

## Degree (Sem - I) Examination - 2023

Session - (2023-27)

## MATHEMATICS

**(Modal Question - 2)**

## PAPER (MJC - 1)

Time: 3 hrs.

Full Marks - 70

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Answer from all Groups as directed.

**Group - A**

1. Choose the correct answer of the following:

(2 × 10 = 20)

(a) The sum of the series  $\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{4^2} + \dots \infty =$

(i)  $\pi^2/3$

(ii)  $\pi^2/4$

**(iii)  $\pi^2/6$**

(iv)  $\pi^2/8$

(b) The value of  $\sinh 0 =$

**(i) 0**

(ii) 1

(iii)  $\infty$

(iv) None of these

(c) The set of all real functions defined on the closed unit interval  $[0, 1]$  has cardinal number

**(i)  $c$**

(ii)  $2^c$

(iii)  $2c$

(iv)  $\lambda_0$

(d) The function and relation are such that

(i) Every relation is a function.

**(ii) Every function is a relation.**

(iii) No function is a relation.

(iv) No relation is a function.

(e) If  $d$  is the greatest common divisor of  $b$  and  $c$ , then there exist integers  $x_0$  and  $y_0$  such that

(i)  $d = (b + c)x_0 + (b - c)y_0$

(ii)  $d = (b + c)x_0 - (b - c)y_0$

**(iii)  $d = bx_0 + cy_0$**

(iv) All of the above.

(f) Euclid's algorithm is used for finding

- (i) **GCD of two numbers.**  
(ii) GCD of more than three numbers.  
(iii) LCM of two numbers.  
(iv) LCM of more than two numbers.
- (g) The rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$  is  
(i) 1  
(ii) 2  
**(iii) 3**  
(iv) 0
- (h) For what value of  $\lambda$ , do the simultaneous equation  $2x + 3y = 1, 4x + 6y = \lambda$  have infinite solutions?  
(i)  $\lambda = 0$   
(ii)  $\lambda = 1$   
**(iii)  $\lambda = 2$**   
(iv)  $\lambda \neq 2$
- (i) If the equation  $a_0x^3 + 3a_1x^2 + 3a_2x + a_3 = 0$  is transformed by the substitution  $z = a_0x + a_1$  to the form  $z^3 + 3Hz + G = 0$ , then  $H$  is equal to:  
**(i)  $a_0a_2 - a_1^2$**   
(ii)  $a_0a_1 - a_2^2$   
(iii)  $a_1a_2 - a_0^2$   
(iv) None of these.
- (j) If  $q > 0, r > 0$ , then the cubic  $x^3 + qx + r = 0$  has:  
(i) All roots real and positive.  
(ii) All roots real and negative.  
(iii) One positive real root and two imaginary roots.  
(iv) One negative real root and two imaginary roots.

### Group - B

Answer **any four** questions of the following:

(5 × 4 = 20)

- Find the equation whose roots are the  $p$  th powers of the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2x \cos \theta + 1 = 0$ .
- Define equivalence relation on a set and prove that the relation 'congruence modulo 5' is an equivalence relation on the of integers.
- If  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping and let  $A, B \subseteq Y$ , then show that  $f^{-1}(A \cap B) = f^{-1}(A) \cap f^{-1}(B)$ .
- If  $d$  is common divisor of  $a$  and  $b$  and  $g = \gcd(a, b)$ , then prove that  $d \mid g$ .
- Find the rank of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & 5 & -10 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be the roots of the equation  $x^3 + px^2 + qx + r = 0$ , find the value of

$$(\beta + \gamma - \alpha)^2 + (\gamma + \alpha - \beta)^2 + (\alpha + \beta - \gamma)^2.$$

## Group - C

Answer **any three** questions of the following:

(10 × 3 = 30)

8. Find the sum of a series of cosines of  $n$  angles, which are in arithmetical progression.
9. State and prove Cantor's theorem.
10. State and prove Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic.
11. Prove that the transpose of a matrix is the same as that of the original matrix, hence find the rank of the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

12. Solve the equation  $3x^4 - 25x^3 + 50x^2 - 50x + 12 = 0$  having given that the product of two roots is 2.
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