

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2024  
(First Semester)

Branch- PHYSICS

MATHEMATICS – I FOR PHYSICS

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

| Module No. | Question No. | Question   | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|--|---------|-----|
| 1          | 1            | Curvature of a curve $y = f(x)$ is defined as<br>(a) $\frac{dy}{dx}$ (b) $\frac{dy}{ds}$ (c) $\frac{d\chi}{ds}$ (d) $\frac{ds}{d\chi}$   | K1      | CO1 |
|            | 2            | The radius of curvature of a curve $y = f(x)$ is defined as _____<br>(a) $\frac{dx}{dy}$ (b) $\frac{ds}{dy}$ (c) $\frac{ds}{d\chi}$ (d) $\frac{d\chi}{ds}$   | K2      | CO1 |
| 2          | 3            | $\int u dv =$ _____<br>(a) $uv - \int vdu$ (b) $uv + \int v du$<br>(c) $uv - vdu$ (d) None   | K1      | CO2 |
|            | 4            | $\int_a^b f(x) dx =$ _____, where $f(x)$ is an odd function.<br>(a) $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ (b) $-\int_b^a f(x) dx$ (c) $\int_c^b f(x) dx$ (d) None   | K2      | CO2 |
| 3          | 5            | The value of $\int_0^1 \int_0^2 (x+2) dy dx$ is<br>(a) 5 (b) 15 (c) 10 (d) 20  | K1      | CO3 |
|            | 6            | The value of $\int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 dx dy dz$ is<br>(a) 1 (b) 3 (c) 0 (d) 2   | K2      | CO3 |
| 4          | 7            | $\nabla \times \vec{r} =$ _____<br>(a) $\vec{r}$ (b) 3 (c) 0 (d) $2\vec{r}$  | K1      | CO4 |
|            | 8            | If $\vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$ , then $\text{div}(\vec{r}) =$ _____<br>(a) 0 (b) 3 (c) 5 (d) 2  | K2      | CO4 |
| 5          | 9            | $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot \hat{n} ds$ . Find whether the given statement is<br>(a) Green's theorem (b) Stoke's theorem<br>(c) Surface theorem (d) Gauss divergence theorem. | K1      | CO5 |
|            | 10           | $\iiint_S \vec{F} \cdot ds = \iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{F} dv$ . Find whether the given statement is<br>(a) Green's theorem (b) Stoke's theorem<br>(c) Surface theorem (d) Gauss divergence theorem.                     | K2      | CO5 |

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**SECTION - B (35 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 × 7 = 35)

| Module No. | Question No. | Question   | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|--|---------|-----|
| 1          | 11.a.        | Obtain the radius of curvature at the point $\left(\frac{a}{4}, \frac{a}{4}\right)$ to the curve $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y} = \sqrt{a}$ .  | K2      | CO1 |
|            | (OR)         |  |         |     |
|            | 11.b.        | Show that the radius of curvature at the point 'θ' on the curve $x = a(\cos\theta + \theta\sin\theta)$ , $y = a(\sin\theta - \theta\cos\theta)$ .  |         |     |
| 2          | 12.a.        | Find $\int e^{ax} x^3 dx$ , using Bernoulli's formula.   | K2      | CO2 |
|            | (OR)         |  |         |     |
|            | 12.b.        | Evaluate $\int x e^x dx$ , by integration by parts.  |         |     |
| 3          | 13.a.        | Find $\int_0^1 \int_0^2 (x^2 + y^2) dy dx$ .   | K3      | CO3 |
|            | (OR)         |  |         |     |
|            | 13.b.        | Find $\int_0^4 \int_0^x \int_0^{\sqrt{x+y}} z dz dy dx$ .  |         |     |
| 4          | 14.a.        | Find grad $\phi$ if $\phi = xyz$ at (1, 1, 1).   | K3      | CO4 |
|            | (OR)         |  |         |     |
|            | 14.b.        | Find the directional derivative of $\phi = xy + yz + zx$ in the direction of the vector $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$ at (1, 2, 0).  |         |     |
| 5          | 15.a.        | If $\vec{F} = x^2\vec{i} + xy\vec{j}$ , evaluate $\int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ from (0, 0) to (1, 1) along the line $y = x$ .  | K3      | CO5 |
|            | (OR)         |  |         |     |
|            | 15.b.        | Evaluate $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ , by stoke's theorem where $\vec{F} = (x^2 - y^2)\vec{i} + xy\vec{j}$ in the rectangular region in the xoy plane bounded by the lines $x = 0$ , $x = a$ , $y = 0$ and $y = b$ . |         |     |

**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (3 × 10 = 30)

| Module No. | Question No. | Question   | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|--|---------|-----|
| 1          | 16           | Prove that the radius of curvature at the point $x = 3a \cos\theta - a \cos 3\theta$ , $y = 3a \sin\theta - a \sin 3\theta$ is $3a \sin\theta$                             | K2      | CO1 |
| 2          | 17           | Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/4} \log(1 + \tan\phi) d\phi$ .   | K2      | CO2 |
| 3          | 18           | Find the area bounded by a quadrant of the ellipse $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 36$ .  | K3      | CO3 |
| 4          | 19           | If $\vec{F} = x^2\vec{i} + y^2\vec{j} + z^2\vec{k}$ , then find $\nabla \cdot \vec{F}$ and $\nabla \times \vec{F}$   | K3      | CO4 |
| 5          | 20           | Verify the Gauss divergence theorem for $\vec{F} = 4xz\vec{i} - y^2\vec{j} + yz\vec{k}$ over the cube bounded by $x = 0$ , $x = 1$ , $y = 0$ , $y = 1$ , $z = 0$ , $z = 1$ | K3      | CO5 |

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