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Section A (Marks 20)

Question 1: Circle the correct option. i.e. A, B, C, D, each part carries one mark.

1. The solution set of $\sec x = -2$ is:

- (A) Empty set (B) $\{\frac{\pi}{6} + 2x\pi\} \cup \{\frac{11\pi}{6} + 2x\pi\}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ (C) $\{\frac{2\pi}{3} + 2x\pi\} \cup \{\frac{4\pi}{3} + 2x\pi\}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$
(D) $\{\frac{\pi}{3} + 2x\pi\} \cup \{\frac{5\pi}{3} + 2x\pi\}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$

2. Multiplicative inverse of $-3 - 5i$ is:

- (A) $\frac{-3 - 5i}{8}$ (B) $\frac{3 - 5i}{34}$ (C) $\frac{3 + 5i}{34}$ (D) $\frac{-3 + 5i}{34}$

3. $(A - B) \cap B =$

- (A) Universal set (B) ϕ (C) A (D) B

4. The value of the determinant $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$

- (A) 4 (B) 10 (C) 0 (D) 13

5. The matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 - 3i \\ -2 - 3i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

- (A) Identity matrix (B) Singular matrix (C) Skew-Hermitian matrix (D) Symmetric matrix

6. If ω is a cube root of unity, then an equation whose roots are 3ω and $2\omega^2$ will be

- (A) $x^2 + 3x + 6 = 0$ (B) $x^2 - 9x - 3 = 0$ (C) $x^2 - 3x - 9 = 0$ (D) $x^2 + 3x + 9 = 0$

7. The formulation of partial fractions of $\frac{x^4}{1 - x^4}$ will be:

- (A) $\frac{A}{1 - x} + \frac{B}{1 + x} + \frac{Cx + D}{1 + x^2}$ (B) $A + \frac{B}{1 - x} + \frac{C}{1 + x} + \frac{Dx + E}{1 + x^2}$ (C) $\frac{A}{1 + x^2} + \frac{B}{1 + x^2}$
(D) $\frac{A}{1 - x} + \frac{B}{1 + x} + \frac{C}{1 + x^2}$

8. If $a_{n-2} = 3n - 11$, then 8th term will be

- (A) 24 (B) 13 (C) 20 (D) 19

9. The sum of infinite G.P. $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \dots$ is: (answer is 2 but not in options)
 (A) 9 (B) 0 (C) 4 (D) 1
10. If ${}^nC_8 - {}^nC_{12}$, then $n =$
 (A) 10 (B) 20 (C) 4 (D) 96
11. The factorial form of $\frac{(n+1)n(n-1)}{3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}$ is:
 (A) $\frac{(n-1)!}{3!}$ (B) $\frac{(n+1)!}{3!n!}$ (C) $\frac{(n+1)!}{3!(n-2)!}$ (D) $\frac{(n-1)!}{3!(n+1)!}$
12. The 6th term from end in the expansion of $(\frac{3}{2}x - \frac{1}{3x})^{11}$ is:
 (A) 9th term (B) 12th term (C) 6th term (D) 5th term
13. The middle term from end in the expansion of $(2x - \frac{1}{2x})^{2m+1}$ is:
 (A) $(m+2)$ th term (B) $(m+1)$ th and $(m+2)$ th term (C) $2m$ th term (D) $(m+1)$ th term
14. If $\tan \theta = \frac{8}{15}$, terminal arm lies in III quadrant, then $\sec \theta$
 (A) $\frac{8}{17}$ (B) $\frac{-17}{15}$ (C) $\frac{-17}{8}$ (D) $\frac{-15}{17}$
15. $\cos^2 2\theta =$
 (A) $4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta$ (B) $\frac{1 + \cos 4\theta}{2}$ (C) $4\cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta$ (D) $\cos 2\theta - \sin 2\theta$
16. $\cos(\frac{3\pi}{2} - \theta) =$
 (A) $-\cos \theta$ (B) $\cos \theta$ (C) $\sin \theta$ (D) $\cos(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta)$
17. Period of $3\cos \frac{x}{5}$ is:
 (A) 30π (B) 2π (C) 10π (D) 6π
18. $\frac{1}{1 + \sin \theta} + \frac{1}{1 - \sin \theta} =$
 (A) 0 (B) $2\sec^2 \theta$ (C) $2\cos^2 \theta$ (D) $\frac{1}{\cos \theta}$
19. $90^\circ \pm \theta, 180^\circ \pm \theta, 270^\circ \pm \theta, 360^\circ \pm \theta$ are called:
 (A) Obtuse angle (B) Supplementary angle (C) Allied angles (D) Acute angles
20. $\cos^{-1}(-x) - \cos^{-1}(x) = ?$
 (A) $\sin^{-1} x$ (B) π (C) 0 (D) 1

