

48-52 C.C. Exam., 2009

MATHEMATICS, PAPER-I

Time Allowed : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 200

Answer any five questions.

1. (a) Find the characteristics equation of the matrix : $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$. Is

Cayley-Hamilton theorem verified for this matrix ?

- (b) Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of the matrix :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. (a) Find the rank of the matrix : $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 0 & 6 \\ 4 & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ by reducing

it to normal form.

- (b) Reduce the following in quadrature form and find its rank and signautre :

$$x^2 + 4y^2 + 9z^2 + t^2 - 12yz + 6zx - 4xy - 2xt - 6zt.$$

3. (a) A wire of length 20 metres is bent so as to form a circular sector of maximum area. Find the radius of the circular sector.
- (b) If $f(x, y) = \log(3x_2 + 4y_2 + 2x + 7)$,
- (i) Determine the region D in which f is defined.
 - (ii) Find and classify all critical points in D .
 - (iii) Find the maximum and minimum of f in the unit square

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

4. (a) Evaluate $\int x^2 \log(1 - x^2) dx$ and deduce that

$$\frac{1}{1 \cdot 5} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot 7} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 9} + \dots = \frac{8}{9} - \frac{2}{3} \log 2.$$

(b) Find the volume of the solid generated by the revolution of the cycloid $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta)$, $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ about y-axis.

5. (a) Show that the two straight lines $x^2 (\tan^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) - 2xy \tan \theta + y^2 \sin^2 \theta = 0$ make with the x-axis angles such that the difference of their tangents is 2.

(b) Find the equation and length of the common tangent to the

hyperbolas : $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ and $\frac{x^2}{b^2} - \frac{y^2}{a^2} = -1$.

6. (a) Prove that the locus of the lines which intersect the three lines $y - z = 1, x = 0; z = 1, y = 0; x - y = 1, z = 0$ is $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2yz - 2zx - 2xy - 1 = 0$. Prove also that of all these lines are just two which intersect the line $y = z - x$ as well and that these two are inclined at an angles $\cos^{-1} \frac{3}{8}$.

(b) Find the equations to the generating lines of the hyperboloid

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} - \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1, \text{ passing through the point } ' \theta, \phi '.$$

7. (a) Solve : $(10y - x - 21) dy - (5x - 14y - 3) dx = 0$.

(b) Solve : $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 4 \frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = x^2$ if $y = \frac{3}{8}, \frac{dy}{dx} = 1$ when $x = 0$.

8. (a) Solve : $(x + a)^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 4(x + a) \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = x$.

(b) Solve the following differential equation :
 $(D^2 - 2D + 1) y = x^2 + e^{3x}$.

9. (a) If the position vectors of A, B, C are $2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - \hat{k}, 4\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ respectively, show that triangle ABC is a right angled triangle.

- (b) Verify Stokes' theorem for vector function $y\hat{i} + z\hat{j} + x\hat{k}$ and the surface S given by $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ and $z \geq 0$.
10. (a) Find the covariant and contravariant components of the acceleration vector in cylindrical and spherical co-ordinates.
- (b) If $p_1, \rho_1, t_1; p_2, \rho_2, t_2; p_3, \rho_3, t_3$ be the corresponding values of the pressure density and temperature of the same gas, show that

$$t_1 \left(\frac{p_2}{\rho_2} - \frac{p_3}{\rho_3} \right) + t_2 \left(\frac{p_3}{\rho_3} - \frac{p_1}{\rho_1} \right) + t_3 \left(\frac{p_1}{\rho_1} - \frac{p_2}{\rho_2} \right) = 0.$$

11. (a) A heavy uniform rod of length $2a$ rests with its ends in contact with two smooth inclined planes of inclinations α and β to the horizon. If θ be the inclination of the rod to the horizon, prove

by the principle of virtual work that $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{2}(\cot \alpha - \cot \beta)$.

- (b) Two forces act, one along the line $y = 0, z = 0$ and the other along the line $x = 0, z = c$. As the forces vary, show that the surface generated by the central axis of their equivalent wrench is $(x^2 + y^2)z = cy^2$.

12. (a) A heavy particle is projected with velocity u strikes at angle of 45° to an inclined plane of angle β which passes through the point of projection. Show that the vertical height of the point struck above the point of projection is

$$\frac{u^2}{g} \left(\frac{1 + \cot \beta}{2 + 2 \cot \beta + \cot^2 \beta} \right).$$

- (b) A heavy particle is projected with velocity v at an inclination α to the horizon in a medium in which there is resistance equal to k times the velocity of the particle. Discuss the motion and prove that the direction of motion will again make an angle α

with the horizon after a time $\frac{1}{k} \log \left(1 + \frac{2kv}{g} \sin \alpha \right)$.