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## 5th Semester Examination (CCFUP : NEP)

## MATHEMATICS

Paper : MJ 9-T (Single Core Major)

[Multivariate Calculus]



Full Marks : 60

Time : Three Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
Candidates are required to give their answers  
in their own words as far as practicable.*

## Group - A

Answer any *ten* questions :  $2 \times 10 = 20$ 

- ✓1. Define a limit point of a set  $S$  in  $R^2$ .
2. Define continuity of a function  $f(x, y)$  in a region  $S$  of its domain of definition  $D \subset R^2$ .
- ✓3. Define differentiability of a function  $f(x, y)$  at a point  $(a, b)$  in its domain of definition  $D \subset R^2$ .

- ✓4. Check the existence of the limit,  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} xy \frac{(x^2 - y^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)}$ .

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5. Show that the function  $f(x, y) = y^2 + x^2y + x^4$  has a minima at  $(0, 0)$ .
6. Define divergence and curl of a vector function.
7. What do you mean by conservative vector field?
8. Find the directional derivative of  $\phi = xy^2z + 4x^2z$  at  $(-1, 1, 2)$  in the direction  $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ .
9. A particle moves along a curve whose parametric equations are  $x = e^{-t}$ ,  $y = 2\cos 3t$ ,  $z = 3\sin 3t$ , where  $t$  is the time. Find the velocity and acceleration of the particle at any time  $t$ .
10. What do you mean by bounded set in  $R^n$ ?
11. Explain the area of a polar curve  $\frac{1}{2} \int_{\theta=\alpha}^{\theta=\beta} r^2 d\theta$ .
12. Distinguish between the double limit and repeated limit to a function of double variable.
13. Find  $\iint_R yz dx dy$  over the part of the plane bounded by the lines  $y = x$  and  $y = 4x - x^2$ .
14. Evaluate  $\vec{\nabla}(\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A})$ , when  $\vec{A} = \frac{\vec{r}}{r}$ ,  $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$ .  
Where  $r = |\vec{r}|$ .
15. Change the order of integration  $\int_0^1 dx \int_x^{\sqrt{x}} f(x, y) dy$ .

**Group - B**

Answer any *four* questions : 5×4=20

16. State and prove a sufficient condition that a function  $f(x, y)$  be continuous at a point  $(a, b) \in R^2$ .
17. Check the differentiability of the function  $f(x, y) = \sqrt{|xy|}$  at  $(0, 0)$ .
18. For a function  $f(x, y)$  where  $x = u^2v$  and  $y = uv^2$ , prove that
 
$$2x^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2y^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + 5xy \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = uv \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial u \partial v} - 2 \left( u \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} + v \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \right).$$
19. Verify Stoke's theorem for the vector function  $\vec{V} = (x^2 - y^2)\hat{i} + 2xy\hat{j}$  round the rectangle bounded by the straight lines  $x = 0, x = a, y = 0, y = b$ .
20. Show that for a triangular region  $T$  bounded by  $x = 0, y = 0, x + y = 1$ ,
 
$$\iint_T x^{\frac{1}{2}} y^{\frac{1}{2}} (1-x-y)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)}$$

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21. For a vector function  $\vec{F}$ , prove that

$$\nabla \times (\nabla \times \vec{F}) = \nabla (\nabla \cdot \vec{F}) - \nabla^2 \vec{F}.$$

**Group - C**

Answer any two questions : 10×2=20

22. State and prove a sufficient condition for the equality of

$$\frac{\partial^2 f(x,y)}{\partial x \partial y} \text{ and } \frac{\partial^2 f(x,y)}{\partial y \partial x} \text{ at a point } (a,b) \in R^2. \text{ Is the}$$

stated condition necessary? Justify. 1+5+4

23. (a) State and prove a sufficient condition that a function

$$f(x,y) \text{ be differentiable at a point } (a,b) \in R^2.$$

(b) Show that the function

$$f(x,y,z) = (x+y+z)^2 - 3(x+y+z) - 24xyz + 25$$

has a minima at (1, 1, 1) and a maxima at (-1,-1,-1). 5+5

24. (a) For an ellipsoid  $E : \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$ , prove that

$$\iiint_E \sqrt{a^2 b^2 c^2 - b^2 c^2 x^2 - c^2 a^2 y^2 - a^2 b^2 z^2} \, dx dy dz = \frac{1}{4} \pi^2 a^2 b^2 c^2.$$



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25. (a) Show that for the function  $f(x,y)$  the limit exists at (0, 0) but both repeated limits do not exist where

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{y}\right) + y \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & \text{for } xy \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{for } xy = 0 \end{cases}$$

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(b) The plane  $x+y+z=1$  cuts the cylinder  $x^2+y^2=1$  in an ellipse. Find the points on the ellipse that lie closest to and farthest from the origin.

(b) Evaluate  $\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{A}) \cdot \vec{n} \, ds$ , where

$$\vec{A} = (x^2 + y - 4)\hat{i} + 3xy\hat{j} + (2xz + z^2)\hat{k}, \text{ and } S \text{ is the surface of the paraboloid } z = 4 - (x^2 + y^2) \text{ above the } xy \text{ plane.}$$

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