

## HYPERBOLA

### PREVIOUS EAMCET BITS

1. If the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  intersects the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  in four points  $(x_i, y_i)$ , for  $i = 1, 2, 3$  and 4, then  $y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 =$  [EAMCET 2009]

1) 0                      2) c                      3) a                      4)  $c^4$

Ans: 1

Sol.  $x = \frac{c^2}{y} \Rightarrow \frac{c^4}{y^2} + y^2 = a^2$

$$\Rightarrow y^4 - a^2 y^2 + c^4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = 0$$

2. The midpoint of the chord  $4x - 3y = 5$  of the hyperbola  $2x^2 - y^3 = 12$  is [EAMCET 2009]

1)  $(0, -\frac{5}{3})$                       2) (2, 1)                      3)  $(\frac{5}{4}, 0)$                       4)  $(\frac{11}{4}, 2)$

Ans: 2

Sol. Write  $S_1 = S_{11}$  and Compare

3. The distance between the foci of the hyperbola  $x^2 - 3y^2 - 4x - 6y - 11 = 0$  [EAMCET 2008]

1) 4                      2) 6                      3) 8                      4) 10

Ans: 3

Sol.  $x^2 - 3y^2 - 4x - 6y - 11 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 4x + 4) - 3(y^2 + 2y + 1) - 12 \Rightarrow (x-2)^2 - 3(y+1)^2 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(x-2)^2}{12} - \frac{(y+1)^2}{4} = 1 \Rightarrow a^2 = 12, b^2 = 4 \Rightarrow e = \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}{a} = \frac{\sqrt{12+4}}{4} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

$$b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1) \Rightarrow 4 = 12(e^2 - 1) \Rightarrow e^2 - 1 = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow e^2 = \frac{4}{3} \Rightarrow e = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Distance between the foci} = 2ae = 2\sqrt{12} \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \right) = 8$$

4. If the line  $\ell x + my = 1$  is a normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , then  $\frac{a^2}{\ell^2} - \frac{b^2}{m^2} =$  [EAMCET 2007]

1)  $a^2 - b^2$                       2)  $a^2 + b^2$                       3)  $(a^2 + b^2)^2$                       4)  $(a^2 - b^2)^2$

Ans: 3

Sol.  $\frac{a^2}{\ell^2} - \frac{b^2}{m^2} = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)^2}{n^2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{\ell^2} - \frac{b^2}{m^2} = (a^2 + b^2)^2$$

5. If the eccentricity of a hyperbola is  $\sqrt{3}$ , then the eccentricity of its conjugate hyperbola is  
[EAMCET 2006]

- 1)  $\sqrt{2}$                       2)  $\sqrt{3}$                       3)  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$                       4)  $2\sqrt{3}$

Ans: 3

Sol.  $\frac{1}{e^2} + \frac{1}{(e')^2} = 1$

$$\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{(e')^2} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{(e')^2} = 1 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$e' = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$$

6. The product of the lengths of perpendicular drawn from any point on the hyperbola  $x^2 - 2y^2 - 2 = 0$  to its asymptotes is  
[EAMCET 2003]

- 1)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       2)  $\frac{2}{3}$                       3)  $\frac{3}{2}$                       4) 2

Ans: 2

Sol.  $\frac{x^2 - y^2}{2} = 1$

Product of the length of perpendiculars from any point on the hyperbola to its asymptotes

$$\frac{a^2 b^2}{a^2 + b^2} = \frac{2}{3}$$

7. If  $e$  and  $e'$  are the eccentricities of the ellipse  $5x^2 + 9y^2 = 45$  and the hyperbola  $5x^2 - 4y^2 = 45$  respectively, then  $ee' =$   
[EAMCET 20002]

- 1) 9                      2) 5                      3) 4                      4) 1

Ans: 4

Sol. Ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow e = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{9 - 5}{9}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{45/4} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow e' = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{9 + \frac{45}{4}}{9}} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$e.e' = \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{2} = 1$$

8. [EAMCET 2002]

- 1)                              2)                              3)                              4)

Ans:

Sol.

9. The equation  $16x^2 + y^2 + 8xy - 74x - 78y + 212 = 0$  represents [EAMCET 2001]

- 1) A circle                    2) A parabola                    3) An ellipse                    4) A hyperbola

Ans: 2

Sol.  $h^2 - ab = 16 - 16 = 0$

10. The curve represented by  $x = 2(\cos t + \sin t)$  and  $y = 5(\cos t - \sin t)$  is [EAMCET 2000]

- 1) a circle                    2) a parabola                    3) an ellipse                    4) a hyperbola

Ans: 3

Sol.  $\frac{x}{2} = (\cos t + \sin t) = \frac{y}{5} = \cos t - \sin t$

$$\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 2$$

