

**15E(A)**

**MATHEMATICS Paper – I**

**MARCH 2008**

**Parts A and B**

**[Maximum Marks: 50 Time: 2½ Hours]**

**Instructions:**

1. Answer the questions under **Part-A** on a separate answer book.
2. Write the answers to the questions under **Part-B** on the question paper itself and attach it to the answer book of **Part-A**.

---

**PART – A**

**Time: 2 Hours**

**Marks: 35**



*(Marks: 5x2=10)*

**Note:**

1. Answer **ANY FIVE** questions, choosing **at least TWO** from each of the following two groups i.e., **A and B**.
2. Each question carries 2 marks.

**GROUP – A**

*(Statements and Sets, Functions, Polynomials)*

1. Define implication with truth table and give an example.
2. Show that  $(\sim p) \vee (p \wedge q) \equiv (p \Rightarrow q)$ .
3. Define One-to-One function.  
Show that  $f(x) = 3x - 2; x \in N$  is one-to-one.
4. State and prove Remainder Theorem.

**GROUP – B**

*(Linear Programming, Real Numbers, Progressions)*

5. Show the solutions of the following system of inequations through graphs.  
 $x \geq 0; y \geq 0; x + y \leq 1.$

6. Solve  $|3x - 5| = 10$ .
7. Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+x+x^2}-1}{x}$ .
8. 2, 4, 6, 8 .....are in A.P. Find the sum of 100 terms and n terms.

**SECTION – II**

(Marks 4x1=4)

**Note:**

1. Answer ANY FOUR of the following SIX questions.
2. Each question carries 1 mark.
  
9. Write the Inverse and Contrapositive of the following conditional statement – “If two triangles are congruent, then they are similar.”
10. If  $f(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-1}$ , then show that  $f(x) + f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0$ .
11. Find the value of K so that  $x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x + K$  is exactly divisible by  $(x - 2)$ .
12. At which of the points A(3, 0); B(0, 8), the function  $f = x + 4y$  is minimum?
13. Find the product of  $(x)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (x)^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot (x)^{\frac{4}{3}}$ .
14. Which term of the A.P. 5, 2, -1 ..... is -22?

**SECTION – III**

(Marks 4x4=16)

**Note:**

1. Answer **ANY FOUR** questions, choosing **TWO** from each of the following groups i.e., **A and B**.
2. Each question carries 4 marks.

**GROUP – A***(Statements and Sets, Functions, Polynomials)*

15. Prove that for any three sets A, B, C;  
 $A - (B \cup C) = (A - B) \cap (A - C)$   
 (Use element-wise proof.)
16. If  $f(x) = x + 2$ ;  $g(x) = x^2 - x - 2$ ; ( $x \in R$ ),  
 Then find the value of  $\frac{g(1)+g(2)+g(3)}{f(-4)+f(-2)+f(2)}$
17. Let f, g, h be functions defined by  $f(x) = x$ ,  $g(x) = 1 - x$  and  $h(x) = x + 1$ .  
 Find (i)  $(hog)$  of (ii)  $ho(gof)$ .  
 From (i) and (ii) what do you conclude?
18. Using mathematical induction, prove that

$$\frac{1}{1.2} + \frac{1}{2.3} + \frac{1}{3.4} + \dots + \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$$

**GROUP – B***(Linear Programming, Real Numbers, Progressions)*

19. A certain manufacturer has 75 kg. of cashew and 120 kg. of groundnuts. These are to be mixed in 1 kg. packages as follows: A low grade mixture 250 grams of cashew and 750 grams of groundnuts, whereas in a high grade mixture 500 grams of cashew and 500 grams of groundnuts. If the profit on the low grade mixture is Rs. 2 per package and that on high grade mixture is Rs. 3 per package, how many packages of each mixture be made for a maximum profit?

*(Write Objective function and System of Inequations without graph)*

20. If  $y = \sqrt[3]{3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3}}$ , then show that  $3y^3 - 9y = 10$ .
21. If  $(b + c)$ ,  $(c + a)$  and  $(a + b)$  are in H.P., show that  $\frac{1}{a^2}, \frac{1}{b^2}, \frac{1}{c^2}$  will also be in H.P.
22. If the sum of the first  $n$  natural numbers is  $S_1$  and that of their squares is  $S_2$  and cubes is  $S_3$ , then show that  $9S_2^2 = S_3(1 + 8S_1)$ .

**SECTION – IV***(Marks 1x5=5)***Note:**

1. Answer **ANY ONE** question from the following.
2. It carries 5 marks.

23. Maximise  $f = 2x + y$ , subject to the constraints

- i.  $2x + 5 \leq 8$
- ii.  $y \leq 4$
- iii.  $x \leq 3$
- iv.  $x \geq 0$
- v.  $y \geq 0$

24. Using the graph of  $y = x^2$ , Solve the equation  $x^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$ .

**15E(B)****PART – B****Time: 30 minutes****Marks: 15****Note:**

- Each question carries  $\frac{1}{2}$  mark.
- Answers are to be written in the question paper only.
- All questions are to be answered.
- Marks will not be given for over-written, re-written (or) erased answers.