ANSWERS

1. C 2. D 3. B 4. C 5. C 6. D 7. A 8. D 9. B 10. C 11. C 12. C
 13. B 14. B 15. B 16. A 17. C 18. B 19. C 20. B

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Section B (Marks 40)**Question 2: Attempt any TEN parts. All parts carry equal marks. (10 × 4 = 40)**

- (i) Separate into real and imaginary parts $\frac{(-2+3i)^2}{(1+i)}$.
- (ii) Convert to logical form and prove by constructing the truth table $(A \cap B)' = A' \cup B'$.
- (iii) Without expansion verify that $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & \frac{a}{bc} \\ 1 & b^2 & \frac{b}{ca} \\ 1 & c^2 & \frac{c}{ab} \end{vmatrix} = 0$.
- (iv) If the roots of $px^2 + qx + q = 0$ are α and β then prove that $\sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{\beta}} + \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} = 0$.
- (v) Resolve into partial fraction $\frac{3x-11}{(x^2+1)(x+3)}$.
- (vi) Which term of the sequence $x^2 - y^2, x + y, \frac{x+y}{x-y}, \dots$ is $\frac{x+y}{(x-y)^9}$?
- (vii) In how many ways can letter of the word "MISSISSIPPI" be arranged, when all letters are to be used?
- (viii) Find the term independent of x in the expansion of $\left(x - \frac{2}{x}\right)^{10}$.
- (ix) Prove the identity $\frac{1+\cos\theta}{1-\cos\theta} = (\operatorname{cosec}\theta + \cot\theta)$.
- (x) Prove that $\sin 3\alpha = 3\sin\alpha - 4\sin^3\alpha$.
- (xi) Prove that $\frac{1}{r} = \frac{1}{r_1} + \frac{1}{r_2} + \frac{1}{r_3}$.
- (xii) Prove that $\tan^{-1} \frac{120}{119} = 2\cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13}$.
- (xiii) Prove that $\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = \frac{\pi}{4}$.
- (xiv) Solve the equation $\sin x = \frac{1}{2}$.

Solutions

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i)} \quad \frac{(-2+3i)^2}{(1+i)} &= \frac{(-2)^2 + (3i)^2 + 2(-2)(3i)}{1+i} \\
 &= \frac{4+9i^2-12i}{1+i} = \frac{4-9-12i}{1+i} = \frac{-5-12i}{1+i} = \frac{-5-12i}{1+i} \times \frac{1-i}{1-i} \\
 &= \frac{-5+5i-12i+12i^2}{1^2-i^2} = \frac{-5-7i-12}{1-(-1)} \\
 &= \frac{-17-7i}{1+1} = \frac{-17-7i}{2} = -\frac{17}{2} - \frac{7}{2}i
 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) The corresponding formula of logic is

$$\sim (p \wedge q) = \sim p \vee \sim q$$

p	q	$\sim p$	$\sim q$	$p \wedge q$	$\sim (p \wedge q)$	$\sim p \vee \sim q$
T	T	F	F	T	F	F
T	F	F	T	F	T	T
F	T	T	F	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	F	T	T

The last two columns of the above table shows that $\sim (p \wedge q) = \sim p \vee \sim q$

and hence $(A \cap B)' = A' \cup B'$.

