

2019

BCA

2nd Semester Examination

Mathematical Foundation for Computer Science

Paper – 1203

Full Marks – 70

Time : 3 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer Q. No. 1 and any six from the rest taking at last one from each group.

1. Answer any **five** questions. 2×5
- (a) Apply Descartes rule of signs to determine the nature of the roots of the equation $x^7 - 2x^4 + 2x^3 - 1 = 0$.
- (b) If α, β, γ be the roots of the equation $x^3 + 5x^2 + 1 = 0$. Then find the value of $\sum \frac{1}{\alpha}$.
- (c) State Taylors mean value theorem with Lagrange form of remainder.

- (d) Verify Rolle's theorem for the function $f(x)=x^2 - 5x + 10$ on $[2,3]$.
- (e) Geometrically interprets the Lagrange mean value theorem.
- (f) Is $\begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$ an orthogonal matrix ?
Verify.
- (g) For a square matrix A, show that $A-A^T$ is a skew -symmetric matrix.
- (h) State the fundamental theorem of classical algebra.
- (i) If X is Poisson variate with parameter μ and $P(X=0) = P(X=1)=k$, prove that $\mu = 1$ and $k=e^{-1}$.

Group – A
(Algebra)

2. (a) Prove that

$$\begin{vmatrix} (b+c)^2 & a^2 & a^2 \\ b^2 & (c+a)^2 & b^2 \\ c^2 & c^2 & (a+b)^2 \end{vmatrix} = 2abc(a+b+c)^3.$$

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(b) If the roots of the equation $x^3+ax^2+bx+c=0$ are in G.P., then show that $b^3 = a^3c$. 5

3. (a) If the roots of the equation $x^3+px^2+qx+r=0$ are α, β, γ then find the equation whose roots

are $\frac{\alpha}{\beta+\gamma}, \frac{\beta}{\gamma+\alpha}, \frac{\gamma}{\alpha+\beta}$. 5

(b) Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of

the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$. 2+3

4. (a) Using Cramer's rule solve the following system of equations $2x - y = 3, 3y - 2z = 5, 2z - x = -4$.

(b) Find the adjoin matrix of the following matrix

$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 7 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$. Also, find the inverse of it.

(5+5)

Group – B

(Calculus)

5. (a) If $f(x,y) = x \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{y} + x \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$ then find

the value of $x \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$. 5

- (b) If $y = \cos(m \sin^{-1} x)$, prove that

$$(1-x^2)y^{n+2} - (2n+1)xy^{n+1} + (m^2-n^2)y^n = 0$$

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6. (a) Evaluate any **one** of the integral 5

(i)
$$\int_0^1 \frac{5x \, dx}{(x+2)(x^2+1)}$$

(ii)
$$\int \frac{dx}{(1-x)\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

- (b) Evaluate 5

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\left(1 + \frac{1}{n^2}\right)^{2/n^2} \left(1 + \frac{2^2}{n^2}\right)^{4/n^2} \cdots \left(1 + \frac{n^2}{n^2}\right)^{2n/n^2} \right]$$

7. (a) Prove that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \left\{ \sin \frac{t}{n} + \sin \frac{2t}{n} + \dots + \sin \frac{(n-1)t}{n} \right\} \\ = \frac{1 - \cos t}{t}$$

- (b) Derive the series expansion of the function $f(x) = \log(1+x)$ using Maclaurin's theorem. (5+5)

8. (a) Explain Skewness and Kurtosis with geometrical concept. 5

- (b) Find mean and median of the distribution given by the probability density function $f(x) = kx(1-x), 0 \leq x \leq 1$. where K is a suitable constant to be calculated. 5

9. (a) Calculate arithmetic mean and standard deviation of the following distribution. 6

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| Class Interval : | 0-9 | 10-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-59 |
| Frequency : | 15 | 20 | 25 | 24 | 34 | 12 |

- (b) A random variable X has probability density

$$\text{function } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4}, & -2 < x < 2 \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

find (i) $P(|x| > 1)$

(ii) $P(2x+5 > 7)$ 2+2

10. (a) State Bayes's theorem. Hence, find the probability that the couple has two boys? Given that the couple has 2 children and the older child is boy. Also, given that the probabilities of having a boy or a girl are both 50%.
- (b) Find the mean number of heads in the three tosses of a coin. 5+5
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