

ANSWER KEY

Second YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY EXAMINATION MARCH 2026

PART-I/II/III

SUBJECT: Mathematics - Com - 60

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60 SCORES

2 HOURS

Qn. No	Sub Qns	Answer Key/Value Points	Score	Total Score
1.	(i) (ii)	$3 - x^2 = 3 - 8 \Rightarrow x = \pm \sqrt{5}$ $\begin{vmatrix} x & y & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$ $x(3-4) - y(1-2) + 1(4-6) = 0$ $\cdot x - y + 2 = 0$	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$ 1 1	3
2.		$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} 2x + 3 = 7$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} 2x - 3 = 1$ <p style="text-align: center;">Not continuous at $x = 2$</p>	1 1 1	3
3.	(i) (ii)	2×2 $\begin{cases} 2x - y = 10 \\ 3x + y = 5 \end{cases} \text{ OR } \begin{bmatrix} 2x \\ 3x \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -y \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ $5x = 15$ $x = 3 \quad \therefore y = -4$	1 1+1	3
4.	(i) (ii)	<p>(a) $(0, \pi/2)$</p> $f'(x) = 2x - 4, \quad f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2$ <p>Consider intervals $(-\infty, 2), (2, \infty)$</p> $f'(0) = -4 < 0 \quad \therefore f \text{ is decreasing on } (-\infty, 2)$ $f'(3) = 2 > 0 \quad \therefore f \text{ is increasing on } (2, \infty)$	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	3

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5.	(i)	$a = -1, b = 2$	1	3
	(ii)	$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 6 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
		$A + A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 4 & -8 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 6 & -8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 10 \\ 10 & -16 \end{bmatrix}$	1	
		$(A + A^T)^T = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 10 \\ 10 & -16 \end{bmatrix} = A + A^T$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
		$\therefore A + A^T$ is a symmetric matrix Remark: i) $A' = -A$ give $\frac{1}{2}$ score		
6.	(i)	$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \log x + c.$	1	3
	(ii)	$\sin x + \cos x = t$ $(\cos x - \sin x) dx = dt$	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	
		$\int \frac{1}{t} dt = \log t + c$ $= \log \sin x + \cos x + c.$	1	
7.	(i)	$P(A) \cdot P(B)$	1	3
	(ii)	$P(A/B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{4/13}{9/13} = \frac{4}{9}$	2	
		Remark: for formula of $P(A/B)$ give 1 score		
8.	(i)	$I = \int_0^a \frac{\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{a-x}} dx$ — (1)	1	3
	(ii)	$I = \int_0^a \frac{\sqrt{a-x}}{\sqrt{a-x} + \sqrt{x}} dx$ — (2)	$\frac{1}{2}$	
		$2I = \int_0^a 1 dx = [x]_0^a = a$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
		$I = \frac{a}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
9.	(i)	$\frac{1}{2} \in \mathbb{R}, (\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}) \notin \mathbb{R} \therefore$ not reflexive	1	4
	(ii)	$f(x_1) = f(x_2) \Rightarrow 1+x_1^2 = 1+x_2^2 \not\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$ \therefore not one-one	1+1	
		codomain = \mathbb{R} Range = $[1, \infty)$ \therefore Not onto	1	
		Remark (i) Example is not necessary		

