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**(CBCS)**

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**MATHEMATICS**

**PAPER—DSC1AT / DSC2AT / DSC3AT**

**DIFFERENTIAL CALCULUS**

*Full Marks : 60*

*Time : 3 Hours*

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

**THEORY : DSC1AT**

Answer any *four* questions.

4×12

1. (a) Using Rolle's Theorem, find a point on the curve

$y = \sin x + \cos x - 1$ ,  $x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$ , where the tangent is parallel to the x-axis.

- (b) Find the  $n^{\text{th}}$  derivative of  $\tan^{-1}t$ . 6+6
2. (a) Let  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be such that  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$  for all  $x, y$  in  $\mathbb{R}$ . Show that  $f(x) = ax$ , where  $x$  is an integer and  $f(1) = a$ .
- (b) If  $y = a \cos(\log x) + b \sin(\log x)$ ,  $x > 0$  then prove that (i)  $x^2 y_2 + x y_1 + y = 0$  and (ii)  $x^2 y_{n+2} + (2n+1)xy_{n+1} + (n^2 + 1)y_n = 0$ . 5+7
3. (a) Determine whether the following function from  $\mathbb{R}$  to  $\mathbb{R}$  is differentiable and if differentiable find the derivative :  $f(x) = 1 - |x - 1|$ .
- (b) Give an example of a function where it can be shown that the conditions of the Rolle's theorem are sufficient but not necessary.
- (c) Find the Maclaurin's series for the function  $f(x) = \sin x$ . 4+4+4
4. (a) State and prove the Taylor's theorem with Lagrange form of remainder.
- (b) If  $a$  and  $b$  are distinct real numbers show that there exists a real number  $c$  between  $a$  and  $b$  such that  $a^2 + ab + b^2 = 3c^2$ .
- (c) Determine the stationary point of  $x^{\frac{1}{x}}$ . 5+3+4
5. (a) Evaluate :  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin x}{x} \right)^{\frac{4}{5x}}$
- (b) If  $u = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{x+y}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}} \right)$  then show that

$$x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 u\right) \cos u}{\sin u}. \quad 5+7$$

6. (a) If  $V = ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2$  then show that

$$\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}\right)^2 \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial y^2} - 2 \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2} = 6(ab - h^2)V.$$

- (b) If  $\rho_1$  and  $\rho_2$  be the radii of curvature at the end point P and D of

$$\text{conjugate diameters of the ellipse, prove that } \rho_1^{2/3} + \rho_2^{2/3} = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)}{(ab)^{2/3}}.$$

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7. (a) Verify Euler's Theorem when  $u(x, y) = \frac{x(x^3 - y^3)}{x^3 + y^3}$ .

- (b) Find the points on the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  at which the radius of curvature

$$\text{is } \frac{125}{16}.$$

6+6

8. (a) If  $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$  be the tangent of the curve  $x^m y^n = \alpha^{m+n}$ , then prove that  $p^{m+n} m^n n^m = (m + n)^{m+n} \alpha^{m+n} \cos^m \alpha \sin^n \alpha$ .

- (b) Prove,  $x - \frac{x^3}{6} < \sin x < x - \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^5}{120}$ , for all  $x > 0$ .

6+6

Answer any six questions.

6×2

9. Evaluate :  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1 + n \sin^2 nx}$ .

10. If  $f(x) = 2|x| + |x+2|$ , examine the existence of  $f'(x)$  at  $x = 2$ .

11. If  $f(x)$  be differentiable at  $x = a$ , show that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(x+a)f(x) - 2af(a)}{x-a} = f(a) + 2af'(a)$$

12. Find  $y_n$  where  $y = e^t \sin^2 t$ .

13. Prove that  $\sin x < x < \tan x$  when  $x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ .

14. Define essential discontinuity with an illustrated example.

15. If  $u = f(y - z, z - x, x - y)$  then prove that  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = 0$ .

16. Find the radius of curvature of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at the vertex.

17. Find the equation of the line that is tangent to the graph of

$$y = \sqrt{x} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \text{ at } x = 1.$$

18. If  $|x| < 1$ , what is the coefficient of  $x^2$  in the expression  $\frac{\log_e(1+x)}{(1-x)^2}$ .

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