

2017

MATHEMATICS

[Honours]

PAPER – IV

Full Marks : 90

Time : 4 hours

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GROUP – A

(Analytical Dynamics)

[Marks : 40]

1. Answer any *one* question : 15 × 1

- (a) (i) A heavy particle slides down a rough cycloid whose base is horizontal and vertex downwards. Show that (I) if it starts from rest at the cusp and comes

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to rest at the vertex then $\mu^2 e^{\mu\pi} = 1$ (II) if it starts from rest at a point where the tangent makes an angle θ with the horizon and comes to rest at the vertex then

$$\mu e^{\mu\theta} = \sin\theta - \mu \cos\theta$$

where μ is the coefficient of friction. 7

(ii) A particle moves in a plane with an acceleration which is parallel to the axis of Y and varies as the distances from the axis of X . Write the equation of motion and show that the equation of the path may be written in the form

(I) $y = a \cos(Ax + B)$ when acceleration is attractive.

(II) $y = Ae^{\alpha x} + Be^{-\alpha x}$ when the acceleration is repulsive. The curve $x = a(\theta - \cos\theta)$, $y = a(1 - \cos\theta)$, where a, e are constants and θ is a parameter, is described under the

action of force parallel to the axis of X , show that the force varies

$$\text{as } \frac{(e - \cos\theta)}{\sin^3\theta}. \quad 2+2+4$$

- (b) (i) A particle of mass m moves under a central attractive force $m\mu(5u^3 + 8c^2u^5)$ and is projected from an apse at a distance C with velocity $3\sqrt{\mu}/C$; prove that the orbit is $r = C \cos^{2/3}\theta$ and that it will arrive at the origin after a time $\frac{\pi c^2}{8\sqrt{\mu}}$. 7

- (ii) One end of an elastic string, modulus of elasticity X and of natural length l is fixed to a point on a smooth horizontal table and the other end is tied to a particle of mass ' m ' lying on the table. The particle is pulled to a distance such that the length of the string is equal to twice its natural length l and is released.

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Show that the time of a complete oscillation is

$$2(\pi + 2)\sqrt{\frac{lm}{\lambda}}. \quad 8$$

2. Answer any *two* questions : 8 × 2

(a) Find the radial and cross-radial components and velocity and acceleration of a particle moving in plane in polar co-ordinates (r, θ) . 8

(b) If the velocity of a body in an elliptic orbit, major axis $2a$, is the same at a certain point P , whether the orbit being described in a periodic time T about one focus S or in periodic time T' about the other focus S' , prove that

$$SP = \frac{2aT'}{T+T'} \quad \text{and} \quad S'P = \frac{2aT}{T+T'} \quad 8$$

(c) A particle describes a path which is nearly a circle about a centre of force $f(x)$ at its centre where $u = l/r$. Find the condition under which this may be a stable motion. 8

3. Answer any *three* questions : 3 × 3

(a) Find the escape velocity at an altitude of 900 km above the surface of the earth.

(b) A shell of mass m is ejected from a gun of mass M by an explosion which generates kinetic energy E . Prove that the initial velocity of the shell is

$$\sqrt{\frac{2ME}{(M+m)m}}$$

(c) A spherical drop of liquid falling freely in a vapour acquires mass by condensation a constant rate K . Show that velocity after falling from rest in time t is

$$\frac{1}{2}gt\left(1 + \frac{m}{M+kt}\right).$$

Where M is the initial mass of the drop.

(d) The velocity V of a particle moving along the x axis given by $V^2 = 16 - x^2$. Prove that the motion is simple harmonic.

