

**B0-R4 : BASIC MATHEMATICS****NOTE :**

1. Answer question 1 and any FOUR from questions 2 to 7.
2. Parts of the same question should be answered together and in the same sequence.

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 100

1. (a) If  $(x + yi)/i = (3 + 5i)$ , where  $x$  and  $y$  are real, what is the value of  $(x + yi)(x - yi)$  ?
  - (b) Evaluate the following definite integral  $\int_4^9 \left( \sqrt{x} + \frac{1}{3\sqrt{x}} \right) dx$
  - (c) Write two different vectors having same magnitude.
  - (d) Without expansion, show that 
$$\begin{vmatrix} 6 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 6 & 1 & 2 \\ -4 & 0 & 2 & 8 \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$
  - (e) Find local maxima and minima of the function  $f(x) = e^x + 3e^{-x}$ .
  - (f) Solve the differential equation  $(x^2 y + 2xy^2 - y^3)dx - (2y^3 - xy^2 + x^3)dy = 0$ .
  - (g) If  $\overline{PO} + \overline{OQ} = \overline{QO} + \overline{OR}$ , then show that the points P, Q, R are collinear. (7x4)
2. (a) Show that 
$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & bc \\ 1 & b & ca \\ 1 & c & ab \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 1 & b & b^2 \\ 1 & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix}.$$
  - (b) Compute the cube roots of  $z = -8$ .
  - (c) Show that the function  $y = (x + 1) - \frac{1}{3}e^x$  is a solution to the first-order initial value problem  $\frac{dy}{dx} = y - x, y(0) = \frac{2}{3}$ .
  - (d) A rubber ball is thrown in the air. Its height at any instance of time is given by  $h = 3 + 14t - 5t^2$  then what is the its maximum height ?
  - (e) Compute the limit  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x^4) - 1 + \frac{1}{2}x^8}{x^{16}}$  (4+4+4+3+3)

3. (a) Use Cramer's rule to solve the system
- $$\begin{aligned} -4x + 2y - 9z &= 2 \\ 3x + 4y + z &= 5 \\ x - 3y + 2z &= 8 \end{aligned}$$
- (b) If  $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = -\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$  and  $\vec{c} = 3\hat{i} + \hat{j}$  are such that  $\vec{a} + \lambda\vec{b}$  is perpendicular to  $\vec{c}$ , then find the value of  $\lambda$ .
- (c) Find the first three terms in the Maclaurin series for  $\sqrt{1-x+x^2}$ .
- (d) Determine all complex number  $z$  that satisfy the equation  $z + 3z' = 5 - 6i$  where  $z'$  is the complex conjugate of  $z$ .
- (e) Find the derivative of the function  $f(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-1}$  from first principle. **(4+4+4+2+4)**
4. (a) Find the first four terms in the Taylor series for  $(x-1)e^x$  near  $x = 1$ .
- (b) Find the equation of the ellipse which passes through the point  $(-3, 1)$  and has eccentricity  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{5}}$  with  $x$ -axis as its major axis and centre at the origin.
- (c) Find the value of  $k$  so that  $y = e^{kx}$  is a solution of  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{dy}{dx} - 6y = 0$  and find the general solution.
- (d) Find the equation of the circle which passes through the points  $(20, 3)$ ,  $(19, 8)$  and  $(2, -9)$ . Also find its centre and radius.
- (e) Solve the following differential equations  $(x - 2y) dx + x dy = 0$  **(4+4+4+4+2)**
5. (a) The sum of the perimeter of a circle and square is  $k$ , where  $k$  is a constant. Prove that the sum of their area is minimum, when the side of square is double the radius of the circle.
- (b) Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- (c) If  $f(x)$  is of the form  $f(x) = a + bx + cx^2$ , then show that
- $$\int_0^1 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{6} \left\{ f(0) + 4f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + f(1) \right\}$$
- (d) Find the differential equation of all the circles in the first quadrant which touch the coordinate axes.
- (e) If  $D$  and  $E$  are the mid-points of sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  of a triangle  $ABC$  respectively, show that  $\vec{BE} + \vec{DC} = \frac{3}{2}\vec{BC}$ . **(4+4+4+4+2)**

6. (a) Assume that the vectors  $\vec{a}$ ,  $\vec{b}$  and  $\vec{c}$  given as  $\vec{a} = a_1 \hat{i} + a_2 \hat{j} + a_3 \hat{k}$ ,  
 $\vec{b} = b_1 \hat{i} + b_2 \hat{j} + b_3 \hat{k}$  and  $\vec{c} = c_1 \hat{i} + c_2 \hat{j} + c_3 \hat{k}$ , then show that  
 $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} + \vec{c}) = \vec{a} \times \vec{b} + \vec{a} \times \vec{c}$ .
- (b) Suppose a ball is thrown straight upward so that its height  $f(x)$  (in feet) is given by the equation  $f(x) = 96 + 64x - 16x^2$  where  $x$  is time (in seconds).
- (i) Find the average velocity from  $x=1$  to  $x=1+h$ .
- (ii) Find the instantaneous velocity at  $x=1$ .
- (c) If  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1 - z_2|$ , prove that the difference of amplitudes of  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  is  $\pi/2$ .
- (d) Assume that a spherical drop evaporates at a rate proportional to its surface area. If its radius originally is 3 mm and 1 hour later has been reduced to 2 mm, find an expression for the radius of the rain drop at any time.
- (e) Evaluate  $\int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \cos 2x \log \sin x \, dx$ . (4+4+3+4+3)
7. (a) Check the convergence of the series :  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ (n^3 + 1)^{1/3} - n \right]$
- (b) Find all the asymptotes of the curve :  
 $x^3 + 4x^2y + 5xy^2 + 2y^3 + 2x^2 + 4xy + 2y^2 - x - 9y + 1 = 0$
- (c) Solve the homogeneous linear differential equation :  $3x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = x$  (6+6+6)

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