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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 (1, 3), B (-1, 0) and C (4, 0) and the points P (0, 0), 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.
- Determine the point of RP<sup>2</sup> 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.

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Mathematics

### MTS 5B 09—INTRODUCTION TO GEOMETRY

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Time : Two Hours

Maximum : 60 Marks

#### Section A

Answer at least **eight** questions. Each question carries 3 marks. All questions can be attended. Overall Ceiling 24.

- 1. Find the equation of the tangent at the point with parameter *t* to the parabola with parametric equations  $x = at^2$ , y = 2at where  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ .
- 2. Let E be a parabola with parametric equations  $x = t^2$ , y = t,  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ . Find focus, vertex axis and directrix of E.
- 3. Prove that the equation of the tangent at the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to an ellipse is  $\frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1$ .
- 4. Write the equation of the conic  $x^2 4xy + 4y^2 6x 8y + 5 = 0$  in matrix form.

5. Show that  $\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$  is orthogonal for each real number  $\theta$ .

6. Let the Euclidean transformations  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  be given by :

$$t_{1}(\mathbf{X}) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & \frac{-4}{5} \\ \frac{4}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and}$$
$$t_{2}(\mathbf{X}) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-4}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \\ \frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}. \text{ Find } t_{2} \circ t_{1}.$$

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- 7. Find the inverse of the affine transformation  $t(X) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} X + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$ .
- 8. State fundamental theorem of affine geometry.
- 9. Prove that an affine transformation maps straight lines to straight lines.
- 10. State Desargue's theorem.
- 11. Find the equation of the line that passes through the point [1, 2, 3] and [2, -1, 4].
- 12. Find the point of intersection of the lines in  $\mathbb{RP}^2$  with equations x + 6y 5z = 0 and x 2y + z = 0.

 $(8 \times 3 = 24 \text{ marks})$ 

### Section **B**

Answer at least **five** questions. Each question carries 5 marks. All questions can be attended. Overall Ceiling 25.

13. Let PQ be an arbitrary chord of the ellipse with equation  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . Let M be the midpoint of

PQ. Prove that the following expression is independent of the choice of P and Q : Slope of OM  $\times$  Slope of PQ.

- 14. State and prove reflection properties of the ellipse.
- 15. Prove that the set of all affine transformations A(2) forms a group under the operation of composition of functions.
- 16. Determine the image of the line y = 2x under the affine transformation

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

17. Determine the affine transformation which maps the points (2, 3), (1, 6) and (3, -1) to the points (1, -2), (2, 1) and (-3, 5) respectively.

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- 18. Prove that affine transformations maps ellipses to ellipses, parabolas to parabolas and hyperbolas to hyperbolas.
- Determine the point of ℝP<sup>2</sup> 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].

 $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$ 

### Section C

Answer any **one** question. The question carries 11 marks.

- 20. Prove that the conic E with equation  $3x^2 10xy + 3y^2 + 14x 2y + 3 = 0$  is a hyperbola. Determine its centre, and its major and minor axes.
- 21. State and prove Ceva's theorem.

 $(1 \times 11 = 11 \text{ marks})$