(iii)

$$\begin{aligned}
 L.H.S. &= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & \frac{a}{bc} \\ 1 & b^2 & \frac{b}{ca} \\ 1 & c^2 & \frac{c}{ab} \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & abc \frac{a}{bc} \\ 1 & b^2 & abc \frac{b}{ca} \\ 1 & c^2 & abc \frac{c}{ab} \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Multiplying } c_3 \text{ by } abc. \\
 &= \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^2 \\ 1 & b^2 & b^2 \\ 1 & c^2 & c^2 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{abc} (0) \quad (\because c_2 = c_3) \\
 &= 0 = R.H.S.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(iv)} \quad px^2 + qx + q = 0$$

$$a = p \quad b = q \quad c = q$$

Let α, β be the roots of the equations. Then

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{q}{p} \quad \alpha\beta = \frac{q}{p}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= \sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{\beta}} + \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} + \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} \\ &= \frac{-\frac{q}{p}}{\sqrt{\frac{q}{p}}} + \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} = -\sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} + \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} = 0 = \text{R.H.S} \end{aligned}$$

$$(v) \quad \text{Let } \frac{3x-11}{(x^2+1)(x+3)} = \frac{Ax+B}{(x^2+1)} + \frac{C}{(x+3)}$$

$$3x-11 = (Ax+B)(x+3) + C(x^2+1) \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

$$3x-11 = (A+C)x^2 + (3A+B)x + (3B+C) \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Putting $x+3=0 \Rightarrow x=-3$, Using it in (1), we get

$$-9-11 = C(9+1) \Rightarrow C = -2$$

Equating the coefficients of x^2 and x in (2), we obtain

$$0 = A+C \Rightarrow A = -C \Rightarrow A = 2$$

$$\text{and } 3 = 3A+B \Rightarrow B = 3-3A \Rightarrow B = 3-6 \Rightarrow B = -3$$

Hence partial differential equation are: $\frac{2x-3}{x^2+1} - \frac{2}{x+3}$

$$(vi) \quad a_1 = x^2 - y^2$$

$$r = \frac{x+y}{x^2-y^2} = \frac{x+y}{(x+y)(x-y)} = \frac{1}{x-y}$$

$$n=? \quad a_n = \frac{x+y}{(x-y)^9}$$

$$\text{Since } a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x+y}{(x-y)^9} = x^2 - y^2 \left(\frac{1}{x-y} \right)^{n-1} \Rightarrow \frac{x+y}{(x-y)^9} = (x-y)(x+y) \left(\frac{1}{x-y} \right)^{n-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{(x-y)^9} = (x-y) \frac{1}{(x-y)^{n-1}} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{(x-y)^9} = \frac{1}{(x-y)^{n-2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-y)^9 = (x-y)^{n-2} \Rightarrow 9 = n-2 \Rightarrow n = 11$$

(vii) Numbers of letters in *MISSISSIPPI* = 11

In *MISSISSIPPI*

I is repeated 4 times

S repeated 4 times

P is repeated 2 times

M comes only once.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Required number of Permutation} &= \binom{11}{4,4,2,1} \\ &= \frac{(11!)}{(4)! \times (4)! \times (2)! \times (1)!} = 34650 \text{ ways}\end{aligned}$$

$$(viii) \quad \left(x - \frac{2}{x}\right)^{10}$$

$$\text{Since } T_{r+1} = \binom{n}{r} a^{n-r} x^r,$$

$$\text{Here } a = x, \quad x = \frac{2}{x}, \quad n = 10 \quad \text{so}$$

$$\begin{aligned}T_{r+1} &= \binom{10}{r} x^{10-r} \left(\frac{2}{x}\right)^r \\ &= \binom{10}{r} x^{10-r} \cdot 2^r \cdot x^{-r} = \binom{10}{r} x^{10-2r} \cdot 2^r.\end{aligned}$$

