

**MATHEMATICS PAPER IA- JUNE 2008.**  
**ALGEBRA, VECTOR ALGEBRA AND TRIGONOMETRY**

**TIME: 3hrs**

**Max. Marks.75**

**Note: This question paper consists of three sections A, B and C.**

**SECTION A**

**VERY SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS.**

**10X2 =20**

**Note: Attempt all questions. Each question carries 2 marks.**

1.  $N$  is the set of natural numbers. Is the function  $f:N \rightarrow N$  defined by  $f(x) = 2x+5$  onto? Explain the reason.
2. If  $f = \{(1,2), (2,-3), (3,-1)\}$  then find  $2 + f$
3. The position vectors of  $A$  and  $B$  are  $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$  respectively. If  $C$  is a point on the line  $\overline{AB}$  such that  $\overline{AC} = 5\overline{AB}$  then find the position vector of  $C$ .
4. Find the vector equation of the line joining the points  $2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$  and  $-4\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$ .
5. Find the area of the parallelogram having  $2\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}$  and  $3\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{k}$  as adjacent sides.
6. write the period of  $\cos(6-5x)$ .
7. If  $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{4}$  and  $270^\circ < \theta < 360^\circ$  then find  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ .
8. If  $\tanh^2 x = \tan^2 \theta$  then prove that  $\cosh 2x = \sec 2\theta$ .
9. In  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $s=12$  and  $A = 90^\circ$  then find  $r_1$ .
10. If  $Z = x+iy$  is a point in the Argand plane such that  $|Z - 3 + i| = 4$  then find the locus of  $Z$ .

**SECTION B**

**SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS**

**5X4 =20**

**Note : Answer any FIVE questions. Each question carries 4 marks.**

11. Show that the points with position vectors  $-2\mathbf{i}+3\mathbf{j}+6\mathbf{k}$ ,  $6\mathbf{i}-2\mathbf{j}+3\mathbf{k}$ ,  $3\mathbf{i}+6\mathbf{j}-2\mathbf{k}$  form an equilateral triangle.
12. By vector method prove that angle in a semi circle is a right angle.
13. If  $A+B = 225^\circ$  and none of  $A$  and  $B$  is an integral multiple of  $\pi$  then prove that 
$$\left(\frac{\cot A}{1+\cot A}\right)\left(\frac{\cot B}{1+\cot B}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$
14. Solve  $\sqrt{2}(\sin x + \cos x) = \sqrt{3}$
15. solve  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+1}{x-1}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x-1}{x}\right) = \pi + \tan^{-1}(-7)$
16. In  $\Delta ABC$  show that  $(b-c)^2 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + (b+c)^2 \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} = a^2$
17. Show that  $32 \cos^2 \theta \sin^4 \theta = \cos 6\theta - 2 \cos 4\theta - \cos 2\theta + 2$

SECTION C

LONG ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

5X7 =35

Note: Answer any Five of the following. Each question carries 7 marks.

18. If  $f : A \rightarrow B$ ,  $g : B \rightarrow C$  be bijections. Then show that  $gof : A \rightarrow C$  is a bijection.
19. Using mathematical induction, Show that  $3 \cdot 5^{2n+1} + 2^{3n+1}$  is divisible by 17 for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .
20.  $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}$  are non-zero vectors and  $\mathbf{a}$  is perpendicular to both  $\mathbf{b}$  and  $\mathbf{c}$ . If  $|\mathbf{a}| = 2$ ,  $|\mathbf{b}| = 3$ ,  $|\mathbf{c}| = 4$  and  $(\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}) = \theta$ , then find  $|\mathbf{abc}|$ .
21. If  $A + B + C = 2S$ , then prove that  $\sin(S - A)\sin(S - B) + \sin S \sin(S - C) = \sin A \sin B$
22. In  $\Delta ABC$ , prove that  $\frac{ab - r_1 r_2}{r_3} = r$
23. A pillar is leaning towards east and  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the angles of elevation of the top of the pillar from two points due west of the pillar at distance  $a$  and  $b$  respectively. Show that the angle between the pillar and the horizontal is  $\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{b - a}{b \cot \alpha - a \cot \beta} \right)$ .
24. If  $\cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma = 0 = \sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma$  then show that  
(i)  $\sin 3\alpha + \sin 3\beta + \sin 3\gamma = 3 \sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)$  (ii)  $\sin 3\alpha + \sin 3\beta + \sin 3\gamma = 3 \sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)$