


FIRST YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY EXAMINATION, MARCH – 2024

Part – III

Time : 2 Hours

MATHEMATICS (SCIENCE) Cool-off time : 15 Minutes

Maximum : 60 Scores

General Instructions to Candidates :

- There is a 'Cool-off time' of 15 minutes in addition to the writing time.
- Use the 'Cool-off time' to get familiar with questions and to plan your answers.
- Read questions carefully before answering.
- Read the instructions carefully.
- Calculations, figures and graphs should be shown in the answer sheet itself.
- Malayalam version of the questions is also provided.
- Give equations wherever necessary.
- Electronic devices except non-programmable calculators are not allowed in the Examination Hall.

വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കുള്ള പൊതുനിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ :

- നിർദ്ദിഷ്ട സമയത്തിന് പുറമെ 15 മിനിറ്റ് 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈം' ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കും.
- 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈം' ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ പരിചയപ്പെടാനും ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ ആസൂത്രണം ചെയ്യാനും ഉപയോഗിക്കുക.
- ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ എഴുതുന്നതിന് മുമ്പ് ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ മുഴുവനും ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- കണക്ക് കൂട്ടലുകൾ, ചിത്രങ്ങൾ, ഗ്രാഫുകൾ, എന്നിവ ഉത്തരപേപ്പറിൽ തന്നെ ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കണം.
- ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ മലയാളത്തിലും നൽകിയിട്ടുണ്ട്.
- ആവശ്യമുള്ള സ്ഥലത്ത് സമവാക്യങ്ങൾ കൊടുക്കണം.
- പ്രോഗ്രാമുകൾ ചെയ്യാനാകാത്ത ക്യാൽക്കുലേറ്ററുകൾ ഒഴികെയുള്ള ഒരു ഇലക്ട്രോണിക് ഉപകരണവും പരീക്ഷാഹാളിൽ ഉപയോഗിക്കുവാൻ പാടില്ല.

Answer any 6 questions from 1 to 8. Each carries 3 scores.

(6 × 3 = 18)

1. (i) If $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $B = \{1, 4\}$, then the number of subsets of $A \times B$ is (1)
- (a) 5^2 (b) 6^2
(c) 2^5 (d) 2^6
- (ii) If $\left(\frac{x}{3} + 1, y - \frac{2}{3}\right) = \left(-\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$, then find x and y . (2)
2. (i) $\cos(x + y) + \cos(x - y) =$ _____ (1)
- (ii) Prove that $\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + x\right) + \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - x\right) = -\sqrt{2} \cos x$. (2)
3. (i) Solve the inequality $x + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x}{3} \leq 10 + \frac{x}{6}$. (2)
- (ii) Mark the solution in a number line. (1)
4. (i) ${}^n C_r =$ _____ (1)
- (a) $\frac{n!}{r!}$ (b) $\frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$
(c) $\frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$ (d) $\frac{n(n-1)}{r!}$
- (ii) In how many ways a committee consisting of 3 men and 2 women, can be chosen from 7 men and 5 women? (2)
5. (i) Sum of all coefficients in the Binomial expansion of $(1 + x)^n$ is _____ (1)
- (ii) Using Binomial theorem expand $\left(\frac{x}{3} + \frac{3}{x}\right)^4$. (2)
6. Consider the line $L_1 : 3x - 4y + 12 = 0$ and a point $A(2, -3)$.
- (i) Find the equation of the line passing through A and parallel to the given line L_1 . (2)
- (ii) Find the distance from the origin to the given line L_1 . (1)
7. Find the coordinates of focus, equation of directrix and length of latus rectum of the parabola $x^2 = 12y$.

8. (i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{x^n - a^n}{x - a} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$. (1)
- (ii) If $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^n - 2^n}{x - 2} = 32$, then find the value of n . (2)

Answer any 6 questions from 9 to 16. Each carries 4 scores.

(6 × 4 = 24)

9. (i) $A \cap A' = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$. (1)
- (ii) If $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$, $A = \{2, 3, 4\}$ and $B = \{2, 3, 4, 6\}$, then verify that $(A \cap B)' = A' \cup B'$. (3)
10. (i) Draw the graph of the function, $f: \mathbb{R} - \{0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$. (2)
- (ii) Find the domain and range of $f(x) = \sqrt{9 - x^2}$. (2)
11. (i) Express $(1 - i)^6$ in $x + iy$ form. (2)
- (ii) Find the coordinates that represent the complex number $\frac{1-i}{1+i}$ in the argand plane. (2)
12. (i) If ${}^n P_r = 840$ and ${}^n C_r = 35$, then find the value of r . (2)
- (ii) Find the number of permutations of the letters of the word ATTITUDE. (2)
13. The vertices of ΔPQR are $P(1, 0)$, $Q(5, 4)$ and $R(-1, 4)$.
- (i) Find the equation of the line representing the side PQ . (2)
- (ii) Find the equation of the line through R and perpendicular to the side PQ . (2)
14. An ellipse has its foci on $(\pm 4, 0)$ and vertices at $(\pm 5, 0)$
- (i) Find the length of the minor axis. (1)
- (ii) Find the length of the latus rectum and eccentricity of the ellipse. (2)
- (iii) Also write the equation of the ellipse. (1)
15. (i) Give an example of any one point which lie in second octant. (1)
- (ii) Show that the points $A(0, 7, 10)$, $B(-1, 6, 6)$ and $C(-4, 9, 6)$ are the vertices of a right angled triangle. (3)

16. A bag contains 8 red and 5 white balls. Three balls are drawn at random. Find the probability that
- All the three balls are white (1)
 - All the three balls are red (1)
 - One ball is red and two balls are white (2)

Answer any 3 questions from 17 to 20. Each carries 6 scores. (3 × 6 = 18)

17. (i) $\frac{1 - \tan^2 15^\circ}{1 + \tan^2 15^\circ} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ (1)

(a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

(b) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

(c) 2

(d) $\sqrt{3}$

(ii) Prove that $\frac{\sin 3x - \sin x}{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x} = 2 \sin x$. (2)

(iii) If $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ and $\tan \phi = \frac{1}{3}$, then show that $\theta + \phi = \frac{\pi}{4}$. (3)

18. (i) Which term of the G.P. 2, 8, 32, is 32768? (2)

(ii) The sum of first three terms of a G.P. is 14 and sum of next three terms is 112. Find the common ratio, first term and the sum to first n terms of the G.P. (4)

19. (i) Using first principle find the derivative of $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$. (3)

(ii) Find $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^2 + 1}{x^2 - 1} \right)$. (3)

20. (i) Find the mean deviation about mean of the following data :
4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 17. (2)

(ii) Find the variance of the following frequency data : (4)

Class	4 - 8	8 - 12	12 - 16	16 - 20
Frequency	3	6	4	7