



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.Sc. Honours 1st Semester Examination, 2018

MTMACOR01T-MATHEMATICS (CC1)

CALCULUS, GEOMETRY AND ORDINARY DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.
All symbols are of usual significance.*

Answer Question No. 1 and any five from the rest

1. Answer any **five** questions from the following: 2×5 = 10
 - (a) Prove that the function $f(x) = A \cos mx + B \sin mx$ satisfies the differential equation $f''(x) + m^2 f(x) = 0$.
 - (b) Find the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{e^x - 1} - \frac{1}{x} \right]$
 - (c) From the following parametric equations form an equation in x and y :

$$x = 4 \sin\left(\frac{t}{4}\right), y = 1 - 2 \cos^2\left(\frac{t}{4}\right)$$
 - (d) Write the equation $xy = 1$ in terms of a rotated rectangular $x'y'$ -system if the angle of rotation from the x -axis to the x' -axis is 45° .
 - (e) Find the nature of the curve $x^2 - y^2 + 4x + 10y = 5$
 - (f) Find the general solution of $3e^x \tan y \, dx + (1 - e^x) \sec^2 y \, dy = 0$
 - (g) Find the singular solutions of $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 + y^2 = 1$
 - (h) Test whether the equation $(1 + e^{x/y})dx + e^{x/y}\left(1 - \frac{x}{y}\right)dy = 0$ is exact or not.

2. (a) Prove that the asymptotes of the curve 5
 $(x^2 - 4y^2)(x^2 - 9y^2) + 5x^2y - 5xy^2 - 30y^3 + xy + 7y^2 - 1 = 0$ cut the curve in eight points which lie on a circle of unit radius.
- (b) Show that the envelope of the family of straight lines given by the normal equation : $x \cos C + y \sin C - p = 0$ (where C is the parameter) is the circle with radius p and centered at the origin. 3

3. (a) If $y = x^2 \cos x$ then prove that 4

$$\frac{d^{n+1}y}{dx^{n+1}} = (n^2 + n - x^2) \sin\left(x + \frac{n\pi}{2}\right) + 2x(n+1) \cos\left(x + \frac{n\pi}{2}\right),$$

where n is a non-negative integer.

- (b) If $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 2x + a \sin x}{x^3}$ be finite, find the value of a and the limit. 4
4. (a) If $I_{m,n} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^m x \sin nx \, dx$, then prove that $I_{m,n} = \frac{1}{m+n} + \frac{m}{m+n} I_{m-1, n-1}$; 2+2
 m, n being positive integers. Hence deduce that

$$I_{m,n} = \frac{1}{2^{m+1}} \left[2 + \frac{2^2}{2} + \frac{2^3}{3} + \dots + \frac{2^m}{m} \right]$$
- (b) Find the length of the loop of the curve $x = t^2, y = t - \frac{t^3}{3}$ 4
5. (a) Show that the area of the surface of the solid generated by revolution the asteroid 4
 $x = a \cos^3 t, y = a \sin^3 t$ about the axis of x is $\frac{12}{5} \pi a^2$
- (b) Describe the graph of the ellipse $(x+3)^2 + 4(y-5)^2 = 16$ 3
- (c) What does the reflexion property of parabola mean? 1
6. (a) Discuss the nature of the conic $x^2 + 4xy + y^2 - 2x + 2y + a = 0$ 4
for different values of ' a '.
- (b) The latus rectum of a conic is 6 and its eccentricity is $\frac{1}{2}$. Find the length of the 4
focal chord making an angle of 45° with the major axis.
7. (a) The plane $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$ meets the coordinate axes at A, B, C. Find the equation 4
of the cone generated by the straight lines drawn from O to meet the circle ABC.
- (b) If a plane passing through a fixed point (α, β, γ) meets the axes at A, B, C 4
respectively, show that the locus of the centre of the sphere passing through the
origin and the points A, B, C is $\frac{\alpha}{x} + \frac{\beta}{y} + \frac{\gamma}{z} = 2$
8. (a) Solve: $x \, dy - y \, dx = (x^2 + y^2)^{1/2} \, dx$ 4
- (b) Solve: $(x^2 y - 2xy^2) \, dx - (x^3 - 3x^2 y) \, dy = 0$ 4
9. (a) Find the solution of 4
 $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2x}{1+x^2} y = \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^2}$ under the condition $y = 0$ when $x = 1$.
- (b) Solve: $2x^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) = xy + y^2$ 4

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