

2022

1st Semester Examination
MATHEMATICS (Honours)

Paper : C 1-T

[Calculus, Geometry and Differential Equation]

[CBCS]

Full Marks : 60

Time : Three Hours

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in their own words as far as practicable.*

Group - A

1. Answer any *ten* questions :

$2 \times 10 = 20$

(i) Find y_n for the function $y = \frac{x^n}{x-1}$.

(ii) Show that the curve $y^3 = 8x^2$ is concave to the foot of the ordinate everywhere except at the origin.

(iii) If the axes are rotated through an angle 45° without changing the origin, then find the new form of the equation $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$.

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✓(iv) Find the equation of the circle lying on the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2y - 4z = 11$ and having its centre at $(1, 3, 4)$. $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x - 6y - 8z - 13 = 0$

(v) Find the total area of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2x = 9$.

✓(vi) If $I_n = \int_0^{\pi/4} \tan^n x dx$, for $n \geq 2$, find the value of

$$I_n + I_{n-2}.$$

✓(vii) Find the asymptotes of the curve $x^3 + y^3 = 3axy$.

✓(viii) Find the integrating factor of

$$(1 + x^2)y_1 + y = e^{\tan^{-1}x}.$$

✓(ix) Find the singular solution of $y = x \frac{dy}{dx} - \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2$.

✓(x) Find the nature of the conic

$$3x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2 - 16x + 20 = 0$$

(xi) Calculate the sum of the reciprocals of two perpendicular focal chord of the conic

$$\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta.$$

✓(xii) Show that $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{ax+1}{ax-1} \right)^x = e^{2/a}$, $a > 0$.

(xiii) If $u = \sin ax + \cos ax$, show that

$$u_n = a^n \left\{ 1 + (-1)^n \sin 2ax \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

(xiv) Solve $p - \frac{1}{p} - \frac{x}{y} + \frac{y}{x} = 0$ where $p \equiv \frac{dy}{dx}$.

(xv) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{x^2 + 2x} - x)$.

Group - B

2. Answer any **four** questions :

5×4=20

(i) State and prove Leibnitz's theorem. If $y = \tan^{-1} x$ find $(y_n)_0$ by using Leibnitz's theorem.

(ii) Prove that the locus of the middle points of focal chords of a conic is an another conic.

(iii) If $J_n = \int \sin n\theta \sec \theta d\theta$, show that

$$J_n + J_{n-2} = -\frac{2}{n-1} \cos(n-1)\theta. \text{ Hence deduce the}$$

$$\text{value } \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\sin 3\theta \cos 3\theta}{\cos \theta} d\theta.$$

(iv) If S be the length of the arc of $3ay^2 = x(x-a)^2$, measured from the origin to the point (x, y) , show that $3s^2 = 4x^2 + 3y^2$.

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- (v) Find the equation to the right circular cylinder of radius a , whose axis passes through the origins and makes equal angles with the co-ordinates axes.

(vi) Solve : $16x^2 + 2\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 y - \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3 x = 0$.

Group - C

3. Answer any *two* questions :

10×2=20

- (i) (a) Explain L'Hospital Rule. Using L'Hospital Rule prove that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{a_1^{1/x} + a_2^{1/x} + \dots + a_n^{1/x}}{n} \right]^{nx} = a_1 a_2 \dots a_n.$$

- (b) Find the envelop of the straight line

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1, \quad a \text{ and } b \text{ are variable parameters}$$

connected by the relation $a + b = c$. 5+5

- (ii) (a) What is a great circle ? Obtain the equation of the sphere having the circle $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 10y - 4z - 8 = 0$, $x + y + z = 3$ as the great circle.

- (b) Reduce the equation $3x^2 + 5y^2 + 3z^2 + 2yz + 2zx + 2xy - 4x - 8z + 5 = 0$, to the standard form and find the nature of the conic. 3+7

(iii) (a) Find the volume of ellipsoid generated by the

revolution of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ about major axis and minor axis.

