

# RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIDYAMANDIRA

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**MATHEMATICS GENERAL FOR ECONOMICS**

Date : 15/09/2016

Time : 12 noon – 1 pm

Paper : III

Full Marks : 25

**[Use a separate Answer Book for each group]**

## Group – A

(Answer any three questions)

[3×5]

1. If  $f(x,y)$  is differentiable at  $(a,b)$  prove that the partial derivatives  $f_x(a,b)$  and  $f_y(a,b)$  exist. Use it to show that  $f(x,y) = |x| + |y|$  is not differentiable at  $(0,0)$  [3+2]
2. State the Euler's theorem on Homogeneous function of two variables. Use it to prove that  $x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = n(n-1)u$ , where  $u$  is a differentiable homogenous function of degree  $n$  in two independent variable  $x$  and  $y$  and all partial derivatives of first and 2<sup>nd</sup> order are continuous. [1+4]
3. Show that for the function 
$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} (x^2 + y^2) \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x} & : x \neq 0 \\ \frac{\pi}{2} y^2 & : x = 0 \end{cases},$$
$$f_{xy}(0,0) \neq f_{yx}(0,0).$$
 [5]
4. Let  $u = \sin^{-1} \frac{x+y}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}}$ . Prove that  $\left( x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)^2 u = -\frac{\sin u \cos 2u}{4 \cos^3 u}$ . [5]

## Group – B

5. Answer any two questions : [2×3]
  - a) Find the differential equation for  $u = B + \frac{A}{r}$ , where  $A$  and  $B$  are any arbitrary constants.
  - b) Find the particular solutions of  $\cos y dx + (1 + 2e^{-x}) \sin y dy = 0$  when  $x = 0$ ,  $y = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .
  - c) Solve :  $xdx + ydy + \frac{xdy - ydx}{x^2 + y^2} = 0$ .
6. Answer any one question : [1×4]
  - a) Solve :  $x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = x^2 y^2$ .
  - b) Obtain the complete and singular solution for the differential equation  $y = px + p - p^2$ ,  $p \equiv \frac{dy}{dx}$ .