For term independent of x , We must have

$$\begin{aligned}x^{10-2r} &= x^0 \Rightarrow 10-2r=0 \\ \Rightarrow 2r &= 10 \Rightarrow r=5\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } T_{5+1} = \binom{10}{5} x^0 x^5 \Rightarrow T_6 = 252 \times 32 = 8064$$

(ix)

$$\text{R.H.S.} = (\operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta + \cot^2 \theta + 2 \operatorname{cosec} \theta \cot \theta = \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta} + 2 \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\sin^2 \theta} = \frac{(1 + \cos \theta)^2}{1 - \cos^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{(1 + \cos \theta)(1 + \cos \theta)}{(1 + \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)} = \frac{1 + \cos \theta}{1 - \cos \theta} = L.H.S.\end{aligned}$$

$$(x) \quad \sin 3\alpha = 3 \sin \alpha - 4 \sin^3 \alpha$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sin 3\alpha &= \sin(2\alpha + \alpha) \\ &= \sin 2\alpha \cos \alpha + \cos 2\alpha \sin \alpha \\ &= 2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha \cos \alpha + (1 - 2 \sin^2 \alpha) \sin \alpha \\ &= 2 \sin \alpha \cos^2 \alpha + \sin \alpha - 2 \sin^3 \alpha \\ &= 2 \sin \alpha (1 - \sin^2 \alpha) + \sin \alpha - 2 \sin^3 \alpha \\ &= 2 \sin \alpha - 2 \sin^3 \alpha + \sin \alpha - 2 \sin^3 \alpha \\ &= 3 \sin \alpha - 4 \sin^3 \alpha = R.H.S.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(xi)} \quad \frac{1}{r} &= \frac{1}{r_1} + \frac{1}{r_2} + \frac{1}{r_3} \\
 \text{R.H.S} &= \frac{1}{r_1} + \frac{1}{r_2} + \frac{1}{r_3} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\frac{\Delta}{s-a}} + \frac{1}{\frac{\Delta}{s-b}} + \frac{1}{\frac{\Delta}{s-c}} = \frac{s-a}{\Delta} + \frac{s-b}{\Delta} + \frac{s-c}{\Delta} \\
 &= \frac{s-a+s-b+s-c}{\Delta} = \frac{3s-(a+b+c)}{\Delta} \\
 &= \frac{3s-2s}{\Delta} \quad \because 2s = a+b+c \\
 &= \frac{s}{\Delta} = \frac{1}{\frac{\Delta}{s}} = \frac{1}{r} = \text{L.H.S}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(xii)} \quad \text{Suppose} \quad \alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{120}{119} \dots\dots\dots \text{(i)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \frac{120}{119}$$

$$\text{Now} \quad \sec \alpha = \sqrt{1 + \tan^2 \alpha}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{120}{119}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{14400}{14161}} = \sqrt{\frac{28561}{14161}} = \frac{169}{119}$$

$$\text{So} \quad \cos \alpha = \frac{1}{\sec \alpha} = \frac{1}{\frac{169}{119}} = \frac{119}{169}$$

$$\text{Now} \quad \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos \alpha}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \frac{119}{169}}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{\frac{288}{169}}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{288}{2 \times 169}} = \sqrt{\frac{144}{169}} = \frac{12}{13}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\alpha}{2} = \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} \Rightarrow \alpha = 2 \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} \dots\dots\dots \text{(ii)}$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$\tan^{-1} \frac{120}{119} = 2 \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13}$$

$$\text{(xiii)} \quad \text{L.H.S} = 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3}} \right) + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{1+1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{9}} \right) + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{2}{3}}{\frac{9-1}{9}} \right) + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{2}{3}}{\frac{8}{9}} \right) + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2 \times 9}{3 \times 8} \right) + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right) + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{7}}{1 - \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{7}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{21+4}{28}}{1 - \frac{3}{28}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{25}{28}}{\frac{28-3}{28}} \right) \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{25}{28}}{\frac{25}{28}} \right) = \tan^{-1}(1) = \frac{\pi}{4} = \text{R.H.S}
 \end{aligned}$$

