

Topics : Vector, Application of Derivatives

Type of Questions

M.M., Min.

Subjective Questions (no negative marking) Q.1 to Q.8

(4 marks, 5 min.)

[32, 40]

- A segment of a line PQ with its extremities on AB and AC bisects a triangle ABC with sides a, b, c into two equal areas. Find the shortest length of the segment PQ.
- Let $f, g : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be two continuous function, differentiable on (a, b) . Assume in addition that g and g' are nowhere zero on (a, b) and $\frac{f(a)}{g(a)} = \frac{f(b)}{g(b)}$. Prove that there exists $c \in (a, b)$ such that $\frac{f(c)}{g(c)} = \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)}$
- Let $a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $ad + be + cf = \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)(d^2 + e^2 + f^2)}$
Use vector to prove that $\frac{a+b+c}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2}} = \frac{d+e+f}{\sqrt{d^2+e^2+f^2}}$
- Show that $f(x) = \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^x$ is always an increasing function for all x in its domain.
- With usual notation in $\triangle ABC$ if $2b = 3a$ and $\tan^2 A = \frac{3}{5}$, prove that there are two values of third side, one of which is double the other.
- Prove that the locus of the centre of a circle, which intercepts a chord of given length '2a' on the axis of x and passes through a given point on the axis of y, distance b from the origin, is curve, $x^2 \pm 2yb + b^2 = a^2$.
- Find the sum $\tan \theta + \frac{1}{2} \tan \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} \tan \frac{\theta}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} \tan \frac{\theta}{2^3} + \dots \infty$ and hence the sum of the series $\frac{1}{2^2} \tan \frac{\pi}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} \tan \frac{\pi}{2^3} + \frac{1}{2^4} \tan \frac{\pi}{2^4} + \dots \infty$
- The two adjacent sides of a parallelogram are represented by the lines $x - y + 1 = 0$ and $4x - 3y - 2 = 0$.
If one of the diagonals of the parallelogram is along the line $y = \frac{3x}{2}$, then find the equation of the other diagonal without finding the vertices of the parallelogram.

Answers Key

1. $\sqrt{\frac{(c+a-b)(a+b-c)}{2}}$ 7. $\frac{1}{\theta} - 2\cot 2\theta, \frac{1}{\pi}$
8. $5x - 4y - 1 = 0$