(b) Define singular and general solution of the differential equation. Find the both solutions of the following differential equation :

$$p^3 x - p^2 y - 1 = 0. \quad 5+5$$

(iv) (a) Find the rectilinear asymptotes of the following curve :

$$x^3 + x^2 y - xy^2 - y^3 + 2xy + 2y^2 - 3x + y = 0.$$

(b) If $f(m, n) = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^m x \sin nx \, dx$ prove that

$$f(m, n) = \frac{1}{m+n} + \frac{m}{m+n} f(m-1, n-1),$$

$m, n > 0$. Hence deduce that

$$f(m, n) = \frac{1}{2^{m+1}} \left(\frac{2}{1} + \frac{2^2}{2} + \frac{2^3}{3} + \dots + \frac{2^m}{m} \right).$$

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1. Answer any *ten* questions : 2×10=20

(a) If a, b, c be three positive real numbers in Harmonic Progression and n be a positive integer greater than 1, then prove that $a^n + c^n = 2b^n$.

(b) Geometrically represent the complex number $z = a + b.i$.

(c) Find the conditions that the roots of the equation $x^4 + px^3 + qx^2 + rx + s = 0$ are in G.P.

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(d) Apply Descartes' rule of signs to determine the nature of the roots of the equation

$$x^4 + x^2 + x - 1 = 0.$$

(e) Diminish the roots of $4x^3 - 8x^2 - 19x + 38 = 0$ by 2.

(f) If $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$, not both zero, such that $\gcd(a, b) = au + bv$, prove that $\gcd(u, v) = 1$, where $u, v \in \mathbb{Z}$.

(g) Can a null vector be an element of a basis set? Support your answer.

(h) Find the last two digits in 7^{100} .

(i) If a row echelon matrix R has r non-zero rows, then prove that rank of $R = r$.

(j) If λ be an eigen value of an $n \times n$ matrix A , prove that λ^m is an eigen value of the matrix A^m , where $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.

(k) Show that the subspace $U + W$ is the smallest subspace of vector space V containing the subspaces U and W .

(l) For what real values of k is the set

$$S = \{(k, 1, 1, 1), (1, k, 1, 1), (1, 1, k, 1), (1, 1, 1, k)\}$$

linearly independent in vector space \mathbb{R}^4 ?

(m) Let V and W be vector spaces over a field F , and $T:V \rightarrow W$ be a linear mapping. Prove that T is injective if and only if $\text{Ker } T = \{\theta\}$.

(n) Use Euclidean algorithm to find integers u and v satisfying $52u - 91v = 78$.

(o) Use Division algorithm to show that the cube of any integer is of the form $9k$ or $9k \pm 1$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Group - B

2. Answer any *four* questions :

5×4=20

(a) Prove that $\arg z - \arg(-z) = \pm \pi$ according as $\arg z > 0$ or $\arg z < 0$.

(b) If a, b, c be positive real numbers and $abc = k^3$, prove that $(1+a)(1+b)(1+c) \geq (1+k)^3$.

(c) Show that the equation

$$(x-a)^3 + (x-b)^3 + (x-c)^3 + (x-d)^3 = 0, \text{ where } a, b, c, d \text{ are not all equal, has only one real root.}$$

(d) If α, β, γ be the roots of the equation

$$x^3 + px^2 + qx + r = 0, \text{ then form the equation}$$

$$\text{whose roots are } \alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha}, \beta + \frac{1}{\beta}, \gamma + \frac{1}{\gamma}.$$

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(e) Find a basis and dimension of the subspace S of \mathbb{R}^3 defined by

$$S = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : 2x + y - z = 0\}.$$

(f) Use the principle of induction to prove that $2.7^n + 3.5^n - 5$ is divisible by 24, $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Group - C

Answer any *two* questions :

10×2=20

3. (a) If $\alpha = \cos \frac{2\pi}{n} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{n}$ and $\gcd(n, p) = 1$, then

prove that $1 + \alpha^p + \alpha^{2p} + \dots + \alpha^{(n-1)p} = 0$.

(b) Prove that in the equation $f(x) = 0$ with real coefficients, imaginary roots occur in conjugate pairs.

