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Topic - Objective questions on
Conic Section (Analytical Geometry of 2-D)

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Objective questions → MCQ

- When the origin is shifted to (α, β) , the new axes remaining parallel to the original axes then the point (x, y) changes to
(i) $(x+\alpha, y+\beta)$ (ii) $(x+\beta, y+\alpha)$
(iii) $(x-\alpha, y-\beta)$ (iv) $(x-\beta, y-\alpha)$
- The co-ordinates of a point, when the axes are rotated through an angle θ without changing the position of origin and the angle between the axes, are
(i) $(x_1 \cos \theta - y_1 \sin \theta, x_1 \sin \theta + y_1 \cos \theta)$
(ii) $(x_1 \cos \theta + y_1 \sin \theta, x_1 \sin \theta - y_1 \cos \theta)$
(iii) $(x_1 \sin \theta + y_1 \cos \theta, x_1 \cos \theta - y_1 \sin \theta)$
(iv) $(x_1 \sin \theta - y_1 \cos \theta, x_1 \cos \theta + y_1 \sin \theta)$
- If by change of axes without change of origin the expression $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2$ becomes $a_1x_1^2 + 2h_1x_1y_1 + b_1y_1^2$ then
(i) $a+b = a_1+b_1$ (ii) $ab = a_1b_1$
(iii) $a-b = a_1-b_1$ (iv) $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{a_1}{b_1}$
- The focus of the parabola $x^2 = 2ay$ is
(i) $(a, 0)$ (ii) $(0, \frac{a}{2})$
(iii) $(0, \frac{a}{2})$ (iv) $(\frac{a}{2}, 0)$
- The Equation of Directrix of the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is
(i) $x+a=0$ (ii) $x=a$ (iii) $x=0$ (iv) None of these

(6) The condition that the straight line $lx + my + n = 0$ touches the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is
 (i) $an = m^2l$ (ii) $am^2 = nl$ (iii) $al = nm^2$ (iv) none of these

(7) If the focus of a conic section does not lie on its directrix then the conic section will represent a parabola if

- (i) $e = 1$ (ii) $e > 1$ (iii) $e < 1$ (iv) $e = 0$

(8) The Latus rectum of parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is
 (i) a (ii) $2a$ (iii) $4a$ (iv) $8a$

(9) The parametric Equations of parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ are.

- (i) $x = 2at$
 $y = at^2$ (ii) $x = at^2$
 $y = 2at$ (iii) $x = at^2$
 $y = 2a^2t$ (iv) $x = t^2$
 $y = 2at$

(10) The condition that the line $y = mx + c$ may touch the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is

- (i) $c = \frac{a}{m}$ (ii) $a = \frac{c}{m}$ (iii) $am + c = 0$ (iv) $cm + a = 0$

(11) The maximum number of normals that can be drawn from an external point to a parabola is

- (i) 1 (ii) 2 (iii) 3 (iv) 4

(12) The Locus of the point of intersection of a pair of perpendicular Tangents to a parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is

- (i) $x = a$ (ii) $x + a = 0$ (iii) $x = 0$ (iv) $y = 0$

(13) The Locus of middle points of a system of ~~parallel~~ chords of the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is

- (i) $y = \frac{a}{m}$ (ii) $y = \frac{2a}{m}$ (iii) $y = \frac{m}{a}$ (iv) $y =$
 where m is constant.

(14) The standard Equation of an ellipse is

$$(i) \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad (ii) y^2 = 4ax \quad (iii) x^2 - y^2 = a^2 - b^2$$

$$(iv) \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

(15) The Condition that the line $y = mx + c$ may touch the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$(i) c^2 = a^2 m^2 + b^2 \quad (ii) c^2 = a^2 + b^2 m^2 \quad (iii) c^2 m^2 = a^2 + b^2$$

$$(iv) c^2 = a^2 m^2 - b^2$$

(16) The parametric Equations of the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ are}$$

$$(i) x = a \cos \phi, y = b \sin \phi \quad (ii) x = a \sin \phi, y = b \cos \phi$$

$$(iii) x = a \cos^2 \phi, y = b \sin^2 \phi \quad (iv) x = a \sin^2 \phi, y = b \cos^2 \phi$$

Where ϕ is the parameter.

(17) If the focus of a conic section does not lie on its directrix then conic section will represent an ellipse if

$$(i) e = 1 \quad (ii) e > 1 \quad (iii) e < 1 \quad (iv) e = 0$$

Where e is the eccentricity of the conic section

(18) In case of an ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ which of the following relations is correct?

$$(i) b^2 = a^2(1+e^2) \quad (ii) b^2 = a^2(1-e^2)$$

$$(iii) b^2 = a^2(e^2-1) \quad (iv) a^2 = b^2(1-e^2)$$

Where $a > b$

(19) The condition for two diameters $y = mx$ and $y = m_1x$

of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ to be conjugate diameters is

(i) $mm_1 = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$ (ii) $mm_1 = \frac{a^2}{b^2}$ (iii) $mm_1 = -\frac{b^2}{a^2}$
 (iv) $mm_1 = -\frac{a^2}{b^2}$

20. The difference of the eccentric angles of the extremities of a pair of conjugate diameters of an ellipse is

(i) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (ii) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (iii) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (iv) $\frac{\pi}{2}$

21. The sum of squares of two conjugate semi-diameters of an ellipse

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}$ is

(i) $a+b$ (ii) a^2+b^2 (iii) a^2+b^2 (iv) $4a^2+4b^2$

22. The tangents at the extremities of a pair of conjugate diameters of an ellipse form a

(i) Parallelogram (ii) Square (iii) Rectangle
 (iv) Trapezium

23. The equation

$12x^2 - 23xy + 10y^2 - 25x + 26y = 14$ represents

(i) a parabola (ii) a circle
 (iii) an ellipse (iv) a hyperbola

24. The ~~condition~~ Equation

$9x^2 - 24xy + 16y^2 - 18x - 10y + 19 = 0$ represents

(i) a pair of st-lines (ii) a parabola

(iii) an ellipse (iv) a hyperbola

(25) The Equation $ax^2 + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + C = 0$ will be a circle if (i) $a > b$ (ii) $a < b$ (iii) $a = b$ (iv) $\frac{b}{a} = \frac{c}{d}$

(26) The Equation $ax^2 + by^2 + 2hxy + 2gx + 2fy + C = 0$ represents an ellipse if (i) $ab = h^2$ (ii) $a = b$ (iii) $ab - h^2 > 0$ (iv) $ab - h^2 < 0$

(27) Which one of the following is the pair of tangents from (x', y') to the conic $S = 0$ under usual notations (i) $SS' = T^2$ (ii) $S = S'T^2$ (iii) $SS' = T$ (iv) $S = S'T^2$

28. ~~Write down~~ Fill up the blanks —
The Equation of the normal to the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ at the point $(at^2, 2at)$ is

29. The Equation of the Tangent to the parabola at the point $(at^2, 2at)$ is

30. The Equation of chord of contact of Tangents drawn from the point (x_1, y_1) to the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is

31. The Equation of the Tangents to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ at the point $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ is