



# MATHS

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**MATHS (KANNADA ENGLISH)**

**APPLICATIONS OF DERIVATIVES**

**Topic | Rate Of Change Of Quantities Short  
Answer Type Questions |**

1. Find the approximate change in the volume  $V$  of a cube of side  $x$  meters caused by increasing the side by 2%.



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2. For the curve  $y = 5x - 2x^3$ , if  $x$  increases at the rate of 2 units/sec, then how fast is the slope of the curve changing when  $x = 3$ ?



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3. The total cost associated with provision of free mid-day meals to  $x$  students of a school in primary classes is given by  $C(x) = 0.005x^3 - 0.02x^2 + 30x + 50$ . If the marginal cost is given by rate of change  $\frac{dc}{dx}$  of total cost, write, the marginal cost of food for 300 students.



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4. The total expenditure(in ₹ ) required for providing the cheap edition of a book for poor

and deservin students is given by  $R(x) = 3x^2 + 36x$ , where  $x$  is the number of set of books. If the marginal expenditure is defined as  $\frac{dR}{dx}$ , write the marginal expenditure required for 1200 such sets.



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5. The amount of pollution content added in air in a city due to  $x$  – *diesel* vehicles is given by  $P(x) = 0.005x^3 + 0.02x^2 + 30x$ . Find the arginal increase in pollution content when

3 diesel vehicles are added and write which value is indicated in the above question.



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6. The money to be spend for the welfare of the employees of a firm is proportional to the rate of change of its total revenue (Marginal revenue). If the total revenue (in rupees) received from the sale of  $x$  units of a product is given by  $R(x) = 3x^2 + 36x + 5$ , find the

marginal revenue, when  $x = 5$ , and write which value does the question indicate.



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7. If  $C = 0.003x^3 + 0.02x^2 + 6x + 250$  gives the amount of carbon pollution in air in an area on the entry of  $x$  number of vehicles, then find the marginal carbon pollution in the air, when 3 vehicles have entered in the area and write which value does the question indicate.



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8. The contentment obtained after eating  $X$ -units of a new dish at a trial function is given by the function  $f(x) = x^3 + 6x^2 + 5x + 3$ . If the marginal contentment is defined as the rate of change  $f'(x)$  with respect to the number of units consumed at an instant, then find the marginal contentment when three units of dish are consumed.



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## Topic I Rate Of Change Of Quantities Long Answer Type Questions Ii

1. The length  $x$  of a rectangle is decreasing at the rate of 3 cm/minute and the width  $y$  is increasing at the rate of 2cm/minute. When  $x = 10\text{cm}$  and  $y = 6\text{cm}$ , find the rates of change of (a) the perimeter and (b) the area of the rectangle.



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2. The volume of a cube is increasing at a rate of 9 cubic centimetres per second. How fast is the surface area increasing when the length of an edge is 10 centimetres?



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3. A particle moves along the curve  $6y = x^3 + 2$ . Find the points on the curve at which the y-coordinate is changing 8 times as fast as the x-coordinate





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4. A ladder 24 ft long leans against a vertical wall. The lower end is moving away at rate of 3 ft/sec find the rate at which the top of the ladder is moving downwards. If its foot is 8ft from the wall.



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5. The length  $x$  of a rectangle is decreasing at the rate of 5 cm/minute and the width  $y$  is

increasing at the rate of 4 cm/minute. When  $x = 8\text{cm}$  and  $y = 6\text{cm}$ , find the rates of change of (a) the perimeter, and (b) the area of the rectangle



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6. The total cost  $C(x)$  in Rupees, associated with the production of  $x$  units of an item is given by

$$C(x) = 0.005x^3 - 0.02x^2 + 30x + 5000$$

Find the marginal cost when 3 units are

produced, where by marginal cost we mean the instantaneous rate of cha



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7. Sand is pouring from a pipe at the rate of  $12 \text{ cm}^3 / \text{s}$ . The falling sand forms a cone on the ground in such a way that the height of the cone is always one-sixth of the radius of the base. How fast is the height of the sand cone increasing when the height is 4 cm?



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8. Two equal sides of an isosceles triangle with fixed base 'a' are decreasing at the rate of 9 cm/second. How fast is the area of the triangle decreasing, when the two sides are equal to 'a' ?



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**Topic 2 Tangents And Normals Short Answer  
Type Questions I**

1. Find the point on the curve  $y = x^3 - 11x + 5$  at which the tangent is  $y = x - 11$ .



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2. Find the slope of the tangent to the curve

$$y = \frac{x - 1}{x - 2}, x \neq 2 \text{ at } x = 10.$$



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**Topic 2 Tangents And Normals Short Answer  
Type Questions li**

1. Show that the curves  $x = y^2$  and  $xy = k$  cut at right angles; if  $8k^2 = 1$



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2. Find the condition for the curve  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $xy = c^2$  to intersect orthogonally.



