2}{k^2} + \frac{y^2}{k^2 + h^2} = 1$
 (C) $\frac{x^2}{k^2} + \frac{y^2}{k^2 - h^2} = 1$ (D) $\frac{x^2}{k^2 + h^2} + \frac{y^2}{h^2} = 1$
4. Equation of the ellipse, referred to its axes as the x and y axes respectively, which passes through the point $(-3, 1)$ and the eccentricity $\sqrt{\frac{2}{5}}$ is
 (A) $2x^2 + 14y^2 = 32$ (B) $3x^2 + 5y^2 = 32$
 (C) $4x^2 + 3y^2 = 39$ (D) none of these
5. Equation of tangents to the ellipse $9x^2 + 10y^2 = 144$ from the point $(2, 3)$ are
 (A) $y = 3, x + y = 5$ (B) $x = 3, x - y = 5$
 (C) $x + y = 3, x - y + 5 = 0$ (D) none of these
6. If a tangent of slope ' m ' at a point of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ passes through $(2a, 0)$ and if ' e ' denotes the eccentricity of the ellipse then
 (A) $m^2 + e^2 = 1$ (B) $2m^2 + e^2 = 1$
 (C) $3m^2 + e^2 = 1$ (D) none of these
7. The tangent to the curve $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta)$; $y = a(1 + \cos \theta)$ at the points $\theta = (2k + 1)\pi$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ are parallel to
 (A) $y = x$ (B) $y = -x$
 (C) $y = 0$ (D) $x = 0$
8. The equation(s) of the tangent(s) to the ellipse $9(x - 1)^2 + 4y^2 = 36$ parallel to the latus rectum, is (are)
 (A) $y = 3$ (B) $y = -3$
 (C) $x = 3$ (D) $x = -3$
9. The area of the triangle formed by the points on the ellipse $25x^2 + 16y^2 = 400$ whose eccentric angles are $\pi/2$, π and $3\pi/2$ is

- (A) 10 sq. units
(C) 30 sq. units

- (B) 20 sq. units
(D) 40 sq. units

10. If $(\sqrt{3})bx + ay = 2ab$ touched the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ then eccentric angle θ is
 (A) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (B) $\frac{\pi}{4}$
 (C) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (D) $\frac{\pi}{2}$
11. The value of 'c' for which line $y = x + c$ is tangent to the ellipse $2x^2 + 3y^2 = 1$ is
 (A) $\sqrt{\frac{6}{7}}$ (B) $\sqrt{\frac{5}{6}}$
 (C) $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$ (D) $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$
12. Foci of the ellipse; $25(x + 1)^2 + 9(y + 2)^2 = 225$, are
 (A) $(-1, -2)$ and $(-1, -6)$ (B) $(-2, 1)$ and $(-2, 6)$
 (C) $(-1, 2)$ and $(-1, -6)$ (D) $(-1, 2)$ and $(-1, -6)$
13. Let 'E' be the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ and 'C' be the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$. Let P and Q be points $(1, 2)$ and $(2, 1)$ respectively. Then
 (A) 'Q' lies inside 'C' but outside E (B) 'Q' lies outside both C and E
 (C) P lies inside both C and E (D) P lies inside 'C' but outside E
14. The equation $3(x + y - 5)^2 + 2(x - y + 7)^2 = 6$ represents an ellipse, whose centre is
 (A) $(-1, 6)$ (B) $(6, -1)$
 (C) $(1, -6)$ (D) $(-6, 1)$
15. Eccentricity of the ellipse $3(x + y - 5)^2 + 2(x - y + 7)^2 = 6$ is
 (A) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ (B) $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
 (C) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ (D) $\frac{1}{2}$
16. One foot of normal of the ellipse $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 36$, that is parallel to the line $2x + y = 3$, is
 (A) $\left(\frac{9}{5}, \frac{-8}{5}\right)$ (B) $\left(\frac{-9}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$
 (C) $\left(\frac{-9}{5}, \frac{-8}{5}\right)$ (D) None of these
17. Equation of the ellipse whose axes are co-ordinate axes and whose length of latus rectum, and eccentricity are equal and equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ each is
 (A) $6x^2 + 12y^2 = 1$ (B) $12x^2 + 6y^2 = 1$
 (C) $3x^2 + 12y^2 = 1$ (D) $9x^2 + 12y^2 = 1$

