

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2024
(Second Semester)**

Branch – **ECONOMICS**

MATHEMATICAL METHODS-II

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	Find the derivative of the following function: $f(x) = 1963$ a) $+\infty$ b) 1963 c) $-\infty$ d) 0	K1	CO1
	2	The marginal revenue and marginal cost functions of a company are $MR = 30 - 6x$ and $MC = -24 + 3x$ where x is the product, then the profit function is _____. a) $9x^2 + 54x$ b) $9x^2 - 54x$ c) $54x - 9x^2/2$ d) $54x - 9x^2/2 + k$	K2	CO1
2	3	What does the derivative represent in calculus? a) Slope of the tangent line b) Area under the curve c) Accumulated sum d) Average value	K1	CO2
	4	The technique for selecting a new point depends upon _____. a) Scope of the problem b) Nature of the problem c) Range of the problem d) Analysis of the problem	K2	CO2
3	5	Find the differentiation of $x^4 + y^4 = 0$. a) $-x^3/y^4$ b) $-x^4/y^3$ c) $-x^3/y^3$ d) x^3/y^3	K1	CO3
	6	The structural optimization problem is generally expressed as _____. a) Maximize $Z = F(x)$ b) Minimize $Z = F(x)$ c) $Z = F(x)$ d) $Z = F(t)$	K2	CO3
4	7	Integrate $\int_0^2 (x^2+x+1) dx$. a) 15/2 b) 20/5 c) 20/3 d) 3/20	K1	CO4
	8	The producer's surplus when the supply function for a commodity is $P = 3 + x$ and $x_0 = 3$ is _____. a) 5/2 b) 9/2 c) 3/2 d) 7/2	K2	CO4
5	9	Which of the following is a type of Linear programming problem? a) Manufacturing problem b) Diet problem c) Transportation problems d) All the above	K1	CO5
	10	When Minimax and Maximin criteria match, then a) A fair game exists b) Unfair game exists c) Mixed strategy exists d) Saddle point exists	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.	Explain the application of differential calculus in economics.	K2	CO1
		(OR)		
	11.b.	Form the differential equation representing the family of curves $y = a \sin(x + b)$, where a, b are arbitrary constants.		
2	12.a.	Find the partial derivative of $f(x,y) = x^2y + \sin x + \cos y$.	K3	CO2
		(OR)		
	12.b.	Find the first and second partial derivatives of $z = x^3 + y^3 - 3axy$.		
3	13.a.	Calculate the total differential of the function $z = 3x^3 + 3yx^2 + xy^2$.	K4	CO3
		(OR)		
	13.b.	Explain the major properties of the Cobb-Douglas production function.		
4	14.a.	Integrate the function $f(x) = 2x \sin(x^2 + 1)$ with respect to x .	K5	CO4
		(OR)		
	14.b.	Evaluate the given indefinite integral problem: $\int 6x^5 - 18x^2 + 7 dx$		
5	15.a.	Explain the characteristics of linear programming.	K6	CO5
		(OR)		
	15.b.	Illustrate the classification and description of game theory.		

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	Find the maxima and minima for $f(x) = 2x^3 - 21x^2 + 36x - 15$.	K4	CO1
2	17	Elucidate the different partial derivatives rules.	K4	CO2
3	18	Solve the Linear Differential Equation = $dy/dx = [1/(1+x^3)] - [3x^2/(1+x^2)]y$.	K5	CO3
4	19	The demand function of a commodity is $y = 36 - x^2$. Find the consumer's surplus for $y_0 = 11$.	K6	CO4
5	20	Calculate the maximal and minimal value of $z = 5x + 3y$ for the following constraints. $x + 2y \leq 14$ $3x - y \geq 0$ $x - y \leq 2$.	K6	CO5

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