

**UG 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Examination - 2025 (Under NCCF)****Award : B.Sc****Discipline : Mathematics****Course Type : MNC-2****Course Code : BSCMTMMN201****Course Name : Linear Algebra-I, Ordinary Differential Equations & Vector Calculus****Full Marks - 70****Time - 3Hours****1. Answer any five questions :****1×5=5**

- Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ , find the eigen values of  $A^3$ .
- Find  $\alpha$  such that the differential equation  $\left(\frac{1}{x} + x^\alpha y^4\right) dx = y^3 x^{\alpha+1} dy$  is exact.
- Solve the differential equation  $p^2 + 2xp - 3x^2 = 0$ ,  $p \equiv \frac{dy}{dx}$ .
- Find the solution of the differential equation :  $(D^4 + D^3 - 4D^2 - 4D)y = 0$ ,  $D \equiv \frac{d}{dx}$ .
- If  $\overline{f(t)}$  has a constant magnitude, show that  $\overline{f(t)}$  is perpendicular to  $\frac{df(t)}{dt}$ .
- When is a matrix said to be singular? Give an example.
- Give an example of skew symmetric matrix.
- Find the equation of the tangent plane to the surface  $xyz=4$  at the point  $(1,2,2)$ .

**2. Answer any ten questions.****2×10=20**

- Verify Cayley Hamilton Theorem for the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ .
- Show that the system of equations  $x + 2y - z = 5$ ;  $3x - y + 2z = 3$ ;  $ax + y + z = 2a$  have a unique solution if  $a \neq 4$ .
- Reduce the equation  $y = 2px + y^2 p^3$  to Clairaut's form.
- Find the solution of the initial value problem,  $y \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 3 \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = 0$ ,  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{x=0} = 6$ .
- Find the Wronskian of a pair of linearly independent solutions of  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 4y = 0$ .
- Solve ;  $(D^2 - 4)y = e^{2x} + 3x$ , where  $D \equiv \frac{d}{dx}$ .
- Solve :  $\sin x \frac{dy}{dx} - y \cos x + y^2 = 0$ .
- Find the curve which satisfies the equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1+y^2}{xy}$  and passes through  $(1,0)$ .
- Find the volume of the parallelopiped whose edges are  $\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{b} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} + \hat{k}$  and  $\vec{c} = 3\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$ .

- j) If  $\vec{\alpha} = (2y + 3)\hat{i} + xz\hat{j} + (yz - x)\hat{k}$ , evaluate  $\int \vec{\alpha} \cdot d\vec{r}$  over C, from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 1$  Where C is the curve  $x = 2t^2$ ,  $y = t$ ,  $z = t^3$ .
- k) Express  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 7 & 2 \\ 1 & 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$  as the sum of a symmetric and a skew symmetric matrix.
- l) Let  $f = x^3 + y^3 + z^3$ , then find the directional derivative of  $f$  at  $(1, -1, 2)$  in the direction of the vector  $\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ .
- m) If  $\vec{r} = 3t\hat{i} + 3t^2\hat{j} + 2t^3\hat{k}$  find the value of  $\left[ \frac{dr}{dt}, \frac{d^2r}{dt^2}, \frac{d^3r}{dt^3} \right]$ .
- n) Find unit normal to the surface  $-x^2yz^2 + 2xy^2z = 0$  at the point  $P(1, 1, 1)$ .

**3. Answer any five questions :**

**5×5 = 25**

- a) Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .
- b) Apply the method of variation of parameters to solve  $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} - y = \frac{2}{1 + e^x}$ .
- c) Solve the total differential equation  $z^2dx + (z^2 - 2yz)dy + (2y^2 - yz - zx)dz = 0$ .  
Solve :  $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{x} \log_e y = \frac{y}{x^2} (\log_e y)^2$ .
- d) Solve :  $\frac{dx}{dt} - 7x + y = 0$ ;  $\frac{dy}{dt} - 2x - 5y = 0$ .
- e) Find the vector equation of a plane containing two parallel straight lines  $\vec{r} = \vec{a} + t\vec{c}$  and  $\vec{r} = \vec{b} + s\vec{c}$  ( $t$  and  $s$  are scalars).
- f) Show that the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 \\ 6 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is non-singular, hence express it as a product of elementary matrices.
- g) Show that the general solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} + py = Q$  can be written in the form  $y = \frac{Q}{p} - e^{-\int Pdx} \left[ \int e^{\int Pdx} d\left(\frac{Q}{P}\right) + C \right]$ , where  $P$  and  $Q$  are functions of  $x$  and  $C$  is an arbitrary constant.
- h) Solve  $(D^2 + a^2)y = \sec(ax)$ ,  $D \equiv \frac{d}{dx}$ .

4. Answer any two questions.

10×2=20

a) i) Find the row-reduced Echelon form of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 2 & 10 & 7 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ .

ii) Solve:  $\frac{dx}{z(x+y)} = \frac{dy}{z(x-y)} = \frac{dz}{x^2 - y^2}$ . 5+5

b) i) Solve the differential equation  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{1}{x} \frac{dy}{dx} - 3x^2y = 4x^2 \sin(x^2)$ .

ii) Show that  $\text{div} (\vec{E} \times \vec{F}) = \vec{F} \cdot \text{curl} \vec{E} - \vec{E} \cdot \text{curl} \vec{F}$ . 5+5

c) i) Find the algebraic and geometric multiplicities of each eigen value of the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

ii) In the differential equation  $Mdx + Ndy = 0$ , if  $Mx + Ny \neq 0$  and the equation is homogeneous then show that  $\frac{1}{Mx + Ny}$  is an integrating factor of the equation.

Hence solve:  $(x^2y - 2xy^2)dx - (x^3 - 3x^2y)dy = 0$ . 4+2+4

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