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FIRST TERM EXAMINATION 2025/2026 ACADEMIC SESSION

NAME				
SUBJECT	FURTHER MATHEMATICS (OBJECTIVE)	CLASS	SS3	DURATION 2 1/2 HOURS

Instruction : Answer all the questions in this section

[40MARKS]

1. Find the distance between the points A(3,2) and B (4,6)
A. $\sqrt{17}$
B. 7
C. $\sqrt{12}$
D. $\sqrt{6}$
2. Find the mid point between the point A (3,5) and B (1,3)
A. (4,8)
B. (2,2)
C. (2,4)
D. (4,2)
3. Find the gradient of the line joining (3,2) and (7,10)
A. 2
B. 1
C. $\frac{1}{2}$
D. -1
4. Find the angle of slope of the line $y=x+4$
A. 32.9^0
B. 45^0
C. 56.7^0
D. 58.7^0
5. Find the coefficient of x^4 in the binomial expansion of $(2 + x)^6$.
A. 120
B. 80
C. 60
D. 15
6. Find the equation of a straight line of slope 2 if it passes through the point (3,-2)
A. $y=x-6$
B. $y=2x-8$
C. $y=-2x+3$
D. $y=3x$
7. Solve the equation $4^{x-1}=32$
A. $x=1 \frac{1}{2}$
B. $x = 2 \frac{1}{2}$
C. $x = 3 \frac{1}{2}$
D. $x=4$
E. $x = 5 \frac{1}{2}$
8. Differentiate the function $y=5x^3-4x^2+3x$ with respect to x
A. $8x^2-4x+3$
B. $15x^2-8x+3$
C. $15x-8$
D. $5x^2-8x+3$
9. Solve the equation $x^2-6x+9=0$
A. $x=-3$ or 2
B. $x=3$ or 3
C. $x = 1$ or 4
D. $x = -2$ or 3
10. If $y = 3x^2+6x+2$. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at the point $x = 1$
A. 3
B. 4

C. 12
D. 8

11. Without tables or calculator evaluate $\frac{\tan 60 + \tan 45}{1 - \tan 60 \tan 45}$

A. $-(4+2\sqrt{3})$
B. $-(2+\sqrt{3})$
C. $-\frac{1}{2}(1+\sqrt{3})$
D. $3+\sqrt{2}$

12. Find the derivative of y with respect to x in $x^2+xy+y^2=9$

A. $\frac{2x-y}{x-2y}$
B. $\frac{-(2x+y)}{x-2y}$
C. $\frac{-2x-y}{x+2y}$
D. $\frac{2x-y}{x+2y}$

13. A binary operation * is defined on the set of integers (z) by $a*b = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a - b}$ for all a, b, EZ. Find the value of x if $3*x = 23$

A. 26
B. 23
C. 20
D. 17

14. The probability of a girl passing further mathematics is $3/5$ and probability of failing physics is $2/7$. Find the probability of the passing both subjects

A. $3/7$
B. $2/5$
C. $5/7$
D. $3/5$

15. If $(x+3)$ is a factor of the polynomial $x^3 + 3x^2 + nx - 12$, where n is a constant, find the value of n.

A. -1
B. -2
C. -3
D. -4

16. Simplify $\frac{n!}{(n-2)!}$

A. n
B. n-1
C. n (n-1)
D. m(n-1) (n-2)

17. Simplify $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}-1} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}+1}$

A. $\frac{1}{2}$
B. $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}$
C. 3
D. $2\sqrt{3}$

18. Evaluate $x \rightarrow 3 \left(\frac{x^2 - 2x - 3}{x - 3} \right)$

A. 4
B. 3
C. 2
D. 0

19. Which of the following is the same as $\sin(270+x)$?

A. $\sin x$
B. $\tan x$
C. $-\sin x$
D. $-\cos x$

20. Given that $\alpha + \beta = 3$ and $\alpha \beta = 2$. Find the equation

A. $x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$
B. $x^2 - 2x + 34 = 0$
C. $x^2 + 3x - 2 = 0$
D. $x^2 + 3x - 2 = 0$

