

2125
B.E., First Semester
ASM-101: Calculus
(Common to all streams)

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Part.

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Question I (a) Check the absolute and conditional convergence of the alternating series:

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{1}{\log n}$$

(b) Show that the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(1 + \ln^2 n)}$ satisfies the hypothesis of the integral test. Hence show that that this series converges.

(c) Find the area of the region in the first quadrant bounded by the line $y = x$, the line $x = 2$, the curve $y = 1/x^2$, and the x-axis.

(d) Define curvature and torsion for a space curve.

(e) Find the length of the graph of $f(x) = \frac{x^3}{12} + \frac{1}{x}$, $1 \leq x \leq 4$.

(2 × 5 = 10)

Part A

Question II Discuss the convergence of the following series:

$$(i) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \quad (ii) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2^{1/n}} - \frac{1}{2^{1/(n+1)}} \right) \quad (iii) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2n+1}{n^2(n+1)^2} \quad (iv) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{8 \tan^{-1} n}{1+n^2}$$

$$(v) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(n+3)!}{3! n! 3^n}$$

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Question III (a) Obtain the fourth degree Taylor's polynomial approximation to $f(x) = e^{2x}$ about $x = 0$. Find the maximum error when $0 \leq x \leq 0.5$

(b) If $w = f(u, v)$ satisfies the Laplace equation $f_{uu} + f_{vv} = 0$ and if $u = (x^2 - y^2)/2$ and $v = xy$, then find the value of $w_{xx} + w_{yy}$.

(5+5=10)

Question IV (a) A standard 12-fl oz can of soda is essentially a cylinder of radius $r = 1$ in. and height $h = 5$ in.

(i) At these dimensions, how sensitive is the can's volume to a small change in radius versus

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a small change in height?

(ii) Could you design a soda can that appears to hold more soda but in fact holds the same 12-oz? What might its dimensions be?

(b) Find the absolute maxima and minima of the function: $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$ on the closed triangular plate bounded by the lines $x = 0, y = 0, y + 2x = 2$ in the first quadrant. (5+5=10)

Part B

Question V (a) Find using double integral the area of the region in the first quadrant bounded by the line $y = x$, the line $x = 2$, the curve $y = 1/x^2$, and the x-axis.

(b) Find the volumes using triple integrals of the region between the cylinder $z = y^2$ and the xy-plane that is bounded by the planes $x = 0, x = 1, y = -1, y = 1$ (5+5=10)

Question VI (a) Find curvature (κ) and torsion (τ) for the following curve:

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \ln(\sec t) \hat{i} + t \hat{j}, -\pi/2 < t < \pi/2$$

(b) Find the derivative of $f(x, y, z) = x^3 - xy^2 - z$ at $P_0(1, 1, 0)$ in the direction of $\vec{A} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}$. In which direction does f change most rapidly at P_0 , and what are the rates of change in these directions? (5+5=10)

Question VII (a) Find the work done by force field $\vec{F} = z\hat{i} + x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}$ over the curve $\vec{r}(t) = \sin t \hat{i} + \cos t \hat{j} + t \hat{k}$, $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$ in the direction of increasing t .

(b) Use divergence theorem to calculate the outward flux of \mathbf{F} across the boundary of the region D: The region inside the solid cylinder $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$ between the plane $z = 0$ and the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$ where $\mathbf{F} = y\hat{i} + xy\hat{j} - z\hat{k}$ (5+5=10)