



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.Sc. Honours 2nd Semester Supplementary Examination, 2021

MTMACOR04T-MATHEMATICS (CC4)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.
All symbols are of usual significance.*

Answer Question No. 1 and any five questions from the rest

1. Answer any **five** questions from the following: 2×5 = 10
- (a) Find the particular integral of the differential equation $(D^2 + 1)y = \cos 2x$.
- (b) Find the Wronskian of the set $\{1-x, 1+x, 1-3x\}$.
- (c) Solve $p^2 - 3p + 2 = 0$, $p = \frac{dy}{dx}$.
- (d) Show that there is a regular singular point of the differential equation
- $$(2x + x^3) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{dy}{dx} - 6xy = 0.$$
- (e) Show that $[\vec{\alpha} + \vec{\beta} \quad \vec{\beta} + \vec{\gamma} \quad \vec{\gamma} + \vec{\alpha}] = 2[\vec{\alpha} \quad \vec{\beta} \quad \vec{\gamma}]$.
- (f) Show that the three vectors $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$, $2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$ and $-3\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ are coplanar.
- (g) If the vectors $\vec{f} = 3x\hat{i} + (x+y)\hat{j} - ax\hat{k}$ is solenoidal, then find a .
- (h) Find the directional derivative of the function $f(x, y, z) = yz + zx + xy$ in the direction of the vector $\vec{u} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ at the point $(1, 2, 0)$.
2. (a) Solve: $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 6\frac{dy}{dx} + 9y = 3x^2$. 4+4
- (b) Solve: $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} - \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} - y = 0$.
3. (a) Solve: $x^3 \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} - x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2x \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y = x^3$. 4+4
- (b) Solve: $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x \frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = \cos(\log x) + x \sin(\log x)$.
4. (a) Solve the simultaneous linear equations: $\frac{dx}{dt} - 7x + y = 0$, $\frac{dy}{dt} - 2x - 5y = 0$. 4+4
- (b) Solve: $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - y = x^2 \cos x$.

5. (a) Prove that $[\vec{\alpha} \times \vec{\beta} \vec{\beta} \times \vec{\gamma} \vec{\gamma} \times \vec{\alpha}] = [\vec{\alpha} \vec{\beta} \vec{\gamma}]^2$. 4+4
- (b) Show that the four points $2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - \hat{k}$, $\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$, $3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$ and $\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}$ are coplanar.
6. (a) Show that the vector $\vec{F} = (2x - yz)\hat{i} + (2y + zx)\hat{j} + (2z - xy)\hat{k}$ is irrotational. 4+4
- (b) Verify Green's theorem in a plane for $\oint \{(x^2 + xy) dx + xdy\}$ where C is the curve enclosing the region bounded by $y = x^2$ and $y = x$.
7. (a) With the help of vectors prove that the medians of a triangle are concurrent. 4+4
- (b) Prove that the necessary and sufficient condition for a vector $\vec{r} = \vec{f}(t)$ to have a constant direction is $\vec{f} \times \frac{d\vec{f}}{dt} = \vec{0}$.
8. (a) Show that the Wronskian of two solutions of the equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + P\frac{dy}{dx} + Qy = 0$, 4+4
 $x \in (a, b)$, P, Q are functions of x , is either identically zero or never zero on (a, b) .
- (b) Solve: $\sin^2 x \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 2y$.
9. (a) Solve by using the method of variations of parameters 5+3
- $$x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2x(1+x) \frac{dy}{dx} + 2(1+x)y = x^3$$
- where the integrals in the complementary function are x and xe^{2x} .
- (b) Find the integrating factor of the differential equation
- $$y(xy + 2x^2y^2) dx + x(xy - x^2y^2) dy = 0.$$

N.B. : Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.

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