5+5

4. (a) Solve the equation $x^3 - 3x^2 + 12x + 16 = 0$ by Cardan's method.

(b) State Cayley-Hamilton theorem. Using the theorem describe a method of computing A^{-1} when A is a non-singular square matrix.

6+(1+3)

5. (a) If $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ are the eigen vectors

corresponding the eigen values 1, 2, 0 of the real square matrix A of order 3, then find A .

- (b) Find a linear mapping $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ such that $\text{Im } T$ is the subspace

$$U = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x + y + z = 0\} \quad 5+5$$

6. (a) For what value of k the planes $x - 4y + 5z = k$, $x - y + 2z = 3$, and $2x + y + z = 0$ intersect in a line? Find the equations of the line in that case.

- (b) If $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$ and $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, then show that

$$\frac{z^{2m} - 1}{z^{2m} + 1} = i \tan m\theta. \quad (4+2)+4$$



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CALCULUS , GEOMETRY AND DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION

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Answer any four questions.

4×12

1. (a) Find the equation of the asymptotes of the curve

$$r^n f_n(\theta) + r^{n-1} f_{n-1}(\theta) + \dots + f_0(\theta) = 0$$

(b) If $I_n = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{n-2} x \sin x \, dx$ show that

$2(n-1) I_n = 1 + (n-2) I_{n-1}$ and hence deduce

$$I_n = \frac{1}{n-1} \quad 5+5+2$$

2. (a) Circles are described on the double ordinates of the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ as diameters. Prove that the envelope is the parabola $y^2 = 4a(x+a)$.

(b) If $y = \sin(m \cos^{-1} \sqrt{x})$ then prove that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{y_{n+1}}{y_n} = \frac{4n^2 - m^2}{4n + 2}$.

(c) Find a, b, c such that $\frac{ae^x - b \cos x + ce^{-x}}{x \sin x} \rightarrow 2$ as $x \rightarrow 0$. 4+4+4

3. (a) Show that the arc of the upper half of the cardioid $r = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ is bisected at $\theta = \frac{2}{3}\pi$. Find also the perimeter of the curve.

(b) Show that the curve $re^\theta = a(1 + \theta)$ has no point of inflexion.

(c) Find the asymptotes of the parametric curve $x = \frac{t^2 + 1}{t^2 - 1}$ and $y = \frac{t^2}{t - 1}$.

4. (a) Show that feet of the normals from the point (α, β, γ) to the ellipsoid

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$ lie on the intersection of the ellipsoid and the cone

$$\frac{\alpha a^2(b^2 - c^2)}{x} + \frac{\beta b^2(c^2 - a^2)}{y} + \frac{\gamma c^2(a^2 - b^2)}{z} = 0.$$

(b) Find the equation of the right circular cylinder whose axis is

$$\frac{x}{1} = \frac{y}{-2} = \frac{z}{2} \text{ and radius is } 2. \quad 7+5$$

5. (a) Prove that $\cosh(x + y) = \cosh x \cosh y + \sinh x \sinh y$.

(b) Two spheres of radii r_1 and r_2 cut orthogonally. Prove that the radius

$$\text{of their common circle is } \frac{r_1 r_2}{\sqrt{r_1^2 + r_2^2}}.$$

(c) Find the polar equation of the normal to the conic $\frac{1}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta, e > 0$.

2+5+5

6. (a) Find the equation of the generator of the cone $x^2 + y^2 = z^2$ through the point (3, 4, 5).

(b) Given that the asteroid $\frac{2}{x^3} + \frac{2}{y^3} = \frac{2}{c^3}$ is the envelope of the family of

$$\text{ellipses } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \text{ show that } a + b = c.$$

(c) State the existence and uniqueness theorem for the solution of ordinary differential equation.

4+4+4

7. (a) Solve : $x \frac{dy}{dx} - y = x \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$.

(b) If m and n are positive integers, show that

$$\int_a^b (x-a)^m (b-x)^n dx = \frac{m!n!}{(m+n+1)!} (b-a)^{m+n+1}$$

(c) Solve $y = 2px + y^2p^3$ and find the general and singular solutions.

