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End Semester Examination of Semester-I, 2015

Subject : MATHEMATICS (HONS.)

Paper : II (Theory)

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hrs

The figures in the margin indicate the marks corresponding to the question

Candidates are requested to give their answers in their own word as far as practicable.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

Group A

1. Answer any two out of following four questions : $5 \times 2 = 10$

a) i) A is a real square matrix and the matrix $(I+A)^{-1}(I-A)$ is skew symmetric, I being the identity matrix.

Prove that A is orthogonal. $2\frac{1}{2}$

ii) Obtain the fully reduced normal form of the matrix

$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ Find non-singular matrices P, a

such that PAQ is in the fully reduced normal form.

$2\frac{1}{2}$

b) i) If $\log \sin(\theta + i\phi) = \alpha + i\beta$ where $\theta, \phi, \alpha, \beta$ are real, prove that $2\cos 2\theta = e^{2\phi} + e^{-2\phi} - 4e^{2\alpha}$. 2

ii) Find the special roots of the equation $x^9 - 1 = 0$.

Deduce that $2\cos \frac{2\pi}{9}, 2\cos \frac{4\pi}{9}, 2\cos \frac{8\pi}{9}$, are the roots of the equation $x^3 - 3x + 1 = 0$. 3

c) If α, β, γ be the roots of $x^3 + 2Hx + G = 0$, prove that $(\alpha - \beta)^2 (\beta - \gamma)^2 (\gamma - \alpha)^2 = -27(G^2 + 4H^3)$ with the help of the determinant

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & \Sigma\alpha & \Sigma\alpha^2 \\ \Sigma\alpha & \Sigma\alpha^2 & \Sigma\alpha^3 \\ \Sigma\alpha^2 & \Sigma\alpha^3 & \Sigma\alpha^4 \end{vmatrix} \quad 5$$

d) i) If $\tan x = \frac{n \sin y}{1 - n \cos y}$ ($n < 1$) show that

$$x = n \sin y + \frac{1}{2} n^2 \sin 2y + \frac{n^3}{3} \sin 3y + \dots \quad 3$$

ii) Show that the values of i^i can be arranged so that they form a G.P. 2

2. Answer any one out of following two questions : $6 \times 1 = 6$

a) Describe the solution set in parametric vector form of

the system $A\bar{X} = \bar{b}$, where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 7 & -21 & 14 \\ -3 & 9 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$,

$b = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 28 \\ -12 \end{pmatrix}$. Also give the geometrical interpretation. 6

b) i) If α be a root of $x^3 - 3x + 1 = 0$, then show that other roots are $\alpha^2 - 2$ and $2 - \alpha - \alpha^2$. 3

ii) Show that the roots of the equation $x^7 = 1$ are the multiples of a , where $a = \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{7}$. Also prove that the roots of $x^2 + x + 2 = 0$ are $(a + a^2 + a^4)$ and $(a^3 + a^5 + a^6)$. 3

3. Answer any two out of following four questions : $2 \times 2 = 4$

a) Find mod z and amp z where $z = 1 + \cos 2\theta - i \sin 2\theta$, $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \pi$.

b) If a, b, x are real and $|a + ib| = 1$, prove that $(a + ib)^x$ is purely real.

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- c) Show that the equation $1+x+\frac{x^2}{2!}+\dots+\frac{x^n}{n!}=0$ has no multiple root.
- d) Show that each elementary matrix is non-singular.

Group B

4. Answer any two out of following four questions : $5 \times 2 = 10$
- a) Whatever origin and axis are chosen, show that the quantities $LX + MY + NZ$ and $X^2 + Y^2 + Z^2$ are invariants for any given system of forces.
- b) A heavy uniform rod rests with one end against a smooth vertical wall and with a point in its length resting on a smooth peg. Find the position of equilibrium and show that it is stable.
- c) Find the centre of gravity of a segment of a solid sphere of radius 'a' cut off by a plane situated at a distance 'c' ($< a$) from its centre.
- d) A beam whose centre of gravity divides it into two portions 'a' and 'b' is placed inside a smooth sphere. Show that if θ be its inclination to the horizon in the position of equilibrium and 2α be the angle subtended by the beam at the centre of the sphere then $\tan\theta$

$$= \left(\frac{b-a}{b+a} \right) \tan \alpha$$

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5. Answer any one out of following two questions : $6 \times 1 = 6$
- a) Establish the conservation law of (i) Linear Momentum, (ii) Angular Momentum and (iii) Energy for the Mechanics of a particle. $3 \times 2 = 6$
- b) Use Hamilton's equations, to find the equation of motion of the simple pendulum. 6
6. Answer any one out of following two questions : $2 \times 1 = 2$
- a) Define cyclic co-ordinates.
- b) When a body moves under the action of a system of conservation forces, prove that the sum of its kinetic and potential energy is constant throughout the motion.
7. Answer any one out of following two questions : $2 \times 1 = 2$
- a) What are Wrench and Pitch?
- b) If three coplanar forces acting on a rigid body are in equilibrium, then prove that they must be concurrent or parallel to one another.
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