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# First Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, January 2024

# First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Core Course

## **Mathematics**

MM 1141: METHODS OF MATHEMATICS

(2018 – 2022 Admission)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

### SECTION - I

Answer all question compulsory. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Find the local approximation of  $f(x) = \sin x$  at  $x_0 = 0$ .
- 2. The time required for one complete oscillation of a pendulum is called its
- 3. The critical points of  $f(x) = x^3 3x + 1$  occurs positively at x = - - -
- If all units produced are sold, then the cost function, revenue function and profit function are related by ————
- 5. An interval on which  $f(x) = x^2 x$  satisfies the hyphothesis of Rolle's Theorem is
- 6. The smallest possible value of  $f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$  is obtained for positive number x in the interval ————

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- 7. The points of intersection for the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and the line y = x + 2 and \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_
- 8. A function f is smooth on [a,b], if f' is ————
- 9. A force F(x) = 10 2x N applied in the positive x-direction moves on object 3m from x = 2 to x = 5. Then the workdone by the force on the object is
- 10. The parametric equations  $x = \cosh t$ ,  $y = \sinh t(-\infty < t < +\infty)$  represent the right half of the curve called a ————

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$ 

#### SECTION - II

Answer any eight questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Suppose that x and y differentiable functions of t and are related by the equation  $y = x^3$ . Find  $\frac{dy}{dt}$  at time t = 1 if x = 2 and  $\frac{dx}{dt}$  at time t = 1.
- 12. Find formula for  $\Delta y$  and dy for  $y = \sqrt{x}$ .
- 13. Evaluate  $\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{\sin 2x}{x}$  using L' Hospital's rule.
- 14. Draw the graph for  $y = x^3 3x + 3$ .
- 15. Define Mean-Value Theorem.
- 16. Find the two x-intercepts of the function  $f(x) = x^2 5x + 4$ .
- 17. Write the steps to find the limits of integration for the area between two curves.
- 18. Find the volume of the solid generated when the region enclosed by  $y = \sqrt{x}$ , y = 2 and x = 0 is resolved about the y-axis.

- A spring exerts a force of 5 N when stretched 1 m beyond its natural length. How
  much work is required to stretch the spring 1.8 m beyond its natural length.
- 20. The face of a dam is a vertical rectangle of height 100 ft and width 200ft. Find the total fluid force exerted on the face when the water surface is level with the top of the dam.
- 21. Write the statement of Pappus Theorem.
- 22. Find the value of  $\int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} (a^2 x^2) dx$ .

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$ 

#### SECTION - III

Answer any six questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 23. Write the Four steps for solving Related Rates Problem.
- 24. Evaluate  $\lim_{x\to 0} + \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{1}{\sin x}\right)$ .
- 25. Find the intervals on which  $f(x) = x^3$  is increasing and the intervals on which it is decreasing.
- 26. Prove that if f has an absolute extremum on an open interval (a,b), then it must occur at a critical point of f.
- 27. Show that the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{4}x^3 + 1$  satisfies the hypotheses of the Mean Value Theorem over the interval [0, 2] and find all values of c in the interval (0, 2) at which the tangent line to the graph of f is parallel to the secant line joining the points (0, f(0)) and (2, f(2)).
- 28. Find the area of the region that is enclosed between the curves  $y = x^2$  and y = x + 6.

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- 29. Use cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid generated when the region R under  $y = x^2$  over the interval [0, 2] is revolved about the line y = -1.
- 30. Explain the concept of pressure.
- 31. A plate in the form of an isosceles triangle with base 10ft and altitude 4ft is submerged vertically in machine oil. Find the fluid force F against the plate surface if the oil has weight density  $\tau = 30 \ lb \ lt^3$ .

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$ 

#### SECTION - IV

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 32. Sketch the graph of  $y = (x-4)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ .
- 33. A closed cylindrical can is hold 1 liter of liquid. How should we choose the height and radius to minimize the amount of material needed to manufacture the can?
- 34. Find the area of the surface that is generated by revolving the position of the curve.
  - (a)  $y = x^3$  between x = 0 and x = 1 about the x-axis.
  - (b)  $y = x^2$  between x = 1 and x = 2 about the y-axis.
- 35. Find the centroid of the region R enclosed between the curves.
  - (a)  $y = x^2 \text{ and } y = x + 6$ .
  - (b)  $y = \sqrt{x}$ , y = 1, y = 2 and the y-axis.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$ 

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