

Model Question of SSC Examination 2020 for All Board

Higher Mathematics

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Time — 2 hours 30 minutes

Full Marks — 50

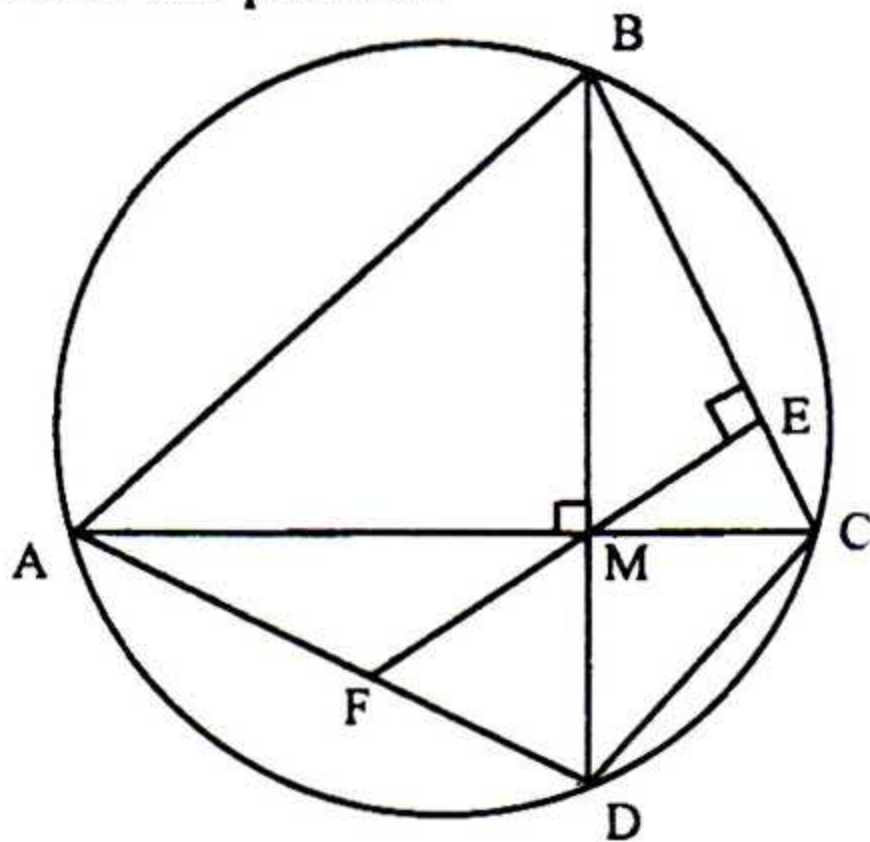
[N.B. — The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. Answer five questions taking at least one from each Group.]

Group A – Algebra

1. **★** Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ then function is defined as $f(x) = \frac{4x + 3}{2x + 5}$.
- a. Determine whether the relation $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ is function or not? 2
 - b. Find whether the function f is one-one or not. 4
 - c. If $f^{-1}(-6) = m \cdot f^{-1}(-2)$, find the value of m . 4
2. **▶** If the n -th term of a series is $U_n = (1 + x)^{n-2}$.
- a. Determine the series. 2
 - b. Find the sum up to infinity under certain condition of x for which the infinite series exist. 4
 - c. If the value of the middle term in the expansion of the given term for $n = 8$ is 1280, then find the value of x . 4
3. **▶** A logarithmic function is defined as $f(x) = \log_e x$.
- a. Find the conditions for which the function $y = \ln \frac{5+x}{5-x}$ becomes undefined. 2
 - b. Draw the graph of the function. 4
 - c. Determine the inverse function of $f(x)$. 4

Group B – Geometry and Vector

4. ★ The diagonal AC and BD of the quadrilateral $ABCD$ inscribed in a circle intersect at the point M . ME is the perpendicular on BC from M and extended EM intersects the opposite side AD at the point F .



- Draw a circle which passes through two definite points and whose centre lies on a definite straight line. 2
 - Prove that $AF = FD$. 4
 - Consider the triangle ABC whose circumcentre is S and middle point of AC is R . If a perpendicular AP is drawn from A to BC which intersects BM at the other center O . Determine the relation between BO and SR . 4
5. ★ Given, $3x + 4y = 12$.
- Determine the intersecting point of $y = x - 4$ and $y = x + 4$. 2

- b. If $P(x, y)$ is the equidistant from the intersecting point of the straight line with the axes, then prove that $8x - 6y = 7$. 4
- c. Find the total surface area of the solid formed, if the perpendicular height is 8 unit whose triangular base is produced by the line with the two axes. 4
- 6. ▶** D, E and F are the middle points of the sides BC, CA and AB of the triangle ABC respectively.
- a. If both a, b are non-zero and non-parallel vectors and if $ma + nb = 0$, then show that $m = n = 0$. 2
- b. Prove that $\vec{AD} + \vec{BE} + \vec{CF} = 0$ 4
- c. Prove with the help of vectors that the straight line drawn through F parallel to BC must go through E. 4

Group C - Trigonometry & Probability

- 7. ▶** Consider $f(x) = \sin x$.
- a. Prove that "Radian is a constant angle". 2
- b. Find the value of $f(\alpha) = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2} < \alpha < \frac{3\pi}{2}$. 4
- c. Solve $\left\{f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + x\right)\right\}^2 + f(x) = \frac{5}{4}$ where $0 < x < 2\pi$. 4
- 8. ★** A coin and a dice are thrown together.
- a. Write down the sample space for above stem. 2
- b. Determine the probability of getting head and odd number. 4
- c. Find the probability of getting at least one head and one even numbers together. 4

[N.B— Answer all the questions. Each question carries one mark. Block fully, with a ball-point pen, the circle of the letter that stands for the correct/best answer in the "Answer Sheet" for Multiple Choice Questions Examination.]