GROUP – B

(Linear Programming and Game Theory)

[Marks : 36]

4. Answer any one question of the following : 15 × 1

(a) (i) Using simplex method to solve the following LPP : 8

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } Z &= 2x_1 + 9x_2 + x_3 \\ \text{subject to } &x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 \geq 5 \\ &3x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 \geq 4 \\ &x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

(ii) In rectangular game the pay-off matrix given below :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 4 & 3 & 4 & -2 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

use dominance to reduce the game 2×2 and then solve the game. 5

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(iii) Solve the following 2×4 game geometrically

		Player B				
		B_1	B_2	B_3	B_4	
Player A	A_1	3	2	-1	4	2
	A_2	2	5	6	-2	

(b) (i) Use duality to solve the following LPP :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } Z &= 3x_1 - 2x_2 \\ \text{subject to } x_1 &\leq 4 \\ &x_2 \leq 6 \\ &x_1 + x_2 \leq 5 \\ &x_2 \geq 1 \\ &\text{and } x_1, x_2 \geq 0. \end{aligned} \quad 8$$

(ii) Solve the following transportation problem :

	D_1	D_2	D_3	
O_1	8	7	3	60
O_2	3	8	9	70
O_3	11	3	5	80
	50	80	80	

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5. Answer any *two* of the following questions : 8×2

(a) Use two phase simplex method to

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimize } Z &= x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3 \\ \text{subject to } 3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 &\leq 7 \\ -2x_1 + 4x_2 &\leq 12 \\ -4x_1 + 3x_2 + 8x_3 &\leq 10 \\ x_1, x_2, x_3 &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

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(b) Solve graphically the following LPP

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimize } Z &= 2x_1 + 3x_2 \\ \text{subject to } -x_1 + 2x_2 &\leq 4 \\ x_1 + x_2 &\leq 6 \\ x_1 + 3x_2 &\geq 9 \\ \text{and } x_1, x_2 &\geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence show that feasible region of a LPP is a convex set.

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(c) A transport company has offices in five localities A, B, C, D and E . Some day the offices located at A and B has 8 and 10 spare trucks whereas offices at C, D, E required

6, 8, 4 trucks respectively. The distance in kilometer between the five localities given below :

To		C	D	E
From	A	2	5	3
	B	4	2	7

How should the trucks from *A* and *B* be sent to *C*, *D* and *E* so that the total distance covered by the trucks is minimum. Formulate the problem as L.P.P. and hence solve it graphically.

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6. Answer any *one* of the following : 3 × 1

(a) Define convex set in \mathbb{R}^n . What do you mean by convex combination of vectors in \mathbb{R}^n ?

(b) Show that although $(2, 3, 2)$ is a feasible solution to the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned}x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 &= 9 \\3x_1 + 2x_2 + 5x_3 &= 22 \\x_1, x_2, x_3 &\geq 0\end{aligned}$$

it is not a basic solution. Find all the basic feasible solution of the given system.

7. Answer any *one* question : 2 × 1

(a) Show that $X = \{x : |x| \leq 2\}$ is a convex set.

(b) Graph the convex hull of the point : (0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 2) (1, 1), (4, 0). Which of these points is an interior point of the convex hull ? Explain it as a convex combination of the extreme points.

GROUP – C

(Tensor Calculus)

[Marks : 14]

8. Answer any *one* question : 8 × 1

(a) (i) If A^i be an arbitrary contravariant vector and $C_{ij} A^i A^j$ be an invariant, then show that $(C_{ij} + C_{ji})$ is a covariant tensors of the second order.

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(ii) If a_{ij} be skew-symmetric tensor and A^i be a contravariant vector, then show that $a_{ij}A^iA^j = 0$. 3

(b) Define Ricci Tensor. Show that Ricci tensor is symmetric. 2 + 6

9. Answer any two questions : 3 × 2

(a) Prove that the inner product of tensors A^p and B_i^j is a tensor of rank three.

(b) If f be a scalar function of co-ordinates x^j , then prove that

(i) $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x^j}$ is a covariant vector.

(ii) dx^j is a contravariant vector.

(c) If A_i is a covariant vector, examine whether $\frac{\partial A_i}{\partial x^j} - \frac{\partial A_j}{\partial x^i}$ are the component of a tensor or not.