

## Conic Section

- 1) The equation of the parabola is  $(x+2)^2 = -20(y-3)$ , then the axis is:  
(1) the x axis (2) the y axis  
(3) a line parallel to the y axis (4)  $y=k$ .
- 2) Focus of the parabola  $y^2 + 2y + 4x + 5 = 0$  is:  
(1) (-2,-1) (2) (2,-1)  
(3) (-2,1) (4) (2,1)
- 3) The axis of the parabola  $x^2 + 20y + 4x - 56 = 0$  is:  
(1)  $x+2=0$  (2)  $x-2=0$   
(3)  $y+2=0$  (4)  $y-2=0$ .
- 4) The line  $y = 2x+k$  will intersect the parabola  $y^2 = 2x$  if:  
(1)  $k = \frac{1}{4}$  (2)  $k \leq \frac{1}{4}$ .  
(3)  $k < \frac{1}{4}$  (4)  $k > \frac{1}{4}$ .
- 5) The parametric equation of a parabola is  $x=t^2+1, y = 2t+1$ . the Cartesian equation of its directrix is:  
(1)  $x=0$  (2)  $x+1 = 0$   
(3)  $y=0$  (4)  $y=1$ .
- 6) The focus of the parabola  $y^2 - x - 2y + 2 = 0$  is:  
(1)  $(\frac{1}{4}, 0)$  (2)  $(1, 2)$   
(3)  $(\frac{3}{4}, 1)$  (4)  $(\frac{5}{4}, 1)$
- 7) The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8(x-1)$  at  $(3,4)$  is:  
(1)  $x+y=7$  (2)  $y-x-1=0$   
(3)  $x-y+1=0$  (4) None.
- 8) The point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  which is nearest to the  $(3,1)$  is:  
(1)  $(1,2)$  (2)  $(1,-2)$   
(3)  $(4,4)$  (4)  $(4,-4)$ .
- 9) The equation of the directrix of the parabola  $y^2 + 4y + 4x + 2 = 0$  is:  
(1)  $x=-1$  (2)  $x=1$   
(3)  $x=-\frac{3}{2}$  (4)  $x=\frac{3}{2}$ .
- 10) The equation of the line of symmetry of the parabola  $4x^2 - 20x - 12y + 49 = 0$  is:  
(1)  $2x = 5$  (2)  $x=5$ .  
(3)  $y = 5$  (4) None of these
- 11) Focus of the parabola  $y^2 - 8x - 32 = 0$  is given by:  
(1)  $(2,0)$  (2)  $(-2,0)$   
(3)  $(0,2)$  (4)  $(4,0)$ .

12) Vertex of the parabola  $y^2 - 8x - 4y + 4 = 0$  is at:

- (1) (2,-3) (2) (0,2)  
(3) (-3,-2) (4) (-2,3)

13) Directrix of the parabola  $y^2 = 16x$  is :

- (1)  $y = 4$  (2)  $x = -4$   
(3)  $x = 4$  (4)  $y = -4$ .

14) Focus of the parabola  $y^2 = 16x$ :

- (1) (-4,0) (2) (4,0)  
(3) (0,-4) (4) (0,4).

15) Equation of the normal of  $y^2 = 20x$  at (5,10) is:

- (1)  $x - y + 5 = 0$ . (2)  $x + y - 15 = 0$ .  
(3)  $x + y - 5 = 0$ . (4)  $x - y + 15 = 0$ .

16) The coordinates of foci of an ellipse  $\frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(y-k)^2}{b^2} = 1$  are given by  $a^2 > b^2$  ( $a > b$ )

- (1) (h,k) (2)  $(h \pm ae, k)$   
(3)  $(h, k \pm ae)$  (4) none of these

(17) Center of the ellipse  $9x^2 + 5y^2 - 36x - 50y - 164 = 0$  is at

- (1) (2,5) (2) (1,-2)  
(3) (-2,1) (4) (0,0)

18) The eccentricity of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$

- (1) 0.4 (2) 0.5  
(3) 0.6 (4) 0.75

19) The foci of the ellipse  $4x^2 + 3y^2 = 24$  are the points

- (1)  $(\pm 2, 0)$  (2)  $(0, \pm 2\sqrt{2})$   
(3)  $(0, \pm \sqrt{2})$  (4)  $(\pm 2\sqrt{2}, 0)$

20) The distance between the foci of the ellipse  $5x^2 + 9y^2 = 45$  is

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

21) The four tangents at the end points of latera recta of an ellipse form a:

- (1) Square  
(2) parallelogram but not rhombus.  
(3) Rhombus but not a square.  
(4) rectangle but not a square.

22) the equation of the ellipse with a focus at (0,0) the corresponding directrix:  $x + 6 = 0$  and  $e = 1/2$  is:

- (1)  $3x^2 + 4y^2 + 12x - 36 = 0$   
(2)  $3x^2 + 4y^2 - 12x + 36 = 0$   
(3)  $3x^2 + 4y^2 - 12x - 36 = 0$   
(4) None of these.

