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MATHEMATICS–Paper I

(Algebra and Calculus)

(NC : Admissions of 2006 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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Attempt any two parts from each question.

1. (a) Prove that the set $M_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} : a, b, c, d \in R \right\}$ is a

vector space over R with respect to matrix addition and multiplication of a matrix by a scalar.

(8)

- (b) Find the row rank and column rank of the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

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and show that they are equal. (8)

- (c) For what values of λ and μ do the following system of equations

$$x + y + z = 6,$$

$$x + 2y + 3z = 10,$$

$$x + 2y + \lambda z = \mu$$

have (i) unique solution (ii) no solution (iii) an infinite number of solutions? (8)

2. (a) Find a necessary condition for the roots of the equation

$$x^3 - px^2 + qx - r = 0, \text{ to be in H.P. } (8\frac{1}{2})$$

- (b) State and prove De Moivre's Theorem for integral indices. (8½)

- (c) Express $\sin^6 \theta$ in terms of cosines of multiples of θ . (8½)

3. (a) Compute $a^{-1}ba$, where

$$(i) a = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 7 & 9 \end{pmatrix}, b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(ii) a = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix} (8\frac{1}{2})$$

- (b) Let $G = \{ (a, b) : a, b \in \mathbb{R} \text{ both not zero} \}$ and $*$ be a binary operation defined by $(a, b) * (c, d) = (ac - bd, ad + bc)$ for all $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$

Show that $(G, *)$ is a commutative group. (8½)

- (c) Prove that set \mathbf{Z} of all integers is a ring with respect to the addition and multiplication of integers. (8½)

4. (a) If

$$x = a(\cos\theta + \theta \sin \theta), y = a(\sin \theta - \theta \cos \theta),$$

$$\text{find } \frac{d^2y}{d^2x}. \quad (8)$$

- (b) Discuss the kind of discontinuity, if any, of the function defined as:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-|x|}{x} & \text{when } x \neq 0 \\ 2 & \text{when } x = 0 \end{cases} \quad (8)$$

- (c) If

$$y = e^{m \sin^{-1}x},$$

show that:

$$(1 - x^2) y_{n+2} - (2n + 1) x y_{n+1} - (n^2 + m^2) y_n = 0. \quad (8)$$

5. (a) Find the asymptotes of the curve:

$$x^3 + 3x^2y - 4y^3 - x + y + 3 = 0 \quad (8\frac{1}{2})$$

- (b) The tangent at two points P, Q on the cycloid:

$$x = a(\theta - \sin\theta), \quad y = a(1 - \cos\theta)$$

are at right angles, show that if r_1, r_2 be the radii of curvature at these points then:

$$r_1^2 + r_2^2 = 16a^2. \quad (8\frac{1}{2})$$

- (c) Trace the curve :

$$y^2(a^2 + x^2) = x^2(a^2 - x^2). \quad (8\frac{1}{2})$$

6. (a) State Lagrange's mean value theorem. Verify it for the function $f(x) = \sin(x)$ in the interval $[0, \pi/2]$. (8\frac{1}{2})

- (b) Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - x + \frac{x^3}{6}}{x^5} \quad (8\frac{1}{2})$$

- (c) Assuming the possibility of expansion, prove that:

$$\sin x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[1 + \left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) - \frac{\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2}{2!} - \frac{\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^3}{3!} - \dots \right]$$

(8\frac{1}{2})

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