**I. Write the CAPITAL LETTERS of the correct answer in the brackets provided against each question.**

- $p \vee (q \wedge r) \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$  is  
(A) Commutative Law (B) Distributive Law (C) Identity Law (D) De Morgan's Law
- If  $A \subset B$  and  $n(A) = 5; n(B) = 6$ , then  $n(A \cup B) = \dots$   
(A) 6 (B) 5 (C) 11 (D) None
- If  $f(x) = x^2 - x + 6$ , then  $f(4) = \dots\dots\dots$   
(A) 0 (B) 18 (C) 6 (D) 2
- $f(x) = x^2 + 4x - 12$ , what are the zeroes of ?  
(A)  $\{-6, 2\}$  (B)  $\{6, 2\}$  (C)  $\{3, 2\}$  (D)  $\{-3, -2\}$
- The inequation for  $1 < x < 3$  is .....  
(A)  $x^2 + 4x + 3 < 0$  (B)  $x^2 - 4x + 3 < 0$  (C)  $x^2 - 4x - 3 < 0$  (D)  $x^2 + 4x - 3 < 0$
- The curve of the graph of  $x = my^2$  ( $m > 0$ ) lies in the quadrants  
(A) 1 and 2 (B) 2 and 3 (C) 3 and 4 (D) 1 and 4
- The point that lies in the half plane  $x + y < 3$  is  
(A) (1, 1) (B) (2, 2) (C) (3, 3) (D) (4, 4)
- $16^{0.5} = \dots\dots\dots$   
(A) 5.43 (B) 45 (C) 8 (D) 4
- The 7<sup>th</sup> term of the series  $1, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \dots\dots\dots$  is  
(A)  $-\frac{1}{8}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{16}$  (C)  $-\frac{1}{32}$  (D)  $\frac{1}{64}$
- If  $a, b, c$  are in G.P., then  
(A)  $a = bc$  (B)  $b^2 = ac$  (C)  $c = ab$  (D)  $a^2 = bc$

**II. Fill in the blanks with suitable answers.**

11. The truth value of implication statement:  
If  $3+2 = 5$ , then  $1 \times 0 = 0$  is .....
12. The set builder form of  $B = \{1, 8, 27, 64, 125\}$  is .....
13.  $f(x) = x^3$ ;  $g(x) = x^2 - 2$  for  $x \in R$ ; then  $gof(x)$  .....
14. The 5<sup>th</sup> term in the expansion of  $(3x + 4)^6$  is .....
15. If the sum of co-efficients of polynomial  $f(x)$  is zero, then ..... is factor to it.
16. Any point  $(x, y)$  in the feasible region gives a solution to LPP is called .....
17.  $64^x = 2\sqrt{2}$ , then  $x =$  .....
18. The limiting position of secant of a Circle is .....
19. If  $x + y, x - y, x - 3y, \dots$  are in A.P., then the 15<sup>th</sup> term is .....
20. Sum of n terms of the progression 1, 4, 9, 16 ..... is .....

**III. For the following questions under Group-A, choose the correct answer from the master list Group-B and write the letter of the correct answer in the brackets provided against them.**

**(i) Group – A**

21. If  $A \subset B$ , then  $A \cap B =$  ..... [.....]
22. Product of roots of equation  $x^2 - 3x - 15 = 0$  [.....]
23. If  $f(x) = x$ , then  $f$  is ..... [.....]
24. Solutions of  $x < 0; y < 0$  lie in .... [.....]
25.  $|x| \geq a$  [.....]

**Group – B**

- (A) -15
- (B) Identity Function
- (C) A
- (D)  $x \geq a$  (or)  $x \leq -a$
- (E)  $-a \leq x \leq a$
- (F) B
- (G) III
- (H) IV

**(ii) Group – A**

26. If  $\sqrt{x^a} = x^{\frac{2}{3}}$ , then  $a =$  ..... [.....]
27.  $a^x = b, b^y = c, c^z = a$ , then the value of  $xyz =$  ..... [.....]
28. In a G.P.;  $a = 2, S_- = 6$ , then  $r =$  ..... [.....]
29. Relation between A.M., G.M., H.M. [.....]
30. If  $f(x) = x + 2, g(x) = x$ , then  $fog(x) =$  [.....]

**Group – B**

- (I) 1
- (J)  $\frac{2}{3}$
- (K)  $G^2 = AH$
- (L)  $x + 2$
- (M)  $\frac{4}{3}$
- (N)  $x$
- (O)  $A^2 = GH$
- (P)  $\frac{4}{9}$