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Section – A is compulsory. All parts of this section are to be answered on this page and handed over to the Centre Superintendent. Deleting/overwriting is not allowed. Do not use lead pencil.

**MATHEMATICS HSSC–I**  
**SECTION – A (Marks 20)**  
**Time allowed: 25 Minutes**

حصہ اول لازمی ہے۔ اس کے جوابات اسی صفحہ پر دے کر ناظم مرکز کے حوالے کریں۔ کٹ کر دوبارہ لکھنے کی اجازت نہیں ہے۔ لیڈ پینسل کا استعمال ممنوع ہے۔

Fill the relevant bubble against each question:

ہر سوال کے سامنے دیے گئے درست دائرہ کو پر کریں۔

1. If  $a, b, c$  are real numbers such that  $a < b$ ,  $c < 0$ ,  $a \neq 0$ ,  $b \neq 0$ , then which of the following inequalities holds:
  - $ac > bc$
  - $ac^2 > bc^2$
  - $\frac{c}{a} > \frac{c}{b}$
  - $ac < bc$

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2. What is the converse of  $p \rightarrow q$  ?
  - $\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$
  - $q \rightarrow p$
  - $\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$
  - $p \leftrightarrow q$

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3. The set of non-zero rational numbers is a group under the operation of:
  - Addition
  - Subtraction
  - Multiplication
  - Division

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4. For what value of  $\lambda$  is the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & \lambda & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  singular?
  - 1
  - 0
  - 3
  - 4

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5. If  $A$  is a skew-symmetric matrix then:
  - $A = A'$
  - $A = -A'$
  - $A = (\bar{A})'$
  - $A = -(\bar{A})'$

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6. If the polynomial  $f(x)$  is divided by  $x+2$ , the quotient is  $x-2$  and the remainder is 2, then  $f(x)$  will be:
  - $x^2 - 4$
  - $x^2 + 4$
  - $x^2 - 2$
  - $x^2 + 2$

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7. If  $w$  is a cube root of unity, then which of the following equations is true?
  - $1+w=0$
  - $1+w^2=0$
  - $w+w^2=0$
  - $1+w+w^2=0$

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8. What is the partial fractions of  $\frac{x^2+2x-1}{x^2-1}$  ?
  - $1 + \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x-1}$
  - $1 + \frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{1}{x+1}$
  - $1 - \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x-1}$
  - $1 + \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{1}{x+1}$

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9. Find the second term of the sequence whose general term is  $a_n = 2n^2 - 3$ 
  - 1
  - 13
  - 5
  - 11

10. If  $s_{\infty} = \frac{2}{3}$  and  $a = \frac{2}{7}$  in an infinite geometric progression, then the common ratio is:   $-\frac{4}{7}$    $\frac{4}{7}$    $\frac{2}{7}$    $-\frac{2}{7}$

11. For what values of  $x$ , the binomial expansion of  $\left(1 - \frac{x}{2}\right)^{-1}$  is convergent (valid)?   $x > 2$    $|x| > 2$    $|x| < 2$    $x < 1$

12. What is radius of the circle whose part of arc-length of measure 4 is with central angle  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ?   $\frac{8}{\pi}$    $\frac{4}{\pi}$    $\frac{2}{\pi}$    $\frac{\pi}{2}$

13. If  $D(-5, 5\sqrt{2})$  lies on the terminal side of  $\theta$ , then find the value of  $\tan \theta$    $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$    $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$    $\sqrt{2}$    $-\sqrt{2}$

14. If  ${}^n C_4 = {}^n C_{10}$ , then  $n = \dots$   4  10  14  6

15. How many distinct three-digit numbers can be formed from the integers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 if each digit is used at most once?  360  120  20  10

16. What is the middle term in the expansion of  $(x + x^{-1})^{14}$   6th term  7th term  8th term  9th term

17.  $\sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} - \alpha\right) =$    $\sin \alpha$    $\cos \alpha$    $-\sin \alpha$    $-\cos \alpha$

18. What is the primary period of  $\frac{\sin 2x}{1 + \cos 2x}$    $2\pi$    $\pi$    $\frac{\pi}{2}$    $4\pi$

19. A ladder makes angle  $30^\circ$  with the wall of height  $8m$ . What is the length of the ladder?   $16m$    $8m$    $4m$    $12m$

