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B.A. /B.Sc. (General) 2nd Semester

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MATHEMATICS

Paper : I-Solid Geometry

Time Allowed : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 30

Note :- Attempt **five** questions, selecting at least **two** questions from each section.

SECTION-I

- I. (a) Shift the origin to a suitable point so that the equation.

$2x^2 + 3y^2 + z^2 + xy + zx - x - 10y - 4z + 22 = 0$ is transformed into an equation in which the first degree terms are absent.

- (b) If $\langle L_1, m_1, n_1 \rangle$ and $\langle L_2, m_2, n_2 \rangle$ be the direction cosines of two lines inclined at an angle θ , show that the direction cosines of the direction bisecting them are :

$$\left\langle \left(\frac{L_1 + L_2}{2} \right) \sec \frac{\theta}{2}, \left(\frac{m_1 + m_2}{2} \right) \sec \frac{\theta}{2}, \left(\frac{n_1 + n_2}{2} \right) \sec \frac{\theta}{2} \right\rangle \quad 3,3$$

- II. (a) Find the equation of the sphere circumscribing the tetrahedron

whose faces are $x=0, y=0, z=0$ and $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} + \frac{z}{c} = 1$.

- (b) Find the locus of the centres of the spheres passing through the fixed point $(0, 2, 0)$ and touching the plane $y = 0$.

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III. (a) Prove that every sphere through the circle :

$x^2 + y^2 - 2ax + r^2 = 0, z = 0$ cuts orthogonally every sphere through the circle $x^2 + z^2 = r^2, y = 0$

(b) Find the equation of a sphere which belongs to the coaxial system whose limiting points are $(1, 2, 0)$, $(2, 2, 0)$, and which passes through the point $(3, -1, 0)$. 3,3

IV. (a) Find the equation of the right circular cylinder described on the circle through the points $(2, 0, 0)$, $(0, 2, 0)$, $(0, 0, 2)$ as the guiding circle.

(b) Find the equation of the cylinder whose generators are parallel to the line $\frac{x-4}{3} = \frac{y}{5} = \frac{z-3}{-4}$ and whose guiding curve is the hyperbola $4x^2 - 3y^2 = 5, z = 2$. 3,3

SECTION-II

V. (a) The section of a cone whose vertex is P and guiding curve is the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, z = 0$ by the plane $x = 0$ is a rectangular hyperbola. Show that locus of P is $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2 + z^2}{b^2} = 1$.

(b) Find the equation of cone with vertex $(5, 4, 3)$ and guiding curve $3x^2 + 2y^2 = 6, y + z = 0$. 3,3

VI. (a) Show that the plane $6x + 3y - 2z = 0$ cuts the cone $yz + zx + xy = 0$ in perpendicular lines.

(b) Prove that the tangent planes to the cone $Lyz + mzx + nxy = 0$ are at right angles to the generators of the cone

$$L^2x^2 + m^2y^2 + n^2z^2 - 2mnyz - 2nLzx - 2Lmxy = 0. \quad 3,3$$

VII. (a) Show that $33x^2 + 13y^2 - 95z^2 - 144yz - 96zx - 48xy = 0$ represents a right circular cone whose axis is the line $3x = 2y = z$. Find its vertical angle.

(b) Show that the locus of the foot of the perpendicular from the

centre of the ellipsoid $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$ to any of its tangent

plane is $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = a^2x^2 + b^2y^2 + c^2z^2. \quad 3,3$

VIII. (a) Reduce the equation :

$11x^2 + 10y^2 + 6z^2 - 8yz + 4zx - 12xy + 72x - 72y + 36z + 150 = 0$
to the standard form and show that it represents an ellipsoid.
Also find the equations of the axes.

(b) If a right circular cone has three mutually perpendicular generators, then show that its vertical angle is $\tan^{-1} \sqrt{2}$.

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