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DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

Mathematics I /Unit III/ Differential Calculus

## PART – C

### Level – 1 Questions

1. Find the radius of curvature for the curve  $x^3 + y^3 = 3axy$ .
2. Find the radius of curvature for the curve  $\sqrt{\frac{x}{a}} + \sqrt{\frac{y}{b}} = 1$  at any point  $(x, y)$ .
3. Find  $\rho$  for the curve  $y^2 = x^3 + 8$  at  $(-2, 0)$ .
4. Show that the radius of curvature of the hypocycloid  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}$  at any point  $(a, b)$  is  $3(abc)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ .
5. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  $x = a \cos \theta, y = a \sin \theta$  at  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .
6. Find the radius of curvature at  $(a, 0)$  on the curve  $y^2 = a^3 - x^3$ .
7. Find  $\rho$  for the curve  $x = 6t^2 - 3t^4, y = 8t^3$  at the point .

### Level – 2 Questions

8. Find the centre and circle of curvature of the curve  $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} = \sqrt{a}$  at  $(\frac{a}{4}, \frac{a}{4})$ .
9. Find the circle of curvature of the curve  $x^3 + y^3 = 3axy$  at the point  $(\frac{3a}{2}, \frac{3a}{2})$ .
10. Find the envelope of the family of straight lines  $x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = a \sec \theta$ ,  $\theta$  being the parameter.
11. Find the centre of curvature of  $y = x^2$  at the origin.
12. Find the circle of curvature at the point  $(1, 1)$  on the curve  $x^3 + y^3 = 2$ .
13. Find the equation of the circle of curvature of the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$  at the point  $(3, 6)$ .
14. Show that the radius of curvature  $\rho$  at any point  $(x, y)$  on the curve  $y = \frac{ax}{a+x}$  satisfies  $(\frac{2\rho}{a})^{\frac{2}{3}} = (\frac{x}{y})^{\frac{2}{3}} + (\frac{y}{x})^{\frac{2}{3}}$ .
15. Find the radius of curvature of the curve  $xy^2 = a^3 - x^3$  at  $(a, 0)$ .

### Level – 3 Questions

16. Find the evolute of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .
17. Find the evolute of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ .
18. Show that the evolute of the cycloid  $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta), y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$  is another cycloid.
19. Find the evolute of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .
20. Find the equation of the evolute of the curve  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}$ .
21. Find the equation of the evolute of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .
22. Show that the evolute of the curve  $x = a(\cos \theta + \theta \sin \theta), y = a(\sin \theta - \theta \cos \theta)$  is a circle.
23. Obtain the evolute of the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$