1. If A and B are two disjoint sets, then

$$A - B = ?$$

- (a) A (b) B
(c) U (d) \emptyset

2. Which one is the domain of $f(x) = \frac{x}{|x|}$?

- (a) $\{0\}$ (b) $\mathbb{R} - \{0\}$
(c) $\{-1, 1\}$ (d) \mathbb{R}

3. If $\sqrt{8x+9} - \sqrt{2x+15} = \sqrt{2x-6}$, then $x = ?$

- (a) -5 (b) 0
(c) 5 (d) 6

4. **★** What is the degree of zero polynomial?

- (a) 0 (b) 1
(c) any number (d) undefined

5. Which one is not a one-one function?

- (a) $f(x) = 2x + 3$ (b) $f(x) = |x|$
(c) $f(x) = \log x$ (d) $f(x) = e^{-x}$

6. Equation of the y-axis is—

- (a) $x = 0$ (b) $y = 0$
(c) $x + y = 0$ (d) $x - y = 0$

7. **★** If $S = \{(1, -1), (2, -2), (3, -2)\}$, then

- i. Relation S is a function
ii. S is a one one function
iii. Range of S is $\{-1, -2\}$

Which of the following is correct?

- (a) i
(b) iii
(c) i & iii
(d) i, ii & iii

8. If $3^{2x-2} - 5 \cdot 3^{ax-2} - 66 = 0$ what is the value of a if $x = 3$?

- (a) -2 (b) -1
(c) 0 (d) 1

9. $\frac{5x-7}{(x-1)(x-2)} \equiv \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x-2}$, where A

& B are rational numbers. What is the value of A?

- (a) -3 (b) -2
(c) 1 (d) 2

10. The co-ordinate of the point on which the axis intersects is—

- (a) (0, 0) (b) (1, 0)
(c) (0, 1) (d) (1, 1)

Answer the questions 11-12 according to the following stem :

Two unbiased coins are tossed twice at the same time

11. **★** What is the probability of not getting any head?

- (a) $\frac{3}{4}$ (b) $\frac{1}{4}$
(c) $\frac{3}{8}$ (d) $\frac{1}{8}$

12. **★** What is the probability of getting at least one head?

- (a) $\frac{3}{4}$ (b) $\frac{1}{2}$
(c) $\frac{1}{4}$ (d) $\frac{3}{8}$

13. Which one of the following is the equation of a straight line passing through the point (3, -4) and parallel to the y-axis?

- (a) $x = -4$ (b) $y = -4$
(c) $x = 3$ (d) $y = 3$

14. What is the radius of the giant wheel which makes 80 revolutions to cover a distance of 1.25 km?

- (a) 1.24 (b) 2.48
(c) 4.97 (d) 7.81

15. Which one is the solution set of the

inequality $x \leq \frac{x}{5} + 8$?

- (a) $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \leq -10\}$
- (b) $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq -10\}$
- (c) $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \leq 10\}$
- (d) $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq 10\}$

16. **★** If 1st term is 2 and common ratio is -1, which one is the 5th term of the geometric series?

- (a) -4
- (b) -2
- (c) 2
- (d) 4

17. Where does the centre of the circum-circle of a right angled triangle lie on?

- (a) On opposite
- (b) On base
- (c) On hypotenuse
- (d) Outside of triangle

18. What is the value of $AB^2 + AC^2$ if in triangle ABC, median $AD = 7\text{cm}$ and side $BD = 9\text{cm}$

- (a) 16cm
- (b) 32cm
- (c) 256cm
- (d) 260cm

19. What is the ratio of two angles adjoining the hypotenuse isosceles right angled triangle.

- (a) 1 : 1
- (b) 1 : 2
- (c) 2 : 1
- (d) 2 : 3

20. **★** The function $f(x) = \ln(x - 5)$ is —

- i. Exponential function
- ii. Defined for $x > 5$
- iii. Range $\mathbb{R}_f = (0, \infty)$

Which of the following is correct?

- (a) i & ii

- (b) i & iii
- (c) ii & iii
- (d) i, ii & iii

21. If a and b are respectively the position vectors of A and B with respect to the origin O then which one is correct?

- (a) $AB = b - a$
- (b) $AB = a - b$
- (c) $OB = b - a$
- (d) $OA = a - b$

22. **★** In the equation $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$, if discriminant $b^2 - 4ac > 0$ and is not a perfect square then two roots are—

- (a) Real, unequal & irrational
- (b) Imaginary
- (c) Real, unequal & rational
- (d) Real & equal

Answer the questions 23-24 according to the following stem :

The diameter of a cone is 8m and slant surface makes an angle 60° with horizon.

23. How much space in square meters will be required to build the tent?

- (a) 144.52
- (b) 82.26
- (c) 50.27
- (d) 25.135

24. Which one is the amount of the gap inside the tent?

- (a) 116.08
- (b) 201.1
- (c) 536.171
- (d) 672.33

25. In the expansion of $(1 + px)^8$, for which value of p the co-efficient of x^3 and x^4 are equal?

- (a) $\frac{3}{5}$
- (b) $\frac{3}{4}$
- (c) $\frac{4}{5}$
- (d) $\frac{5}{4}$

Ans.	1	(a)	2	(b)	3	(c)	4	(d)	5	(b)	6	(a)	7	(c)	8	(d)	9	(d)	10	(a)	11	(b)	12	(a)	13	(c)	14	(a)	15	(c)
	16	(c)	17	(c)	18	(d)	19	(a)	20	(c)	21	(a)	22	(a)	23	(c)	24	(a)	25	(c)										