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MATHEMATICS – Paper III

(Selected Topics in Mathematics)

(Admissions of 2004 and onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 75

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Attempt **six** questions in all. Unit I and Unit II are compulsory and contain **four** questions. In Unit III, choose any of the options and attempt **two** questions from the same. Marks are indicated.

Unit - I

1. (a) Define an open set of real numbers. Show that a non empty subset of \mathbb{R} cannot be open. Is the set of rationals open? Justify with proof. 6
- (b) State the properties which make \mathbb{R} a complete ordered field. 6

OR

- (a) Define limit point of a set. State Bolzano Weierstrass Theorem and show by an example that condition of boundedness in the theorem cannot be relaxed. 6
- (b) Show that the function f defined on \mathbb{R} by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ -1 & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$

is discontinuous at every point. 6

2. (a) Test for convergence any **two** of the following series :

(i) $\frac{1}{3.7} + \frac{1}{4.9} + \frac{1}{5.11} + \frac{1}{6.13} + \dots$

(ii) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{-n} \cdot (-1)^n$

(iii) $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\underline{2}}{8} + \frac{\underline{3}}{32} + \frac{\underline{4}}{128} + \dots$ 6

- (b) Prove that every convergent sequence is bounded. Is every bounded sequence convergent? Justify. 7

OR

- (a) Define a monotonically increasing sequence and prove that a monotonically increasing sequence that is bounded above converges. 7
- (b) State Leibnitz Test for the convergence of an alternating series. Test the convergence and absolute convergence of the series 6

$$\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{8} + \dots$$

3. (a) Show that the improper integral

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} x^{n-1} dx$$

Converges if and only if $n > 0$. 6

- (b) Let f be a monotonically increasing function defined on a closed and bounded interval $[a, b]$. Prove that f is Riemann integrable on $[a, b]$. 7

OR

(a) Show that :

(i) $\Gamma(1) = 1$

(ii) $\beta(m, n) = \int_0^x \frac{x^{m-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx \quad m > 0, n > 0$ 6

(b) (i) Prove that the series

$$\frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{1}} + \frac{\cos 2x}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sin 3x}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{\cos 4x}{\sqrt{4}} + \dots$$

is not a Fourier series.

(ii) Find the radius of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n}$$

Unit – II

Computer Programming

4. (a) Evaluate the following expressions :
float a = 2.5, b = 2.5 ; 6

(i) $a + 2.5 / b + 4.5$

(ii) $(a + 2.5) / b + 4.5$

(iii) $(a + 2.5) / (b + 4.5)$

(iv) $a / 2.5 / b$

- (b) Write a program to obtain the transpose of an $m \times n$ matrix. 7

OR

- (a) Write C expressions corresponding to the following : 6

(i)
$$\frac{ab}{c + \frac{dR}{m} + R} + a$$

(ii)
$$a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3ab(a + b)$$

- (b) Write a program to find whether a given point (x, y) lies on the x -axis, y -axis or at origin namely $(0, 0)$. 7

Unit – III (1)

Numerical Analysis

(Note : Use of scientific calculator is allowed.)

5. (a) Find the negative root of the equation $x^3 + 2x + 10 = 0$, correct to 3 places. 6

- (b) Solve the following system of equation by Gauss elimination method :

6

$$5x_1 - x_2 = 9$$

$$-x_1 + 5x_2 - x_3 = 4$$

$$-x_2 + 5x_3 = -6$$

OR

- (a) Find the root of the equation

$x^x = 100$, correct to 4 places of decimals, using Newton-Raphson method.

