

WBCS MAIN
2019

MATHEMATICS
PAPER-I

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 200

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1. Answer any two questions:

10×2=20

- (a) Prove that $S = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4; 2x + y + 3z + w = 0, x + 2y + z + 3w = 0\}$ is a vector space. Find its dimension and a basis.
- (b) A is a non-singular square matrix of order 3 such that sum of the element of each row is K . Hence show that $(1, 1, 1)^T$ is an eigenvector of A . Hence show that sum of the elements in each row is $\frac{1}{k}$.
- (c) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 10 & 5 \\ -2 & -3 & -4 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$, show that 2 is an eigenvalue of A . Find its algebraic and geometric multiplicity. Hence comment on diagonalisability of A .

2. Answer any two questions:

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- (a) If the system of equations $ax + by + cz = 0; bx + cy + az = 0; cx + ay + bz = 0$ has a non-zero solution, then prove that either $a = b = c$ or $a + b + c = 0$.
- (b) Find the nature of the quadratic form $Q = xy + yz + zx$ and obtain a non-singular transformation which reduce it into normal form.
- (c) If S be a skew Hermitian matrix then show that $(I + S)(I - S)^{-1}$ is a unitary matrix.

3. Answer any two questions:

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- (a) Prove that between two real numbers there lie a rational and an irrational number.
- (b) Prove that $\left\{\frac{x^n}{|n|}\right\}$ is converges to 0 $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$.
- (c) For a sequence $a_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{n}$, prove that $\{a_n\}$ is monotone increasing and divergent. Is $\sum \frac{1}{n}$ convergent? — Justify.

4. Answer any two questions:

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(a) Show that $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x \sin \frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{2}{x} \cos \frac{1}{x^2}, & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

is N integrable but not R -integrable in $[0, 1]$.

(b) Show that the sequence of function $\{x^n\}$ $x \in [0, 1]$ is not uniformly convergent.

(c) Find interval of convergence of power series $\sum a_n x^n$ where $a_n = \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}$. Also comment on uniform convergence of this power series.

5. Answer any two questions:

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(a) Using Lagrange Mean Value Theorem, prove that any chord of the parabola $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ is parallel to the tangent at the point whose abscissa is same as the middle point of the chord.

(b) If $f'(x)$ exist in $[0, 1]$ prove that $f(1) - f(0) = \frac{f'(x)}{2x}$ has at least one solution in $(0, 1)$.

(c) Find the envelop of the circles drawn upon the radius vectors of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ as diameter.

6. Answer any two questions:

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(a) Reduce the equation $x^2 - 6xy + y^2 - 10x - 10y - 19 = 0$ into canonical form and hence find the nature of the conic.

(b) Show that six normals can be drawn from a point to the ellipsoid $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$.

(c) Prove that locus of the point of intersection of the normals to the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ at the extremities of the focal chord is the parabola $y^2 = a(x - 3a)$.

7. Answer any two questions:

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(a) Show that the lines $\frac{x-a_1}{a_2} = \frac{y-b_1}{b_2} = \frac{z-c_1}{c_2}$ and $\frac{x-a_2}{a_1} = \frac{y-b_2}{b_1} = \frac{z-c_2}{c_1}$ will intersect. Find their point of intersection.

(b) The points $(0, 1, 0)$ and $(3, -5, 2)$ are end points of a diameter of a sphere S . Find equation of the sphere on which intersection of the plane $5x - 2y + 4z + 7 = 0$ with the given sphere S is a great circle.

(c) Find the integrating factor of

$$x(3ydx + 2xdy) + 8y^4(ydx + 3xdy) = 0 \text{ of the form } x^\alpha y^\beta \text{ and hence solve it.}$$

8. Answer any two questions:

10×2=20

(a) Find general and singular solution of

$$p^2(x^2 - a^2) - 2pxy + y^2 - b^2 = 0, \text{ where } p = \frac{dy}{dx}.$$

(b) Solve: $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = \cosh x$.

(c) Solve by Charpit method: $(p^2 + q^2)y = qz$.

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9. Answer any two questions:

(a) Find the condition of astatic equilibrium in 2-dimension.

(b) A paraboloid of revolution is fixed with its axis vertical and vertex upward, a heavy elastic string of unstretched length $2\pi c$ is placed on it. Show that in equilibrium it rests in form of a circle of radius $\frac{4\pi ac}{4\pi a\lambda - cw}$; where w is the weight of the string, λ is modulus of elasticity and $4a$ is the latus rectum of the generating parabola.

(c) Forces X, Y, Z act along three lines $y = b, z = -c; z = c, x = -a; x = a, y = -b$ respectively show that they will have a single resultant if $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} + \frac{c}{z} = 0$.