(xiv) $\sin x = \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore \sin x$ is positive in I and II Quadrants with the reference angle $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$

$\therefore x = \frac{\pi}{6}$ and $x = \pi - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{5\pi}{6}$ where $x \in [0, 2\pi]$

Since 2π is the period of $\sin x$

$\therefore$ General values of x are $\frac{\pi}{6} + 2n\pi$ and $\frac{5\pi}{6} + 2n\pi$, $n \in Z$

Hence solution set = $\left\{ \frac{\pi}{6} + 2n\pi \right\} \cup \left\{ \frac{5\pi}{6} + 2n\pi \right\}$, $n \in Z$

Section C (Marks 40)

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Question 3 Find the inverse of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Solution $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Cofactors of $A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix}$

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^2 (-4 - 0) = -4$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (0) = 0$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (-4) = -4$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (4 - 6) = 2$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (2 - 6) = -4$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (-2 + 4) = -2$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (-6) = -6$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (0) = 0$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^6 (-2) = -2$$

Cofactors of $A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 0 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & -2 \\ -6 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$Adj A = (\text{cofactor of } A)^t = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 & -6 \\ 0 & -4 & 0 \\ -4 & -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= a_{11} A_{11} + a_{12} A_{12} + a_{13} A_{13} \\ &= 1(-4) + 2(0) + (-3)(-4) \\ &= -4 + 12 = 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} Adj A = \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 & -6 \\ 0 & -4 & 0 \\ -4 & -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

Question 4 Solve the equation $(x+1)(x+2)(x+3)(x+4) = 24$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned} & (x+1)(x+2)(x+3)(x+4) = 24 \\ \Rightarrow & (x^2+3x+2)(x+3)(x+4) = 24 \quad \Rightarrow (x^3+6x^2+11x+6)(x+4) = 24 \\ \Rightarrow & x^4+6x^3+11x^2+6x+4x^3+24x^2+44x+24 = 24 \\ \Rightarrow & x^4+10x^3+35x^2+50x+24-24 = 24-24 \quad \Rightarrow x^4+10x^3+35x^2+50x = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & x(x^3+10x^2+35x+50) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & x^3+10x^2+35x+50 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 0 \\ \text{Now} \quad & x^3+10x^2+35x+50 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & (x+5)(x^2+5x+10) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & x+5 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x^2+5x+10 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & x = -5 \quad \text{or} \quad x^2+5x+10 = 0 \\ \text{Now} \quad & x^2+5x+10 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{25-40}}{2} \Rightarrow x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{15}i}{2} \\ \text{Hence S.Set} = & \left\{ -5, 0, \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{15}i}{2} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Question 5 Find four members in A.P. Whose sum is 32 and the sums of whose squares is 276
Solution.

Consider four numbers $a-3d, a-d, a+d, a+3d$ are in A.P.

Then according to first condition

$$a-3d+a-d+a+d+a+3d=32 \Rightarrow 4a=32 \Rightarrow \boxed{a=8}$$

According to second condition

$$\begin{aligned} & (a-3d)^2 + (a-d)^2 + (a+d)^2 + (a+3d)^2 = 32 \\ & a^2 - 6ad + 9d^2 + a^2 - 2ad + d^2 + a^2 + 2ad + d^2 + a^2 + 6ad + 9d^2 = 276 \\ & 4a^2 + 20d^2 = 276 \end{aligned}$$