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3. Find the equation of the tangent to the

curve  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at the point  $(\sqrt{2}a, b)$ .



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4. For the curve  $y = 4x^3 - 2x^5$ , find all the points at which the tangent passes through the origin.



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5. The equation of normal to the curve

$$x = a \cos^3 \theta, y = a \sin^3 \theta \text{ at } \theta = \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ is}$$



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6. Find the equation of the normal at the point

$$(am^2, am^3) \text{ for the curve } ay^2 = x^3.$$



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7. Show that the equation of tangent to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ at } (x_1, y_1) \text{ is } yy_1 = 2a(x + x_1)$$



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8. Find the point on the curve  $y = x^3 - 11x + 5$  at which the equation of tangent is  $y = x - 11$



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9. Find the equations of the tangent and the normal to the curve  $y = x^4 - 6x^3 + 13x^2 - 10x + 5$  at the point  $(1, 3)$



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10. Find the equations of the tangent and the normal to the curve  $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 36$  at  $(3 \cos \theta, 2 \sin \theta)$  at indicated points.



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11. At what point will be tangents to the curve  $y = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 36x - 21$  be parallel to x-axis? Also, find the equations of the tangents to the curve at these points.



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12. For the curve  $x = 2 \cos \theta - \cos 2\theta$  and  $y = 2 \sin \theta - \sin 2\theta$ , find the equation of tangent at  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .



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**13.** Find the equation of the tangent to the curve  $y = (x^3 - 1)(x - 2)$  at the points where the curve cuts the x-axis.



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**14.** Find the equations of the tangent and normal to the curve  $x = a \sin 3t, y = \cos 2t$  at  $t = \frac{\pi}{4}$



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**15.** Find the equations of the normal to the curve  $y = x^3 + 2x + 6$  which are parallel to the line  $x + 14y + 4 = 0$ .



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**16.** Find the points on the curve  $y = x^3$  at which the slope of the tangent is equal to the y-coordinate of the point.



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## Topic 3 Approximate Values Differentials Errors

### Short Answer Type Questions I

1. If the radius of a sphere is measured as 9cm with an error of 0.03 cm, then find the approximate error in calculating its volume.



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2. Use differential to approximate  $\sqrt{36.6}$



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3. Find the approximate value of  $\sqrt{0.082}$  using differentials



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4. Using differentials, find the approximate value of  $(3.968)^{3/2}$



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5. The sides of an equilateral triangle are increasing at the rate of 2 cm/sec. Find the rate at which the area increases, when the side is 10 cm.



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6. Find the approximate value of  $f(3.02)$ , upto 2 places of decimal, where  $f(x) = 3x^2 + 5x + 3$ .



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7. Separate the interval  $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$  into sub intervals in which function  $f(x) = \sin^4(x) + \cos^4(x)$  is strictly increasing or decreasing.



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8. Find the intervals in which the function  $f$  given by

$$f(x) = \sin x + \cos x, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi \text{ is}$$

strictly increasing or strictly decreasing.



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9. Show that  $y = \log(1 + x) - \frac{2x}{2 + x}$ ,  $x > 1$ ,  
is an increasing function of  $x$  throughout its  
domain.



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10. Find the intervals in which the following is  
(a) increasing , (b) decreasing :

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 24x + 5$$



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**11.** Find the intervals in which the function is  
(a) increasing, (b) decreasing:

$$f(x) = (x + 1)^3(x - 3)^3.$$



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**12.** Find the intervals in which the function  $f$   
given by  $f(x) = x^2 - 4x + 6$  is (a) strictly  
increasing (b) strictly decreasing



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13. Prove that  $y = \frac{4 \sin \theta}{(2 + \cos \theta) - \theta}$  is an increasing function of  $\theta$  in  $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$ .



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14. Find the intervals in which the following function

$$f(x) = 20 - 9x + 6x^2 - x^3$$

(a) strictly increasing, (b) strictly decreasing.



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## Topic 5 Maxima And Minima Short Answer Type Questions I

1. Find the local maximum value of the function  $g(x) = x^3 - 3x$



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## Topic 5 Maxima And Minima Short Answer Type Questions Ii

1. Find two positive numbers whose sum is 15 and the sum of whose squares is minimum.



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2. Find two positive numbers  $x$  and  $y$  such that  $x + y = 60$  and  $xy^3$  is maximum.



