

Mizoram Board Class 12 Mathematics Question Paper with Solutions(Memory Based)

Time Allowed :3 Hour	Maximum Marks :60	Total Questions :24
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General Instructions

Read the following instructions very carefully and strictly follow them:

- Answers to this Paper must be written on the paper provided separately.
- You will not be allowed to write during the first 15 minutes
- This time is to be spent in reading the question paper.
- The time given at the head of this Paper is the time allowed for writing the answers,
- The paper has four Sections.
- Section A is compulsory - All questions in Section A must be answered.
- You must attempt one question from each of the Sections B, C and D and one other question from any Section of your choice.

1. Show that the relation R in the set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ given by

$$R = \{(a, b) : |a - b| \text{ is even}\}$$

is an equivalence relation.

Solution:

Concept: A relation R on a set A is called an **equivalence relation** if it satisfies the following three properties:

- Reflexive: $(a, a) \in R$ for all $a \in A$
- Symmetric: If $(a, b) \in R$, then $(b, a) \in R$
- Transitive: If $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, c) \in R$, then $(a, c) \in R$

Here, the relation is defined by $|a - b|$ being even.

Step 1: Reflexive property.

For every element $a \in A$,

$$|a - a| = 0$$

Since 0 is even, $(a, a) \in R$ for all $a \in A$. Hence, the relation R is **reflexive**.

Step 2: Symmetric property.

If $(a, b) \in R$, then

$$|a - b| \text{ is even.}$$

But

$$|b - a| = |a - b|$$

Thus $|b - a|$ is also even, implying $(b, a) \in R$. Hence, the relation R is **symmetric**.

Step 3: Transitive property.

Suppose $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, c) \in R$. Then

$$|a - b| \text{ is even} \quad \text{and} \quad |b - c| \text{ is even.}$$

This implies

$$a - b = 2m, \quad b - c = 2n$$

for some integers m, n .

Adding the equations,

$$a - c = 2m + 2n = 2(m + n)$$

Thus $a - c$ is even, which means

$$|a - c| \text{ is even}$$

Therefore $(a, c) \in R$. Hence, R is **transitive**.

Step 4: Conclusion.

Since the relation R satisfies **reflexive, symmetric, and transitive properties**, it is an **equivalence relation** on the set A .

Quick Tip

For relations defined using $|\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}|$, check parity (odd/even). Numbers with the **same parity (both even or both odd)** have an even difference. Thus, the equivalence classes here are:

$$\{1, 3, 5\}, \quad \{2, 4\}.$$

2. Find the principal value of $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) - \sec^{-1}(-2)$.

Solution:

Concept: To evaluate expressions involving inverse trigonometric functions, we use their **principal value ranges**:

- $\tan^{-1} x \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$
- $\sec^{-1} x \in [0, \pi], x \neq (-1, 1)$

We use standard trigonometric values and identities to determine the angles.

Step 1: Evaluate $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3})$.

We know that

$$\tan \frac{\pi}{3} = \sqrt{3}$$

Since $\frac{\pi}{3}$ lies within the principal value range of $\tan^{-1} x$,

$$\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

Step 2: Evaluate $\sec^{-1}(-2)$.

Let

$$\sec^{-1}(-2) = \theta$$

Then

$$\sec \theta = -2$$

$$\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

In the principal value range $[0, \pi]$, the angle whose cosine is $-\frac{1}{2}$ is

$$\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

Thus,

$$\sec^{-1}(-2) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

Step 3: Compute the required expression.

$$\begin{aligned} \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) - \sec^{-1}(-2) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{2\pi}{3} \\ &= -\frac{\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Step 4: Final Answer.

$$\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) - \sec^{-1}(-2) = -\frac{\pi}{3}$$

Quick Tip

Remember the principal value ranges: $\tan^{-1} x \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ and $\sec^{-1} x \in [0, \pi]$.
Also recall standard values such as $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ and $\sec^{-1}(-2) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$.

3. If

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix},$$

verify that $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$.

Solution:

Concept: For any two non-singular matrices A and B ,

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

To verify this property, we compute AB , then find $(AB)^{-1}$, and separately compute $B^{-1}A^{-1}$. If both results are equal, the identity is verified.