18. The line $y = x - 1$ touches the ellipse $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$, at
 (A) $(1/2, -1/2)$ (B) $(3, 2)$
 (C) $(-1, -2)$ (D) None of these
19. The equation of common tangents to the curves $x^2 + 4y^2 = 8$ and $y^2 = 4x$ are
 (A) $2y - x - 4 = 0$ and $2y + x + 4 = 0$ (B) $y - 2x - 4 = 0$ and $y + 2x + 4 = 0$
 (C) $2y - x - 2 = 0$ and $2y + x + 2 = 0$ (D) $y - 2x - 2 = 0$ and $y + 2x + 2 = 0$
20. If the line $y = mx + c$ is a tangent to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ then corresponding point of contact is
 (A) $\left(\frac{a^2m}{c}, \frac{b^2}{c}\right)$ (B) $\left(\frac{-a^2m}{c}, \frac{-b^2}{c}\right)$
 (C) $\left(\frac{a^2m}{c}, \frac{-b^2}{c}\right)$ (D) $\left(\frac{-a^2m}{c}, \frac{b^2}{c}\right)$

LEVEL-III

1. The length of the major axis of the ellipse $(5x - 10)^2 + (5y + 15)^2 = \frac{(3x - 4y + 7)^2}{4}$ is
 (A) 10 (B) $20/3$
 (C) $20/7$ (D) 4
2. An ellipse has eccentricity $1/2$ and one focus at the point $P(1/2, 1)$. One of its directrix is the common tangent, nearer to the point P to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ and the hyperbola $x^2 - y^2 = 1$. Area of the ellipse is
 (A) π (B) $\frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}}$
 (C) $\frac{2\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$ (D) none of these.
3. If the normal at the point $P(\theta)$ to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{14} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$ intersects it again at the point $Q(2\theta)$, then $\cos\theta =$
 (A) $2/3$ (B) $-2/3$ (C) $1/3$ (D) $-1/3$
4. The equation of the ellipse centered at $(1, 2)$ having the point $(6, 2)$ as one of its focus and passing through the point $(4, 6)$ is
 (A) $\frac{(x-1)^2}{36} + \frac{3(y-2)^2}{64} = 1$ (B) $\frac{(x-1)^2}{45} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{20} = 1$
 (C) $\frac{(x-1)^2}{18} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{32} = 1$ (D) $\frac{(x-1)^2}{72} + \frac{7(y-2)^2}{128} = 1$

5. The tangent drawn to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{11y^2}{256} = 1$ at the point P (θ); touches the circle $(x - 1)^2 + y^2 = 16$; then ' θ ' equal to
 (A) $\pi/6$ (B) $\pi/4$
 (C) $\pi/3$ (D) None of these
6. Length of latus rectum of the ellipse, $3(x + y - 5)^2 + 2(x - y + 7)^2 = 6$ is
 (A) $4\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$ (B) $2\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
 (C) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ (D) $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
7. Foci of the ellipse; $3(x + y - 5)^2 + 2(x - y + 7)^2 = 6$ are
 (A) $(-1/2, 13/2)$ and $(-3/2, 11/2)$ (B) $(-1/2, 11/2)$ and $(-3/2, 13/2)$
 (C) $(-1/2, -11/2)$ and $(-3/2, 11/2)$ (D) $(1/2, 11/2)$ and $(3/2, 13/2)$
8. Locus of the mid-point of chords of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ that are parallel to the line $y = 2x + c$, is
 (A) $2b^2y - a^2x = 0$ (B) $2a^2y - b^2x = 0$
 (C) $2b^2y + a^2x = 0$ (D) $2a^2y + b^2x = 0$
9. Consider an ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$, centered at point 'O' and having AB and CD as its major and minor axes respectively. If S_1 be one of the focus of the ellipse, radius of incircle of triangle $OCS_1 = 6$ units, then area of the ellipse is equal to
 (A) 16π sq. units (B) $\frac{65\pi}{4}$ sq. units
 (C) $\frac{65}{2}$ sq. units (D) 65π sq. units
10. 'P' is any variable point on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ having the points S_1 and S_2 as its foci. maximum area of the triangle PS_1S_2 is
 (A) b^2c sq. units (B) a^2c sq. units
 (C) abc sq. units (D) abc sq. units
11. Consider an ellipse having its axes as co-ordinate axes and passing through the point $(4, -1)$. If the line $x + 4y - 10 = 0$ is one of its tangent, then area of ellipse is
 (A) 10π (B) 20π
 (C) 25π (D) 15π

