

**BACHELOR OF CIVIL ENGINEERING EXAMINATION, 2017  
(1st Year, 2nd Semester, Old Syllabus)**

**Mathematics - III C**

Time : Three hours

Full Marks : 100

Symbols and notations have their usual meanings  
Use a separate Answer Scripts for each part.

**PART - I (50 marks)**

Answer **q.no. 7** and any **four** from the rest.

1. (a) State and prove De Moivre's theorem. 5  
 (b) Show that the ratio of principal values of  $(1+i)^{1-i}$  and  $(1-i)^{1+i}$  is  $\sin(\log 2) + i \cos(\log 2)$ . 5

2. (a) If  $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$  and  $n$  is a positive integer, then show that

$$(1+z)^n + \left(1 + \frac{1}{z}\right)^n = 2^{n+1} \cos^n \frac{\theta}{2} + \cos \frac{n\theta}{2} \quad 5$$

- (b) Show that the product of all the values of  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^{\frac{3}{5}}$  is  $8i$ . 3

- (c) Find  $\arg z$ , where  $z = 1 + i \tan \frac{3\pi}{5}$ . 2

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3. (a) If  $z$  is a variable complex number such that mod of  $\frac{z-i}{z+1}$  is  $k$ .

Show that the point  $z$  lies on a circle in the complex plane if  $k \neq 1$  and  $z$  lies on a straight line if  $k=1$ . 5

- (b) If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$  are the roots of the equation  $x^4 + x^2 + 1 = 0$  and  $m$  is  $\alpha^{2m+1} + \beta^{2m+1} + \gamma^{2m+1} + \delta^{2m+1} = 0$ . 5

4. (a) State and prove D'Alembert's ratio root test for convergence or divergence series of positive terms. 5

- (b) Show that the sequence  $\left\{ \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^n \right\}$  is a monotone increasing and bounded. Is the sequence convergent?—Justify. 5

5. (a) Find the region of convergence of the series

$$\frac{x-3}{3} + \frac{(x-3)^2}{2.3^2} + \frac{(x-3)^3}{3.3^3} + \dots \quad 5$$

- (b) Test the convergence of the following series

$$\left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^1 + \left( \frac{2}{5} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{3}{7} \right)^3 + \dots \quad 5$$

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12. (a) Show that the straight lines whose direction cosines are given by the equations  $al+bm+cn=0$  and  $ul^2 + vm^2 + wn^2 = 0$  are perpendicular or parallel according as

$$a^2(w+v) + b^2(w+u) + c^2(u+v) = 0 \text{ or}$$

$$\frac{a^2}{u} + \frac{b^2}{v} + \frac{c^2}{w} = 0 \quad 8$$

- (b) Find the shortest distance between the  $z$ -axis and the line

$$ax+by+cz+d=0, a^1x + b^1y + c^1z + d^1 = 0. \quad 8$$

13. (a) Find the equation of the cylinder whose guiding curve is  $x^2 + y^2 = 9, z = 1$  and the fixed line is .

$$\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{3} + \frac{z}{-1} \quad 8$$

- (b) If the planes through OX and OY include an angle  $\alpha$ , show that their line of intersection lies on the cone

$$z^2(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = x^2y^2 \tan^2 \alpha. \quad 8$$

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(b) Prove that

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1+a & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1+b & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1+c & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1+d \end{vmatrix} = abcd \left( 1 + \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} + \frac{1}{d} \right)$$

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10. (a) State and prove Cayley-Hamilton theorem. 8

(b) With the help of Cayley-Hamilton theorem find the inverse of the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & -3 \\ -2 & -4 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

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11. (a) Prove that every square matrix can be expressed as a sum of symmetric and a skew-symmetric matrix uniquely. 8

(b) Define orthogonal matrix. Show that the matrix

$$\frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is orthogonal}$$

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6. (a) Show that the four points  $(-1,4,-3)$ ,  $(3,2,-5)$ ,  $(-3,8,-5)$ ,  $(3,2,1)$  are coplanar. 5

(b) Show by vector method that the angle in a semi-circle is a right-angle. 5

7. (a) Find the unit vector perpendicular to each of  $\vec{a} = 6\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$  and  $\vec{b} = 3\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ . 5

(b) Prove by vector method  $\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$  in a triangle ABC. 5

**PART - II** (50 marks)

Answer **q.no. 8** and any **three** from the rest.

8. Define rank of a matrix. 2

9. (a) Show that

$$\begin{vmatrix} (a+b)^2 & a^2 & a^2 \\ b^2 & (b+c)^2 & b^2 \\ c^2 & c^2 & (c+a)^2 \end{vmatrix} = 2abc(a+b+c)^3$$

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