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Date : 15/09/2011

MATHEMATICS (General)

Time : 11 am – 12 noon

Paper : I

Full Marks : 50

(Use separate answer scripts for each group)

Group - A

1. Answer **any three** questions : [3×3 = 9]
- a) Find the general value of i^i . [3]
- b) State De Moivre's theorem. Using De Moivre's theorem express $\cos 3\theta$ in terms of powers of $\cos \theta$ where θ is real. [1+2]
- c) If n is a positive integer and α, β are roots of $x^2 - 2x + 2 = 0$ then using De Moivre's theorem show that $\alpha^n + \beta^n = 2^{\frac{n}{2}+1} \cos \frac{n\pi}{4}$. [3]
- d) Find the value of $\sqrt{-3 + \sqrt{-3 + \sqrt{-3 + \dots}}}$ and also find $\text{Log } i$. [2+1]
- e) If $Z_r = \cos \frac{\pi}{3^r} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3^r}$ ($r = 1, 2, \dots$) then prove that $Z_1 Z_2 Z_3 \dots \infty = i$ [3]

Group – B

2. Answer **any two** questions : [2×4 = 8]
- a) Define Cartesian product of two sets. If $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $B = \{2, 4, 6\}$ then find $A \times B$. Find also $P(A)$, the power set of A . [1+1+2]
- b) Prove that the composition of two injective maps is injective. Verify injectivity and surjectivity of $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = K^2 + 1 \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ [2+2]
- c) Define the eigen-value of a square matrix. Find the eigen-values of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ [1+3]

Group – C

- Answer **any two** questions : [2×4 = 8]
3. a) Define the continuity of a function. Discuss the continuity of the function
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$
- at $x = 0$
- Give an example of a discontinuous function. [1+2+1]
- b) A function which is finitely derivable at a point is continuous at that point. Is the converse true? Give reason. [2+2]
- c) If $f(x+y) = f(x)f(y)$ for all real values of x, y ; $f(x) \neq 0$ for any real value of x and $f'(0) = 2$, Prove that $f'(x) = 2f(x)$. [4]