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MA-110

B.E. (All Branches), I Year I Semester

Examination, December 2015

Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)

Mathematics - I

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 60

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. a) If $y = \sin(m \sin^{-1}x)$,
prove that $(1-x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x\frac{dy}{dx} + m^2y = 0$. 4
- b) The equation of the tangent at the point (2, 3) of the curve $y^2 = ax^3 + b$ is $y = 4x - 5$. Find the values of a and b . 4
- c) Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\sin 2x}{\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x} dx$. 5
2. a) Expand by Maclaurin's theorem $e^{x \cos x}$ as far as the term x^3 . 3
- b) Prove that the curvature at the point (x, y) of the catenary $y = c \cosh\left(\frac{x}{c}\right)$ is $\frac{y^2}{c}$. 4
- c) Locate the stationary points of $x^4 + y^4 - 2x^2 + 4xy - 2y^2$ and determine their nature. 5
3. a) If $u = \sec^{-1}\left(\frac{x^3 - y^3}{x + y}\right)$, then prove that $x\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2 \cot u$. 3
- b) The radius of a sphere is found to be 10cm with a possible error of 0.02cm. What is the relative error in computing the volume? 4

- c) If $x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi$, $y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi$, $z = r \cos \theta$, then show that $\frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(r, \theta, \phi)} = r^2 \sin \theta$. 5

4. a) Evaluate $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{1+n^3} + \frac{4}{8+n^3} + \frac{9}{27+n^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} \right)$ 3
- b) Prove that $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-a^2 x^2} dx = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{a}$, $a > 0$. 4
- c) Express $\int_0^1 x^m (1-x^n)^p dx$ in terms of Beta functions and hence evaluate $\int_0^1 x^5 (1-x^3)^{10} dx$. 5
5. a) Evaluate $\iint y dx dy$ over the part of the plane bounded by the line $y = x$ and the parabola $y = 4x - x^2$. 3
- b) Evaluate $\int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_0^{1-x-y} xyz dz dy dx$. 4
- c) Find the area enclosed by the parabolas $y^2 = 4ax$ and $x^2 = 4ay$. 5
6. a) Evaluate $\int_a^b e^x dx$ as limit of sum. rgpvonline.com 3
- b) Express in terms of the Gamma function: $\int_0^{\infty} x^n e^{-a^2 x^2} dx$. 4
- c) Change the order of integration in $\int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^{2-x} xy dx dy$ and hence evaluate the same. 5
7. a) Verify Rolle's theorem, where $f(x) = 2x^3 + x^2 - 4x - 2$. 3
- b) If $u = f(y-z, z-x, x-y)$, prove that $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = 0$. 4
- c) Trace the curve $y^2(2a-x) = x^3$. 5