21. The nth term of the sequence 2,6,18,54..... Is 4,374. find the value of n

A. 6
B. 7
C. 8
D. 9

22. Rationalize $\frac{3\sqrt{2} - 5}{1 - 2\sqrt{2}}$

A. $1 + \sqrt{2}$
B. $1 - \sqrt{2}$
C. $-1 + \sqrt{2}$
D. $-(1 + \sqrt{2})$

23. Express $\frac{5\pi}{6}$ radians in degree
 A. 75
 B. 85
 C. 87
 D. 150

24. In an Arithmetic Progression $d = 3$, $a = -7$ and $S_n = 65$. Find the value of n .
 A. 15
 B. 11
 C. 10
 D. 9

25. Evaluate $\cos 165^\circ$ and leave your answer in surd form.
 A. $\frac{1}{4}(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{3})$
 B. $\frac{1}{4}(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})$
 C. $\frac{1}{4}(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})$
 D. $-\frac{1}{4}(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})$

26. Evaluate $\int \cos 8x \, dx$
 A. $-8\sin 8x + c$
 B. $-8\cos 8x + c$
 C. $-\frac{1}{8}\sin 8x + c$
 D. $\frac{1}{8}\sin 8x + c$

27. Find the equation of a circle whose diameter has the end points. $(-3, 2)$ and $(4, -6)$.
 A. $x^2 - y^2 = 0$
 B. $x^2 - y^2 - x + y = 0$
 C. $x^2 + y^2 - x + 4y - 24 = 0$
 D. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y - 24 = 0$

28. The 1st and 3rd terms of a Geometric Progression are 32 and 8 respectively. Find the 6th term.
 A. 16
 B. 8
 C. 4
 D. 1

29. Given the partial fractions

$$\frac{4-x}{(1-x)^2} = \frac{A}{(1-x)} + \frac{B}{(1-x)^2}$$
,
 find the value of $A + B$.
 A. 7
 B. 4
 C. 3
 D. 1

30. If α and β are the roots of the equation $2x^2 - 7x - 3 = 0$, find the value of $\alpha\beta^2 + \alpha^2\beta$.
 A. $\frac{7}{2}$
 B. 2
 C. 1
 D. $-\frac{21}{4}$

31. Determine the nature of the roots of $3x^2 - 4x + 7 = 0$
 A. Distinct and equal
 B. Distinct and imaginary
 C. Imaginary only
 D. Real and equal

32. Find the integral of $\frac{4}{(8x-3)^4} dx$
 A. $\frac{1}{6}(8x + 3)^3 + c$
 B. $-\frac{1}{6}(8x + 3)^{-3} + c$
 C. $\frac{1}{10}(8x + 3)^3 + c$
 D. $\frac{1}{6}(8x + 3)^2 + c$

33. A particle of mass 50kg is acted upon by a force P . If the particle moves an upward distance of 200m in the line of action of the force, calculate the work done.
 (Take $g = 10\text{m/s}^2$)
 A. 500J
 B. 25,000J
 C. 36,000J
 D. 100,000J

34. What are the coordinates of the center of the circle. $5x^2 + 5y^2 - 15x + 25y - 3 = 0$
 A. $(\frac{15}{2}, -\frac{25}{2})$
 B. $(\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{5}{2})$
 C. $(\frac{-3}{2}, \frac{5}{2})$
 D. $(-\frac{15}{2}, \frac{25}{2})$

35. Two particles of masses 3kg and 4kg are connected by a light inextensible string over a fixed smooth pulley. Find the tension in the string.
 A. 54.3N
 B. 33.6N
 C. 29.4N
 D. 23.4N

36. If $\begin{vmatrix} 3 & x \\ 2 & x-2 \end{vmatrix} = -2$, find the value of x .
 A. -8
 B. -4
 C. 4
 D. 8

37. Find the length of \bar{a} if $a = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

A. 36
B. 16
C. $\sqrt{53}$
D. $\sqrt{37}$

38. A boy starts from rest and moves in a straight line with a uniform acceleration of 7m/s^2 . How far does it go in 8 seconds?

A. 50m
B. 100m
C. 175m
D. 224m

39. The function f over the set of real numbers is defined by $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 3$. Find $f^{-1}(x)$

