

MANIPAL UNIVERSITY

FIRST SEMESTER B.E. DEGREE EXAMINATION – NOV/DEC 2007

SUBJECT: ENGINEERING MATHEMATICS – I (MAT 101)

(CREDIT SYSTEM)

Friday, December 21, 2007

Time: 3 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

✍ Answer any FIVE full questions.

1A. Find the n^{th} derivative of i) $\frac{x^2}{(x+2)(2x+3)}$ ii) $\cos x \cos 2x \cos 3x$.

1B. A line makes angles $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ with the diagonals of a cube, prove that $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma + \cos^2 \delta = \frac{4}{3}$

1C. Obtain the reduction formula for $\int \sin^n x dx$ and hence obtain the value of $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^n x dx$
(7+6+7 = 20 marks)

2A. If $y = e^{a \sin^{-1} x}$, prove that $(1-x^2)y_{n+2} - (2n+1)xy_{n+1} - (n^2 + a^2)y_n = 0$. Hence, find the value of y_n when $x = 0$.

2B. Trace the curve $r^2 = a^2 \cos 2\theta$ with explanations.

2C. Find the image of the point (1, 3, 4) in the plane $2x - y + z + 3 = 0$.

(8+6+6 = 20 marks)

3A. Find the length of the arc of the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ cut off by the latus rectum.

3B. Show that the radius of curvature at any point of the astroid $x = a \cos^3 \theta, y = a \sin^3 \theta$ is equal to three times the length of the perpendicular from the origin to the tangent.

3C. Find the equation of the sphere having the circle $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 10y - 4z - 8 = 0, x + y + z = 3$ as a great circle.

(6+8+6 = 20 marks)

4A. Show that the evolute of the tractrix $x = a (\cos t + \log \tan \frac{t}{2}), y = a \sin t$ is the catenary $y = a \cosh \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)$.

4B. Find the area included between the cycloid $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta), y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ and its base.

4C. State Euler's theorem and verify it for $z = (x^2 + xy + y^2)^{-1}$.

(8+6+6 = 20 marks)

5A. State Cauchy's mean value theorem. Show 'C' of Cauchy's mean value theorem is harmonic mean between a and b if $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$ and $F(x) = \frac{1}{x}$.

5B. Find the nature of the series: i) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^{1/2}}{n^2 + 1}$, ii) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{n^n}$.

5C. Show that the lines $\frac{x+4}{3} = \frac{y+6}{5} = \frac{z-1}{-2}$ and $3x-2y+z+5 = 0 = 2x+3y+4z-4$ are coplanar.

Find their point of intersection and the plane in which they lie.

(6+6+8 = 20 marks)

6A. Evaluate i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + \sin x - \cos x + \log(1-x)}{x \tan^2 x}$ ii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} (\sin x)^{\tan x}$

6B. Test for convergence of the series

$$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{1}} + \frac{x^2}{3\sqrt{2}} + \frac{x^4}{4\sqrt{3}} + \frac{x^6}{5\sqrt{4}} + \dots \infty$$

6C. If $u = x \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) - y \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)$, show that:

$$\text{i) } x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = u \quad \text{ii) } x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

(7+6+7 = 20 marks)

7A. Obtain the first three non-zero terms in the Maclaurin's expansion of $\frac{x}{e^x - 1}$.

7B. For what values of x the following series is convergent.

$$\frac{x}{1.2} - \frac{x^2}{2.3} + \frac{x^3}{3.4} - \frac{x^4}{4.5} + \dots \infty$$

7C. Show that the tangents drawn at the extremities of any chord of the cardioide $r = a(1+\cos\theta)$ which passes through the pole are perpendicular to each other.

(8+6+6 = 20 marks)

