



## MATHS

### BOOKS - SHRI BALAJI MATHS (ENGLISH)

#### HYPERBOLA

#### Exercise 1 Single Choice Problems

1. The normal to curve  $xy = 4$  at the point  $(1, 4)$  meets curve again at :

A.  $(-4, -1)$

B.  $\left(-8, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$

C.  $\left(-16, -\frac{1}{4}\right)$

D.  $(-1, -4)$

**Answer: C**



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2. If  $y = mx + c$  be a tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{\lambda^2} - \frac{y^2}{(\lambda^3 + \lambda^2 + \lambda)^2} = 1, (\lambda \neq 0), \quad \text{then}$$

minimum value of  $16m^2$

A. 0

B. 1

C. 4

D. 9

**Answer: D**



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3. Let any double ordinate  $PNP'$  of the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{25} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

be produced on both sides to meet

the asymptotes in  $Q$  and  $Q'$ . Then  $PQ \cdot P'Q$  is

equal to

(a) 25 (b) 16 (c) 41 (d) none of these

A. 3

B. 4

C. 1

D. 5

**Answer: A**



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4. The eccentricity of the hyperbola

$$\left| \sqrt{(x-3)^2 + (y-2)^2} - \sqrt{(x+1)^2 + (y+1)^2} \right| = 1$$

is \_\_\_\_\_

A. 12

B. 14

C. 17

D. 10

**Answer: D**



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5. A normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$  has equal intercepts on the positive x- and y-axis. If this normal touches the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , then  $a^2 + b^2$  is equal to 5 (b) 25 (c) 16 (d) none of these

A. 5

B. 25

C. 16

D. None of these

**Answer: B**



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6. The locus of a point whose chord of contact with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  is a tangent to the hyperbola  $xy = 1$  is a/an ellipse (b) circle hyperbola (d) parabola

A. ellipse

B. circle

C. hyperbola

D. parabola

**Answer: C**



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7. If the chord  $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$  of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{18} = 1$  subtends a right angle at the center, and the diameter of the circle, concentric with the hyperbola, to which the given

chord is a tangent is  $d$ , then the value of  $\frac{d}{4}$  is \_\_\_\_\_

A. 4

B. 5

C. 4

D. 7

**Answer: C**



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8. If the tangent and normal at a point on rectangular hyperbola cut-off intercept  $a_1, a_2$  on x-axis and  $b_1, b_2$  on the y-axis, then  $a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2$  is equal to :

A. 2

B.  $\frac{1}{2}$

C. 0

D. -1

**Answer: C**



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## Exercise 2 One Or More Than One Answer Is Are Correct

1. A common tangent to  $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ , is

A.  $y = \frac{3}{\sqrt{7}}x + \frac{15}{\sqrt{17}}$

B.  $y = 3\sqrt{\frac{2}{\sqrt{17}}}x + \frac{25}{\sqrt{7}}$

C.  $y = 2\sqrt{\frac{3}{7}}x + 15\sqrt{7}$

D.  $y = -3\sqrt{\frac{2}{\sqrt{7}}}x + \frac{25}{\sqrt{7}}$

Answer: B::D



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2. Tangents are drawn to the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = 3$  which are parallel to the line  $2x + y + 8 = 0$ . Then their points of contact is/are :

A. (2, 1)

B. (2, -1)

C. (-2, -1)

D. (-2, -1)

**Answer: B::D**



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3. If the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  is a normal to the curve  $xy = 1$ , then  $a > 0, b > 0$   $a > 0, b < 0$   $a < 0, b > 0$  (d)  $a < 0, b < 0$  none of these

A.  $a > 0, b > 0$

B.  $a > 0, b < 0$

C.  $b < 0, a < 0$

D.  $a < 0, b > 0$

**Answer: B::D**



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4. A circle cuts the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = 1$  in the points  $(x_r, y_r)$ ,  $r = 1, 2, 3, 4$ .

Prove that  $x_1x_2x_3x_4 = y_1y_2y_3y_4 = 1$

A.  $y_1y_2y_3y_4 = 1$

B.  $x_1x_2x_3x_4 = 1$

C.  $x_1x_2x_3x_4 = y_1y_2y_3y_4 = -1$

D.  $y_1y_2y_3y_4 = 0$

**Answer: B**



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## Exercise 3 Comprehension Type Problems

1. A point P moves such that the sum of the slopes of the normals drawn from it to the hyperbola  $xy = 16$  is equal to the sum of ordinates of feet of normals. The locus of P is a curve C.

The equation of the curve C is

A.  $x^2 = 4y$

B.  $x^2 = 16y$

C.  $x^2 = 12y$

D.  $y^2 = 8x$

**Answer: B**



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The equation of the curve C is

A.  $x^2 = 4y$

B.  $x^2 = 2y$

C.  $x^2 + 2y = 0$

D.  $x^2 + 4y = 0$

**Answer: C**



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The equation of the curve C is

A.  $768\sqrt{3}$

B.  $776\sqrt{3}$



C.  $760\sqrt{3}$

D. None of these

**Answer: A**



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## Exercise 4 Subjective Type Problems

1. Let  $y = mx + c$  be a common tangent to  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$ , then find the value of  $m^2 + c^2$ .



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2. The maximum number of normals that can be drawn to an ellipse passing through a given point is :



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3. Tangents at P to rectangular hyperbola  $xy = 2$  meets coordinate axes at A and B, then area of triangle OAB (where O is origin) is \_\_\_\_\_.



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