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MATH FOR ECO (General)

Paper : III

Date : 24/12/2014

Time : 11 am – 2 pm

Full Marks : 75

[Use a separate Answer Book for each group]

Group – A

(Answer any ten questions)

[10×5]

1. Define directional derivative and partial derivative of a function $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R} (D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2)$. Show that for the function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 y}{x^6 + y^3} & \text{if } x^2 + y^2 \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x^2 + y^2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

directional derivative at (0,0) exists in every direction.

[2+3]

2. Let z be a differentiable function of x and y and let $x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta$ prove that,

$$\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial r}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{r} \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2.$$

[5]

3. Consider the function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} xy \cdot \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2}, & \text{when } x^2 + y^2 \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{when } x^2 + y^2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

check whether $f(x, y)$ satisfies the conditions of Schwarz Theorem.

[5]

4. Use Jacobians of the functions $u = x + y + z, v = xy + yz + zx, w = x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz$ to prove that they are dependent and find relation between them.

[5]

5. State and prove Euler's Theorem for two variables.

[1+4]

6. Show that $f(x, y) = |x| + |y|$ has a minimum value 0 at (0,0). Is there any maximum value?

[3+2]

7. Consider the function, $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \text{ is rational} \\ -1, & x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$

check where $f(x)$ is Riemann integrable?

[5]

8. a) Define partition and refinement of a closed interval $[a, b]$.

[3]

b) Give an example of a function for which Newtonian integral does not exist but Riemann integral exist.

[2]

9. Describe when the curve $y = f(x)$ is said to be concave upwards or downwards at a given point. Find the range of values of x for which $y = x^4 - 6x^3 + 12x^2 + 5x + 7$ is concave upwards or downwards.

[1+4]

10. Find the envelope of the family of lines $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$, where the parameters are connected by

$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$, c is a constant.

[5]

11. For the Gamma function 'Γ' prove that $\Gamma(n+1) = n\Gamma(n)$.

Use Beta function and Gamma function to evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{\tan x} dx$.

[3+2]

12. Test the convergence of the following improper integral.

$$\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^{1/3}}. \quad [5]$$

13. Prove by the method of Lagrange's multiplier that of all rectangular parallelopiped of the same volume, the cube has the least surface. [5]

14. Find the points of inflexion if any of the curve $y = x(x+1)^2$. [5]

Group – B

(Answer any five questions) [5×5]

15. Solve the differential equation :

$$ayp^2 + (2x - b)p - y = 0 \quad (a > 0). \quad [5]$$

16. Find the general solution as well as singular solution of the following differential equation ;
 $y + px = x^4 p^2$. [1+4]

17. Solve : $\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} + \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - y = \sin 2x$. [5]

18. Solve the following differential equation by the method of variation of parameters :
 $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + a^2 y = \sec ax$. [5]

19. Using the method of undetermined co-efficient solve the differential equation : $(D^2 - 4D + 4)y = e^{2x}$. [5]

20. Solve the following simultaneous linear differential equation :

$$(D-1)x + Dy = 2t + 1, \quad (2D+1)x + 2Dy = t, \quad \text{where, } D \equiv \frac{d}{dt}. \quad [5]$$

21. Find the general solution of the differential equation : $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 4 \frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = x^2 + x$. [5]

22. Determine the Particular Integral of the differential equation: $(D^3 - 7D^2 + 16D - 12)y = \cosh 2x$. [5]

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