

TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2019

MATHEMATICS

(1st Semester)

Course No. : MTMGE/MTMDSC-101T

(Differential Calculus)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

UNIT—I

1. Answer any *four* of the following : 1×4=4

(a) Write the value of

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{x^n - a^n}{x - a}$$

where n is rational and $a > 0$.

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(b) If

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= x^2 & \text{for } x \geq 1 \\ &= x^2 + 2 & \text{for } x < 1 \end{aligned}$$

Does $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$ exist?(c) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin \frac{1}{x}$.

(d) If

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = l$$

what is the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \{k f(x)\}$, k being a constant?(e) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x}{x}$.

2. (a) State Cauchy's criterion for the existence of limit of a function.

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Or

(b) Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+2x} - \sqrt{1-3x}}{x}$$

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Answer Question No. 3 or Question No. 4 :

3. (a) Using ε - δ definition of limit, evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 \cos \frac{1}{x} \quad 3$$

(b) Examine if $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{1/x}}{1+e^{1/x}}$ exists or not. 3(c) Find $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^n - 1}{x^n + 1}$. 2

4. (a) Using Cauchy's criterion, show that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin \frac{1}{x} \text{ does not exist.} \quad 4$$

(b) Evaluate : 2+2=4

$$(i) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^n}{1+x^n}$$

$$(ii) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 - x^2}}{x^2}$$

UNIT—II

5. Answer any four of the following : 1×4=4

(a) Is the function

$$f(x) = a_0 x^n + a_1 x^{n-1} + a_2 x^{n-2} + \dots + a_{n-1} x + a_n$$

continuous for all real values of x ?

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(b) When is the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{x-a}$ discontinuous?

(c) Is $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a)$ always?

(d) Find

$$\frac{d}{dx} \{\log(\sec x + \tan x)\}$$

(e) Evaluate

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

if $f(x) = x+5$.

6. (a) Show that if the function $f(x)$ is differentiable at $x=a$ then it is also continuous at $x=a$.

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Or

(b) Examine the continuity of $f(x)$ at $x=0$ if

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 3+2x, & -\frac{3}{2} < x \leq 0 \\ 3-2x, & 0 < x < \frac{3}{2} \end{cases}$$

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Answer Question No. 7 or Question No. 8 :

7. (a) Prove that if $f(x)$ be continuous at $x=a$ and $f(a) \neq 0$, then in the neighbourhood of $x=a$, $f(x)$ has the same sign as that of $f(a)$.

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(b) Show that $f(x) = |x-1|$ is not differentiable at $x=1$, though it is continuous there.

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8. (a) A function f is defined as

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

show that $f(x)$ is continuous at $x=0$. Also examine the differentiability of the function at $x=0$.

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$$(b) \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{for } 0 < x < 1 \\ 2-x & \text{for } 1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 & \text{for } x > 2 \end{cases}$$

Examine the continuity of $f(x)$ at $x=1$, $x=2$.

2+2=4

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UNIT—III

9. Answer any four of the following : $1 \times 4 = 4$ (a) Find y_n if $y = \sin 3x$.(b) Evaluate y_3 if $y = \log(x+a)$.(c) Using Leibnitz's theorem, differentiate n times the following :

$$(1-x^2)y_2 - xy_1 - 2 = 0$$

(d) Define homogeneous function.

(e) What is the degree of the function $f(x, y) = ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2$?10. (a) State Leibnitz's theorem on successive differentiation. 2

Or

(b) State Euler's theorem on homogeneous function of degree n in two variables x and y . 2

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Answer Question No. 11 or Question No. 12 :

11. (a) If $y = x^{2n}$, where n is a positive integer, show that

$$y_n = 2^n \{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdots (2n-1)\} x^n \quad 3$$

(b) (i) Find f_{xx} if $f(x, y) = e^{x^2 + xy + y^2}$. 2 (ii) If $u = \log(x^2 + y^2)$, prove that,

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0 \quad 3$$

12. (a) If $y = \sin^{-1} x$, show that

$$(i) (1-x^2)y_2 - xy_1 = 0$$

$$(ii) (1-x^2)y_{n+2} - (2n+1)xy_{n+1} - n^2y_n = 0 \quad 2+3=5$$

(b) If

$$u = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x^3 - y^3}{x - y} \right)$$

prove that

$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \sin 2u \quad 3$$

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UNIT—IV

13. Answer any four of the following : $1 \times 4 = 4$ (a) Find the slope of the tangent to the curve $y = x^2$ at (1, 1).(b) Write the equation of the normal to the curve $f(x, y)$ at the point (x, y) .

(c) Write down the expressions for subtangent and subnormal for a plane curve in Cartesian form.

(d) What is the condition of orthogonality of two curves $r = f(\theta)$ and $r = Q(\theta)$?

(e) Write down the expression for radius of curvature when the equation of the curve is in intrinsic form.

14. (a) Find the polar subtangent for the curve $\frac{l}{r} = 1 + e \cos \theta$. 2

Or

(b) Find the radius of curvature at the point (s, ψ) of the curve

$$s = a \sec \psi \tan \psi + a \log(\sec \psi + \tan \psi) \quad 2$$

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Answer Question No. 15 or Question No. 16 :

15. (a) Show that the portion of the tangent at any point on the curve $x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = a^{2/3}$ intercepted between the axis is of constant length. 4 (b) Find the radius of curvature for the curve $x = a(\theta + \sin \theta)$, $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ at $\theta = 0$. 4 16. (a) Prove that the subnormal at any point of a parabola is of constant length and the subtangent varies as the abscissa of the point of contact. $2+2=4$ (b) Find the radius of curvature at any point (s, ψ) on the curve $s = 4a \sin \psi$. Also show, for any curve

$$\frac{1}{\rho^2} = \left(\frac{d^2x}{ds^2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{d^2y}{ds^2} \right)^2 \quad 1+3=4$$

UNIT—V

17. Answer any four of the following : $1 \times 4 = 4$ (a) What is the necessary condition for existence of maximum or minimum of a function $y = f(x)$?

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(b) Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x - \sin x}{x^2}$$

(c) State Cauchy's mean value theorem.

(d) Write Taylor's series in finite form.

(e) Which of the following is correct?

$$(i) \cos x = x + \frac{x^2}{2!} - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$(ii) \cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots$$

18. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0+0} (\sin x \log x)$.

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Or

Give the geometrical interpretation of Rolle's theorem.

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Answer Question No. 19 or Question No. 20 :

19. (a) Show that the maximum values of $x^{1/x}$ is $e^{1/e}$.

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(b) State and prove Lagrange's mean value theorem.

1+3=4

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20. (a) Evaluate

$$(i) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{1}{x^2 - 1} - \frac{2}{x^4 - 1} \right)$$

$$(ii) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\cos x)^{\cot^2 x}$$

2+3=5

(b) Expand $\sin x$ in powers of x in infinite series stating the condition under which the expansion is valid.

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