6

- (b) Solve the following system of equations, by using Gauss-Jordan elimination method :

6

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 2$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 - 2x_4 = -6$$

$$2x_1 + 3x_2 - x_3 + 2x_4 = 7$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 - x_4 = -2$$

6. (a) Find the values of y when $x = 3.2$ and when $x = 2.9$ from the following data using Gauss's forward formula :

6

x	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0
y	246.2	409.3	537.2	636.3	715.9

- (b) Evaluate the integral $I = \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$, using 3 point Gauss-Legendre's Quadrature formula. 6

OR

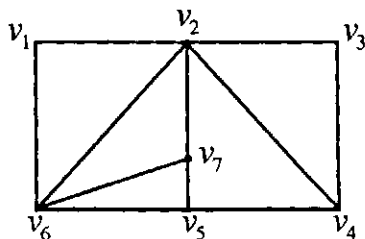
- (a) For the equally spaced tabular data for $y = f(x)$, prove that the error in (Newton's forward) linear interpolation does not exceed $\frac{1}{8}$ times the second difference. 6

- (b) Evaluate $\int_1^3 \int_1^2 \frac{dx dy}{xy}$, using trapezoidal rule with $h = k = 0.5$. 6

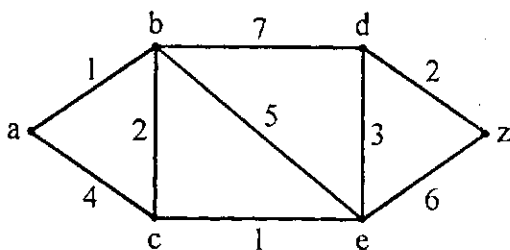
Unit – III (2)

Discrete Mathematics

5. (a) Find a Hamiltonian cycle in the graph. 6



- (b) Obtain a shortest path from the vertex a to vertex z in the weighted graph. 6



OR

- (a) Show that in any simple, connected, planar graph, $e \leq 3v - 6$. Give an example of a simple, connected and non-planar graph for which $e \leq 3v - 6$ 6

6. (a) What is a combinatorial circuit ? Find the combinatorial circuit corresponding to the Boolean expression.

$$(x_1 \wedge (\bar{x}_2 \vee x_3)) \vee x_2$$

and write the logic table for the circuit obtained. 6

- (b) Prove the equation : 6

$$(a \vee \bar{b} \vee d) \wedge (a \vee b \vee \bar{c}) \wedge (a \vee c \vee d) \\ = a \vee (b \wedge d) \vee (\bar{c} \wedge d)$$

OR

- (a) Write Boolean functions corresponding to the Boolean expressions :

$$(i) \quad (\bar{x}_1 \wedge \bar{x}_2 \wedge \bar{x}_3) \vee (\bar{x}_1 \wedge \bar{x}_2 \wedge x_3) \vee (x_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge x_3)$$

$$(ii) \quad (x_1 \wedge \bar{x}_2 \wedge x_3) \vee (\bar{x}_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge \bar{x}_3) \vee (x_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge \bar{x}_3)$$

in tabular form specifying values of f corresponding to various possible combinations of values of x_1, x_2 and x_3 .

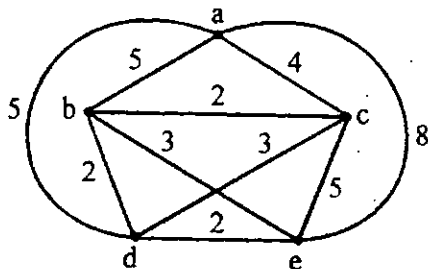
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- (b) Simplify the circuit represented by $f = (a \wedge \bar{c} \wedge \bar{d}) \vee (a \wedge \bar{b} \wedge d) \vee (a \wedge c \wedge \bar{d})$

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- (b) Use the nearest neighbour method to determine a Hamiltonian circuit for the following graph, starting from the vertex 'a' :

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Unit – III (3)

Mathematical Statistics

5. (a) Prove that for any discrete distribution, standard deviation is not less than the mean deviation from mean. 6
- (b) Find the mode of the Poisson distribution. 6

OR

- (a) State and prove the Baye's theorem. 6
- (b) Fit a parabola to the following data taking x as the independent variable : 6

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
y	2	6	7	8	10	11	11	10	9

6. (a) Prove that for a normal distribution, the quartile deviation, mean deviation and the standard deviation are approximately in the ratio
10 : 12 : 15 6
- (b) State and prove the Bon Ferronis Inequality. 6

OR

(a) Prove that the mean deviation is least when measured from median. 6

(b) Prove the recurrence relation for the binomial distribution

$$\mu_{r+1} = pq \left(n_r \mu_{r-1} + \frac{d\mu_r}{dp} \right)$$

where μ_r is the r^{th} moment about the mean.

