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**Instructions for Candidates :**

- (a) Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
- (b) Question **NO.1** is compulsory.
- (c) Attempt **four** more questions out of the rest.
- (d) Non-programmable calculators are allowed.

**1. Do any five of the following :** 5×3=15

- (a) Determine the linear independence/linear dependence of  $e^x$ ,  $xe^x$ ,  $x^2e^x$ .
- (b) Determine the order, degree and linearity of the following differential equation.

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + x^2 \left( \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right)^2 = 0$$

- (c) Find the area of the triangle having vertices at P (1,3,2), Q (2,-1,1) and (-1,2,3).

- (d) Let  $\vec{A}$  be a constant vector. Prove that

$$\vec{\nabla}(\vec{r} \cdot \vec{A}) = \vec{A}$$

(e) Find the acute angle between the surfaces  $xy^2z - 3x - z^2 = 0$  and  $3x^2 - y^2 + 2z = 1$  at the point  $(1, -2, 1)$

(f) A random variable  $X$  has probability density function

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-(x-5)^2/2}$$

$$-\infty < x < \infty$$

Find the mean

(a) Solve the simultaneous differential equations given below.

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = y,$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2y + x$$

(b) Two independent random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  have probability density functions  $f(x) = e^{-x}$  and  $g(y) = 2e^{-2y}$  respectively. What is the probability that  $X$  and  $Y$  lie in the intervals  $1 < x \leq 2$  and  $0 < y \leq 1$

The time rate of change of the temperature of a body at an instant  $t$  is proportional to the temperature difference between the body and its surrounding medium at that instant.

c) Box A contains 8 items out of which 3 are defective. Box B contains 5 items out of which 2 are defective. An item is drawn randomly from each box.

$$5+5+5$$

- ) What is the probability that both the items are non-defective ?
- i) What is the probability that only one item is defective ?
- ii) What is the probability that the defective item came from box A ?

Solve the following differential equations.

- a)  $y'' + y = \sec x$  8
- b)  $(z + ye^{xy})dx + (xe^{xy} - 2y)dy = 0$  7
- c) Solve the initial value problem. 8

(i)  $y'' + 4y' + 8y = \sin x$

(ii)  $y(0) = 1, y'(0) = 0$

- d) A metal bar at a temperature  $100^\circ \text{F}$  is placed in a room at a constant temperature of  $0^\circ \text{F}$ . After 20 minutes the temperature of the bar is  $50^\circ \text{F}$ . Find : 7

(i) The time it will take the bar to reach a temperature of  $25^\circ \text{F}$

(ii) Temperature of the bar after 10 minutes

- a) If  $v$  denotes the region inside the semicircular cylinder

$$0 \leq x \leq \sqrt{a^2 - y^2} \quad 0 \leq z \leq 2a$$

Evaluate  $\iiint_v x dv$

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- b) 17

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6. (a) Find the directional derivative of  $\phi = 4 - 3x^2y^2z$  at  $(2, -1, 2)$  in the direction  $2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + \hat{k}$
- (b) Find the value of  $\nabla^2(\ln r)$
- (c) Prove that :

$$\iiint \frac{dv}{r^2} = \oiint \frac{\vec{r} \cdot \hat{n}}{r^2} ds$$

Where  $v$  is the volume of region enclosed by surface

7. (a) Suppose  $\vec{A} = (2y + 3)\hat{i} + xz\hat{j} + (yz - x)\hat{k}$

Evaluate  $\int_c \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{r}$  along the following paths

- (i)  $x = 2t^2, y = t, z = t^3$  from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 1$
- (ii) The straight line from  $(0, 0, 0)$  to  $(0, 1, 1)$  and then to  $(2, 1, 1)$
- (iii) The straight line joining  $(0, 0, 0)$  and  $(2, 1, 1)$

- (b) Evaluate  $\iint \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} dS$

where  $\vec{A} = z\hat{i} + x\hat{j} - 3y^2z\hat{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  included in the first octant between  $z = 0$  to  $z = 5$

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