- 23) The length of the LR of the ellipse  $49x^2 + 64y^2 = 3136$  is:  
 (1)  $49/64$  (2)  $64/3136$ .  
 (3)  $49/4$  (4) none of these.
- 24) The equation of the axes of the ellipse  $3x^2 + 4y^2 + 6x - 8y - 50 = 0$  are :  
 (1)  $x=0; y=0$  (2)  $x+2=0; y-2=0$   
 (3)  $x+1=0; y-1=0$  (4)  $(x+1)(y+1)=0$ .
- 25) The equation of an ellipse is  $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$  then the length of its latus rectum is:  
 (1)  $3/2$  (2)  $8/3$ .  
 (3)  $\sqrt{3}/2$  (4) 3
- 26) Latus rectum of an ellipse is equal to half of its major axis, its eccentricity is:  
 (1)  $1/\sqrt{2}$  (2)  $1/2$   
 (3)  $2/3$  (4)  $4/5$ .
- 27) The equation  $x^2 / (2-\infty) + y^2 / (\infty-5) = 1$  represents an ellipse if:  
 (1)  $\infty > 5$  (2)  $\infty < 2$   
 (3)  $2 < \infty < 5$  (4)  $\infty < 2, \infty > 5,$
- 28) Sum of the focal distances of any point on the ellipse  $25x^2 + 9y^2 = 225$ :  
 (1) 6 (2) 10  
 (3) 9 (4) 25.
- 29) One focus of an ellipse is  $(3,0)$  and the corresponding directrix is  $x-6=0$ , its eccentricity is:  
 (1)  $-1/2$ . (2)  $-2/3$ .  
 (3)  $4/5$  (4)  $1/\sqrt{2}$ .
- 30) If  $e = 1/3$ , then the ratio of the major axis to the minor axis of the ellipse:  
 (1)  $3:2\sqrt{2}$  (2)  $9:8$   
 (3)  $2\sqrt{2}:3$  (4)  $8:9$ .
- 31) The equation of a hyperbola is  $x^2 - 4y^2 = 4$ . Its eccentricity is given by:  
 (1)  $\sqrt{5}$  (2) 2  
 (3)  $2/\sqrt{5}$  (4)  $\sqrt{5}/2$ .
- 32) The length of transverse axis of the hyperbola  $3x^2 - 4y^2 = 32$  is:  
 (1)  $3/32$  (2)  $64/3$   
 (3)  $8\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{3}$  (4)  $16\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{3}$ .
- 33) In a hyperbola, the distance between the foci is 20 and distance between the directrices is 10. The eccentricity is:  
 (1)  $\sqrt{2}$  (2) 2  
 (3) 3 (4)  $\sqrt{3}$ .
- 34) The equation of the normal at  $(2,-3)$  on the hyperbola  $x^2 - (y^2/3) = 1$  is:  
 (1)  $x-2y=8$  (2)  $2x-y=8$   
 (3)  $x+2y=8$  (4)  $2x+y=1$ .

35) Equation of the hyperbola whose asymptotes are coordinate axes and passing through the point (8,2) is:

- (1)  $x^2 - y^2 = 60$ . (2)  $x \cdot y = 16$ .  
(3)  $x^2 + y^2 = 68$ . (4)  $x \cdot y = 10$ .

36) The equation  $x^2/4-a - y^2/4+a = 1$  represents a hyperbola if:

- (1)  $a > 4$  (2)  $a \geq 4$ .  
(3)  $-4 < a < 4$  (4)  $a \leq 4$ .

37) For the hyperbolas  $x^2/\cos^2 \alpha - y^2/\sin^2 \alpha = 1$  which of the following is always constant?

- (1) abscissa of the vertices.  
(2) abscissa of foci.  
(3) e  
(4) direct ices.

38) In a hyperbola the length of a latus rectum is equal to the length of the either of the axes. Then its eccentricity is:

- (1)  $\sqrt{2}$  (2) 2  
(3)  $\sqrt{2}$  or 2 (4)  $\sqrt{2}$  or  $\sqrt{3}/2$ .

39) Find the angle between the asymptotes of the hyperbola  $3x^2 - y^2 = 1$ :

- 1)  $110^\circ$  2)  $120^\circ$   
3)  $140^\circ$  4)  $115^\circ$

40) An ellipse of eccentricity has the same foci as that of the hyperbola  $y^2/9 - x^2/16 = 1$ . Then the length of the longest focal chord of the ellipse is:

- (1) 18/5 (2) 50/9.  
(3) 25 (4) 10.

41) The eccentricity of the hyperbola  $3x^2 - 4y^2 = 12$  is

- (1)  $\sqrt{17}/3$  (2)  $\sqrt{7}/2$   
(3) 4/3 (4)  $3/\sqrt{7}$

42) The normal to the hyperbola  $4y^2 - 5x^2 = 20$  at the point (-4,5) is given by

- (1)  $y+x=1$  (2)  $y-x=9$   
(3)  $5y-4x=41$  (4) none of these

43) Eccentricity of the hyperbola  $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$  is:

- (1) 5/4 (2) 4/5  
(3) 3/5 (4) 4/3.

44) The centre of the hyperbola  $9x^2 - 16y^2 - 18x - 32y = 151$  is:

- (1) (1,-1) (2) (-1,1)  
(3) (1,1) (4) (-1,-1).

45) The foci of the hyperbola  $9y^2 - 4x^2 = 36$  are the points:

- (1)  $(\pm 3, 0)$  (2)  $(0, \pm 3)$   
(3)  $(\pm \sqrt{13}, 0)$  (4)  $(0, \pm \sqrt{13})$