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FIRST TERM EXAMINATION 2017-2018 CLASS X MATHEMATICS

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

- i) All questions are compulsory
- ii) The question paper consists of 30 questions divided into four sections A, B, C and D. Section A comprises of 5 questions of 1 mark each, Section B comprises of 8 questions of 2 marks each, Section C comprises of 9 questions of 3 marks each and Section D comprises of 3 questions of 4 marks each.
- (11) There is no overall choice.
- iv) Use of calculator is not permitted.
- An additional 15 minutes time has been allotted to read this question paper only. V)

- Section A

 Q1. P and Q are points on the sides AB and AC respectively of $\triangle ABC$ such that AP = 3.5cm, PB =7cm,
- AQ = 3cm and QC = 6cm. If PQ = 4.5cm, find BC.
- Q2. Find the common difference of the AP: $\frac{1}{2r}$, $\frac{1-3r}{2r}$, $\frac{1-6r}{2r}$,...
- Q3. State whether $\frac{48}{455}$ will have a terminating decimal expansion or a non-terminating repeating

decimal expansion.

- Q4. If one of the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $(k-1)x^2 + kx + 1$ is -3, then find the value of k.
- Q5. On comparing the ratios $\frac{a_1}{a_2}$, $\frac{b_1}{b_2}$ and $\frac{c_1}{c_2}$, find out whether the lines representing the equations
- 6x-3y+10=0, 2x-y+9=0 intersect at a point, are parallel or coincident.

Section B

- Q6. Which term of sequence $23,22\frac{1}{2},22,21\frac{1}{2},...$ is the first negative term?
- Q7. Solve 2x+3y=11 and 2x-4y=-24 and hence find the value of 'm' for which y=mx+3.
- Q8. Prove that in a $\triangle ABC$, if AD is perpendicular to BC, then $AB^2 + CD^2 = AC^2 + BD^2$
- Q9. Given the linear equation 2x + 3y 8 = 0, write another linear equation in two variables, such that the geometrical representation of the pair so formed is parallel lines.
- Q10. Find the zeroes of the polynomial $6x^2 3 7x$
- Q11. Use Euclid's division algorithm to find the HCF of 135 and 225
- O12. Which term of the AP: 3,15,27,39,... will be 152 more than its 54th term?
- Q13. ABCD is a trapezium in which AB ©CD. Its diagonals AC and BD intersect at O. Then prove

that
$$\frac{OA}{OC} = \frac{OB}{OD}$$
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Section C

- Q14. For which value of a and b does the following pair of linear equations have an infinite number of solutions?
- 2x+3y=7, (a-b)x+(a+b)y=3a+b-2
- Q15. Check whether polynomial $x^2 + 3x + 1$ is a factor of $3x^4 + 5x^3 7x^2 + 2x + 2$.
- Q16. Find the sum of all multiples of 7 lying between 500 and 900.
- Q17. If the areas of two similar triangles are equal then prove that they are congruent.
- Q18. Mallica has two flowerbeds in her garden. One bed has 18 rows of plants and the other has 24 rows of plants. Each of the beds has the same number of plants. What is the least number of plants in each flowerbed?
- Q19. Two coins are tossed simultaneously. Find the probability of getting
 - a. Two heads

- b. At least one head
- c. One need
- Q20. Sohon travels 300 km to her home partly by train and partly by bus. She takes 4 hours if she travels 60 km by train and the remaining by bus. If the travels 100 km by train and the remaining by bus, the takes 10 mins longer. Find the speed of the train and the bus separately.
- Q21. Determine the AP whose 5th term is 15 and the sum of its 3rd and 8th term is 34.
- Q22. The perpendicular from A on side BC of $\triangle ABC$ intersects BC at D such that DB = 3CD. Prove that $2AB^2 = 2AC^2 + BC^2$.

Section D

- Q23. Draw the graphs of the equations x = 3, x = 5 and 2x y 4 = 0. Also find the area of quadrilateral formed by the lines and the x-axis.
- Q24. The sum of n terms of an AP is $3n^2 + 5n$. Find the AP. Hence find its 16^{th} term.
- Q25. Obtain all other zeros of $3x^4 + 6x^3 2x^2 10x 5$ if two of its zeroes are $\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$ and $-\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$.
- O26. Prove that $3+2\sqrt{5}$ is an irrational number.
- Q27. In an equilateral triangle, prove that three times the square of one side is equal to four times the square of its altitude.
- Q28. Red queens and black jacks are removed from a pack of 52 playing cards. A card is drawn at random from the remaining cards, after reshuffling them. Find the probability that the drawn card is
 - a. A King b. Of red colour c. A face card d. A queen
- Q29. In an AP, the sum of first ten terms is -150 and the sum of its next ten terms is -550. Find the AP.
- Q30. State and prove Basic Proportionality Theorem.

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