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10.	(i)	$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 1$	1 1/2 1/2	4
	(ii)	put $x = \sin\theta$ $\sin^3(3\sin\theta - 4\sin^3\theta) = \sin^3(8\sin^3\theta)$ $= 3\theta = 3\sin^2 x$	1 1/2 1/2	
11.		$\vec{a}_1 = -\vec{i} - \vec{j} - \vec{k}$ $\vec{a}_2 = 3\vec{i} + 5\vec{j} + 7\vec{k}$ $\vec{b}_1 = 7\vec{i} - 6\vec{j} + \vec{k}$ $\vec{b}_2 = \vec{i} - 2\vec{j} + \vec{k}$	1/2 1/2	
		$\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1 = 4\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} + 8\vec{k}$ $\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 7 & -6 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -4\vec{i} - 6\vec{j} - 8\vec{k}$	1/2 1	
		$(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot (\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2) = -116$ $ \vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2 = \sqrt{116}$ S.D. = $\left \frac{(\vec{a}_2 - \vec{a}_1) \cdot (\vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2)}{ \vec{b}_1 \times \vec{b}_2 } \right $ $= \left \frac{-116}{\sqrt{116}} \right = \underline{\underline{\sqrt{116}}}$	1/2 1	4
12.	1.	Area = $\int_0^3 x^2 dx = \left[\frac{x^3}{3}\right]_0^3 = \underline{9}$	1+1	4
	2.	Area = $\int_0^\pi \sin x dx = [-\cos x]_0^\pi = 2$ Remark i) and ii) for formula give 1 score	2	
13.		E_1 : choose box I, E_3 : choose box III E_2 : choose box II A: getting a gold coin	1/2	
		$P(E_3/A) = \frac{P(E_3) \cdot P(A/E_3)}{P(E_1) \cdot P(A/E_1) + P(E_2) \cdot P(A/E_2) + P(E_3) \cdot P(A/E_3)}$ $P(E_1) = P(E_2) = P(E_3) = \frac{1}{3}$ $P(A/E_1) = 1$ $P(A/E_2) = 0$ $P(A/E_3) = \frac{1}{2}$	1 1 1	

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		$= \frac{\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{3} \cdot 1 + \frac{1}{3} \cdot 0 + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	4
14.	(i) (ii)	<p>2</p> $(2-y) dy = (x+1) dx$ $2y - \frac{y^2}{2} = \frac{x^2}{2} + x + c$	1 2 1	4
15.	1. (ii)	<p>$\frac{dr}{dt} = 0.7 \text{ cm/sec}$</p> <p>Circumference of the circle is</p> $P = 2\pi r$ $\frac{dP}{dt} = 2\pi \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$ $= 2\pi \times 0.7 = 1.4\pi \text{ cm/sec}$ <p>(ii)</p> $f(x) = 3x^2 - 3$ $f'(x) = 0 \implies x = \pm 1$ $f''(x) = 6x$ $f''(1) = 6 > 0 \quad f''(-1) = -6 < 0$ <p>$\therefore x = 1$ is a point of local minimum $x = -1$ is a point of local maximum.</p> <p>Max value = 5 Min. value = 1</p>	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	4
16		$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 6 & 8 \\ 6 & 9 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$ $(AB)^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \\ 4 & 8 & 12 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{--- (1)}$ $B^T \cdot A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} [1 \ 2 \ 3] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \\ 4 & 8 & 12 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{--- (2)}$ <p>$\therefore (AB)^T = B^T \cdot A^T$</p>	1 1 1+1	4

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17.	i.	$\vec{a} + \vec{b} = 1\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + \vec{k}$ unit vector $\rightarrow \frac{\vec{a} + \vec{b}}{ \vec{a} + \vec{b} } = \frac{\vec{i} + \vec{k}}{\sqrt{2}}$	1 $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$	6
	(ii)	$\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$ $\vec{b} = \vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}$ $\therefore \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 0$	1	
	(iii)	Remark: for any vector give 1 score $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \vec{i}(1-2) - \vec{j}(-2+2) + \vec{k}(2-1)$ $= -\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + \vec{k}$	1+1	
		$ \vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \sqrt{1+1} = \sqrt{2}$ <p>Area = $\sqrt{2}$</p> Remark i) for $\frac{ \vec{a} \times \vec{b} }{ \vec{a} }$ give 1 score iii) area $ \vec{a} \times \vec{b} $ give 1 score	1	
18.		$\text{adj}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 & -3 \\ -19 & -1 & 11 \\ -11 & -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad AX=B$	1	6
		for writing matrices A, x, B $ A = 4$	1	
		$X = A^{-1}B = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 & -3 \\ -19 & -1 & 11 \\ -11 & -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -5 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}$ $= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$	1	

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19.	(i)	$1 - \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1$	1 1	
	(ii)	$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\sin(x^2)}} \cdot \cos(x^2) \cdot 2x$ $= \frac{x \cdot \cos(x^2)}{\sqrt{\sin(x^2)}}$	2	
	(iii)	$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -a \sin\theta$ $\frac{dy}{d\theta} = a \cos\theta$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{d\theta}}{\frac{dx}{d\theta}}$ $= \frac{-a \cos\theta}{a \sin\theta}$ $= -\cot\theta$	1/2 1/2 1/2	6.
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