

KATHMANDU UNIVERSITY
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SECTION "A"
[10 Q. × 1= 10 marks]

Fill in the blank space(s) with the most appropriate word(s) or symbol(s).

1. Shifting of origin without changing the direction of axes is called
2. Two diameters $y = mx + c_1$ and $y = m_1x + c_2$ of a conic $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ are conjugate if
3. The condition for the line $\frac{x-x_1}{l} = \frac{y-y_1}{m} = \frac{z-z_1}{n}$ to be perpendicular to the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ is
4. The radius of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x + 4y - 4z - 7 = 0$ is
5. Any point on the line $\frac{x-\alpha}{l} = \frac{y-\beta}{m} = \frac{z-\gamma}{n} = r$ is
6. The direction cosines of a line equally inclined to the coordinate axes are.....
7. The arc of a great circle drawn from a pole of a great circle to any point in its circumference is a
8. The equation of the tangent plane at (α, β, γ) of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = r^2$ is
9. The equation of the directrix of a conic $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$ is
10. The angle between the planes $x + 2y - 3z + 4 = 0$ and $2x + 5y + 4z + 1 = 0$ is.....

SECTION "B"
[10 Q. × 1=10 marks]

Fill in the blank space(s), DO NOT TICK, by selecting the most appropriate answers from among the given ones.

11. The conic $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + \cos \theta$ represents a
[parabola; ellipse; hyperbola; circle]
12. If $S_1 = 0, S_2 = 0$ are two spheres, then $S_1 - S_2 = 0$ represents
[circle; sphere; plane; ellipse]

13. The straight line through (1,2,3) and parallel to the x-axis is.....
 [$y = 2, z = 3;$ $x = 1, y = 2;$
 $x = 1, z = 3;$ $x = 1, y = 2, z = 3]$
14. The two planes represented by $ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2 + 2fyz + 2gzx + 2hxy = 0$ will be perpendicular to each other if
 [$abc = 0;$ $a + b = 0;$ $a + b + c = 0;$ $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{g}{h}$]
15. If $A_1B_1C_1$ is the polar triangle of a spherical triangle ABC, then $b_1 =$
 [$\pi - B;$ $B_1;$ $\pi - B_1;$ $\pi - b$]
16. The line $\frac{x-x_1}{l} = \frac{y-y_1}{m} = \frac{z-z_1}{n}$ lies in the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$ if
 $ax_1 + by_1 + cz_1 + d = 0$ and
 [$al + bm + cn = 0;$ $al + bm + cn > 0;$ $al + bm + cn < 0;$ $al + bm + cn \neq 0$]
17. The arc of the great circle intercepted between nearer pole and a point on the small circle is called
 [spherical angle; spherical radius; pole; angular distance]
18. If the lines $x = -2y + 7, z = ky + 10$ and $x = 5y - 1, z = 3y - 6$ are perpendicular to each other, then $k =$
 [3; 1; 0; -2]
19. The locus of a point in three dimensional space which moves in such a way that its distance from a fixed point is always constant is called
 [Cone; cylinder; plane; sphere]
20. The general equation of second degree $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ represents an ellipse if and $abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 \neq 0$.
 [$h^2 - ab = 0;$ $h^2 + ab = 0;$ $h^2 - ab < 0;$ $h^2 - ab > 0$]

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SECTION "C"

[4Q. × 7 = 28 marks]

1. Find the centre of the conic $3x^2 + 10xy + 3y^2 - 26x - 22y + 43 = 0$. Show that the conic is a hyperbola. Also, find the equations of the transverse and conjugate axes.

[2+2+3]

OR

Find the condition that the straight line $lx + my + n = 0$ may touch the conic $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$. Hence find the equation of the tangent to the conic $x^2 + 4xy + 3y^2 + 5x - 6y + 3 = 0$ which are parallel to the line $x + 4y = 0$. [4+3]

2. Define skew lines and the line of shortest distance between them. Find the shortest distance between the lines $\frac{x-3}{2} = \frac{y-4}{3} = \frac{z-5}{4}$ and $\frac{x-4}{3} = \frac{y-5}{4} = \frac{z-7}{5}$. Also, find the equation of the shortest distance. [1+4+2]

3. Define a great and a small circle of a sphere. Prove that the equation of the plane containing the line $\frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1, x = 0$ and parallel to the line $\frac{x}{a} - \frac{z}{c} = 1, y = 0$ is $\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b} - \frac{z}{c} + 1 = 0$. If $2d$ is the shortest distance between the given lines, prove that $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2} = \frac{1}{d^2}$. [1+3+3]

4. For any spherical triangle ABC, prove that $\cos A = \frac{\cos a - \cos b \cos c}{\sin b \sin c}$ where the symbols have their usual meanings. Also, show that the sides of a polar triangle are respectively supplements of the angles and sides of the primitive triangle. [4+3]

SECTION "D"

[9Q. × 3 = 27 marks]

5. Find the angle through which the axes may be turned so that equation $Ax + By + C = 0$ may be reduced to the form $X = \text{constant}$. Also, determine the value of this constant.
6. Prove that the locus of the pole of a chord which subtends a constant angle 2β at the focus of the conic $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$ is $\frac{l \sec \beta}{r} = 1 + e \sec \beta \cos \theta$.

OR

If PP_1 and QQ_1 are two perpendicular focal chords passing through the focus S of a conic $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$, prove that $\frac{1}{PP_1} + \frac{1}{QQ_1}$ is constant.

7. Find the equation of the chord joining the two points (r_1, θ_1) and (r_2, θ_2) on the conic $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$.

8. Find the equations of the line passing through a point (α, β, γ) and at right angles to the lines $\frac{x}{l_1} = \frac{y}{m_1} = \frac{z}{n_1}$, and $\frac{x}{l_2} = \frac{y}{m_2} = \frac{z}{n_2}$.
9. Find the length of an arc **ab** of a small circle, if an arc **AB** of a corresponding great circle is given.

OR

For the spherical triangle ABC , prove that $\sin \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{\sin(s-b)\sin(s-c)}{\sin b \sin c}}$.

10. Find the equation of the chord of the conic $x^2 + 4xy + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 6 = 0$ whose middle point is $(-1, 2)$.
11. Show that the lines $\frac{x+1}{-3} = \frac{y-3}{2} = \frac{z+2}{1}$ and $x = \frac{y-7}{-3} = \frac{z+7}{2}$ are coplanar. Also, find the equation of the plane containing them.
12. Obtain the equation of the sphere which passes through the three points $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$, $(0, 0, 1)$ and has its radius as small as possible.
13. Obtain the equation of the plane through the intersection of the plane $x + 2y + 3z + 4 = 0$ and $4x + 3y + 2z + 1 = 0$ and passes through the origin.