

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2023  
(Fourth Semester)

Branch – MATHEMATICS

FLUID DYNAMICS

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

SECTION-A (5 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(5 x 1 = 5)

1. The stream line of state of motion is \_\_\_\_\_.  
i)  $q \times d\tau = 0$       ii)  $q \times d\tau = 1$       iii)  $q \times d\tau = -1$       iv)  $q + d\tau = 0$
2. The following is one of the equation of continuity.  
i)  $\frac{D}{Dt}(\rho \nabla t) = 0$       ii)  $\frac{D}{Dt}(\nabla t) = 0$       iii)  $\frac{D}{Dt}(\rho) = 0$       iv)  $\frac{D}{Dt}(\rho \nabla t) = 1$
3. The necessary condition of the existence of a velocity potential in a fluid is \_\_\_\_\_.  
i) rotational motion      ii) irrotational motion  
iii) stream      iv) sink
4. The Reynolds number of the flow based on the average velocity  $R =$  -----  
i)  $u_{an} \frac{h}{\nu}$       ii)  $u_{an} \frac{v}{h}$       iii)  $u_{an} h$       iv)  $u_{an} \nu$
5. \_\_\_\_\_ method is that the concept by which the solution satisfy the differential equation only on the average.  
i) Blasius      ii) Prandtl      iii) Von Karman      iv) Navier Stokes

SECTION - B (15 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 3 = 15)

6. a. The velocity vector filed in the flow filed is given by  $q = i(Az - By) + j(Bx - Cz) + k(Cy - Ax)$  where A, B and C are non zero constants. Determine the equations of the vortex lines.  
OR  
b. Determine the equation of stream lines where the velocity  $q$  is given by  $q = ix - jy$ .
7. a. Verify the equality of the shearing stresses of fluid  
 $\sigma_{yz} = \sigma_{zy}, \sigma_{zx} = \sigma_{xz}, \sigma_{xy} = \sigma_{yx}$ .  
OR  
b. State the relationship between stress and rate of strain.
8. a. Derive the equation of continuity.  
OR  
b. Give a note on irrotational flow of fluid.
9. a. Derive the shearing stress for flow between Two Coaxial cylinders.  
OR  
b. Write a brief note on the Hagan Poiseulle flow.
10. a. Derive the boundary layer equations in two dimensional flow.  
OR  
b. Based on the von Karman integral relation, determine the local frictional coefficient  $C_f$  for flow over a flat plate.

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**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 6 = 30)

11. a. Assuming that the velocity components for a two dimensional flow system can be given in the Eulerian system by  $u=A(x+y)+Ct$  and  $v=B(x+y)+Et$ . Find the displacement of a fluid particle in the Lagrangian system.  
(Or)
- b. Given the velocity field  $q=iAx^2y+jBy^2zt+kczt^2$ , determine the acceleration of a particle of fixed identity.
12. a. Derive the energy equation.  
(Or)
- b. Derive the equation of continuity.
13. a. State and prove Kelvin's theorem at constancy of circulation.  
(Or)
- b. Show that the velocity potential  $\phi = \frac{a}{2}(x^2 + y^2 - 2z^2)$  satisfies the Laplace equation and represents the flow against a fixed plane wall.
14. a. Derive the velocity distribution of the Plane Poiseuille flow through a pipe.  
(Or)
- b. Determine the shearing stress of flow between two concentric rotating cylinders.
15. a. Derive the Blasius solution of boundary layer along a flat plate.  
(Or)
- b. Solve von Karman integral relation by momentum law.

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