



10. If  $x = at^2$   $y = 2at$  then  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  is equal to:  
 a.  $\frac{-1}{2at^3}$                       b.  $\frac{-1}{2at^2}$                       c.  $\frac{s1}{2at^3}$                       d. 0

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Hence solve the system of equations:

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**Set B**

**Time: 1½ hr.**

**M.M. : 40**

**General Instructions:-**

All questions are compulsory.

- (a) There are 21 questions in this question paper.
- (b) SECTION A consists of 10 Multiple Choice questions.
- (c) SECTION B consists of 7 questions carrying 2 marks each.
- (d) SECTION C consists of 2 questions carrying 3 marks each.
- (e) SECTION D consists of 2 questions carrying 5 marks each.

**Section A**

1. If A is a square matrix such that  $A^2 = A$ , then  $(I + A)^2 - 3A$  is equal to:  
a. I                                      b. 2A                                      c. 3I                                      d. A
2. If  $\begin{bmatrix} 2x + y & 4x \\ 5x - 7 & 4x \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 7y - 13 \\ y & x + 6 \end{bmatrix}$ , then values of x and y are:  
a.  $x = 3, y = 1$                       b.  $x = 2, y = 3$                       c.  $x = 2, y = 6$                       d.  $x = 3, y = 3$
3. If A is a square matrix of order  $3 \times 3$ , then value of  $|3A|$  is equal to:  
a.  $3|A|$                                       b.  $9|A|$                                       c.  $27|A|$                                       d. none of these
4. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , then the value of  $|AB|$  is:  
a. 28                                      b. -28                                      c. 56                                      d. -56
5. If  $\begin{vmatrix} 2x & -1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ , then the value of x is:  
a.  $\frac{1}{4}$                                       b.  $-\frac{1}{4}$                                       c.  $\frac{1}{2}$                                       d.  $-\frac{1}{2}$
6. If A is a square matrix of order  $3 \times 3$  such that  $|A| = 4$ , then  $|\text{adj } A|$  is equal to:  
a. 16                                      b. 81                                      c. 108                                      d. 256
7. If  $f'(x) = 3x^3 - x^2$ , then  $f(x)$  is increasing in the interval:  
a.  $(\frac{1}{3}, \infty)$                               b.  $(-\infty, \frac{1}{3})$                               c.  $(0, \frac{1}{3})$                               d. None of these
8. If  $x + y = 8$ , then the maximum value of  $xy$  is :  
a. 12                                      b. 16                                      c. 20                                      d. 24
9. Slope of normal to the following curve  $y = x^3 - x + 1$  at  $x = 2$  is:  
a. -11                                      b.  $-\frac{1}{11}$                                       c. 11                                      d.  $\frac{1}{11}$
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Note:- Any other relevant answer not given here in but given by the students, be suitably awarded.

Q.No.	Value points / Key points	Marks allotted to each Key point	Total points
1	(b) Skew Symmetric	1	1
2	(d) 64	1	1
3	(b) $\pm 8$	1	1
4	(d) 4	1	1
5 5(B)	(b) $-\frac{1}{4}$	1	1
6 6(B)	(c) 108	1	1
7 7(B)	(a) $(\frac{1}{3}, \infty)$	1	1
8 8(B)	(b) 16	1	1
9 9(B)	(b) $-\frac{1}{11}$	1	1
10 10(B)	(a) $-\frac{1}{2a+3}$	1	1

11

$$\text{let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a & 3 \\ 2 & b & -1 \\ c & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A$  is skew symmetric

$$\therefore A^T = -A$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & c \\ a & b & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -a & -3 \\ -2 & -b & 1 \\ -c & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-a = 2$$

$$\boxed{a = -2}$$

$$\boxed{c = -3}$$

$$b = -b$$

$$b + b = 0$$

$$2b = 0$$

$$\boxed{b = 0}$$

1/2

1

2

1/2

12

$$\text{let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(A + A^T) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3/2 \\ -3/2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(A - A^T) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -5/2 \\ 5/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3/2 \\ -3/2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -5/2 \\ 5/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

1/2

1/2

1/2

1/2

2



13

$$y = ae^{mx} + be^{-mx}$$

13(B)

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = ame^{mx} - bme^{-mx}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = am^2e^{mx} + bm^2e^{-mx}$$

$$= m^2[ae^{mx} + be^{-mx}]$$

$$= m^2y$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + m^2y = 0$$

1/2

1/2

1/2

1/2

2

14 let. A(k, 4) B(2, -6) C(5, 4)