Hence obtain μ_2, μ_3, μ_4 . 6

Unit – III (4)

Mechanics

5. (a) Show that the resultant of two forces P and Q inclined at an angle α to each other, is $(P^2 + Q^2 + 2PQ \cos \alpha)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ making with P an angle $\sin^{-1} \frac{Q \sin \alpha}{\sqrt{P^2 + Q^2 + 2PQ \cos \alpha}}$. 6

(b) Find the position of the centroid of the area of the curve $ay^2 = x^3$ between the origin and $x = b$. 6

OR

- (a) A uniform rod AB of weight W and length $2a$ can turn about a smooth hinge at its upper end A, and the lower end B is kept at a horizontal distance $2b$ from the hinge by a horizontal force applied at B. Prove that the reaction at the hinge is

$$\frac{1}{2} W \sqrt{[(4a^2 - 3b^2) / (a^2 - b^2)]} \quad 6$$

- (b) A uniform ladder of length l has its upper end projecting slightly over a smooth horizontal rail at a height h . If the ladder is about to slip and λ is the angle of friction prove that

$$\tan \lambda = \{h\sqrt{l^2 - h^2}\} / (l^2 + h^2) \quad 6$$

6. (a) If a particle is moving according to the law $v^2 = 2(x \sin x + \cos x)$, where x is the distance described, find its acceleration. 6

- (b) An elastic string of natural length l is extended by an amount ' x ' when it supports a mass ' m ' at rest, and is extended by an amount ' y ' when it is rotating as a conical pendulum carrying a particle of the same mass. Show that

$$gy = w^2 x(l + y) \quad 6$$

OR

- (a) Prove that if the time of flight of a bullet over a horizontal range R is T seconds, the inclination of the direction of projection to the horizontal is $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{gT^2}{2R}\right)$ 6

- (b) A particle describes an orbit with a central acceleration. $\mu u^3 - \lambda u^5$. Being projected from an apse at a distance ' a ' with a velocity equal to that from infinity. Show that its path is

$$r = a \cosh \frac{\theta}{n} \text{ where } n^2 + 1 = \frac{2\mu a^2}{\lambda}. \quad 6$$

Unit – III (5)

Theory of Games

5. (a) Solve graphically the following linear programming problem :

$$\text{Maximize } Z = x_1 + x_2$$

$$\text{Subject to } x_1 + x_2 \leq 1$$

$$-3x_1 + x_2 \geq 3$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0$$

6

- (b) Use Simplex method to solve the linear programming problem

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 10x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3$$

$$\text{Subject to } x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 \leq 10$$

$$4x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \leq 20$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$$

6

OR

- (a) Solve using Charne's Big M technique

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3$$

$$\text{Subject to } 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \leq 2$$

$$3x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 \geq 8$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$$

6

- (b) Write down the dual of the following problem in a form such that the dual variables are non-negative

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2 + 5x_3$$

$$\text{Subject to } 2x_1 + 3x_2 + 9x_3 \geq 9$$

$$x_1 - x_2 + 7x_3 \leq 8$$

$$2x_1 - 5x_2 - x_3 = 11$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0, x_3 \text{ is unrestricted.}$$

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6. (a) Use dominance to solve the following game : 6

$$\begin{bmatrix} 8 & 15 & -4 & -2 \\ 19 & 15 & 17 & 16 \\ 5 & 20 & 15 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (b) Use graphical method to solve the rectangular game whose pay-off matrix is 6

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 & 7 \\ 1 & 9 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

OR

- (a) Solve the game whose pay-off matrix 6

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (b) Transform the matrix to a linear programming problem and solve 6

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ -1 & 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$