A. $-2(X-3)$
B. $2(X+3)$
C. $3(X-3)$
D. $5(X+3)$

40. Simplify $(1 + 2\sqrt{3})^2 - (1 - 2\sqrt{3})^2$

A. 0
B. $8\sqrt{3}$
C. 13
D. $2 - 4\sqrt{3}$



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1. A binary operation * is defined on the set, R, of real numbers by $m * n = m + n + 2$.
Find the
 - (a) Identity element under the operation *
 - (b) Inverse of n under the operation *
2. Points (2,1) and (6,7) are opposite vertices of a square which is inscribed in a circle.
Find the:
 - a. Center of the circle
 - b. Equation of the circle
3. Expand $(2 + \frac{1}{2x})^4$ and simplify each term, hence, use the expansion to find the approximate value of $(2.01)^4$, correct to three decimal places.
4. Resolve $\frac{2x-7}{25x-24-6x^2}$ into partial fractions.
5. If $f(x) = \frac{4-5x}{2}$ and $g(x) = x + 6$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, find $f \circ g^{-1}$.
6. When $f(x) = 2x^3 + mx^2 + nx + 11$ is divided by $x^2 + 5x + 1$, the quotient is $2x - 5$ and the remainder is $30x + 16$. Find the values of m and n.
7. If two fair dice are thrown together twice, find the probability of obtaining a product of six in the first throw and a sum of eight in the second throw.
8. A light inextensible string passes over a smooth pulley and carries masses 4kg and 3kg at its ends. If the masses are released from rest, calculate:
 - a. their acceleration
 - b. their speed after 3 seconds

PART B

PART 1 – PURE MATHEMATICS [60MKS]

ANSWER FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH QUESTION CARRIES EQUAL MARKS. YOU MUST ANSWER AT LEAST ONE QUESTION FROM EACH PART.

9a. Given that $\int_{-1}^m (2x^2 - x - 3)dx = \frac{-9}{2}$, where m is an integer, find the value of m.

b. Solve $2(\log_3 x - 1) = \log_3 x$ and $y = \sqrt{x} + 1$ simultaneously.

10a. Given that 8C_x , 7C_x and $\frac{7}{6}({}^6C_x)$ form the first three consecutive terms of an exponential sequence (G.P), find

- The value of x
- common ratio of the sequence
- sum of the first ten terms

11a. Express $\frac{5+\sqrt{2}}{3-\sqrt{2}} - \frac{5-\sqrt{2}}{3+\sqrt{2}}$ in the form $a + b\sqrt{2}$.

b. Solve the following equations simultaneously using the determinant method:

$$3x - y - z = -2$$
$$x + 5y + 2z = 5$$
$$2x + 3y + z = 0$$

STATISTICS AND PROBABILITY

12. The table below shows the frequency distribution of the intelligence quotients (I.Q) x of students in an institution.

X	82-85	86-89	90-93	94-97	98-101	102-105	106-109	110-113
F	6	19	32	49	71	92	75	56

a. Calculate, correct to the nearest whole number and using an assumed mean of 99.5.

- The mean (correct to 2 d.p)
- Standard deviation (correct to 2 d.p)

b. If a student is randomly selected, what is the probability that his I.Q is at least 94?
Correct to 2 d.p

13a. In how many ways can a committee of 3 students be formed from a class of 15 students

b. The probability that a person gets a reaction from a new drug in the market is 0.001. If 3000 people are treated with the drug, use Poisson probability distribution to find the probability that

- Exactly four people will get a reaction
- More than two persons will get a reaction

Give your answer to 3.d.p

VECTIOR AND MECHANICS

14a. A body p of mass qkg is suspended by two light inextensible strings AB and DB attached to a horizontal table.

The strings are inclined at 30^0 and 60^0 respectively to the horizontal and the tension in AB is 48N. if the system is in equilibrium:

- (i) Sketch a diagram to represent the information;
- (ii) Calculate the tension in DB
- (iii) Find the value of q. [take $g = 10\text{m/s}^2$]

b. A ball is thrown vertically upwards with a velocity of 20m/s. Find, correct to two decimal places the:

- i. Maximum height reached by the ball;
- ii. Time taken to reach the maximum height. [take $g = 10\text{m/s}^2$]

15a. Given that $m = (6i + 8j)$ and $n = (-8i + 7/8j)$, find the :

- i. Magnitude and directions of m and n;
- ii. Angle between m and n.

b. The position vectore of points P,Q,R,S are $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ respectively.

Show that \overrightarrow{PQ} is perpendicular to \overrightarrow{RS}

1.	A
2.	C
3.	A
4.	B
5.	C
6.	B
7	C
8	B
9	B
10	C
11	B
12	C
13	C
14	A
15	D
16	C
17	C
18	A
19	D
20	A
21	C
22	C
23	D
24	C
25	D
26	D
27	C
28	D
29	B
30	D
31	B
32	B
33	D
34	B
35	B
36	C
37	C
38	D
39	D
40	B