3+4+5

8. (a) Compute the length of the curve $x = 2\cos\theta, y = \sin 2\theta, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$.

(b) Find the points of inflection on the curve $r(\theta^2 - 1) = a\theta^2$

(c) If $I_n = \int_0^1 x^n \tan^{-1} x dx$, n being positive integer greater than 2, prove that

$$(n+1)I_n + (n-1)I_{n-2} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{n} \quad 3+3+6$$

Answer any six questions.

6×2

9. Find the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [a_0 x^m + a_1 x^{m-1} + \dots + a_m]^{1/x}$, m being a positive integer and $a_0 \neq 0$.

10. Let $I_n = \int_0^1 (\ln x)^n dx$. Show that $I_n = (-1)^n \frac{1}{n!}$, n being positive integer.

11. The curves $y = x^n, y^m = x$ ($m, n > 0$) meet at $(0, 0)$ and $(1, 1)$. Find the area between these two curves.

12. Find α if x^α be an integrating factor of $(x - y^2)dx + 2xy dy = 0$.

13. Find the curve for which the curvature is zero at every point and which passes through the point $(0, 0)$ where $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3/2$.

14. Solve the differential equation :

$$4x^3ydx + (x^4 + y^4)dy = 0.$$

15. Generate a reduction formula for $\int \tan^n x \, dx$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ and $n > 1$.

16. Find the equations of the straight lines in which the plane

$$2x + y - z = 0 \text{ cuts the cone } 4x^2 - y^2 + 3z^2 = 0.$$

17. Find the asymptote (if any) of the curve $y = a \log \left[\sec \left(\frac{x}{a} \right) \right]$.

18. On the ellipse $r(5 - 2\cos\theta) = 21$, find the point with the greatest radius vector.

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Answer any four questions.

4×12

1. (a) If a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n be all positive real numbers and

$$S = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n;$$

$$\text{Prove that } \left(\frac{s-a_1}{n-1}\right)\left(\frac{s-a_2}{n-1}\right)\dots\left(\frac{s-a_n}{n-1}\right)$$

$$> a_1 a_2 \dots a_n \text{ unless } a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_n$$

(b) If $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are the roots of the equation $t^4 + t^2 + 1 = 0$ and n is a positive integer, prove that $\alpha^{2n+1} + \beta^{2n+1} + \gamma^{2n+1} + \delta^{2n+1} = 0$.

(c) Find the relation among the coefficients of the equation $ax^3 + 3bx^2 + 3cx + d = 0$ if its roots be in arithmetic progression. 4+5+3

2. (a) Let $C[0, 1]$ be the set of all real continuous functions on the closed interval $[0, 1]$ and T be a mapping from $C[0,1]$ to \mathbb{R} defined by

$$T(f) = \int_0^1 f(x) dx, f \in C[0,1]. \text{ Show that } T \text{ is a linear transformation.}$$

(b) Let V be a real vector space with a basis $\{\vec{\alpha}_1, \vec{\alpha}_2, \dots, \vec{\alpha}_n\}$,

Examine if $\{\vec{\alpha}_1 + \vec{\alpha}_2, \vec{\alpha}_2 + \vec{\alpha}_3, \dots, \vec{\alpha}_n + \vec{\alpha}_1\}$ is also a basis of V .

(c) Find $K \in \mathbb{R}$ so that the set $S = \{(1, 2, 1), (K, 3, 1), (2, K, 0)\}$ is linearly dependent in \mathbb{R}^3 . 4+5+3

3. (a) Prove that $6 | n(n + 1)(n + 2)$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

(b) Use the theory of congruence to find the remainder when the sum $1^5 + 2^5 + 3^5 + \dots + 100^5$ is divided by 5. 5+5+2

(c) Find the values of a for which the equation $ax^3 - 6x^2 + 9x - 4 = 0$ may have multiple roots. 5+5+2

4. (a) Find x if the rank of the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -3 & x \\ 2 & 2 & x & -4 \\ 1 & 1-x & 2x+1 & -8-3x \end{pmatrix}$ be 2.

