

3/EH-29 (iii) (Syllabus-2015)

2016

( October )

MATHEMATICS

( Elective/Honours )

( Algebra—II and Calculus—II )

( GHS-31 )

Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

Answer **five** questions, choosing **one** from each Unit

UNIT—I

1. (a) Prove that the set  $\{1, -1, i, -i\}$  is a finite Abelian group of order 4 with respect to multiplication.  $[i^2 = -1]$  3
- (b) Show that every subgroup of a cyclic group is cyclic. 4

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(c) Answer the following with justification :

$$2 \times 3 = 6$$

(i) Can an Abelian group have a non-Abelian subgroup?

(ii) Can a non-Abelian group have an Abelian subgroup?

(iii) Can a non-Abelian group have a non-Abelian subgroup?

(d) Prove that intersection of any two subgroups of a group is a subgroup. 2

2. (a) If  $G$  is a finite group, show that for each  $a \in G$ , there exists a positive integer  $n$  such that  $a^n = e$ , where  $e$  is the identity element of a group  $G$ . 5

(b) Show that any two left cosets of a subgroup  $H$  in a group  $G$  have the same (finite or infinite) number of elements. 5

(c) Show that an infinite cyclic group has exactly two generators. 5

#### UNIT—II

3. (a) Solve  $x^4 - x^3 + 3x^2 + 31x + 26 = 0$ , if one of the roots of the given equation is  $2 - 3i$ . 5

(b) Find the polynomial  $f(x+2)$ , when

$$f(x) = x^4 - 3x^3 + 4x^2 - 2x + 1 \quad 4$$

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(c) Remove the second term of the equation

$$x^3 + 6x^2 + 12x - 19 = 0$$

and then solve the given equation. 6

4. (a) (i) If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are the roots of the equation  $x^3 + px^2 + qx + r = 0$ , form the equation whose roots are

$$\beta\gamma + \frac{1}{\alpha}, \quad \gamma\alpha + \frac{1}{\beta}, \quad \alpha\beta + \frac{1}{\gamma} \quad 4$$

(ii) If  $z = \cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta$   
 $w = \cos 2\phi + i \sin 2\phi$   
show that

$$z^m w^n + \frac{1}{z^m w^n} = 2 \cos 2(m\theta + n\phi) \quad 2$$

(b) If the equation

$$3x^4 + 4x^3 - 60x^2 + 96x - k = 0$$

has four real and unequal roots, show that  $k$  must lie between 32 and 43. 4

(c) Solve the equation  $x^3 - 18x - 35 = 0$  by Cardan's method. 5

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## UNIT—III

5. (a) Prove that the convergent sequence is bounded. Is the converse true? Justify with an example.  $3+1=4$
- (b) Show that if  $x_n = \frac{3n+1}{n+2}$ , then the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is strictly increasing. Is the sequence convergent? Justify your answer. Also find its limit.  $3+2+1=6$
- (c) Define Cauchy sequence. Is the sequence  $\{n^2\}$  a Cauchy sequence? Justify your answer.  $2+3=5$
6. (a) Test the convergence of the following series (any two) :  $3 \times 2 = 6$
- (i)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{n^n}$
- (ii)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2n+1}{(n+1)^2}$
- (iii)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n-1}} \right)$
- (b) State Leibnitz's theorem for alternating series. Show that  $1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} + \dots$  converges.  $2+3=5$
- (c) Define a power series. Find the interval of convergence of  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$ .  $1+3=4$

## UNIT—IV

7. (a) State and prove Cauchy's mean value theorem.  $1+4=5$
- (b) Find the asymptotes of the curve  $x^3 - 2y^3 + xy(2x - y) + y(x - y) + 1 = 0$  5
- (c) (i) Find the approximate value of  $\log 10.1$  by the use of differentials. Given that  $\log_{10} e = 0.4343$ . 2
- (ii) Show that of all rectangles of a given area, the square has the smallest perimeter. 3
8. (a) Let the function be defined by
- $$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{2xy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}, & \text{when } x^2 + y^2 \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{when } x = 0 = y \end{cases}$$
- Show that  $f_{xy}(0, 0) \neq f_{yx}(0, 0)$ . 6
- (b) State and prove Euler's theorem on homogeneous function of three variables  $x, y, z$ . Applying Euler's theorem to the function  $V = \tan^{-1} \frac{x^3 + y^3}{x - y}$ , show that  $x \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = \sin 2V$ .  $1+4+4=9$

## UNIT—V

9. (a) Expand  $\log(1+x)$  in a finite series in powers of  $x$  with Cauchy's form of remainder. 4
- (b) State and prove Taylor's theorem in infinite form with Lagrange's form of remainder. 6
- (c) State and prove the fundamental theorem of integral calculus. 1+4=5
10. (a) Find the volume of the solid of revolution obtained by revolving the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  about the minor axis. 4
- (b) Find the length of arc of the given curves  $x = e^\theta \sin \theta$ ,  $y = e^\theta \cos \theta$  from  $\theta = 0$  to  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . 5
- (c) Evaluate  $\int_2^4 \int_{4/x}^{\frac{20-4x}{8-x}} (4-y) dy dx$  by changing the order of integration. 6

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