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**First Degree Programme under CBCSS**

**Mathematics**

**Complementary Course for Chemistry and Polymer Chemistry**

**MM 1331.2 : MATHEMATICS III –  
(LINEAR ALGEBRA, PROBABILITY THEORY AND NUMERICAL  
SOLUTIONS)**

**(2021 Admission Onwards)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

**SECTION – A**

**All the first ten questions are compulsory. They carry 1 mark each.**

1. Find the determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$ .
2. Define rank of a matrix.
3. Define an orthogonal matrix.
4. Give a set of linearly independent vectors.
5. Define mutually exclusive events.
6. What is a random experiment?
7. The number of permutations of five different things taken three at a time is

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8. Write the iterative formula to find  $\sqrt{N}$ .
9. Evaluate  $\Delta e^x$ .
10. Write Newton's forward interpolation formula.

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

SECTION – B

Answer any **eight** questions. These questions carry **2** marks each.

11. Determine the rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ .
12. Solve the equations  $x + 2y + 3z = 0$ ,  $3x + 4y + 4z = 0$ ,  $7x + 10y + 12z = 0$ .
13. Show that if  $A$  is orthogonal then  $|A| = \pm 1$ .
14. Find the inverse of the linear transformation  $y_1 = 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3$ ,  $y_2 = x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3$ ,  $y_3 = x_1 - 2x_3$ .
15. Show that eigen values of an idempotent matrix are either zero or unity.
16. Find the probability that a non-leap year should have 53 Saturdays.
17. An ordinary six faced die is thrown four times. What are the probabilities of obtaining 4, 3, 2, 1 and 0 faces?
18. The mean number of bacteria per millilitre of a liquid is known to be six. Find the probability that in 1 ml of the liquid, there will be less than four bacteria.
19. Using bisection method, find the negative root of the equation  $x^2 - 4x + 9 = 0$ .
20. Evaluate  $\frac{1}{31}$  by Newton's iteration method.
21. Evaluate  $\int_0^6 \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$  by using Simpson's  $\frac{1}{3}$  rule.
22. Find the polynomial  $f(x)$  using Lagrange's formula:

$x$	0	1	2	5
$f(x)$	2	3	12	147

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

## SECTION – C

Answer any **six** questions: These questions carry **4** marks each.

23. Using Gauss-Jordan method, find the inverse of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 7 & 9 \\ 4 & 3 & 8 \\ 7 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ .

24. Solve the equations  $3x + y + 2z = 3$ ,  $2x - 3y - z = -3$ ,  $x + 2y + z = 4$  by determinants.

25. Prove that  $A^3 - 4A^2 - 3A + 11I = 0$ , where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

26. A five figure number is formed by the digits 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 without repetition. Find the probability that the number formed is divisible by 4.

27. Three urns contain 6 red, 4 black; 4 red, 6 black, and 5 red, 5 black balls respectively. One of the urns is selected at random and a ball is drawn from it. If the ball drawn is red, find the probability that it is drawn from the first urn.

28. The probability density function of a variate  $X$  is

$X$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$p(X)$	$k$	$3k$	$5k$	$7k$	$9k$	$11k$	$13k$

Find  $P(X < 4)$ ,  $P(X \geq 5)$  and  $P(3 < X \leq 6)$ .

29. Using bisection method, find the approximate root of the equation  $\sin x = \frac{1}{x}$  that lies between  $x = 1$  and  $x = 1.5$  (in radians).

30. Find the missing values in the following data:

$x$	45	50	55	60	65
$y$	3	....	2	.....	-2.4

31. Using Euler's method, find an approximate value of  $y$  corresponding to  $x = 1$  given that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = x + y$  and  $y = 1$  when  $x = 0$ .

**(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)**

## SECTION – D

Answer any **two** questions. These questions carry **15** marks each.

32. For the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ , find non singular matrices  $P$  and  $Q$  such that  $PAQ$  is in normal form. Hence find the rank of  $A$ .

33. Reduce the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  to the diagonal form.

34. The following data are the number of seeds germinating out of 10 on a damp filter paper for 80 sets of seeds. Fit a binomial distribution to these data:

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
f	6	20	28	12	8	6	0	0	0	0	0

35. Apply Gauss-elimination method to solve the equations  $x + 4y - z = -5$ ,  
 $x + y - 6z = -12$ ,  $3x - y - z = 4$ .

**(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)**