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3. A square piece of tin of side 18 cm is to be made into a box without top by cutting a square from each corner and folding up the flaps to form a box. What should be the side of the square to be cut off so that the volume of the box is maximum? Also, find the maximum volume.



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**Topic 5 Maxima And Minima Long Answer Type Questions Ii**



1. Show that of all the rectangles inscribed in a given circle, the square has the maximum area.



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2. A jet of enemy is along the curve  $y = x^2 + 2$  and a soldier is placed at (3,2). Find the minimum distance between the jet and soldier.



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3.  $AB$  is a diameter of a circle and  $C$  is any point on the circle. Show that the area of  $ABC$  is maximum, when it is isosceles.



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4. Find the point  $P$  on the curve  $y^2 = 4ax$  which is nearest to the point  $(11a, 0)$ .



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5. If the length of three sides of a trapezium other than the base is 10cm each, find the area of the trapezium, when it is maximum,



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6. Show that the semi-vertical angle of the cone of the maximum volume and of given

slant height is  $\frac{\cos^{-1} 1}{\sqrt{3}}$



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7. Prove that the semi-vertical angle of the right circular cone of given volume and least curved surface is  $\cot^{-1}(\sqrt{2})$ .



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8. From all the closed right circular closed cylindrical can of volume  $128\pi cm^3$ , Find the dimension of can which has minimum surface area.



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9. Prove that the radius of the right circular cylinder of greatest curved surface area which can be inscribed in a given cone is half of that of the cone.



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10. Prove that the height of the cylinder of maximum volume, that can be inscribed in a sphere of radius  $R$  is  $\frac{2R}{\sqrt{3}}$ . Also find the maximum volume.





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**11.** If the sum of the lengths of the hypotenuses and a side of a right angled triangle is given, show that the area of the triangle is maximum when the angle between them is  $\pi / 3$ .



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**12.** The sum of the perimeters of a circle and a square is  $k$ , where  $k$  is some constant. Prove that the sum of their areas is least when the

side of the square is double the radius of the circle.



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**13.** Find the area of the greatest rectangle that

can be inscribed in an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$



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**14.** Prove that the radius of the right circular cylinder of greatest curved surface area which

can be inscribed in a given cone is half of that of the cone.



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**15.** Show that the right-circular cone of least curved surface and given volume has an altitude equal to  $\sqrt{2}$  times the radius of the base.



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**16.** Prove that the area of right-angled triangle of given hypotenuse is maximum when the triangle is isosceles.



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**17.** An open box, with a square base, is to be made out of a given quantity of metal sheet of area  $C^2$ . Show that the maximum volume of

the box is  $\frac{C^3}{6\sqrt{3}}$



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**18.** Show that the height of a closed right circular cylinder of given surface and maximum volume, is equal to the diameter of its base.



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**19.** Show that a cylinder of a given volume which is open at the top has minimum total surface area, when its height is equal to the radius of its base.



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20. Find the point on the curve  $y^2 = 2x$  which is at a minimum distance from the point  $(1, 4)$



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21. Show that the semi-vertical angle of the cone of the maximum volume and of given slant height is  $\tan^{-1} \sqrt{2}$ .



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**22.** Show that all the rectangles with a given perimeter, the square has the largest area.



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**23.** A window has the shape of a rectangle surmounted by an equilateral triangle. If the perimeter of the window is 12 m, find the dimensions of the rectangle that will produce the largest area of the window.



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24. Show that the volume of the greatest cylinder which can be inscribed in a cone of height  $h$  and semi-vertical angle  $\alpha$ , is  $\frac{4}{27}\pi h^3 \tan^2 \alpha$ .



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25. Find the maximum area of an isosceles triangle inscribed in the ellipse

$\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ , with its vertex at one end of the major axis.



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**26.** An open tank with a square base and vertical sides is to be constructed from a metal sheet so as to hold a given quantity of water. Show that the cost of the material will be least when depth of the tank is half of its width.



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**27.** A wire of length 28m is to be cut into two pieces. One of the pieces is to be made into a square and the other into a circle. What should be the lengths of the two pieces so that the combined area of the circle and the square is minimum?



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**28.** Two poles of height 16 m and 22 m stand vertically on the ground 20 m apart. Find a

point on the ground, in between the poles, such that the sum of the square of the distances of this point from the tops of the poles is minimum.



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**29.** The lengths of the sides of an isosceles triangle are  $9 + x^2$ ,  $9 + x^2$  and  $18 - 2x^2$  units. Calculate the area of the triangle in terms of  $x$  and find the value of  $x$  which makes the area maximum.





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