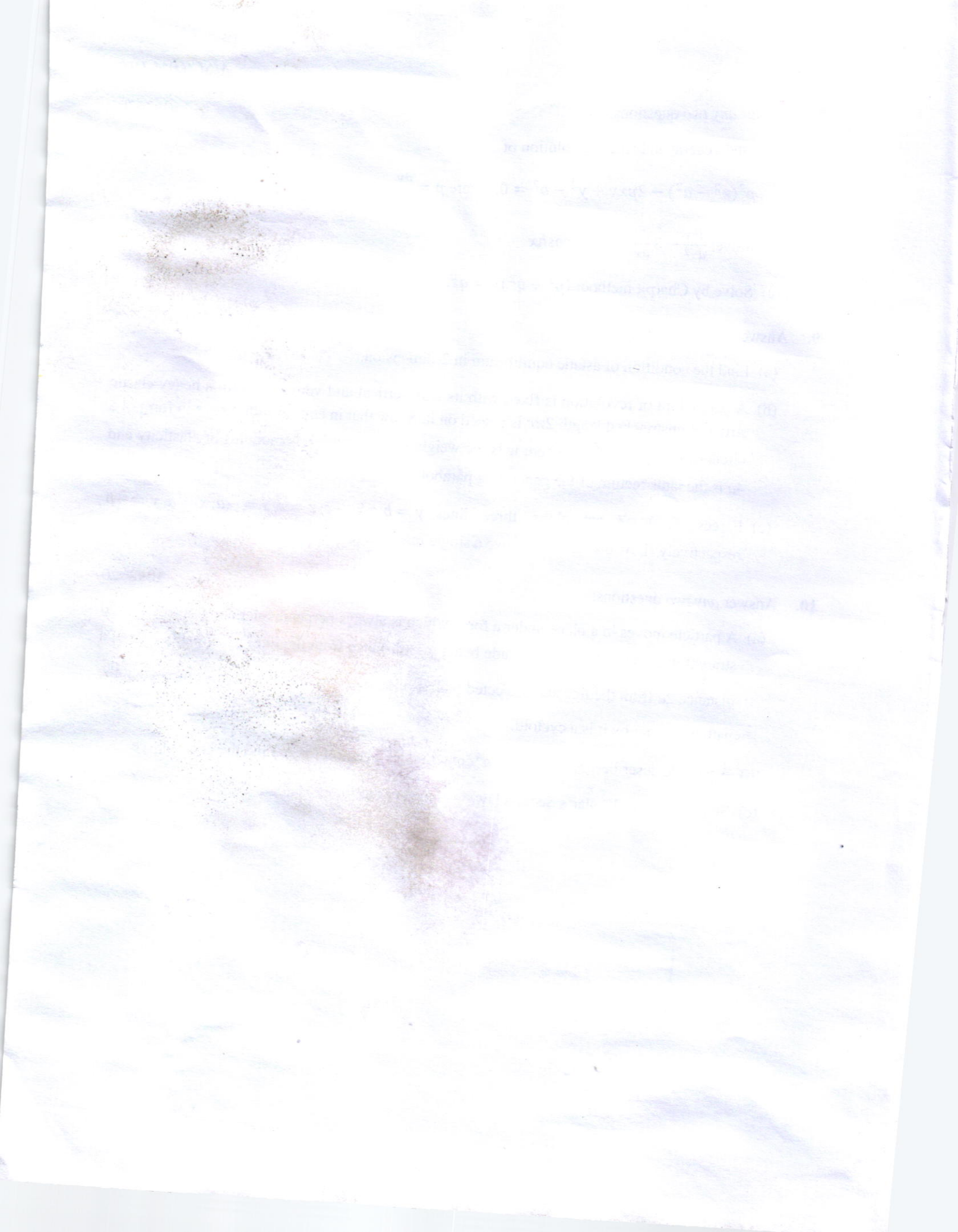
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10. Answer any two questions:

(a) A particle moves in a plane under a force which is always perpendicular and towards a fixed straight line on the plane, magnitude being $\mu \div (\text{distance from the line})^2$. If initially it be at a distance $2a$ from the line and projected with a velocity $\sqrt{\frac{\mu}{a}}$ parallel to the line, prove that the path traces out by it is a cycloid.

(b) A particle describes the path $r^4 = a^4 \cos 4\theta$ under a central force. Find the law of force.

(c) State and prove Kepler's Second law on planetary motion.



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Group A

Answer any five questions.

