

2031
B.A./B.Sc. (General) First Semester
Mathematics
Paper – II: Calculus - I

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 30

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, selecting atleast two questions from each Unit.

x-x-x

UNIT – I

- I. a) Prove that between any two distinct real numbers, there exist infinitely many real numbers.

b) Solve the inequality $\frac{x-2}{x+2} > \frac{2x-3}{4x-1}$ (2x3)

- II. a) If $|x - 5| < 3$, then prove that $\frac{1}{4} < \frac{x^2 + 2x - 5}{x + 4} < \frac{13}{2}$.

b) Show that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin \frac{1}{x}$ does not exist. (2x3)

- III. a) If F is a continuous function on $[a, b]$, then prove that f attains its least upper bound and greatest lower bound in $[a, b]$

- b) Determine constants a and b so that the function of defined below is continuous

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 13, & \text{if } x \leq 2 \\ ax^2 + bx + 1, & \text{if } 2 < x < 3 \\ 17 - ax, & \text{if } x \geq 3 \end{cases} \quad (2x3)$$

- IV. a) Find values of a, b, c if $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{ae^x - b \cos x + ce^{-x}}{x \sin x} = 2$

b) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{2(\cosh x - 1)}{x^2} \right]^{\frac{1}{x^2}}$ (2x3)

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UNIT – II

V. a) State and prove Lagrange's mean value theorem.

b) Use Cauchy's mean value theorem to prove that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left(x^{\frac{1}{n}} - 1 \right) = \log x, x > 1.$

(2x3)

VI. a) Use Maclaurin's theorem to show that

$$\log(1+x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \dots + \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n} \frac{x^n}{(1+\theta x)^n}, 0 < \theta < 1$$

b) If $y = \frac{x\sqrt{x^2+a^2}}{2} + \frac{a^2}{2} \sinh^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$, then prove that $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = x^2 + a^2$ (2x3)VII. a) Prove that the functions $2\tanh^{-1}\left(\tan\frac{x}{2}\right)$ and $\cosh^{-1}(\sec x)$ can differ only by a constant.b) Use Taylor's theorem to express the polynomial $2x^3 + 7x^2 + x - 6$ in powers of $x - 2$. (2x3)VIII. a) Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$. Show that $f'(x)$ is not continuous at $x = 0$ and $f''(x)$ does not exist at $x = 0$.b) Prove that $\frac{d^n}{dx^n} \left(\frac{\log x}{x} \right) = \frac{(-1)^n n!}{x^{n+1}} \left[\log x - 1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} - \dots - \frac{1}{n} \right]$ (2x3)

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