Put $a=8$ in above

$$\begin{aligned} & 4(8)^2 + 20d^2 = 276 \Rightarrow 256 + 20d^2 = 276 \\ \Rightarrow & 20d^2 = 276 - 256 \Rightarrow 20d^2 = 20 \Rightarrow d^2 = 1 \Rightarrow d = \pm 1. \end{aligned}$$

When $a=8, d=1$

$$\begin{aligned} a-3d &= 8-3(1) = 8-3 = 5 \\ a-d &= 8-1 = 7 \\ a+d &= 8+1 = 9 \\ a+3d &= 8+3(1) = 8+3 = 11 \end{aligned}$$

When $a=8, d=-1$

$$\begin{aligned} a-3d &= 8-3(-1) = 8+3 = 11 \\ a-d &= 8+1 = 9 \\ a+d &= 8+(-1) = 8-1 = 7 \\ a+3d &= 8+3(-1) = 8-3 = 5 \end{aligned}$$

Hence 5, 7, 9, 11 or 11, 9, 7, 5 are required numbers.

Question 6 If $y = \frac{2}{5} + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{3!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^3 + \dots$ then prove that $y^2 + 2y - 4 = 0$

Solution

We have given $y = \frac{2}{5} + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{3!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^3 + \dots$

Adding 1 on both sides

$$1 + y = 1 + \frac{2}{5} + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{3!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^3 + \dots$$

Let the given series be identical with

$$(1+x)^n = 1 + nx + \frac{n(n-1)}{2!} x^2 + \dots$$

This implies

$$nx = \frac{2}{5} \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

$$\frac{n(n-1)}{2!} x^2 = \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 \dots\dots\dots (ii)$$

From (i) $nx = \frac{2}{5} \Rightarrow x = \frac{2}{5n} \dots\dots\dots (iii)$

Putting value of x in (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{n(n-1)}{2!} \left(\frac{2}{5n}\right)^2 &= \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 \Rightarrow \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \left(\frac{4}{25n^2}\right) = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{4}{25}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{n-1}{n} &= 3 \Rightarrow n-1 = 3n \Rightarrow n-3n = 1. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow -2n = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{n = -\frac{1}{2}}$$

Putting value of n in equation (iii)

$$x = \frac{2}{5\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)} \Rightarrow \boxed{x = -\frac{4}{5}}$$

So $(1+x)^n = \left(1 - \frac{4}{5}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = (5)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{5}$

This implies

$$1 + y = \sqrt{5}$$

On squaring both sides

$$\begin{aligned} (1+y)^2 &= (\sqrt{5})^2 \\ \Rightarrow 1 + 2y + y^2 &= 5 \Rightarrow 1 + 2y + y^2 - 5 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow y^2 + 2y - 4 &= 0 \quad \text{Proved.} \end{aligned}$$

Question 7 If α, β, γ are the angles of $\triangle ABC$, then prove $\tan \alpha + \tan \beta + \tan \gamma = \tan \alpha \tan \beta \tan \gamma$.

Solution

As α, β, γ are the angles of $\triangle ABC$,

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta + \gamma = 180^\circ \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = 180^\circ - \gamma$$

$$\therefore \tan(\alpha + \beta) = \tan(180^\circ - \gamma)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta}{1 - \tan \alpha \tan \beta} = -\tan \gamma$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha + \tan \beta = -\tan \gamma + \tan \alpha \tan \beta \tan \gamma$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha + \tan \beta + \tan \gamma = \tan \alpha \tan \beta \tan \gamma \quad \text{Proved.}$$

Question 8 Prove that $\cos 20^\circ \cos 40^\circ \cos 60^\circ \cos 80^\circ = \frac{1}{16}$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S} &= \frac{\sin 3\theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\cos 3\theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\sin 3\theta \sin \theta + \cos 3\theta \cos \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} \\ &= \frac{\cos(3\theta - \theta)}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{\cos 2\theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{2 \cos 2\theta}{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta} \\ &= \frac{2 \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} = 2 \cot 2\theta = \text{R.H.S} \end{aligned}$$



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