Step 1: Find the product AB .

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2(1) + 3(-1) & 2(-2) + 3(3) \\ 1(1) + (-4)(-1) & 1(-2) + (-4)(3) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ 5 & -14 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Step 2: Find $(AB)^{-1}$.

For a 2×2 matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

Determinant of AB :

$$(-1)(-14) - (5)(5) = 14 - 25 = -11$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} (AB)^{-1} &= \frac{1}{-11} \begin{bmatrix} -14 & -5 \\ -5 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{14}{11} & \frac{5}{11} \\ \frac{5}{11} & \frac{1}{11} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Step 3: Find A^{-1} and B^{-1} .

For A :

$$|A| = (2)(-4) - (3)(1) = -8 - 3 = -11$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{-11} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -3 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

For B :

$$|B| = (1)(3) - (-2)(-1) = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$$B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 4: Compute $B^{-1}A^{-1}$.

$$\begin{aligned} B^{-1}A^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \left(\frac{1}{-11} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -3 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{-11} \begin{bmatrix} 3(-4) + 2(-1) & 3(-3) + 2(2) \\ 1(-4) + 1(-1) & 1(-3) + 1(2) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{-11} \begin{bmatrix} -14 & -5 \\ -5 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{14}{11} & \frac{5}{11} \\ \frac{5}{11} & \frac{1}{11} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Step 5: Verification.

$$(AB)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{14}{11} & \frac{5}{11} \\ \frac{5}{11} & \frac{1}{11} \end{bmatrix} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

Hence,

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

is verified.

Quick Tip

For invertible matrices, remember the important identity:

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

The **order reverses** when taking the inverse of a product of matrices.

4. Solve the following system of equations using the matrix method:

$$2x + 3y + 3z = 5, \quad x - 2y + z = -4, \quad 3x - y - 2z = 3.$$

Solution:

Concept: A system of linear equations can be written in matrix form as

$$AX = B$$

where A is the coefficient matrix, X is the variable matrix, and B is the constant matrix. If A is non-singular, the solution is given by

$$X = A^{-1}B$$

Step 1: Write the system in matrix form.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 2: Find the determinant of A .

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2 \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 2(4 + 1) - 3(-2 - 3) + 3(-1 + 6) \\ &= 10 + 15 + 15 = 40 \end{aligned}$$

Since $|A| \neq 0$, the matrix A is invertible.

Step 3: Find A^{-1} .

Using $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{Adj}(A)$, we obtain

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{40} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 9 \\ 5 & -13 & 1 \\ 5 & 11 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 4: Compute $X = A^{-1}B$.

$$\begin{aligned} X &= \frac{1}{40} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 9 \\ 5 & -13 & 1 \\ 5 & 11 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{40} \begin{bmatrix} 25 - 12 + 27 \\ 25 + 52 + 3 \\ 25 - 44 - 21 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{40} \begin{bmatrix} 40 \\ 80 \\ -40 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Step 5: Final solution.

$$x = 1, \quad y = 2, \quad z = -1$$

Quick Tip

To solve linear equations using matrices:

$$AX = B \Rightarrow X = A^{-1}B$$

First check that $|A| \neq 0$. Only then does the inverse exist and the system has a unique solution.

5. Find the derivative of $(\sin x)^x + \sin^{-1}(\sqrt{x})$ with respect to x .

Solution:

Concept: To differentiate $(\sin x)^x$, we use **logarithmic differentiation** since both the base and exponent are functions of x . For $\sin^{-1}(\sqrt{x})$, we apply the **chain rule** along with the derivative formula of inverse trigonometric functions.

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin^{-1} u) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} \frac{du}{dx}$$

Step 1: Differentiate $(\sin x)^x$ using logarithmic differentiation.

Let

$$y = (\sin x)^x$$

Taking logarithm on both sides,

$$\ln y = x \ln(\sin x)$$

Differentiating with respect to x :

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \ln(\sin x) + x \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = (\sin x)^x [\ln(\sin x) + x \cot x]$$

Step 2: Differentiate $\sin^{-1}(\sqrt{x})$.

