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B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2016

Fourth Semester

Core Course—VECTOR CALCULUS, THEORY OF EQUATIONS AND NUMERICAL METHODS

(Common for Mathematics Model I, II and B.Sc. Computer Applications)
[2013 Admission onwards]

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

Answer all the questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Find the parametric equation of the x-axis.
- 2. Write the formula for the length of a smooth curve r(t) = f(t)i + g(t)j + h(t)k, $a \le t \le b$ that is traced exactly once as t increases from a to b.
- 3. Find T for the curve :

$$r(t) = (\text{ln sect}) i + tj, -\frac{\pi}{2} < t < \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

- 4. State Stoke's theorem.
- 5. Find the curl of $F(x, y) = (x^2 y)i + (xy y^2)j$.
- 6. Form an equation whose roots are the reciprocals of the roots of $x^3 6x^2 + 8x 9 = 0$.
- 7. State fundamental theorem of Algebra.
- 8. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 + px^2 + qx + r = 0$, express the value of $\sum \frac{1}{\alpha}$.
- 9. Give an example of a transcedental function.
- 10. Define a polynomial.

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Part B

Answer any eight questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Find a vector parallel to the line of intersection of the planes 3x 6y 2z = 15 and 2x + y 2z = 5.
- 12. Find the curvature of the curve $r(t) = (6\sin 2t)i + (6\cos 2t)j + 5tk$.
- 13. Write the equation of hyperbolic paraboloid. Describe the sections cut out by the co-ordinate planes.
- 14. A coil spring lies along the helix r(t) = (cos 4t)i+(sin 4t)j+tk, 0 ≤ t ≤ 2π. The spring's density is a constant δ = 1. Find the spring's mass and its center of mass and it moment of inertia about the z-axis.
- 15. Find the work done by the force F from (0, 0, 0) to (1, 1, 1) over the path C given by : $r(t) = ti + t^2 j + t^4 k, 0 \le t \le 1 \text{ where } F = xyi + yzj + xzk.$
- 16. Test whether $F = (e^x \cos y)i (e^x \sin y)j + 2k$ conservative.
- 17. Verify normal form of Green's theorem for the field F(x,y) = (x-y)i + xj and the region \mathbb{R} bounded by the unit circle $r(t) = (\cos t)i + (\sin t)j$, $0 \le t \le 2\pi$.
- 18. Solve the equation $81x^3 18x^2 36x + 8 = 0$ whose roots are in harmonic progression.
- 19. Remove the second term from the equation $x^3 6x^2 + 4x 7 = 0$.
- 20. If α, β, γ be the roots of $x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x + 1 = 0$. Find the value of $\sum \alpha^3$.
- Set up a Newton-Raphson iteration formula for computing the square root of a given positive number.
- 22. Find a real root of $x^3 x 1 = 0$ by bisection method.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$

Part C

Answer any six questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

23. Find the parametric equation for the line tangent to the curve of intersection of the surfaces:

$$x + y^2 + 2z = 4$$
, $x = 1$ at $(1,1,1)$.

- 24. Show that yzdx + xzdy + xydz is exact and evaluate $\int_{(1,1,2)}^{(3,5,0)} yzdx + xzdy + xydz$.
- 25. Find a potential function f for the field F = 2xi + 3yj + 4zk.
- 26. Use Green's theorem to find the area of the region enclosed by the ellipse;

$$r(t) = (a\cos t)i + (b\sin t)j, 0 \le t \le 2\pi.$$

- 27. Find the area of the surface cut from the bottom of the paraboloid $x^2 + y^2 z = 0$ by the plane z = 4.
- 28. If $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are the roots of $x^4 2x^3 + 2x^2 + 1 = 0$ form the equation whose roots are:

$$2+\frac{1}{\alpha},\,2+\frac{1}{\beta},\,2+\frac{1}{\gamma},\,2+\frac{1}{\delta} \quad and \ hence \ evaluate \ \left(2\alpha+1\right)\left(2\beta+1\right)\left(2\gamma+1\right)\left(2\delta+1\right).$$

- 29. Solve the equation $6x^5 + 11x^4 33x^3 33x^2 + 11x + 6 = 0$.
- 30. Find the sum of the fourth powers of the roots of the equation $x^4 5x^3 + x 1 = 0$.
- 31. Use the method of false position to obtain a root correct to three decimal places, the equation :

$$x^3 + x^2 + x + 7 = 0$$

 $(6 \times 4 = 24)$

Part D

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 32. (a) Find the flux of the field F = 2xi + (x y)j across the circle $r(t) = (a\cos t)i + (a\sin t)j$, $0 \le t \le 2\pi$.
 - (b) Integrate g(x,y,z) = x + y + z over the surface of the cube cut from the first octant by the planes x = a, y = a, z = a.
- 33. (a) Use Stoke's theorem to evaluate $\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ if $\mathbf{F} = xzi + xyj + 3xzk$ and C is the boundary of the portion of the plane 2x + y + z = 2 in the first octant traversed counter clockwise.
 - (b) Find the center of mass of a thin shell of constant density δ cut from the cone $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ by the planes z = 1 and z = 2.

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34. (a) Solve by Cardan's method :

$$x^3 + x^2 - 9x + 12 = 0$$

(b) Solve by Ferravi's method:

$$x^4 + 6x^3 + 14x^2 + 22x + 5 = 0$$

- (c) Solve $x^3 9x^2 + 14x + 24 = 0$, two of whose roots being in the ratio 3: 2.
- 35. (a) Use iteration method to find, correct to four significant figures, a real root of $\cos x = 3x 1$.
 - (b) Use Newton-Raphson method to obtain a root, correct to three decimal places $x \cos x = 0$.

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