

2019

B.Sc. (Honours)

4th Semester Examination

MATHEMATICS

Paper - C9T

(Multivariate Calculus)

Full Marks : 60

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.
Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.*

Unit - I

1. Answer any **three** questions : 2×3

(a) Show that the limit exists at the origin but the repeated limit does not, for the function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{y} + y \sin \frac{1}{x}, & xy \neq 0 \\ 0 & , xy = 0 \end{cases}$$

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(b) For $F(x, y) = x^4 y^2 \sin^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$ show that

$$x \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = 6F$$

(c) Define directional derivative of the function $f(x, y)$ at the point (a, b) . Obtain partial derivative as a special case of it.

(d) Is $f(x, y) = |y|(1+x)$ differentiable at $(0, 0)$?

(e) Find the maximum or minimum value of

$$f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 - 3axy.$$

2. Answer any **one** question :

5×1

(a) State and prove sufficient condition for differentiability of a function $f(x, y)$ at a point (a, b) .

(b) Let $(a, b) \in D$, the domain of definition of f . If $f_x(a, b)$ exist and $f_y(x, y)$ is continuous at (a, b) then show that $f(x, y)$ is differentiable at (a, b) .

3. Answer any *one* question

10×1

- (a) (i) Find the shortest distance from the origin to the hyperbola $x^2 + 8xy + 7y^2 = 225, z = 0$.
- (ii) If z be a differentiable function of x and y and if $x = c \cosh(u) \cos(v)$, $y = c \sin hv \sin v$ then prove that

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial u^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial v^2} = \frac{1}{2} c^2 (\cosh 2u - \cos 2v)$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} \right)$$

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- (b) (i) Define total differential of a function $f(x, y, z)$.

Approximate the change in the hypotenuse of a right angled triangle whose sides are 6 and 8 cm, when the shorter side is

lengthened by $\left(\frac{1}{4} \text{ cm}\right)$ and the longer is

shortened by $\left(\frac{1}{8} \text{ cm}\right)$.

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(ii) Prove that the volume of the greatest rectangular parallelepiped, that can be

inscribed in the ellipsoid $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$,

is $\frac{8abc}{3\sqrt{3}}$. (2+3)+5

Unit - II

4. Answer any *two* questions :

2×2

(a) Let

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}, & y = \text{rational} \\ x, & y = \text{irrational} \end{cases}$$

verify whether $\int_0^1 dy \int_0^1 f(x, y) dx$ exists or not.

(b) Evaluate $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin rx}{x} dx$ from $\int_0^{\infty} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-xy} \sin rx dx dy$

with the help of change of order of integration.

- (c) Evaluate $\iint_R (x^2 + y^2) dx dy$ over the region R bounded by $xy = 1$, $y = 0$, $y = x$, $x = 2$.

5. Answer any *two* questions :

5×2

- (a) Show in a diagram the field of integration of the

integral $\int_0^1 \left(\int_x^{1/x} \frac{y dy}{(1+xy)^2(1+y^2)} \right) dx$ and by

changing the order of integration, show that the

value of the integral is $\frac{\pi-1}{4}$.

- (b) Are the two iterated integrals $\int_1^{\infty} dx \int_1^{\infty} \frac{x-y}{(x+y)^3} dy$

and $\int_1^{\infty} dy \int_1^{\infty} \frac{x-y}{(x+y)^3} dx$ equal? Justify your

answer.

- (c) Evaluate

$$\iiint_E \sqrt{a^2 b^2 c^2 - b^2 c^2 x^2 - a^2 c^2 y^2 - a^2 b^2 z^2} dx dy dz$$

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(6)

where E is the region bounded by the ellipsoid

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1.$$

Unit - III

6. Answer any *three* questions :

2×3

(Symbols have their usual meaning)

- (a) Find the total work done in moving a particle in a force field given by

$$F = (2x - y + z)\hat{i} + (x + y - z)\hat{j} + (3x - 2y - 5z)\hat{k},$$

along a circle C in the xy -plane $x^2 + y^2 = 9$,
 $z = 0$.

- (b) Evaluate the vector line integral $\int_C \vec{F} \times d\vec{x}$ where

$\vec{F} = Z\hat{i}$ and C is the part of the circular helix
 $\vec{x} = b \cos t\hat{i} + b \sin t\hat{j} + c t\hat{k}$ between the points
 $(-b, 0, \pi c)$ and $(b, 0, 0)$.

- (c) Prove that $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \left[r \vec{\nabla} \left(\frac{1}{r^3} \right) \right] = 3r - 4$, where \vec{r} is

the position vector and $r = |\vec{r}|$

(7)

(d) Find the equation of the tangent plane to the surface $xyz = 4$ at the point $(1, 2, 2)$.

(e) If $\Delta\phi = (2xyz^3, x^2z^3, 3x^2yz^2)$ and

$\phi(1, -2, 2) = 4$, find the function ϕ .

7. Answer any *one* question :

10×1

(a) (i) If $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{E} = 0$, $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{H} = 0$, $\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{H}}{\partial t}$ and

$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H} = \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t}$, then show that

$$\nabla^2 \vec{H} = \frac{\partial^2 \vec{H}}{\partial t^2} \text{ and } \nabla^2 \vec{E} = \frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2}.$$

(ii) Let $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$, $r = |\vec{r}|$ and $f(x)$ is a scalar function possessing first and 2nd order derivatives prove that

$$\nabla^2 f(x) = \frac{d^2 f}{dr^2} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{df}{dr}.$$

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If $\nabla^2 f(r) = 0$, show that $f(r) = A + \frac{B}{r}$

where A and B are arbitrary constants.

(b) (i) Prove that

$$\vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}) = \vec{\nabla}(\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A}) - \vec{\nabla}^2 \vec{A}$$

(ii) Let $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$ and $r = |\vec{r}|$.

If $f(r) = \log r$ and $g(r) = 1/r$, $r \neq 0$.

Satisfy $2\vec{\nabla}f + h(r)\vec{\nabla}g = 0$ then find $h(r)$.

Unit - IV

8. Answer any *two* questions :

2×2

(a) Evaluate

$$\int_S (x^2 dy dz + y^2 z dz dx + 2z (xy - x - y) dx dy)$$

where S is the surface of the cube

$$0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 1$$

(b) Show that $\iint_S \vec{r} \cdot d\vec{s} = 3v$ where v is the volume

enclosed by the closed surface S and \vec{r} has its usual meaning.

- (c) (i) State Green's theorem in the plane.
- (ii) If S be any closed surface enclosing a volume V and $\vec{F} = x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + 3z\hat{k}$, prove that $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds = 6V$.

9. Answer any *one* question :

5×1

- (a) Evaluate $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \hat{n} \, dS$, where

$\vec{F} = x\hat{i} - y\hat{j} + (z^2 - 1)\hat{k}$, S is the surface of the region bounded by $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, $z = 0$, $z = 4$ in the first octant.

- (b) Verify Green's theorem in the plane for $\oint (xy + y^2)dx + x^2dy$ where C is the closed curve of the region bounded by $y = x$ and $y = x^2$.
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