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**Subsidiary for B.Sc. Honours / II A**  
**MATHEMATICS – Paper III**  
**(Analytic Geometry of Two Dimensions and Vectors)**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Maximum Marks : 75**

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Attempt any six questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Find  $\lambda$  such that the equation  $12x^2 - 10xy + 2y^2 + 11x - 5y + \lambda = 0$  may represent a pair of straight lines. 6
- (b) Prove that the angle between the lines joining the origin to points of intersection of the line  $y = 3x + 2$  with the curve  $x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2 + 4x + 8y = 11$  is  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}\right)$ . 6½
2. (a) Find the equation to the circle which cuts orthogonally each of the three circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 17y + 4 = 0$ ,  
 $x^2 + y^2 + 7x + 6y + 11 = 0$ ,  
 $x^2 + y^2 - x + 22y + 3 = 0$  6

- (b) Find the limiting points of the coaxal system of circles of which two members are  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 12y + 5 = 0$  and  $3(x^2 + y^2) + 10x - 20y + 15 = 0$ . 6½
3. (a) Prove that the portion of a tangent to parabola cut off between the directrix and the curve subtends a right angle at the focus. 6
- (b) Prove that through any point 3 normals can be drawn to the parabola and the algebraic sum of the ordinates of the feet of the three normals from any given point is zero. 6½
4. (a) Show that locus of the poles of normal chords to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is the curve  $\frac{a^6}{x^2} + \frac{b^6}{y^2} = (a^2 - b^2)^2$ . 6
- (b) If P and D are extremities of conjugate diameters of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , show that the tangents at P and D meet on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$ . 6½
5. (a) Show that the line  $lx + my = n$  will touch the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  if  $a^2l^2 - b^2m^2 = n^2$ . 6
- (b) Show that, if two diameters be conjugate with respect to a given hyperbola, they will also be conjugate with respect to the conjugate hyperbola. 6½

6. (a) Show that  $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$  and  $\frac{l}{r} = -1 + e \cos \theta$  represent same conic. 6

- (b) Prove that the condition that the line  $\frac{l}{r} = A \cos \theta + B \sin \theta$  may touch the conic  $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$  is  $(A - e)^2 + B^2 = 1$ . 6½

7. Trace the conic  $4x^2 - 4xy + y^2 - 8x - 6y + 5 = 0$ .

12½

8. (a) Find the area of the parallelogram whose adjacent sides are respectively  $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = -3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ . 6

- (b) If  $\vec{a} = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ , calculate  $(\vec{a} + \vec{b}) \times (\vec{a} - \vec{b})$ . 6½

9. (a) A particle moves along a curve whose parametric equations are  $x = e^{-t}$ ,  $y = 2 \cos 3t$ ,  $z = 2 \sin 3t$ . Find the velocity and acceleration of the particle at time  $t = 0$ . 6

- (b) If  $\vec{a} = t^2\hat{i} - t\hat{j} + (2t + 1)\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = (2t + 3)\hat{i} + \hat{j} - t\hat{k}$ , find  $\frac{d}{dt}(\vec{a} \times \vec{b})$ . 6½

10. (a) If  $\vec{R}(u) = (u - u^2)\hat{i} + 2u^3\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ , find  $\int \vec{R}(u) du$ . 6

(b) Evaluate  $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ , where  $\vec{F} = x^2\hat{i} + y^2\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}$

and  $C$  is the arc of the curve

$$\vec{r} = t\hat{i} + t^2\hat{j} + t^3\hat{k} \text{ from } t = 0 \text{ to } t = 1. \quad 6\frac{1}{2}$$