(b) Find the value of λ for which the system of equations

$$2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 1, \quad x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 + 4x_4 = 2, \quad x_1 + 7x_2 - 4x_3 + 11x_4 = \lambda$$

is solvable.

(c) If $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 0$, Prove that $\frac{\alpha^5 + \beta^5 + \gamma^5}{5} = \frac{\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3}{3} \cdot \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2}{2}$

4+4+4

5. (a) If α, β, γ be the roots of the equation $x^3 - 2x^2 + 3x - 1 = 0$,

find the equation whose roots are $\frac{\beta\gamma - \alpha^2}{\beta + \gamma - 2\alpha}, \frac{\gamma\alpha - \beta^2}{\gamma + \alpha - 2\beta}, \frac{\gamma\beta - \gamma^2}{\alpha + \beta - 2\gamma}$

(b) Solve : $(1+x)^{2n} + (1-x)^{2n} = 0$

(c) If $S_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{n}$, prove that $S_n > \frac{2n}{n+1}$ if $n > 1$. 4+5+3

6. (a) Show that $(2n + 1)^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{8}$ for any natural number n .

(b) Use Cayley Hamilton theorem, to find A^{50} where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

(c) Find the dimension of the subspace $S \cap T$ of \mathbb{R}^4 where

$$S = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : x + y + z + w = 0\}.$$

$$T = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2x + y - z + w = 0\}.$$

3+4+5

7. (a) If the roots of the equation $x^3 + px^2 + qx + r = 0$ are in A. P where p, q, r are real numbers, prove that $p^2 \geq 3q$.

(b) Find all values of $i^{1/7}$.

- (c) Prove that for any two integers U and $V > 0$, there exist two unique integers m and n such that

$$U = mV + n, \quad 0 \leq n < V.$$

4+4+4

8. (a) If $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ and $a \equiv c \pmod{n}$, prove that $b \equiv c \pmod{d}$ where $d = \gcd(m, n)$.

(b) Find the basis for the column space of the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (c) Determine the conditions for which the system of equations

$$x + 2y + z = 1$$

$$2x + y + 3z = b$$

$$x + ay + 3z = b + 1$$

has unique solution, many solutions and no solution.

Answer any six questions.

6×2

9. Find the general values of the equation

$$(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) (\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta) \dots (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta) = -i, \text{ where } \theta \text{ is real.}$$

10. If the equation $x^4 + px^2 + qx + r = 0$ has three equal roots then show that $8p^3 + 27q^2 = 0$.

11. Solve the equations $x + py + p^2z = p^3$, $x + qy + q^2z = q^3$, $x + ry + r^2z = r^3$.

12. Find the equation whose roots are cubes of the roots of the cubic $x^3 + 3x^2 + 2 = 0$.

13. Prove that $n^2 + 2$ is not divisible by 4 for any integer n .

14. Show that the set of all points on the line $y = mx$ forms a sub space of the vector space \mathbb{R}^2 .

15. Find the number of divisors and their sum of 10800.

16. Find the greatest value of xyz where x , y and z are positive real numbers satisfying $xy + yz + zx = 27$.

17. If A and B be two square invertible matrices, then prove that AB and BA have the same eigen values.

18. Show that eigen values of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$ are all real.

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Question Paper

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Answer any **three** from the following questions :

3×20

1. (a) Evaluate the following limits : $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \ln(\sin x)$ in $(0, \pi)$.

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(b) Show that the four asymptotes of the curve

$(x^2 - y^2)(y^2 - 4x^2) + 6x^3 - 5x^2y - 3xy^3 + 2y^3 - x^2 + 3xy - 1 = 0$ cut the curve in eight points which lie on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

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(c) Prove that the envelope of a variable circle whose centre lies on the parabola