12. S_1 and S_2 are foci of an ellipse 'B' be one of the extremity of its minor axes. If $\Delta S_1 S_2 B$ is right angled then eccentricity of the ellipse is equal to
- (A) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ (B) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
 (C) $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$ (D) None of these
13. If 'L' is the length of perpendicular drawn from the origin to any normal of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$, then maximum value of 'L' is
- (A) 5 (B) 4
 (C) 1 (D) None of these
14. The maximum distance of the centre of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ from the chord of contact of mutually perpendicular tangents of the ellipse is
- (A) $\frac{9}{\sqrt{13}}$ (B) $\frac{3}{\sqrt{13}}$
 (C) $\frac{6}{\sqrt{13}}$ (D) $\frac{36}{\sqrt{13}}$
15. Tangents PA and PB are drawn to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ from the point P (0, 5). Area of triangle PAB is
- (A) $\frac{16}{5}$ (B) $\frac{256}{25}$
 (C) $\frac{35}{2}$ (D) $\frac{1024}{25}$
16. The straight line $x - 2y + 4 = 0$ is one of the common tangents of the parabola $y^2 = 4x$ and $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$. The equation of the another common tangent to these curves is
- (A) $x + 2y + 4 = 0$ (B) $x + 2y - 4 = 0$
 (C) $x + 2y + 2 = 0$ (D) $x + 2y - 2 = 0$
17. A variable tangent of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{36} = 1$ meets the tangents drawn at the extremities of the major axis at point A_1 and A_2 . Circle drawn on A_1A_2 as diameter will always pass through two fixed points whose co-ordinates are
- (A) $(0, \pm 6)$ (B) $(0, \pm 5\sqrt{2})$
 (C) $(0, \pm 2\sqrt{5})$ (D) $(0, \pm 4)$

18. There are exactly two points on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ whose distance from the center of the ellipse are equal and equal to $\sqrt{\frac{a^2 + b^2}{2}}$. Eccentricity of this ellipse is
- (A) $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$ (B) $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
 (C) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ (D) $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
19. For all admissible values of the parameter 'a' the straight line $2ax + y\sqrt{1-a^2} = 1$ will touch an ellipse whose eccentricity is equal to
- (A) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ (B) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$
 (C) $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$ (D) $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
20. The normal to the ellipse $4x^2 + 5y^2 = 20$ at the point 'P' touches the parabola $y^2 = 4x$, the eccentric angle of 'P' is
- (A) $\pi + \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ (B) $\frac{\pi}{2} + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$
 (C) $\pi - \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$ (D) $\pi - \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$

ANSWERS

LEVEL -I

1.	C	2.	C	3.	C	4.	C
5.		6.	C	7.	A	8.	C
9.	B	10.	C	11.	A	12.	D
13.	C	14.	B	15.	D	16.	A
17.	A	18.	C	19.	A	20.	D

LEVEL -II

1.	C	2.	D	3.	C	4.	B
5.	D	6.	C	7.	C	8.	A
9.	B	10.	A	11.	B	12.	C
13.	D	14.	A	15.	C	16.	C
17.	D	18.	D	19.	A	20.	D

LEVEL -III

1.	B	2.	D	3.	B	4.	B
5.	C	6.	B	7.	A	8.	D
9.	B	10.	A	11.	A	12.	B
13.	C	14.	A	15.	B	16.	A
17.	C	18.	D	19.	A	20.	D