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COMPLEMENTARY COURSE IN MATHEMATICS

1C01 MAT – PH : Mathematics for Physics and Electronics – I

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

SECTION – A

All the first 4 questions are compulsory. They carry 1 mark each.

1. Find the n^{th} derivative of e^{5x} .
2. State Rolle's Theorem.
3. Is $\infty + \infty$ an indeterminate form ?
4. Find the first order partial derivatives of $e^{ax} \sin by$. (4×1=4)

SECTION – B

Answer any 7 questions from 5 to 13. They carry two marks each.

5. If $x = e^{-t^2}$ and $y = \tan^{-1}(2t + 1)$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.
6. Find the n^{th} derivative of $y = \cos^4 x$.
7. Obtain the expansion of $\log \cos hx$ in powers of x by Maclaurin's theorem.
8. Discuss the continuity at the origin when $f(x) = x \log \sin x$.
9. Verify Euler's theorem for $z = ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2$.

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(7×2=14)

SECTION - C

Answer any 4 questions from 14 to 19. They carry 3 marks each.

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18. Find $f_{xy}(0, 0)$ for the function f given by $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy(x^2 - y^2)}{x^2 + y^2}; & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & ; (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$.

19. Prove that if $y^3 - 3ax^2 + x^3 = 0$, then $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{2a^2x^2}{y^5} = 0$. (4×3=12)

SECTION - D

Answer any 2 questions from 20 to 23. They carry 5 marks each.

20. Use Taylor's theorem to prove that $\tan^{-1}(x + h) = \tan^{-1}x + (h \sin z) \frac{\sin z}{1} - (h \sin z)^2 \frac{\sin 2z}{2} + \dots$ where $z = \cot^{-1}x$.

21. Find the value of a and b in order that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1 + a \cos x) - b \sin x}{x^3}$ may be equal to 1.

22. Show that the curvature of the point $\left(\frac{3a}{2}, \frac{3a}{2}\right)$ on the folium $x^3 + y^3 = 3axy$ is $\frac{-8\sqrt{2}}{3a}$.

23. Translate the equation $\rho = 6 \cos \phi$ into Cartesian and cylindrical equations. (2×5=10)