$y^2 = 4ax$ and which passes through its vertex is $2ay^2 + x(x^2 + y^2) = 0$

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- (d) What are the points of inflection of the function $f(x) = 3x^4 - 8x^3$. 4
2. (a) What do you mean by rectilinear asymptotes to a curve ? 4
- (b) Find the equation of the envelope of the family of curve represented by equation $x^2 \sin \alpha + y^2 \cos \alpha = a^2$. 4
- (c) If $y = (\sin^{-1} x)^2$ show that $(1-x^2)y_{n+2} - (2n+1)xy_{n+1} - n^2y_n = 0$. Also find $y_n(0)$. 6
- (d) Find the asymptotes of the curve $(x+y)(x-2y)(x-y)^2 + 3xy(x-y) + x^2 + y^2 = 0$. 6
3. (a) If $I_n = \int_0^1 x^n \tan^{-1} x dx$, $n > 2$ then prove that $(n+1)I_n + (n-1)I_{n-2} + \frac{1}{n} = \frac{\pi}{2}$. 4
- (b) Determine the length of one arc of the cycloid $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta)$, $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$. 4
- (c) Find the reduction formula for $\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx$ where either m or n or both are negative integers. And hence find $\int \frac{\cos^4 x}{\sin^2 x} dx$. 6
- (d) Find the whole length of the loop of the curve $9ay^2 = (x-2a)(x-5a)^2$. 6
4. (a) Find the eccentricity and the vertex of the conic $r = 3 \sec^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$. 4
- (b) Find the polar equation of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{36} + \frac{y^2}{20} = 1$. 4
- (c) A sphere of radius k passes through the origin and meets the axes in A, B, C. Prove that the locus of the centroid of the triangle ABC is the sphere $9(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = 4k^2$. 6

- (d) Show that the plane $y + 6 = 0$ intersects the hyperbolic paraboloid $\frac{x^2}{5} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 6z$ in parabola. 6
5. (a) For what angle must the axes be turned to remove the term x^2 from $x^2 - 4xy + 3y^2 = 0$. 4
- (b) Find the centre and the radius of the circle $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 3z^2 + x - 5y - 2 = 0$, $x + y = 2$. 4
- (c) P is a variable point such that its distance from the xy-plane is always equal to one fourth the square of its distance from the y-axis. Show that the locus of P is a cylinder. 6
- (d) Reduce the equation $7x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 16yz + 8zx - 8xy + 2x + 4y - 40z - 14 = 0$ to the canonical form and find the nature of the conicoid it represents. 6
6. (a) Solve : $(1 + y^2)dx - (\tan^{-1} y - x)dy = 0$. 4
- (b) Find the singular solution of $xp^2 - (y - x)p - y = 1$. 4
- (c) Solve and find the singular solutions of $p^4 = 4y(xp - 2y)^2$. 6
- (d) Solve : $y(xy + 2x^2y^2)dx + x(xy - x^2y^2)dy = 0$. 6
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Unit - I

1. Answer any *three* of the following questions : $3 \times 2 = 6$

(a) If $y = c^{ax} \cos^2 bx$, find y_n ($a, b > 0$).

(b) Find the oblique asymptotes of the curve

$$y = \frac{3x}{2} \log \left(e - \frac{1}{3x} \right)$$

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✓(c) If $y = x^{n-1} \log x$, then prove that $y_n = \frac{(n-1)!}{x}$.

(d) What is reciprocal spiral? Sketch it.

(e) The parabolic path is given by

$$y = x \tan \theta - \frac{x^2}{4h \cos^2 \theta}$$

what will be the asymptote of parabolic paths ?

2. Answer any *one* questions :

1×10=10

✓(a) (i) Find the evolute of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$.

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✓(ii) Let $P_n = D^n (x^n \log x)$.

Prove that $P_n = nP_{n-1} + \underline{n-1}$. Hence show

that $P_n = n! \left(\log x + 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n} \right)$. 5

(3)

- (a) (i) Prove that the envelope of circles whose centres lie on the rectangular hyperbola $xy = c^2$ and which pass through its centre is $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 16c^2 xy$. 5

- (ii) Find the point of inflexion on the curve $(\theta^2 - 1)r = a\theta^2$. 5

Unit - II

3. Answer any *two* questions : 2×2=4

- (a) If $I_n = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{n-2} x \sin x \, dx, n > 2$. Prove that $2(n-1)I_n = 1 + (n-2)I_{n-1}$.

