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Ex./PE/MATH/T/122/2017

BACHELOR OF POWER ENGINEERING EXAMINATION, 2017
(1st Year, 2nd Semester)

Mathematics - III Q

Time : Three hours

Full Marks : 100

10. Solve by method of separation of variable :

$$c^2 u_{xx} - u_{tt} = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq a, t \geq 0,$$

subject to $u(0,t) = u(a,t) = 0$ and $u(x,0) = f(x)$,
 $u_t(x,0) = g(x)$. 10

11. (a) Solve : $(D^2+9)y = x \sin x$

(b) $x \cos x \frac{dy}{dx} + y(x \sin x + \cos x) = 1$ 5+5

12. Define Bessel's function of order n and show that $J_{+n}(x)$ and $J_{-n}(x)$ are linearly dependent.

Also prove that $\int_0^1 \frac{u J_0(xu)}{(1-u^2)^{1/2}} du = \frac{\sin x}{x}$ 5+5

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Answer any **ten** questions.

1. (a) Find the velocity and acceleration of a particle which moves along the curve $x(t) = 2 \sin 3t$, $y(t) = 2 \cos 3t$, $z = 8t$ at $t = \frac{\pi}{12}$. Also find the magnitude of the velocity and acceleration at that point.
(b) Find the curvature and torsion of a space curve $\vec{r}(t) = a \cos t \hat{i} + a \sin t \hat{j} + bt \hat{k}$ at any point $t > 0$. 4+6

2. (a) Prove that $\vec{p} = e^{-ax} (\vec{A} \sin ay + \vec{B} \cos ay)$ satisfies $\frac{\partial^2 \vec{p}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \vec{p}}{\partial y^2} = 0$, where \vec{A} and \vec{B} are constant vectors and 'a' is a scalar.
(b) Find the unit normal vector and first fundamental form for a surface $\vec{r} = (u+v)\hat{i} + (u-v)\hat{j} + 4uv\hat{k}$. 5+5

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3. (a) Find the directional derivative of $\psi = 2x^2z - 3xy^2z^2$ at $(3, 1, -3)$ in the direction $3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$.
- (b) Find 'a' for which $\vec{F} = (axy - z^3)\hat{i} + (a-2)x^2\hat{j} + (1-a)xz^2\hat{k}$ is irrotational. 5+5
4. (a) State Gauss's divergence theorem. Use it to evaluate $\iint_S \left\{ (x^3 - yz)\hat{i} - 2x^2y\hat{j} + 2z\hat{k} \right\} \cdot \vec{n} ds$, where S denotes the surface of the cube bounded by the planes $x=0, x=a; y=0, y=a; z=0, z=a$.
- (b) If $\vec{f}(t) = (t^2 - t)\hat{i} + (3t^4 - 4)\hat{j} + 5t\hat{k}$, find $\int_2^3 \vec{f}(t) dt$. 7+3
5. (a) Show that the straight lines whose direction cosines are given by $al + bm + cn = 0$ and $fmn + gnl + hlm = 0$ are perpendicular if $\frac{f}{a} + \frac{g}{b} + \frac{h}{c} = 0$.
- (b) Find the equation of the plane through $(2, 5, -8)$ and perpendicular to each of the planes $2x - 3y + 4z + 1 = 0$ and $4x + y - 2z + 6 = 0$. 5+5
6. (a) Find the magnitude of the shortest distance between the st. lines $\frac{x}{4} = \frac{y+1}{3} = \frac{z-2}{2}$ and $5x - 2y - 3z + 6 = 0 = x - 3y + 2z - 3$.

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- (b) Prove that the st. lines $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \frac{z-3}{4}$ and $\frac{x-2}{3} = \frac{y-3}{4} = \frac{z-4}{5}$ are coplanar and also find the equation of the plane in which they lie. 5+5
7. (a) Find the centre and diameter of the circle where the plane $x - 2y + 2z = 3$ intersects the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 8x + 4y + 8z - 45 = 0$.
- (b) Solve $y = px + \frac{4}{p}$, where $p = \frac{dy}{dx}$ and obtain its singular solution. 5+5
8. (a) Solve : $y(1+xy)dx + x(1-xy)dy = 0$.
- (b) Solve by method of variation of parameters for $y_2 + a^2y = \tan ax$. 4+6
9. (a) Define Legendre polynomial and show that $n P_n(x) = x P_n'(x) - P_{n-1}'(x)$
- (b) Prove that $\int_{-1}^1 P_n(x) dx = 0$, if $n \geq 1$. 6+4

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