1. (a) If the equation $x^4 + px^3 + qx^2 + rx + s = 0$ has roots of the form $\alpha + i\alpha, \beta + i\beta$, where α, β are real. Prove that $p^2 - 2q = 0$ and $r^2 - 2qs = 0$. 14
- (b) Prove that $\sqrt[n]{n} < \sqrt[n]{n!} < \frac{n+1}{2} \forall n > 2$. 14
2. (a) If p is an odd prime prove that
- (i) $1^2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^2 \dots (p-2)^2 \equiv (-1)^{\frac{p+1}{2}} \pmod{p}$
- (ii) $2^2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \dots (p-1)^2 \equiv (-1)^{\frac{p+1}{2}} \pmod{p}$ 7+7=14
- (b) (i) Show that the roots of the equation $(1+z)^n = (1-z)^n$ are the values of $i \tan\left(\frac{r\pi}{n}\right)$, where $r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1$, but omitting $\frac{n}{2}$ if n is even.
- (ii) Show that the product of all values of $(\sqrt{3} + i)^{\frac{3}{5}}$ is $8i$. 7+7=14
3. (a) Define f over R^2 by
- $$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{|x|}{y^2}\right) \cdot e^{\frac{-|x|}{y^2}}, & y \neq 0 \\ 0, & y = 0 \end{cases}$$
- Show that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y)$ exists along any straight line but the limit does not exist. 14
- (b) Let $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3}{x^2 + y^2}, & x^2 + y^2 \neq 0 \\ 0, & x^2 + y^2 = 0 \end{cases}$
- Show that both f_x and f_y exist at $(0, 0)$ but f is not differentiable at $(0, 0)$. 7+7=14
4. (a) If V is a closed region bounded by the planes $x = 0, y = 0, z = 0, 2x + 2y + z = 4$ and $F = (3x^2 - 8z)i - 2xyj - 8xk$, then show that
- (i) $\iiint_V \nabla \cdot F dV = \frac{16}{3}$
- (ii) $\iiint_V \nabla \times F dV = -\frac{8}{3}k$ 7+7=14

(b) Proved that $a \cdot \nabla \left(b \cdot \nabla \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) \right) = \frac{3(a \cdot \vec{r})(b \cdot \vec{r})}{r^5} - \frac{a \cdot b}{r^3}$ where a and b are constant vectors and $r = |\vec{r}|$. 14

5. (a) Let (G, \circ) be a group and (H, \circ) be a subgroup of (G, \circ) . Let $x, y \in G$ and a relation ρ is defined on G by " $x \rho y$ iff $x \circ y^{-1} \in H$." Prove that ρ is an equivalence relation on G . 14

(b) If an abelian group G of order 10 contains an element of order 5, prove that G must be cyclic group. 14

6. (a) If $u - v = (x - y)(x^2 + 4xy + y^2)$ and $f(z) = u + iv$ is an analytic function of $z = x + iy$. Find $f(z)$ in terms of z . 14

(b) Suppose X is a non-empty set and $d(a, a) = 0$ for all $a \in X$ and $d(a, b) = 1$ for all $a, b \in X$ with $a \neq b$. Show that d is a metric on X . 14

7. (a) Construct the Lagrange interpolation polynomial for the data.

x	-1	1	4	7
$f(x)$	-2	0	63	32

Hence interpolate at $x = 5$. 14

(b) Using Newton-Raphson method solve $x \log_{10} x = 12 \cdot 34$ with $x_0 = 10$. 14

Group B

Answer any two questions.

8. (a) If the independent random variables X and Y be each uniformly distributed in the interval $(-a, a)$ then find the distribution of

(a) $X + Y$

(b) XY

(c) $\frac{X}{Y}$

5+5+5=15

(b) In the equation $x^2 + 2x - q = 0$, q is a random variable uniformly distributed over the interval $(0, 2)$. Find the distribution function of the largest root. 15

9. (a) The least square regression lines of Y on X and X on Y are respectively $x + 3y = 0, 3x + 2y = 0$. If $\sigma_x = 1$ then find the least square regression line of V on U where $U = X + Y, V = X - Y$. 15

(b) Let $U = aX + bY$ and $V = bX - aY$. If $E(X) = E(Y) = 0$ and if $\rho(X, Y) = \rho, \rho(U, V) = 0$, then show that

(i) $\text{var}U \cdot \text{var}V = (a^2 + b^2)^2 (\text{var}X)(\text{var}Y)(1 - \rho^2)$

(ii) $ab(\text{var}X - \text{var}Y) = \rho\sigma_x\sigma_y(a^2 - b^2)$

7.5+7.5=15

10. (a) By solving the dual of the primal problem:

$$\text{Minimize } Z = 3x_1 - 2x_2 + 4x_3$$

$$\text{Subject to } 3x_1 + 5x_2 + 4x_3 \geq 7,$$

$$6x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 \geq 4$$

$$7x_1 - 2x_2 - x_3 \leq 10$$

$$4x_1 + 7x_2 - 2x_3 \geq 2$$

$$x_1 - 2x_2 + 5x_3 \geq 3, \quad x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0,$$

Show that it has no solution.

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- (b) Five operators (A, B, C, D, E) have been assigned to five machines (I, II, III, IV, V). Operator A cannot operate machine III and operator C cannot operate machine IV. Find the optimal assignment schedule.

	I	II	III	IV	V
A	5	5	-	2	6
B	7	4	2	3	4
C	9	3	5	-	3
D	7	2	6	7	2
E	6	5	7	9	1

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