- (b) Find the length of the curve

$$x = e^\theta \sin \theta \text{ and } y = e^\theta \cos \theta$$

$$\text{between } \theta = 0 \text{ to } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

- (c) Find the reduction formula for

$$\int \cos^m x \sin(nx) \, dx.$$

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(4)

4. Answer any *two* questions :

2×5=10

(a) Prove that the volume of the solid obtained by revolving the lemniscate $r^2 = a^2 \cos 2\theta$ about the initial line is $\frac{1}{2} \pi a^3 \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \log(\sqrt{2} + 1) - \frac{1}{3} \right\}$.

(b) If $I_{m,n} = \int_0^1 x^m (1-x)^n dx$,

where m and n are positive integers, then prove that $(m+n+1)I_{m,n} = nI_{m,n-1}$ and deduce that

$$I_{m,n} = \frac{m!n!}{(m+n+1)!}.$$

(c) Evaluate the surface area of the solid generated by revolving the cycloid

$x = a(\theta - \sin \theta)$, $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ about the line $y = 0$.

Unit - III

5. Answer any *three* questions :

3×2=6

(a) Find the centre and foci of the conic

$$x^2 - 2y^2 - 2x + 8y - 1 = 0$$

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(b) Find the equation of the sphere of which the circle $xy + yz + zx = 0$, $x + y + z = 3$ is a great circle.

(c) Find the condition that the line

$$\frac{1}{r} = A \cos \theta + B \sin \theta \text{ may touch the conic}$$

$$\frac{1}{r} = 1 - e \cos \theta.$$

(d) For what angle must the axes be turned to remove the term xy from $7x^2 + 4xy + 3y^2$.

(e) Find the equation of cone whose vertex is origin and the base curve is $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, $z = 2$.

6. Answer any *one* question :

$1 \times 5 = 5$

(a) If r be the radius of the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2ux + 2vy + 2wz + d = 0,$$

$lx + my + nz = 0$ then prove that

$$(r^2 + d)(l^2 + m^2 + n^2) = (mw - nv)^2 + (nu - lw)^2 + (lv - mu)^2 \text{ and find the centre.}$$

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(b) Show that the feet of the normals from the point

(α, β, γ) to the ellipsoid $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$ lie on the intersection of the ellipsoid and cone

$$\frac{\alpha a^2(b^2 - c^2)}{x} + \frac{\beta b^2(c^2 - a^2)}{y} + \frac{\gamma c^2(a^2 - b^2)}{z} = 0$$

7. Answer any *one* question :

10×1=10

(a) (i) Show that the plane $3x - 2y - z = 0$

cuts the cones $21x^2 - 4y^2 - 5z^2 = 0$ and

$$3yz - 2zx + 2xy = 0$$

in the same pair of perpendicular lines.

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(ii) Find the equation of the cylinder, whose generators are parallel to the straight line

$$\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{3} = \frac{z}{5} \text{ and which passes through the conic}$$

$$z = 0, 3x^2 + 7y^2 = 12.$$

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(b) (i) Find the locus of the point of intersection of the perpendicular generators of the hyperboloid

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} - \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1.$$

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(7)

(ii) Reduce the equation

$$x^2 + 3y^2 + 3z^2 - 2xy - 2yz - 2zx + 1 = 0$$

to its canonical form and determine the type of quadratic represented by it. 6

Unit - IV

8. Answer any *two* questions :

2×2=4

(a) Find the integrating factor of the differential equation

$$(2xy + 3x^2y + 6y^3)dx + (x^2 + 6y^2)dy = 0$$

(b) Show that the general solution of the equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + Py = Q \text{ can be written in the form}$$

$y = k(u - v) + v$, where k is a constant and u and v are its two particular solutions.

(c) Solve : $\frac{dy}{dx} + y \cos x = xy''$.

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9. Answer any *one* question :

1×5=5

(a) The population of a country increases at the rate of proportional to the number of inhabitants. If the population doubles in 30 years, in how many years will it triple?

✓ (b) Solve : $(px^2 + y^2)(px + y) = (p + 1)^2$

$$[u = xy, v = x + y]$$
