

2007

MATHEMATICS - I (Optional)

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*Standard : Degree**Total Marks : 200**Nature : Conventional**Duration : 3 Hours***Note :**

- (i) *Answers must be written in English.*
- (ii) *Question No. 1 is Compulsory. Of the remaining questions, attempt **any four** selecting one question from each section.*
- (iii) *Figures to the **RIGHT** indicate marks of the respective question.*
- (iv) *Use of log table, Non-Programmable calculator is permitted, but any other Table/Code/Reference book are not permitted.*
- (v) *Number of optional questions upto the prescribed number in the order in which they have been solved will only be assessed. Excess answers will not be assessed.*
- (vi) *Credit will be given for orderly, concise and effective writing.*
- (vii) *Candidate should not write roll number, any name (including their own), signature, address or any indication of their identity anywhere inside the answer book otherwise he/she will be penalised.*

Marks**1. Answer any four of the following :**

- (a) Using Cayley-Hamilton theorem find the expression for the inverse of a non-singular matrix and hence find A^{-1} for $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$. **10**

- (b) Discuss the convergence of the following integral : **10**

$$I = \int_0^1 x^{m-1} (1-x)^{n-1} dx$$

m and n are both positive.

- (c) Suppose U is an open set in \mathbb{R}^3 and $F : U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a continuously differentiable vector field. **10**

Define : (i) $\text{curl } F$ (ii) $\text{div } F$
 Prove that $\text{curl} (\text{curl } F) = \text{grad} (\text{div } F) - \Delta^2 F$

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- (d) A uniform rod OA of length $2a$, free to turn about its end O, revolves with uniform angular velocity ω about the vertical OZ through O, and is inclined at a constant angle α to OZ, show that the value of α is either zero or $\cos^{-1} (3g/4a\omega^2)$. 10

- (e) Find a, b, c if 10

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{ax e^x - b \log(1+x) + c x e^{-x}}{x^2 \sin x} = 2$$

SECTION - A

2. Answer the following sub-questions :

- (a) If V is a vector space over an infinite field F , then prove that V cannot be written as set - theoretic union of a finite number of proper subspaces. 10

- (b) If $B = \{e_1 = (1, 0), e_2 = (0, 1)\}$ is the standard basis of vector space $V = \mathbb{R}^2$ and if $T : V \rightarrow V$ is a linear transformation given by $T(e_1) = e_1 + e_2$, $T(e_2) = e_1 - e_2$, also if $v = \alpha_1 e_1 + \alpha_2 e_2$ ($\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{R}$) is a eigen vector of T , then show that $\pm \sqrt{2}$ are the only eigen values of T and find corresponding eigen-vectors of T . Further show that these eigen vectors form an ordered basis of V and find the matrix of T relative to this basis. (\mathbb{R} is the set of all real numbers) 10

- (c) Find an orthogonal matrix A whose first row is $u_1 = \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$ 10

Is the above matrix A unique ?

- (d) Find the symmetric matrix A , which corresponds to the following quadratic (polynomial) form. 10

$$3x^2 + 4xy - y^2 + 8xz - 6yz + z^2.$$

Determine whether the above symmetric matrix is positive definite.

3. Answer the following sub-questions :
- (a) Find the condition on the scalar ξ so that the vectors $(1, 1, 1)$ and $(1, \xi, \xi^2)$ form a basis of C^3 (C is the set of all complex numbers) 10
- (b) Find a homogeneous system whose solution set W is generated by $\{(1, -2, 0, 3), (1, -1, -1, 4), (1, 0, -2, 5)\}$ 10
- (c) Let V be a vector space and $w \in V$ be a vector such that inner product $\langle w, w \rangle \neq 0$. Let $W = \{ cw / c \in \mathbb{R} \}$ be the span of w prove that V is the direct sum of W and its orthogonal complement W^\perp . 10
- (d) Reduce the following quadratic form into standard form and name the conic $11x^2 + 6xy + 19y^2 - 80$ 10

SECTION - B

4. Answer the following sub-questions :
- (a) If the function $f: [0, 4] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is differentiable then prove that $(f(4)^2 - f(0)^2) = 8f'(a)f(b)$ for some a and $b \in [0, 4]$. 15
- (b) If $f(x, y) = \frac{x}{y}$ if $|y| \geq |x|$ 15
- $= \frac{y}{x}$ if $|x| \geq |y|$
- $= 0$ if $x = y = 0$
- then (i) Find $f_x(0, 0), f_{xy}(0, 0)$
- (ii) Discuss the continuity of f at $(0, 0)$
- (iii) Discuss the differentiability of f at $(0, 0)$
- (c) Find the area and the centre of gravity of the plane semi-circular region $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4, x \geq 0$. 10
5. Answer the following sub-questions :
- (a) Prove that the number θ which occurs in Taylor's theorem with the Lagrange's form of remainder after n terms approaches the limit $\frac{1}{n+1}$ as h approaches zero provided that $f^{n+1}(x)$ is continuous and different from zero at $x = a$. 15
- (b) A rectangular box without top with volume 108 cubic units is to be constructed from a sheet of metal. Find the dimensions of the box if the least amount of material is to be used in its manufacture. 15
- (c) Find the volume common to the cylinders $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ and $x^2 + z^2 = a^2$. 10

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SECTION - C

6. (a) Sketch the graph of the function 10
 $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 1}$
- (b) Define norm of a vector in \mathbb{R}^2 and \mathbb{R}^3 . Prove that $\|u+v\|^2 + \|u-v\|^2 = 2\|u\|^2 + 2\|v\|^2$, 15
 where $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2$ and interpret the result geometrically by translating it into a theorem about parallelogram.
 Let $u = (x, y, z)$, Describe that set
- (i) $\|u\| = 1$, (ii) $\|u\| < 1$, (iii) $\|u\| > 1$
- (c) Derive the expression for cylindrical and spherical co-ordinates of a point in \mathbb{R}^3 . 15
 Transform the Cartesian co-ordinates of a point $(4\sqrt{3}, 4, -4)$ into cylindrical co-ordinates. Also transform spherical co-ordinates of a point $(4, \frac{\pi}{6}, 3)$ into Cartesian co-ordinates.
7. (a) What are the quadric surfaces ? Explain different forms of quadric surfaces. 10
 Explain them with illustrations.
- (b) Find the distance between the skew lines $L_1 : x = 1 + 7t, y = 3 + t, z = 5 - 3t$ and 15
 $L_2 : x = 4 - t, y = 6, z = 7 + 2t$. Show that the line $x = -1 + t, y = 3 + 2t, z = -t$ and the plane $2x - 2y - 2z + 3 = 0$ are parallel and find the distance between them.
- (c) If $u = \log(ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2)$ then show that $x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + 2 = 0$. 15

SECTION - D

8. (a) A particle is attached to the middle point of an elastic string stretched between two points, A and B on a smooth horizontal table. If the particle be displaced through a small distance perpendicular to AB and then released, show that the motion is Simple Harmonic Motion. 15
- (b) What are the forces which are neglected in forming the equation of virtual work and why ? 15
- (c) Uniform solid circular cylinder rolls down on inclined rough plane. Discuss the motion. 10

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9. (a) A particle describes an ellipse as a central orbit about the forces. Prove that the velocity at the end of the minor axis is geometric mean between the velocities at the ends of any diameter. **15**
- (b) A heavy uniform rod rests with one end against a smooth vertical wall and with a point at its length resting on a smooth peg. Find the position of equilibrium and show that it is unstable. **15**
- (c) Find moment of inertia of an elliptic disc $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$. **10**

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