

2021
MATHEMATICS

[GENERAL]

Paper : I

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Symbols, notations have their usual meanings.

GROUP-A
(Differential Calculus)

[Marks : 50]

1. Answer any **four** questions: 1×4=4

a) Find the radius of curvature of $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} = 1$ at

$$\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right).$$

b) A monotone sequence is always convergent
– Justify.

c) Test the convergence of the series

$$\frac{1}{3} + \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{7}\right)^3 + \dots + \left(\frac{n}{2n+1}\right)^n + \dots$$

d) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1+2x)^{\frac{x+3}{x}}$.

e) Test the differentiability of

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x+1 & , 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 3-x & , 1 \leq x \leq 2, \end{cases}$$

at $x=1$.

f) State Lagrange's MVT.

2. Answer any **six** questions: 2×6=12

a) Investigate for continuity at $(1, 2)$ of

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 2y & , (x, y) \neq (1, 2) \\ 0 & , (x, y) = (1, 2) \end{cases}$$

b) Find the value of x for which $(\sin x - \cos x)$ is a maximum or a minimum.

c) Find the pedal equation of the asteroid

$$x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}.$$

d) If $f(x, y) = |x| + |y|$, show that f is not differentiable at $(0, 0)$.

e) Show that $\log_e(1+x) < x - \frac{x^2}{2(1+x)}$ for $x > 0$.

f) If $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} xy & \text{when } |x| \geq |y| \\ -xy & \text{when } |x| < |y| \end{cases}$, show that

$$f_{xy}(0, 0) \neq f_{yx}(0, 0).$$

g) If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ is a convergent series of positive real numbers, will the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{2n}$ be convergent? Justify your answer.

h) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\sin x}{x} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}}$.

3. Answer any **four** questions: 6×4=24

a) i) Suppose that $x_n \rightarrow l$ and $y_n \rightarrow m$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, then prove that $x_n + y_n \rightarrow l + m$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

ii) Prove that the sequence $\{x_n\}$ defined by $x_1 = \sqrt{2}$, $x_{n+1} = \sqrt{2x_n}$, for $n \geq 1$ converges to 2. 2+4=6

b) i) Show that for $y = x^3 \log x$, $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = (-1)^n \frac{6|n-4|}{x^{n-3}}$.

ii) Find the maximum and minimum values of $f(x) = a \sin^2 x + b \cos^2 x$, where $a > b$. 3+3=6

c) i) State and prove Euler's theorem for homogeneous function in two variables x, y of degree n .

ii) If $f(0) = 0$, $f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$, prove without the method of integration that $f(x) + f(y) = f\left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy}\right)$. 3+3=6

d) i) Find all the asymptotes of the curve $y = \frac{3x}{2} \log\left(e - \frac{1}{3x}\right)$.

ii) Find the envelope of the family of lines $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$, where the parameters are connected by $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$. (c being a given constant) 3+3=6

e) i) Test the convergence of the series $x + \frac{2^2 x^2}{2!} + \frac{3^3 x^3}{3!} + \frac{4^4 x^4}{4!} + \dots$, $x > 0$.

ii) If $y = e^{m \sin^{-1} x}$, show that $(1-x^2)y_{n+2} - (2n+1)xy_{n+1} - (n^2+m^2)y_n = 0$. 3+3=6

f) i) If $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} xy \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} & , (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & , (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$ show that $f_{xy}(0, 0) \neq f_{yx}(0, 0)$.

ii) If $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & , \quad x \text{ is rational} \\ 0 & , \quad x \text{ is irrational,} \end{cases}$

prove that $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$ does not exist for any real number a. 4+2=6

4. Answer any **one** question: 10×1=10

a) i) If $u = ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2$, show that

$$\left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\right)^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\right)^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 8(ab - h^2)u.$$

ii) If

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} (x^2 + y^2) \log(x^2 + y^2) & , \quad x^2 + y^2 \neq 0 \\ 0 & , \quad x^2 + y^2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

show that $f_{xy}(0, 0) = f_{yx}(0, 0)$, although neither f_{xy} nor f_{yx} is continuous at $(0, 0)$.

