

- a) e^2 b) $\frac{1}{e}$ c) $2e$ d) e

11. If $P(-3,2)$ is one end of the focal chord PQ of the parabola $y^2 + 4x + 4y = 0$, then the slope of the normal at Q is

- a) $-1/2$ b) 2 c) $1/2$ d) -2

12. The equation of the circumcircle of the triangle formed by the lines $y + \sqrt{3}x = 6$, $y - \sqrt{3}x = 6$ and $y = 0$ is

- a) $x^2 + y^2 - 4y = 0$
 b) $x^2 + y^2 + 4x = 0$
 c) $x^2 + y^2 - 4y - 12 = 0$
 d) $x^2 + y^2 + 4x = 12$

13. The centre of the circle $r^2 - 4r(\cos \theta + \sin \theta) - 4 = 0$ in Cartesian coordinates is

- a) $(1, 1)$ b) $(-1, -1)$ c) $(2, 2)$ d) $(-2, -2)$

14. The locus of the middle of chords of length 4 of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ is

- a) A straight line b) A circle of radius 2 c) A circle of radius $2\sqrt{3}$ d) An ellipse

15. The normal at P to a hyperbola of eccentricity e , intersects its transverse and conjugate axes at L and M respectively. If locus of the mid point of LM is hyperbola, then eccentricity of the hyperbola is

- a) $\left(\frac{e+1}{e-1}\right)$ b) $\frac{e}{\sqrt{e^2-1}}$ c) e d) None of these

16. If the chords of the rectangular hyperbola $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ touch the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$, then the locus of their mid-points is

- a) $x^2(y - a) = y^3$ b) $y^2(x - a) = x^3$ c) $x(y^2 - a) = y$ d) $y(x^2 - a) = x$

17. If the tangent at point P on the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6y - 2 = 0$ meets the straight line $5x - 2y + 6 = 0$ at a point Q on the y -axis, then length PQ

- a) 4 b) $2\sqrt{5}$ c) 5 d) $3\sqrt{5}$

18. An ellipse is described by using an endless string which is passed over two pins. If the axes are 6 cm and 4 cm, the necessary length of the string and the distance between the pins respectively in cms. are

- a) $6, 2\sqrt{5}$ b) $6, \sqrt{5}$ c) $4, 2\sqrt{5}$ d) None of these

19. The slope of tangents drawn from a point $(4, 10)$ to the parabola $y^2 = 9x$ are

- a) $\frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}$ b) $\frac{1}{4}, \frac{9}{4}$ c) $\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{3}$ d) None of these

20. The area of the triangle formed by the tangents from the point $(4,3)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ and the line joining their points of contact, is

- a) $\frac{25}{192}$ sq. units b) $\frac{192}{25}$ sq. units c) $\frac{384}{25}$ sq. units d) None of these