$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} k & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & -6 & 1 \\ 5 & 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 35$$

$$\frac{1}{2} |k(-6-4) - 4(2-5) + 1(8+30)| = 35$$

$$\frac{1}{2} |-10k + 12 + 38| = 35$$

$$-10k + 50 = \pm 70$$

$$-10k = 70 - 50$$

$$-10k = 20$$

$$k = -2$$

$$-10k = 70 - 50$$

$$\neq 10k = 70 - 50$$

$$k = 12$$

1/2

1/2

1/2 + 1/2

2

15

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 7 & -11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = -33 - 35 = -68$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} -11 & -7 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} -11 & -5 \\ -7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

1/2

1/2

$$A^{-1} = -\frac{1}{68} \begin{bmatrix} -11 & -5 \\ -7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1}A = -\frac{1}{68} \begin{bmatrix} -11 & -5 \\ -7 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 7 & -11 \end{bmatrix} \quad //2$$

$$= -\frac{1}{68} \begin{bmatrix} -33-35 & -55+55 \\ -21+21 & -35-33 \end{bmatrix} \quad 2$$

$$= -\frac{1}{68} \begin{bmatrix} -68 & 0 \\ 0 & -68 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad //2$$

$$= I_2$$

16  
16(B)

$$2x + 3y = 1$$

$$5x + 7y = 2$$

$$D = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = 14 - 15 = -1 \neq 0 \quad //2$$

$$D_2 = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 4 - 5 = -1$$

$$D_1 = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = 7 - 6 = 1$$

$$x = x_1 = \frac{D_1}{D} = \frac{1}{-1} = -1 \quad y = x_2 = \frac{D_2}{D} = \frac{-1}{-1} = 1 \quad //2$$

$$x = -1, \quad y = 1$$



17

$$y = x^3 - 11x + 5$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 11 = \text{Slope of tangent lines}$$

$$\text{eqn of tangent line: } x - y - 11 = 0$$

$$\text{Slope} = \frac{+1}{+1} = 1$$

$$3x^2 - 11 = 1$$

$$3x^2 = 12$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$x = \pm 2$$

$$\text{Req. points: } (2, 8 - 22 + 5), (-2, -8 + 22 + 5)$$

$$(2, -9) \quad (-2, 19)$$

//2

//2

2

//2

//2

18

Section C

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x + 30$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 18x + 12$$

$$= 6(x^2 - 3x + 2)$$

$$= 6(x^2 - 2x - x + 2)$$

$$= 6(x-2)(x-1)$$

for c.v.

$$f'(x) = 0 \quad x = 2, 1$$

Case (i)  
 $x < 1$ 

$$f'(x) = (+ve)(-ve)(-ve) = +ve$$

 $\therefore$  in  $(-\infty, 1)$   $f(x)$  is  $\uparrow$ 

Case (ii)

$$1 < x < 2$$

//2

//2

//2

$$f'(x) = (+ve)(-ve)(+ve) = -ve$$

$\therefore$  in  $(1, 2)$   $f(x)$  is st  $\downarrow$   
 (Case (iii))  $x > 2$

$$f'(x) = (+ve)(+ve)(+ve) = +ve$$

$\therefore$  in  $(2, \infty)$   $f(x)$  is st  $\uparrow$   
 $(-\infty, 1) \cup (2, \infty)$  st  $\uparrow$   
 $(1, 2)$  st  $\downarrow$

1/2

1/2 3

1/2

19

19(B)

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & b+c & b^2+c^2 \\ 1 & c+a & c^2+a^2 \\ 1 & a+b & a^2+b^2 \end{vmatrix} = (a-b)(b-c)(c-a)$$

L.H.S

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2 \quad \& \quad R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_3$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & b-a & b^2-a^2 \\ 0 & c-b & c^2-b^2 \\ 1 & a+b & a^2+b^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

4

$$(a-b)(b-c) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 & -(a+b) \\ 0 & -1 & -(b+c) \\ 1 & a+b & a^2+b^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2$$

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$$(a-b)(b-c) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & c-a \\ 0 & -1 & -(b+c) \\ 1 & a+b & a^2+b^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

1/2

$$(a-b)(b-c)(c-a) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -(b+c) \\ 1 & a+b & a^2+b^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

1/2

3

$$(a-b)(b-c)(c-a) [1(0+1)]$$

$$(a-b)(b-c)(c-a)$$

1/2

20

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

21(b)

$$|A| = 3(-2) - 1(-3+6) + 2(-4)$$

$$= -6 - 3 - 8 = -17$$

1/2

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -3 & -4 \\ +1 & -7 & +2 \\ -7 & +15 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & -7 \\ -3 & -7 & 15 \\ -4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

1

$$A^{-1} = -\frac{1}{17} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & -7 \\ -3 & -7 & 15 \\ -4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

