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**COMMERCIAL ARITHMETIC**

**Duration: 2 hours**

**Max. Marks: 80**

- Instructions:** 1) All question are compulsory (choice is internal)  
2) Start each new question on a fresh page  
3) Figures to the right indicate full marks  
4) Use of non-programmable and non-scientific calculators are allowed

**Q.1 Attempt the following:** (5 x 4=20)

- a) Find the distance between the points the pair of points(7, -2) and (-1,4).
- b) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $y = (2x^2 - 3)(5x + 1)$
- c) Find  $f(g(x))$  and  $g(f(x))$  if  $f(x) = 3x - 1$  and  $g(x) = x^2 + 1$
- d) Evaluate i)  $\int x^2 + x - e^x + 3^x + \frac{2}{x} dx$   
ii)  $\int \frac{x-3}{x} dx$
- e) The ages of madan and mukta are in the ratio of 9:4. Seven years hence, the ratio of their ages will be 5:3. Find their ages.

**OR**

**Q.I Attempt the following:** (5 x 4=20)

- p) Show that the points (4,2), (7,5) and (9,7) are collinear.
- q) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $y = \frac{4x^3 - 3x^2 + 1}{x}$
- r) Find x if  $f(x + 1) = f(x + 2)$  for  $f(x) = x^2 + 3x - 4$
- s) Evaluate  $\int_1^3 \left( \frac{x^2 + 4x + 3}{x + 1} \right) dx$
- t) The sum of two numbers is 40 and difference is 4. What is the ratio between the numbers?

**Q.2 Attempt the following:** (5 x 4=20)

- a) Find the distance of A(7,3) from a point on the X- axis whose abscissa is 11.
- b) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $y = \log (3x^2 + 4x + e^x + 5^x)$
- c) If MR= 30 and elasticity of demand with respect to price is 3, find the price.
- d) The marginal cost function of a firm is given by  $MC = 12x^3 + 18x^2 + 25$  where x is the output, find the average cost if the fixed cost is 500
- e) A total profit of RS.3600 is to be distributed amongst A, B and C such that A:B:: 5:4 and B:C::8:9. What is C's share?

**OR**

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**Q.II Attempt the following:**

- p) If B is the midpoint of segment AC find x where A(6, -1), B(1, 3) and C(x, 7)
- q) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if i)  $y = 7x^5 - 4x^2 + 6$   
ii)  $y = 2x^3 + 5^x$
- r) If the total cost function is given by  $C = 4x^2 + 7x + 3$  find average cost and marginal cost when  $x = 4$
- s) The demand and supply functions of a commodity  $p = 16 - 3x$  and  $p = x^2 - 12$  respectively. Find the consumer's surplus at the equilibrium price.
- t) If 5 people can complete a given work in 14 days, in how many days will 10 people complete the same work?

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**Q.3 Attempt the following:**

- a) Discuss the continuity of the following function at  $x = 4$
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + x + 2 & ; 2 \leq x \leq 4 \\ 3x + 4 & ; 4 < x \leq 6 \end{cases}$$
- b) Rita spends 9% of her income on recreation. If her monthly income is Rs. 10,000, find her expenditure on recreation per annum.
- c) Find the co-ordinates of point P which divides line segment AB in the ratio 2:3 internally where A(4, -5) and B(4, 5).
- d) Show that the function  $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x + 7$  is always increasing.
- e) Find the partial derivatives of the functions  $f(x, y) = xe^y + ye^x + 9$  at the point (0, 0).

OR

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**Q.III Attempt the following:**

- p) Evaluate the following if they exist
- i)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^3 + x^2 - 12}{x^3 - x^2 - x - 2}$  ii)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \left[ \frac{1}{x-2} - \frac{2}{x^2 - 2x} \right]$
- q) The cost of sugar was Rs. 112. It was increased to Rs. 140. What is the percentage increase in the cost of sugar?
- r) Using Slope show that (8, 3), (2, -1), (0, 1) and (6, 5) are the vertices of a parallelogram.
- s) Examine the following function for maximum and minimum  $P = x^4 - 4x$
- t) The demand function for a commodity is given by  $D(p_1, p_2) = 5 + 2p_1 p_2 - p_1^3$  for two commodities  $p_1$  and  $p_2$ , find the marginal demand at  $p_1 = 2$  and  $p_2 = 6$ .

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**Q.4 Attempt the following:**

- a) If  $y = 6x^4 - 7x^2 + 12x - 4$  find  $\frac{dy}{dx}, \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}, \frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$ .
- b) The sale price of 40 mobile phones is equal to the total printed price of 32 such phones. Find the rate of trade discount.
- c) Find the equation of a line passing through (-1, -2) and perpendicular to  $3x + 8y = 12$
- d) Evaluate i)  $\int \frac{x^2 - 4x^3 + 6x + 2}{x^2} dx$ .  
ii)  $\int (x + 3)(x - 2) dx$ .
- e) Find the equation of a line passing through the points A(3, 2) and B(6, 5).

OR

Q.IV Attempt the following:

- p) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $y = \frac{x^3 \times 5^x}{x^2 + 2}$ .
- q) A purchaser paid Rs. 780000 on a car which cost Rs. 800000. Find the rate percentage of discount.
- r) Find the equation of line passing through (1,3) and parallel to a line having slope 6.
- s) Evaluate i)  $\int \frac{1}{4x+5} + e^{(8-3x)} dx$ .  
ii)  $\int (x+3)^2 dx$
- t) A company manufactures two types of lamps A and B using two machines  $M_1$  and  $M_2$ . Lamp A requires 2 hours at machine  $M_1$  and 3 hours at machine  $M_2$ . Lamp B requires 4 hours at machine  $M_1$  and 1 hour at machine  $M_2$ . The profit contributions from each lamp of type A is Rs. 30 and that from each lamp of type B is Rs. 20. The number of hours available per week on machine  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are 40 and 50 hours respectively. Formulate the LPP to maximize the profit.