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**B.Sc. DEGREE (CBCSS) EXAMINATION APRIL 2015  
SECOND SEMESTER- CORE COURSE (MATHEMATICS)  
MAT2AGTM – ANALYTIC GEOMETRY, TRIGONOMETRY AND MATRICES  
(COMMON FOR B.SC MATHEMATICS AND B.SC COMPUTER APPLICATIONS)**

**Time :Three Hours**

**Maximum:80 Marks**

**Part A (Short Answer Questions)**  
**Answer all questions. Each Question carries 1 mark.**

1. Write the curve whose parametrization is given by  $x = a \cos t$ ,  $y = b \sin t$ .
2. Find the eccentricity and foci of the ellipse  $2x^2 + 3y^2 = 6$ .
3. What is the maximum number of normals that can be drawn from a given point to an ellipse.
4. Define conjugate diameters of an ellipse.
5. Write the polar equation of a conic.
7. What is the real part of  $\cos(A + iB)$ .
8. Define hyperbolic cosine of  $x$ .
9. What is the rank of a nonsingular matrix
10. Write the Normal form of a matrix.
10. Write the characteristic equation of a square matrix  $A$ .

(10 x 1 = 10)

**Part B (Short Answer Questions)**  
**Answer any eight questions. Each question carries 2 marks.**

11. The chord joining two points ' $t_1$ ' and ' $t_2$ ' on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  passes through the focus. Prove that  $t_1 t_2 = -1$ .
12. A hyperbola passes through (1,1) and its asymptotes are  $x + y - 1 = 0$  and  $x - y - 2 = 0$ . Find the equation to the hyperbola.
13. Determine the length of an equi-conjugate diameter of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$
14. Define conjugate hyperbola and write its equation.
15. Define a rectangular hyperbola and write the equation of its asymptotes.
16. Find the polar equation of a circle.
17. Prove that  $\sinh(x + y) = \sinh x \cosh y + \cosh x \sinh y$
18. Show that  $\tan(ix) = i \tanh x$ .
19. Find  $\log(-1)$

20. Find the rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$

21. State Cayley Hamilton theorem.

22. Find the eigen values of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

(8 x 2 = 16)

**Part C (Short Essay Questions)**  
**Answer any six questions. Each question carries 4 marks**

23. Find the equation of the asymptotes to a hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

24. Find the condition that the line  $lx+my+n = 0$  is a normal to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

25. Prove that the tangents at the ends of a pair of conjugate diameters of an ellipse form a parallelogram of constant area.

26. Find the polar equation of the normal to a conic.

27. Separate into real and imaginary parts  $\tan^{-1}(x+iy)$ .

28. Factorise  $x^7 - 1 = 0$

29. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  find  $A^2$  and  $A^3$  using Cayley Hamilton theorem.

30. Reduce the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 4 & 0 & 2 & 6 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  into Normal form.

31. Solve by matrix method  $2x-y+3z = 9$ ,  $x+y+z = 6$ ,  $x-y+z = 2$ .

(6 x 4 = 24)

**Part D ( Essay Questions)**  
**Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.**

32. Find the locus of the middle points of normal chords of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

33. Prove that the orthocenter of any triangle inscribed in a rectangular hyperbola lies on the curve.

34. Sum to infinity the series  $c \sin \theta + c^2/2 \sin 2\theta + c^3/3 \sin 3\theta + \dots$

35. Determine the characteristic roots and the associated characteristic vectors of the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(2 x 15 = 30)