

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2022
(First Semester)

Branch – PHYSICS

MATHEMATICS - I

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

SECTION-A (5 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (5 x 1 = 5)

- The locus of the center of curvature for a curve is called the ----- of the curve.
(i) Radius (ii) Evolute
(iii) Elocute (iv) Coordinates
- $\int_a^b x^3 dx =$
(i) $\frac{a^4}{4} - \frac{b^4}{4}$ (ii) $\frac{b^4}{4} - \frac{a^4}{4}$
(iii) $b^4 - a^4$ (iv) $a^4 - b^4$
- $\int_0^2 \int_0^2 dx dy =$
(i) $\frac{1}{4}$ (ii) 4
(iii) $\frac{1}{8}$ (iv) 8
- The vector V is said to be solenoidal then ---
(i) $\nabla \times V = 0$ (ii) $\nabla \times \nabla V = 0$
(iii) $\nabla \cdot V = 0$ (iv) $\nabla \cdot \nabla V = 0$
- Green's theorem states that
(i) $\int_C N dx + M dy = \int_R (N_x - M_y) dx dy$
(ii) $\iint_R M dx + N dy = \int_C (N_x - M_y) dx dy$
(iii) $\int_C M dx + N dy = \iint_R (N_x - M_y) dx dy$
(iv) $\int_C (M + N) dx = \iint_R (N_x M_y) dx dy$

SECTION - B (15 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 3 = 15)

- a. Find the radius of curvature of the curve $x^4 + y^4 = 2$ at (1,1)?
OR
b. Find the coordinates of the center of curvature of the curve $xy = 2$ at (2,1).
- a. Evaluate $\int x \sin 2x dx$.
OR
b. Calculate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^6 x \cos^5 x dx$.
- a. Compute $\int_0^a \int_0^b (x^2 + y^2) dx dy$.
OR
b. Compute $\int_0^3 \int_1^{5-x} x^2 y dx dy$.

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9. a. Find the directional derivative of the function $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ at (3,6,9) in the direction whose direction cosines are $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3})$.

OR

- b. Show that the vector $A = x^2z^2i + xyz^2j - xz^3k$ is solenoidal.

- 10.a. Find the value of the integral $\int A \cdot dr$, where $A = yzi + xzj - xyk$ for the curve whose parametric equations are $x = t, y = t^2, z = t^3$ from $O(0,0,0)$ to $Q(2,4,8)$.

OR

- b. Show that $\iint r \cdot n \, dS = 4\pi a^3$, if S is the surface of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$.

SECTION -C (30 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

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

- 11.a. Prove that the radius of curvature at any point of the cycloid $x = a(\theta + \sin\theta)$ and $y = a(1 - \cos\theta)$ is $4a \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$.

OR

- b. Show that in the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ at the point t , $\rho = -2a(1 + t^2)^{3/2}$, $X = 2a + 3at^3$, $Y = -2at^3$. Deduce the equation of the evolute.

- 12.a. Evaluate $\int x^3 \cos 2x \, dx$.

OR

- b. Evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x(1 - x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \, dx$.

13. a. Change the order of integration in the integral $\int_0^a \int_{\frac{x}{2}}^{2a-x} xy \, dx \, dy$ and evaluate it.

OR

- b. Find the area of the cardioid $r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$.

14. a. Find $\nabla \cdot \vec{F}$ and $\nabla \times \vec{F}$ at the point (1, -1, 1) if $\vec{F} = xz^3\vec{i} - 2x^2yz\vec{j} + 2yz^4\vec{k}$.

OR

- b. If $\vec{F} = x^2y\vec{i} + y^2z\vec{j} + z^2x\vec{k}$, then find curl curl \vec{F} .

15. a. State and prove Gauss' Divergence theorem.

OR

- b. Evaluate by using Green's theorem $\int_C (xy + x^2)dx + (x^2 + y^2)dy$, where C is the square formed by the lines $x = -1, x = 1, y = -1, y = 1$ in the XOY plane.

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