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**B.A./B.Sc. (General) 1<sup>st</sup> Semester**

**1125**

**MATHEMATICS**

**Paper : I : Plane Geometry**

**Time Allowed : 3 Hours]**

**[Maximum Marks : 30**

**Note :-** Attempt **FIVE** questions, selecting at least **two** questions from each Section.

**SECTION-I**

- I. (a) Find the transformed equation of  $11x^2 - 4xy + 14y^2 = 5$  when the axes are rotated through an angle of  $\tan^{-1} 2$ .  
(b) Find the joint equation of two straight lines passing through (1, 2) and perpendicular to lines  $3x^2 - 8xy + 5y^2 = 0$ .  
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- II. (a) For what value of k the equation :  $kx^2 - 10xy + 12y^2 + 5x - 16y - 3 = 0$  represent a pair of straight lines ? Also find the separate equations of lines.  
(b) Find equation of the bisectors of the angle between the lines joining origin to the points of intersection of the curve  $x^2 + xy + y^2 + x + 3y + 1 = 0$  and the straight line  $x + y + 2 = 0$ .  
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- III. (a) Find the locus of the middle points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 2y - 10 = 0$  which subtends a right angle at the centre of the circle.
- (b) Find point of intersection of tangents at the points where the line  $3x + 4y = 25$  cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 50$ . 3,3
- IV. (a) Find the radical axis and the length of the common chord of the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + ax + by + c = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + bx + ay + c = 0$ .
- (b) Find equation of the circle which belongs to the co-axial system of which the limiting points are  $(1, -1)$  and  $(2, 0)$  and which passes through origin. 3,3

## SECTION-II

- V. (a) Find equation of the common tangents to circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ .
- (b) In the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , show that the locus of the middle point of the normal PG at P, where G is on the axis, is a parabola. 3,3
- VI. (a) Prove that the locus of the poles of chords which are normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is the curve  $y^2(x + 2a) + 4a^3 = 0$ .
- (b) The general equation of a system of parallel chords in parabola  $y^2 = 6x$  is  $2x + y + k = 0$ . What is the equation of corresponding diameter? 3,3



- VII. (a) If the eccentric angles of two points on an ellipse differ by  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , then show that the tangents to the ellipse at these

points intersect on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$ .

- (b) Show that the minimum angle between a pair of conjugate diameters of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2ab}{a^2 - b^2} \right)$ .

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- VIII. (a) Find the locus of the mid-points of the chords of

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  which touch the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ .

- (b) Find the eccentricity of the hyperbola of which  $2x - 3y = 0$  and  $x = 2y$  is a pair of conjugate diameters.

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