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

ii) If ρ_1 and ρ_2 be the radii of curvature at the ends of conjugate diameters of the

ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$, prove that

$$\rho_1^{\frac{2}{3}} + \rho_2^{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}}{(ab)^{\frac{2}{3}}}. \quad 5+5$$

GROUP-B

(Integral Calculus)

[Marks : 30]

5. Answer any **four** questions: 2×4=8

a) Find the length of the circumference of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$.

b) Evaluate $\int_{-2}^2 \frac{x^2 \sin x}{x^6 + 12} dx$.

c) Evaluate $\int_0^2 |1 - x| dx$.

d) Find the value of $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{\sin^{-1} x dx}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}$.

e) Show that $\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\pi}$.

f) Evaluate $\int_0^1 dy \int_0^1 f(x, y) dx$, where

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}, & y \text{ rational} \\ x, & y \text{ irrational.} \end{cases}$$

6. Answer any **two** questions: 6×2=12

a) i) Obtain a reduction formula for $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^n x \, dx$,

n being a positive integer ≥ 1 and hence

evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^6 x \, dx$.

ii) Evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^4 x \cos^8 x \, dx$. 3+3=6

b) Show that:

i) $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-4x} x^{\frac{3}{2}} \, dx = \frac{3}{128} \sqrt{\pi}$.

ii) $\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{9}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{2}{9}\right)\dots\Gamma\left(\frac{8}{9}\right) = \frac{3}{16} \pi^4$. 3+3=6

c) i) Evaluate $\iint_R \sin(x+y) \, dx \, dy$, where

$$R = \left\{ 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 \leq y \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}.$$

ii) Find the volume of the solid generated by revolving one arch of the cycloid $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta)$, $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ about its base. 3+3=6

7. Answer any **one** question: 10×1=10

a) i) Find the area bounded by $y = 6 + 4x - x^2$ and the chord joining $(-2, -6)$ and $(4, 6)$.

ii) Show that the arc of the upper half of the cardioid $r = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ is bisected at $\theta = \frac{2}{3}\pi$. Also show that the perimeter of the curve is $8a$. 5+5=10

b) i) Show that $\frac{1}{2} < \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4-x^2+x^3}} < \frac{\pi}{6}$.

ii) Prove that $\iiint (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)xyz \, dx \, dy \, dz$ taken throughout the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 1$ is zero. 5+5=10

GROUP-C
(Differential Equations)
(Marks : 20)

8. Answer any **two** questions: 1×2=2

a) Construct a differential equation by the elimination of the arbitrary constants a and b from the equation $ax^2 + by^2 = 1$.

- b) Find an integrating factor of the differential equation

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

- c) Find the order and degree of the differential equation

$$\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^2 + \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \sin y = 0.$$

9. Answer any **one** question: 2×1=2

- a) Solve $(\cos y + y \cos x)dx + (\sin x - x \sin y)dy = 0$.

- b) Find the Particular Integral (P.I.) of the differential equation $(D^2 - 5D - 6)y = e^{4x}$.

10. Answer any **one** question: 6×1=6

- a) Prove that the necessary and sufficient condition that the differential equation

$$M(x, y)dx + N(x, y)dy = 0$$

be exact is $\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}$.

- b) Find the general and singular solutions of

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

11. Answer any **one** question: 10×1=10

- a) i) Solve: $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + a^2y = \sec ax$.

- ii) Solve: $\frac{dx}{dt} + 5x + y = e^t$
 $\frac{dy}{dt} + 3y - x = e^{2t}$ 5+5

- b) i) Find the curve for which the product of the intercepts of the tangent line on the co-ordinate axes is equal to a.

- ii) The acceleration of a moving particle being proportional to the cube of its velocity and negative, show that the distance passed over in time t is given by

$$s = \frac{\left\{\sqrt{2kv_0^2t+1}-1\right\}}{kv_0},$$

v_0 being the initial velocity and the distance is measured from the position of the particle at time $t=0$. 10