20. What is the value of  $\sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$ ?   $-\frac{\pi}{6}$    $\frac{\pi}{6}$    $-\frac{\pi}{3}$    $\frac{\pi}{3}$

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# MATHEMATICS HSSC-I

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Time allowed: 2:35 Hours

Total Marks Sections B and C: 80

**NOTE:** Attempt any twelve parts from Section 'B' and any four questions from Section 'C' on the separately provided answer book. Use supplementary answer sheet i.e. Sheet-B if required. Write your answers neatly and legibly. Graph paper will be provided on request.

## SECTION - B (Marks 48)

Q. 2 Attempt any TWELVE parts. All parts carry equal marks.

(12 x 4 = 48)

- (i) Separate  $\frac{(2-3i)^2}{1-i}$  into real and imaginary parts.
- (ii) Determine whether  $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow p)$  is a tautology, a contingency or an absurdity.
- (iii) If  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ , state the domain and range of the relation  $R = \{(x, y) | x + y = 5\}$
- (iv) Under the operation "\*", complete the following table to obtain a semigroup
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|---|--|-----|-----|---|
| * |  | a   | b   | c |
| a |  | c   | a   | b |
| b |  | ... | ... | c |
| c |  | b   | c   | a |
- (v) Find the matrix  $A$  if  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -3 & 8 \\ 3 & 3 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$
- (vi) Find the inverse of matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2i & i \\ i & -i \end{bmatrix}$ , hence show that  $AA^{-1} = I_2$
- (vii) If  $\alpha, \beta$  are roots of  $3x^2 - 2x + 4 = 0$ , then find the value of  $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$
- (viii) Resolve  $\frac{3x-11}{(x+3)(x^2+1)}$  into partial fractions.
- (ix) If  $y = 1 - \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{4} - \dots$ , then show that  $x = 2\left(\frac{1-y}{y}\right)$
- (x) Find values of  $n$  and  $r$ , when  ${}^nC_r = 10$  and  ${}^nP_r = 60$ .
- (xi) There are 9 green and 6 red balls in a box. A ball is drawn (taken out). What is the probability that  
(i) the ball is green (ii) the ball is red.
- (xii) Expand and simplify  $(2+i)^4 - (2-i)^4$
- (xiii) Find the remaining trigonometric functions if  $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$  and the terminal arm of angle  $\theta$  is in quad-III.
- (xiv) Show that  $\frac{\sin(\alpha - \beta)}{\sin(\alpha + \beta)} = \frac{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta}$
- (xv) Find the measure of smallest angle of the triangle whose sides are 16, 20 and 33
- (xvi) Show that  $2 \cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} = \sin^{-1} \frac{24}{25}$

## SECTION - C (Marks 32)

**Note:** Attempt any FOUR questions. All questions carry equal marks.

(4 x 8 = 32)

- Q. 3 Find the real and imaginary parts of the complex number  $\frac{(\sqrt{3}-i)^5}{(\sqrt{3}+i)^5}$
- Q. 4 Find the value of  $\lambda$  for which the system  $2x + y - \lambda z = 0$  has a non-trivial solution. Also solve the system for  $x + 2y - 2z = 0$   
that value of  $\lambda$
- Q. 5 (a) Resolve  $\frac{x^2}{(x^2+4)(x+2)}$  into partial fractions (b) Prove that  ${}^nC_k + {}^nC_{k-1} = {}^{n+1}C_k$
- Q. 6 Expand  $(1-2x)^{\frac{1}{3}}$  to four terms and apply it to evaluate  $(0.8)^{\frac{1}{3}}$  correct to three places of decimal.
- Q. 7 If  $\sin \alpha = \frac{4}{5}$  and  $\sin \beta = \frac{12}{13}$ , where  $\frac{\pi}{2} < \alpha < \pi$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2} < \beta < \pi$ . Find (i)  $\cos(\alpha + \beta)$  (ii)  $\sin(\alpha - \beta)$
- Q. 8 (a) Show that  $R = \frac{abc}{4\Delta}$   
(b) Solve the equation  $\sqrt{3} \tan x - \sec x - 1 = 0$  for its general solution