Let $u = \sqrt{x}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1}(\sqrt{x}) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(\sqrt{x})^2}} \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(\sqrt{x}) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x}} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}\sqrt{1-x}} \end{aligned}$$

Step 3: Combine the derivatives.

$$\frac{d}{dx} [(\sin x)^x + \sin^{-1}(\sqrt{x})]$$

$$= (\sin x)^x [\ln(\sin x) + x \cot x] + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}\sqrt{1-x}}$$

Step 4: Final Answer.

$$\frac{d}{dx} [(\sin x)^x + \sin^{-1}(\sqrt{x})] = (\sin x)^x [\ln(\sin x) + x \cot x] + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}\sqrt{1-x}}$$

Quick Tip

For expressions of the form $f(x)^{g(x)}$, use **logarithmic differentiation**. Also remember:

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

and apply the **chain rule** when the argument is a function like \sqrt{x} .

6. Evaluate the integral

$$\int \frac{x \sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx.$$

Solution:

Concept: To evaluate this integral, we use the **substitution method**. Notice that the derivative of $\sin^{-1} x$ is

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

which appears in the denominator of the integrand.

Step 1: Use substitution.

Let

$$t = \sin^{-1} x$$

Then

$$\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$dt = \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

Thus the integral becomes

$$\int x(\sin^{-1} x) \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \int x t dt$$

Step 2: Express x in terms of t .

Since $t = \sin^{-1} x$,

$$x = \sin t$$

Hence the integral becomes

$$\int t \sin t \, dt$$

Step 3: Apply integration by parts.

Let

$$u = t, \quad dv = \sin t \, dt$$

Then

$$du = dt, \quad v = -\cos t$$

Using the formula

$$\begin{aligned} \int u \, dv &= uv - \int v \, du \\ \int t \sin t \, dt &= -t \cos t + \int \cos t \, dt \\ &= -t \cos t + \sin t + C \end{aligned}$$

Step 4: Substitute back $t = \sin^{-1} x$.

$$= -(\sin^{-1} x) \cos(\sin^{-1} x) + \sin(\sin^{-1} x) + C$$

Now,

$$\sin(\sin^{-1} x) = x$$

and

$$\cos(\sin^{-1} x) = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$$

Thus,

$$\int \frac{x \sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}} \, dx = x - (\sin^{-1} x) \sqrt{1 - x^2} + C$$

Step 5: Final Answer.

$$\boxed{\int \frac{x \sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}} \, dx = x - (\sin^{-1} x) \sqrt{1 - x^2} + C}$$

Quick Tip

Whenever an integral contains $\sin^{-1} x$ along with $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$, try the substitution

$$t = \sin^{-1} x$$

since its derivative naturally appears in the integrand.

7. Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{x} = x^2.$$

Solution:

Concept: The given equation is a **linear differential equation** of the form

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$$

where

$$P(x) = \frac{1}{x}, \quad Q(x) = x^2$$

The solution is obtained using the **integrating factor (I.F.)**:

$$\text{I.F.} = e^{\int P(x) dx}$$

Step 1: Find the integrating factor.

$$\text{I.F.} = e^{\int \frac{1}{x} dx}$$

$$= e^{\ln x} = x$$

Step 2: Multiply the equation by the integrating factor.

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = x^3$$

The left-hand side becomes the derivative of a product:

$$\frac{d}{dx}(xy) = x^3$$

Step 3: Integrate both sides.

$$xy = \int x^3 dx$$

$$xy = \frac{x^4}{4} + C$$

Step 4: Express the solution for y .

$$y = \frac{x^4}{4x} + \frac{C}{x}$$

$$y = \frac{x^3}{4} + \frac{C}{x}$$

Step 5: General solution.

$$y = \frac{x^3}{4} + \frac{C}{x}$$

Quick Tip

For a linear differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x),$$

first compute the integrating factor

$$\text{I.F.} = e^{\int P(x) dx}.$$

Multiplying the equation by the I.F. converts the left side into $\frac{d}{dx}(y \cdot \text{I.F.})$, making the equation easy to integrate.