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DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-2026 ONLY)

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N.G.M. COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS): POLLACHI

END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS: MAY-2026

B.Sc.- MATHEMATICS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 75

SEMESTER: II

TIME: 3 HOURS

PART-III
ANALYTICAL GEOMETRY

SECTION – A

(10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

(K1)

- 1) The pole of the line $Ax + By + C = 0$ with respect to the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is _____.
(A) $\frac{C}{A}, -\frac{2aB}{A}$ (B) $\frac{C}{A}, \frac{2aB}{A}$ (C) $-\frac{C}{A}, -\frac{2aB}{A}$ (D) $-\frac{C}{A}, \frac{2aB}{A}$
- 2) Distance between the points (r_1, θ_1) and (r_2, θ_2) is $PQ^2 =$ _____.
(A) $r_1^2 + r_2^2$ (B) $r_1^2 + r_2^2 - 2r_1r_2 \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1)$
(C) $r_1^2 - r_2^2$ (D) $r_1^2 + r_2^2 + 2r_1r_2 \cos(\theta_2 - \theta_1)$
- 3) The radius of the sphere which has its centre at the point (6, -1, 2) and touches the plane $2x - y + 2z - 2 = 0$ is
(A) $\sqrt{41}$ (B) 3 (C) 5 (D) 15
- 4) The equation $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2ux + 2vy + 2wz + d = 0$ represents a cone if
(A) $\Delta > 0$ (B) $\Delta < 0$ (C) $\Delta = 0$ (D) $\Delta \neq 0$
- 5) Consider the equation $Ax^2 + By^2 + Cz^2 = 1$. If A, B, C are all real, then the equation represents _____.
(A) an ellipses (B) a straight line (C) a hyperbola (D) planes

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE OR TWO SENTENCES.

- 6) Obtain the equation of the chord of tangents drawn from (x_1, y_1) , to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$.
- 7) Find the Polar equation of a conic.
- 8) Find the equation of the sphere with centre (-1, 2, -3) and radius 3 units.
- 9) Define Right circular cone.
- 10) Define Enveloping Cylinder.

SECTION – B

(5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K3)

- 11) (a) If the chord of contact of tangents drawn from P to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ subtends a right angle at the centre, find the locus of P.

(OR)

(b) Obtain the equation of the asymptotes of the hyperbola.

- 12) (a) Find the locus of the foot of the perpendiculars drawn from the pole to the tangents to the circle $r = 2a \cos \theta$.

(OR)

(b) If the tangents at P and Q on a conic intersect at T, then prove that $ST^2 = SP \cdot SQ$, if the conic is a parabola.

- 13 (a) Find the equation of the sphere having the circle $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x + 4y - 6z + 7 = 0$, $2x - y + 2z = 5$ for a great circle.

(OR)

- (b) Obtain the equation of the tangent plane to the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2ux + 2vy + 2wz + d = 0$ at point (x_1, y_1, z_1) .

- 14 (a) Find the equation of the cone with vertex O and base curve, the conic in which the surface $ax^2 + bx^2 + cz^2 = 1$ is cut by the plane $l_1x + m_1y + n_1z = p$.

(OR)

- (b) Derive the equation of the intersection of a straight line and a quadric cone.

- 15) (a) Find the equation of the cylinder whose generators are parallel to the line $\frac{x}{l} = \frac{y}{m} = \frac{z}{n}$ and whose guiding curve is $f(x, y, z) = 0$, $ax + by + cz = 0$.

(OR)

- (b) Find the equation of the enveloping cylinder of the surface $ax^2 + bx^2 + cz^2 = 1$ having the generator parallel to $\frac{x}{l} = \frac{y}{m} = \frac{z}{n}$.

SECTION – C

(5 X 8 = 40 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K4 (Or) K5)

- 16) (a) Derive the equation of the pair of tangents to the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ from the point (x_1, y_1) .

(OR)

- (b) A pair of tangents to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ intercept on the x-axis a constant length c. Prove that the locus of the point of intersection is the curve.

- 17) (a) Tracing the conic $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$.

(OR)

- (b) If the normal at L, one of the extremities of the latus rectum of the conic $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$,

meets the curve again in Q, show that $SQ = l \cdot \frac{1+3e^2+e^4}{1+e^2-e^4}$.

- 18) a) A plane passes through a fixed point (a, b, c) and cuts the axes in A, B, C. Show that the locus of the centre of the sphere OABC is $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 2$.

(OR)

- (b) Show that the plane $2x - y - 2z = 16$ touches the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 4x + 2y + 2z - 3 = 0$ and find the point of contact.

- 19) a) Find the equations of the tangent planes to the cone $9x^2 - 4y^2 + 16z^2 = 0$ which contain the

$$\text{line } \frac{x}{32} = \frac{y}{72} = \frac{z}{72}.$$

(OR)

- (b) Find the equation to the cone through the coordinate axes and the line in which the planes $lx + my + nz = 0$ cuts the cone $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2fyz + 2gzx + 2hxy = 0$.

- 20) (a) Find the equation of a right circular cylinder of radius 3 with axis $\frac{x+2}{3} = \frac{y-4}{6} = \frac{z-1}{2}$.

(OR)

- (b) Find the equation of the tangent planes to $x^2 + y^2 + 4z^2 = 1$ which intersect in the line whose equations are $12x - 3y - 5 = 0$, $z = 1$.
