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**M.Sc. Semester-I Examination, 2018**  
**MATHEMATICS**  
**PAPER: MTM-105**

(CLASSICAL MECHANICS AND NON-LINEAR DYNAMICS)

**Full Marks: 40****Time: 2 Hours****1. Answer any four questions from the following.****4 × 2 = 8**

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- c) What do you mean by Coriolis force?
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- e) Find out the relation between variational principle and principle of action.
- f) Write a brief note on phase portrait.
- g) In conical transformation, what is the relation between old and new Hamiltonian.
- h) Define Lyapunov function and Lyapunov stability.

**2. Answer any four questions from the following.****4 × 4 = 16**

- a. In the rotating frame system, reduce the relation among Euler force and centrifugal force.
- b. A particle is constrained to move on the plane  $xy = c$  under the gravity. Obtain Lagrange's equation of motion.
- c. Find Lagrangian and its equation of motion for a linear simple harmonic motion.
- d. Derive Euler-Lagrangian equation of motion.
- e. Show that the transformation

$$P = 2(1 + \sqrt{q} \cos p) \sqrt{q} \sin p$$

$$Q = \log(1 + \sqrt{q} \cos p) \text{ is canonical and corresponding generating function is } G_3 = - (e^Q - 1)^2 \tan p.$$

- f. Write a brief note on phase portrait.
- g. Construct the Routhian for the two-body problem, for which

$$L = \frac{\mu}{2}(\dot{r}^2 + r^2\dot{\theta}^2) - V(r)$$

- h. A double pendulum consisting of two masses  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  oscillates in a vertical plane through small angles.  $m_1$  is suspended from a fixed point by light inextensible string of length  $l_1$  and  $m_2$  is suspended from  $m_1$  by a similar string of length  $l_2$ .

State the number of degree of freedom of the system and find the equations of motion by using Lagrange's formulation.

**3. Answer any two questions from the following.****8 × 2 = 16**

- a) Derive Hamiltonian-Jacobi equation. Find the Hamiltonian-Jacobi equation of one-dimensional Harmonic oscillator. (6+2)

- b) What do you mean by bifurcation? Explain Hoft bifurcation of the system

$$\dot{x} + \mu x = 0$$

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- c) I) A body moves about a point O under no forces. The principle moment of inertia at O being  $3A$ ,  $5A$  and  $6A$ . Initially, the angular velocity has components  $w_1 = n$ ,  $w_2 = 0$ ,  $w_3 = n$  about the corresponding principle axes. Show that at any time  $t$ ,

$$w_2 = \frac{3n}{\sqrt{5}} \tan h \left( \frac{nt}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$$

and that the body ultimately rotates about the mean axis.

(5)

- II) If a transformation from  $q, p$  to  $Q, P$  be canonical then bilinear form

$$\sum_i (\delta p_i dq_i - \delta q_i dp_i) \text{ remains invariant.}$$

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- d) I) Prove that the phase volume is invariant under canonical transformation. (4)

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