

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)
BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2018
(Fifth Semester)

Branch - PHYSICS

MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS

Time ; Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 x 2 = 20)

- 1 State stokes theorem.
- 2 If \vec{r} is position vector, find divergencena of \vec{r} .
- 3 Give the expression for Laplaian in curvilinear co-ordinates.
- 4 Write the expressions for scalar factors in spherical polar coordinates.
- 5 If A_{ij} is antisymmetric tensor, find the component $A]_{\tau}$.
- 6 Define 'Contravariant tensor' for first rank.
- 7 If $z = xi + y$, check whether the function $|z|$ is analytic or not.
- 8 Give the definition of an analytic function.
- 9 Evaluate $\int_i^1 j(z + l)^2 dz$.
- 10 Give Cauchy's integral formula.

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a State and prove Green's theorem in a plane.
OR
b Find $\nabla \cdot \vec{r}$ for the position vector $\vec{r} = xi + yj + zk$.
- 12 a Deduce the expression for gradient in curvilinear coordinates and hence drive it for spherical co-od system.
OR
b Derive the expression for curl in curvilinear coordinates.
- 13 a What is a Kronecker delta symbol? Give its properties.
OR
b Show that $A_H \nabla B^H C^V$ is an invariant if B^H and C^V are contra variant and A^H_V is a covariant tensor.
- 14 a Show that the real and the imaginary parts of the function $\log z$ satisfy Cauchy-Riemann equation when z is not zero.
OR
b Derive Laplace's equations.

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15 a Evaluate the integral $\oint_C \frac{r dz}{z^2 + z}$ where C is a circle & $|z| = |R| > 1$.

OR

b Find the pole and residue at the pole for the function $\frac{1}{\cos z}$.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 State and prove Gauss divergence theorem.
- 17 Derive the expression for divergence in curvilinear coordinates and hence deduce it in spherical coordinates.
- 18i) Show that any tensor of rank 2 can be expressed as a sum of symmetric and antisymmetric tensor, both of rank 2.
- ii) If A^u and B_v are the components of a contravariant and covariant tensor of rank one, show that $A^u B_v$ are the components of mixed tensor of rank one.
- 19 Obtain the necessary and sufficient conditions for the function $f(z)$ to be analytic.
- 20 State and prove Cauchy's integral theorem.

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