1/2

$$3x + 3y + 2z = 1$$

$$x + 2y = 4$$

$$2x - 3y - z = 5$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

which is of the form

$$A'X = B$$

$$X = (A')^{-1}B$$

$$X = (A^{-1})'B$$

$$X = \frac{-1}{17} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -3 & -4 \\ 1 & -7 & 2 \\ -7 & 15 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{17} \begin{bmatrix} -2 - 12 - 20 \\ 1 - 28 + 10 \\ -7 + 60 + 15 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{-1}{17} \begin{bmatrix} -34 \\ -17 \\ 68 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore x = 2, y = 1, z = -4$$

1/2

1/2

1/2

1/2

1/2

5

1/2

21 let length of box =  $x$  feet

the breadth  $\leq \leq = x$  feet [∵ box is square]

let height  $\leq \leq = y$  feet

$$V = x \times x \times y$$

$$V = x^2 y$$

1/2

$$\text{Area of box} = lb + 2(bh + hl)$$

$$= x^2 + 2(xy + xy)$$

$$= x^2 + 4xy = 40 \text{ [A.T.O]}$$

1

$$4xy = 40 - x^2$$

$$y = \frac{40 - x^2}{4x}$$

1/2

$$V = x^2 \left[ \frac{40 - x^2}{4x} \right] = \frac{40x - x^3}{4}$$

1/2

$$\frac{dV}{dx} = \frac{40 - 3x^2}{4} = 0$$

$$40 - 3x^2 = 0$$

$$40 = 3x^2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{40}{3} \Rightarrow x = \sqrt{\frac{40}{3}}$$

1/2

$$\frac{d^2V}{dx^2} = -\frac{6x}{4} \text{ is -ve if } x = \sqrt{\frac{40}{3}}$$

∴  $x = \sqrt{\frac{40}{3}}$  is the point of maxima

1

$$y = \frac{40 - \frac{40}{3}}{4 \times \sqrt{\frac{40}{3}}} = \frac{\frac{80}{3}}{3\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4 \times \sqrt{40}} = \frac{\frac{80}{3}}{\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{16} \times \sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{20} \times \sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{6}}$$



$$y = \frac{\sqrt{2010}}{\sqrt{63}} = \frac{\sqrt{10} \times \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{30}}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{40} \times \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{120}}{3}$$

1 5

Extra questions of Set B

1 (a) I 1 1

2 (b)  $x=2, y=3$  1 1

3 (c)  $27|A|$  1 1

4 (b)  $-28$  1 1

11  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2y & 2 \\ x & y & -2 \\ x & -y & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A' = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & x & x \\ 2y & y & -y \\ 2 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A'A = I$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & x & x \\ 2y & y & -y \\ 2 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2y & 2 \\ x & y & -2 \\ x & -y & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

1/2



$$\begin{bmatrix} x^2 + x^2 & xy - xy & -xz + xz \\ 0 + xy - xy & 4y^2 + y^2 + y^2 & 2yz - yz - yz \\ -xz + xz & 2yz - yz - yz & z^2 + z^2 + z^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad 1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2x^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6y^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3z^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad 2$$

$$2x^2 = 1$$

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$6y^2 = 1$$

$$y^2 = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$y = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$3z^2 = 1$$

$$z^2 = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$z = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

1/2

12. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$   $A' = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$  1/2

$$\frac{1}{2}(A + A') = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 5 \\ 5 & 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5/2 \\ 5/2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad 1/2$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(A - A') = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1/2 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad 1/2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5/2 \\ 5/2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1/2 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad 1/2$$

15

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 10 - 9 = 1$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{1} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1}A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 10-9 & 15-15 \\ -6+6 & -9+10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= I_2$$

1/2

1/2

1/2

2

1/2

18

$$f(x) = 4x^3 - 6x^2 - 72x + 30$$

$$f'(x) = 12x^2 - 12x - 72$$

$$= 12[x^2 - x - 6]$$

$$= 12[x^2 - 3x + 2x - 6]$$

$$= 12[x(x-3) + 2(x-3)]$$

$$= 12(x-3)(x+2)$$

$$\text{for c.v. } f'(x) = 0$$

$$x = -2, 3$$

$$\frac{1}{-2} \quad \frac{1}{3}$$

Case (i)  $x < -2$

$f'(x) = (+ve)(-ve)(-ve) = +ve$   
in  $(-\infty, -2)$   $f(x)$  is  $\uparrow$

1/2

1/2

1/2

Case (ii)  $-2 < x < 3$

$$f(x) = (+ve)(-ve)(+ve) = -ve$$

$\therefore$  in  $(-2, 3)$   $f(x)$  is  $\downarrow$

$\frac{1}{2}$

Case (iii)  $x > 3$

$$f(x) = (+ve)(+ve)(+ve) = +ve$$

$\therefore$  in  $(3, \infty)$   $f(x)$  is  $\uparrow$

$\frac{1}{2}$

3

$(-\infty, -2) \cup (3, \infty)$   $\uparrow$

$(-2, 3)$   $\downarrow$

$\frac{1}{2}$