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# FIFTH SEMESTER (CBCSS-UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2022

Mathematics

### MTS 5B 09—INTRODUCTION TO GEOMETRY

(2019 Admission only)

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

#### **Section A**

Answer any number of questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

Ceiling is 20.

- 1. Find focus, vertex and directrix of the parabola  $y^2 = 2x$ .
- 2. Determine the equation of the tangent at the point P with parameter t on the rectangular hyperbola with parametric equations x = t,  $y = \frac{1}{t}$ .
- 3. Find the equation of the normal to the parabola with parametric equations  $x = 2t^2$ , y = 4t at the point with parameter t = 3.
- 4. Write the equation of the conic  $11x^2 + 4xy + 14y^2 4x 28y 16 = 0$  in matrix form.
- 5. Prove that if  $t_1$  is an Eucledean transformation of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  given by  $t_1(X) = UX + a$ ,  $X \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , then :
  - i) The transformation of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  given by  $t_2(X) = U^{-1}X U^{-1}a$ ,  $X \in \mathbb{R}^2$  is also a Euclidean transformation.
  - ii) The transformation  $t_2$  is the inverse of  $t_1$ .
- 6. Prove that Euclidean congruence is an equivalence relation.
- 7. Determine the affine transformation which maps the points (0, 0), (1, 0) and (0, 1) to the points (3, 2), (5, 8) and (7, 3) respectively.
- 8. Prove that an affine transformation maps parallel straight lines to parallel straight lines.

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- 9. State Ceva's theorem.
- 10. The triangle  $\triangle ABC$  has vertices  $A\left(1,3\right), B\left(-1,0\right)$  and  $C\left(4,0\right)$  and the points  $P\left(0,0\right), Q\left(\frac{8}{3},\frac{4}{3}\right)$

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and  $\,R\!\left(\frac{-2}{3},\frac{1}{2}\right)$  lie on BC, CA and AB respectively :

- (a) Determine the ratios in which P, Q and R divide the sides of the triangle.
- (b) Determine whether the lines AP, BQ and CR are concurrent.
- 11. Find the equation of the line that passes through the point [2, 5, 4] and [3, 1, 7].
- 12. Determine whether the points [1, 2, 3], [1, 1, -2] and [2, 1, -9] are collinear.

#### **Section B**

Answer any number of questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

Ceiling is 30.

- 13. Derive the standard form of the equation of the hyperbola.
- 14. State and prove reflection property of the ellipse.
- 15. Show that a perpendicular from a focus of a parabola to a tangent meets the tangent on the auxiliary circle of the parabola.
- 16. Determine the image of the line 3x y + 1 = 0 under the affine transformation

$$t\left(\mathbf{X}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{-1}{2} \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{X} + \begin{pmatrix} \frac{-3}{2} \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \, \mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^2.$$

- 17. Determine the affine transformation which maps the points (1, -1), (2, -2) and (3, -4) to the points (8, 13), (3, 4) and (0, -1) respectively.
- 18. Prove that an affine transformation preserves ratios of length along parallel straight lines.
- 19. Determine the point of  $\mathbb{RP}^2$  at which the line through the points [1, 2, -3] and [2, -1, 0] meets the line through the points [1, 0, -1] and [1, 1, 1].

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## **Section C**

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Answer any **one** question.

The question carries 10 marks.

Maximum marks 10.

- 20. Classify the conic  $x^2 4xy + 4y^2 6x 8y + 5 = 0$  in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and also determine its centre and axis.
- 21. State and prove Menelau's theorem.

