

# Mathematical Foundations-III

## Compulsory Question

1. (a) Differentiate  $\sin^3 x$  w.r.t.  $\cos^3 x$ . 2
- (b) At what points on the curve  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 1 = 0$ , the tangent is parallel to x-axis? 2
- (c) State Taylor's theorem with Lagrange's form of remainder after  $n$  terms. 2
- (d) Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow b} \frac{x^b - b^x}{x^x - b^b}$ . 2
- (e) How we can obtain asymptotes parallel to x-axis and y-axis for a given equation of a curve? 2
- (f) Prove that the curvature of a circle at any point on it is constant and is equal to the reciprocal of the radius of the circle. 2
- (g) Define Node. 2
- (h) What is the shape of parabola  $y^2 = -4ax$ ? Write its axis and coordinates of focus. 2
- (i) Prove that for the curve  $P = f(r)$ ,  $P = r \cdot \frac{dr}{dp}$

## SECTION-A

2. (a) If  $y = \sqrt{\log x + \sqrt{\log x + \sqrt{\log x + \dots \infty}}}$ , 9  
prove that  $(2y-1) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$
- (b) If  $e^x + e^y = e^{x+y}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -e^{y-x}$ . 9
3. If  $y = (\sin^{-1} x)^2$ , prove that  
(a)  $(1-x^2) y_2 - x y_1 - 2 = 0$ . 4  
(b)  $(1-x^2) y_{x+2} - (2n+1) x y_{x+1} - n^2 y_x = 0$ . 5  
(c) Deduce that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{y_{n+2}}{y_n} = n^2$  and find  $y_n(0)$ .

### SECTION-B

4. (a) Find the point on the curve  $y = be^{-x/a}$  at which the tangent makes an angle  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-b}{a}\right)$  with x-axis. 9
- (b) Find the angle of intersection of the curves.  
 $\pi = a \cos \theta$  and  $r = a(1 - \cos \theta)$  9

5. (a) If  $f(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 - 5x + 11$ , find the value of  $f\left(\frac{9}{10}\right)$  with the help of Taylor's series for  $f(x+h)$ . 9
- (b) State and prove Maclaurin's theorem with Lagranges form of remainder after  $n$  terms. 9

### SECTION-C

6. (a) Find all the asymptotes of the curve  $x(y-x)^2 - x(y-x) - 2 = 0$  9
- (b) Show that the four asymptotes of the curve  $xy(x^2 - y^2) + 25y^2 + 9x^2 - 144 = 0$  cut it again in eight points on an ellipse whose eccentricity is  $\frac{4}{5}$ . 9
7. (a) Find the points of inflexion of the curve  $y = (x-2)^6(x-3)^5$ . 9
- (b) Find the position and the nature of the double points on the curve. 9

### SECTION-D

8. (a) If  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  are the radii of curvature at the extremities of a focal chord of a parabola whose semilatus-rectum is  $e$ , prove that  $(p_1)^{-2/3} + (p_2)^{-2/3} = (e)^{-2/3}$ . 9
- (b) If  $c_x, c_y$  be the chord of curvature parallel to co-ordinate axes at any point of the curve  $y = c \cosh\left(\frac{x}{c}\right)$ ; prove that  $4c^2(c_x^2 + c_y^2) = c_y^4$ . 9
9. (a) Trace the curve  $r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$ . 9
- (b) Trace the curve  $x = t^2, y = t - \frac{1}{3}t^3$  9